



A Statement from ICNY's Executive Director

As an organization dedicated to fighting prejudice, hatred, and misunderstanding, The Interfaith Center of New York offers our deepest condolences to the congregations, families, and communities of the 290 victims of terrorist bombings that took place in Sri Lanka on Easter Day. We are deeply disheartened by the brutality of this attack – timed as it was to maximize the loss of innocent life on the holiest day in the Christian calendar. Violence against people in prayer is an unspeakable evil at any time and particularly during a sacred holiday. We encourage New Yorkers of all faiths and good will to contribute to [Caritas Internationalis](#) or the [Sri Lanka Red Cross Society](#) in a sign of solidarity and hope expressed in the promise of Easter.

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