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Peace

Principles









Partnership

Spirituality

Service

Dialogue

Interfaith

Family

Cooperation

Reconciliation

ANNUAL REPORT 2010

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SOME HIGHLIGHTS OF 2010

- The three "Abel UN" World Assemblies
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NEW YORK, USA: The UPF Founders, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Sun Myung Moon lighting the Peace Candles at the Opening of UPF Assembly 2010 in New York / Washington DC, the first of a series of three that went on to Las Vegas and Seoul.



NEW YORK, USA: The UPF International Chairman, Rev. Hyung Jin Moon, speaks at the World Assembly 2010 in New York.



LAS VEGAS, USA: Signing of the "Abel UN Peace Proclamation" at the UPF World Assembly held at Caesar's Palace, Las Vegas.



SEOUL, KOREA: Speakers at the third "Abel UN" World Assembly in Seoul included: H.E. Kessai Note (L), former President of the Marshall Islands, and Dr. Kook Jin Moon (R), Chairman of the Tongil Group, Korea.



SEOUL, KOREA: UPF International Chairman, Dr. Hyung Jin Moon, President Dr. Thomas Walsh (R), and Secretary General Taj Hamad (L), together with Interfaith leaders during the UPF Assembly held at the Cheon Bok Gung temple in October.



SEOUL, KOREA: Religious leaders from the UPF Interfaith Assembly attending the World Peace Blessing, Sun Moon University, Cheonan, Korea



NEW YORK, USA: UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon speaks at the African Union and UPF celebration of Africa Day 2010, held at the Manhattan Center.



NEW YORK, USA: UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon and the Ambassadors of 17 African nations celebrating 50 years of independence cutting a cake



UNITED NATIONS, NY: At the conclusion of the Legacy of Peace program, Rev. and Mrs. Moon and their daughter Rev. In Jin Moon greet Mr. Alexander P. Haig and his son.



Among those recognized in the Legacy of Peace series were Hédi Annabi, UN Head of Mission in Haiti, and the 100 UN workers who died with him during the Haiti earthquake.



CHEONAN, KOREA: An interfaith consultation held at Sun Moon University discusses the challenges facing the creation of an interreligious council at the United Nations.



UNITED NATIONS, NY: President of the UN General Assembly, H.E. Dr. Ali Abdussalam Treki (center), hosts the Little Angels dance troupe, led by Dr. Bo Hi Pak (L of Dr. Treki). The Little Angels toured the 16 nations that joined the UN forces during the Korean War.



International Day Of Peace



UNIVERSAL PEACE FEDERATION



WASHINGTON DC: The International Day of Peace 2010 celebration is hosted by the Embassy of Ghana. Around the world, more than 300,000 people participated with UPF in Day of Peace programs in 48 nations.



CAP HAITIEN, HAITI: International Relief Friendship Foundation volunteers consult with Haitian villagers about building a molasses factory. UPF Ambassadors for Peace also raised money for donations of water through the UN World Food Programme.



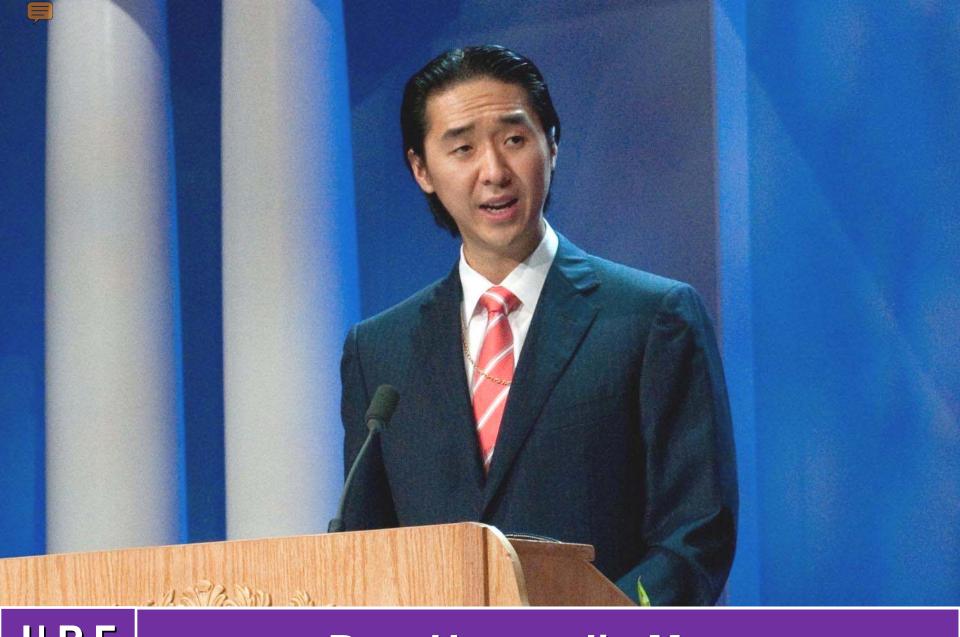
BANGKOK, THAILAND: Participants in a program of the Religious Youth Service that combined interfaith education with a practical program to support the weakened structural foundations of a local school

VIP SPEAKERS





True Parents
Founders, UPF International



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Rev. Hyung Jin Moon Chairman, UPF International



U P F 2010

Dr. Kook Jin Moon Chairman, Tongil Group Korea



Rev. In Jin Moon

President and CEO, HSAUWC of America



H.E. Kessai Note
Former President of the Marshall Islands



Rt. Hon Soo Sung Lee Former Prime Minister of Korea



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Hon. Joo Son Park Korean National Congress



Dr. Sun Jo Hwang President, UPF Korea



H.E. Lloyd Sandiford
Ambassador to China and former PM of Barbados

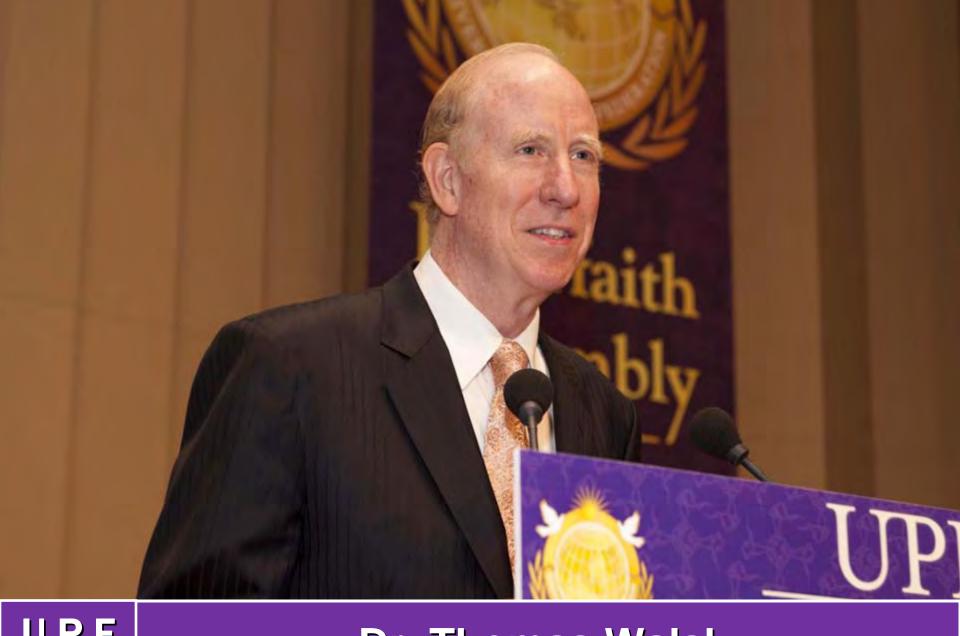


Ban Ki-moon
United Nations Secretary-General



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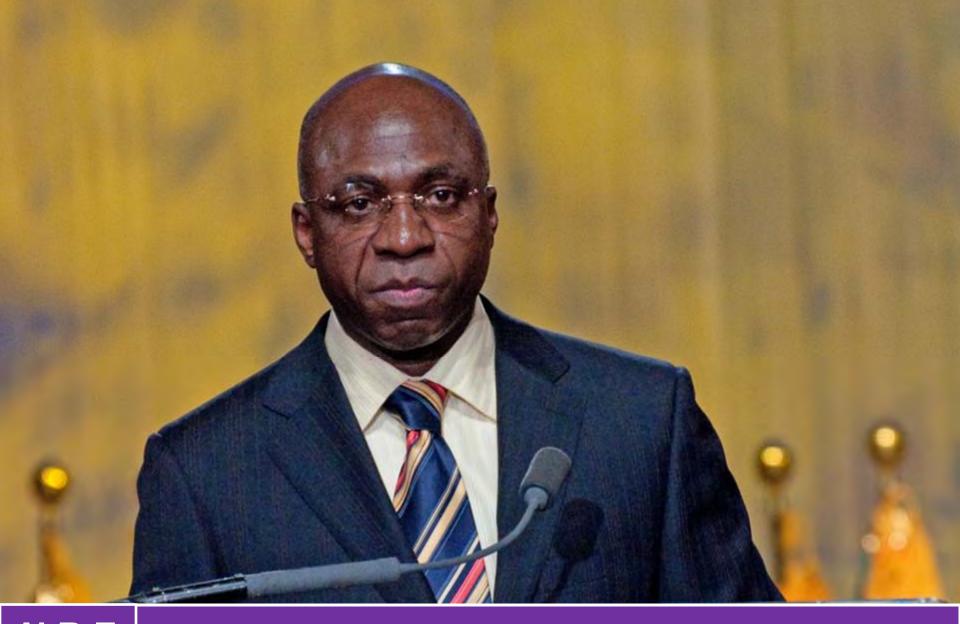
H.E. Parmand Jha Vice President of Nepal



Dr. Thomas WalshPresident, UPF International



Mr. Taj Hamad Secretary General, UPF



H.E. Teté Antonio

Ambassador of the African Union to the UN



H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe Vice-President of the UN General Assembly



Madame Désirée Juliette Tendeng Badji
African Union Spouses Group



Dr. Chang Shik Yang Regional Chair, UPF North America



Mr. Neil Bush Youngest son of US President George H. Bush



Hon. Sam Zakhem
Former US Ambassador to Lebanon



Hon. Min Ha Kim
Chairman, Ambassadors for Peace Korea



Rev. Jesse Edwards
Co-Chairman, ACLC



Archbishop George A. Stallings Jr.
Co-Chairman, ACLC



Dr. Hamdi Murad
UPF Presiding Council, Jordan



Mr. Alexander P. Haig
Son of the late General Alexander Haig



Dr. Noel Brown
Friends of the United Nations



H. E. Hussein Hassouna
Ambassador of the Arab League to the United States



H.E. Anwarul Chowdhury
Former Under-Secretary-General, United Nations



Hon. Donzella James Georgia State Senate



Muslim Council for Religious and Racial Harmony, UK



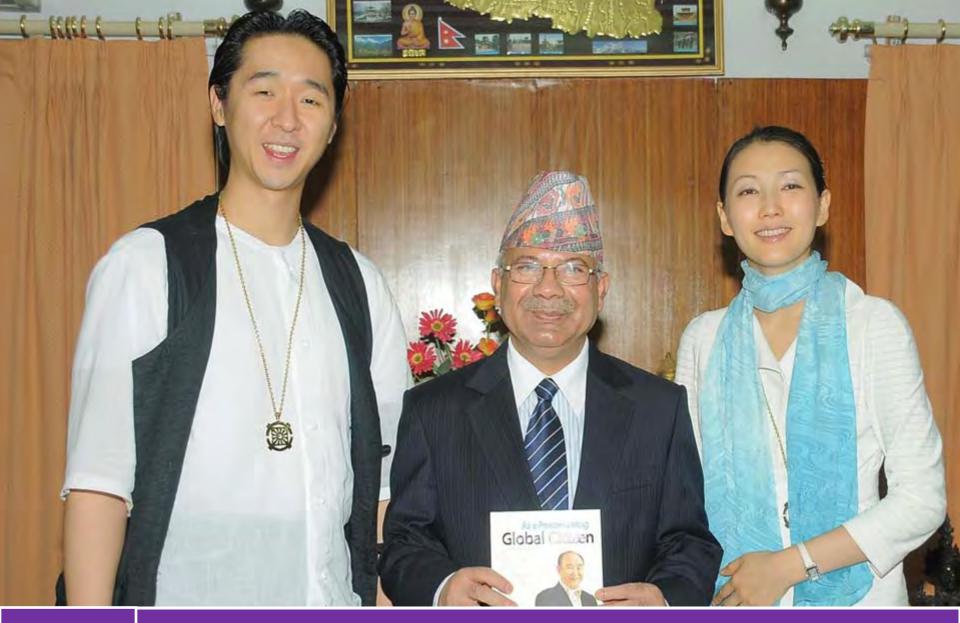
Hon. Ran Cohen Israeli Knesset



Father Dimitri Mussa Orthodox Priest, Israel



Sheik Mohammad Kiwan Moslem Leader, Israel



Madhav Kumar Nepal Prime Minister of Nepal



H. E. Annette Lu Former Vice-President of Taiwan



Mrs. Zindziswa Mandela-Hlongwane Nelson Mandela Foundation, South Africa



Bishop Manoel Ferreira Assemblies of God, Brazil



Dr. Markandey Rai UN Habitat, Nairobi, Kenya



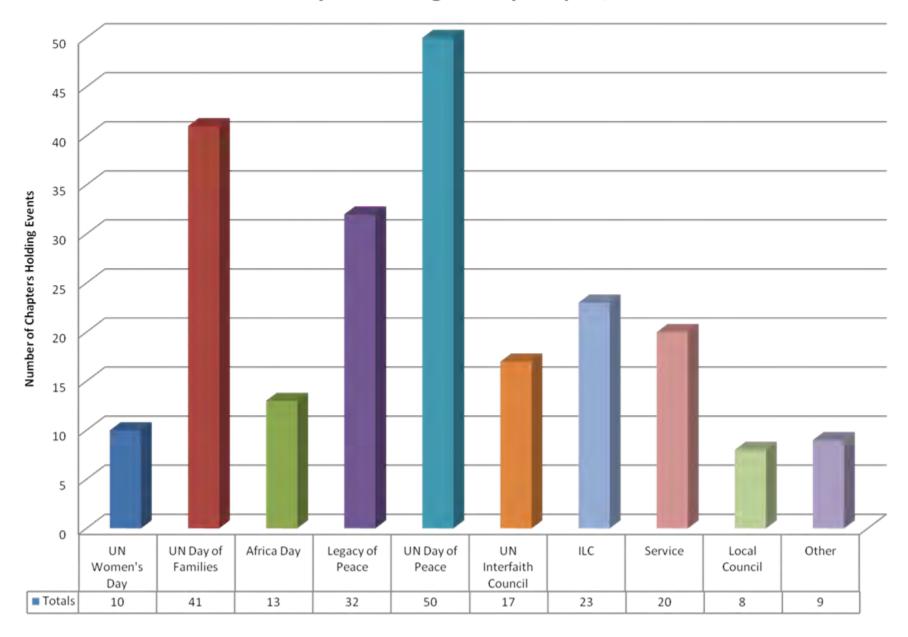
Rt. Hon. Hamilton Green Former Prime Minister of Guyana

MAJOR PROGRAMS

- United Nations
 Education
- Interfaith
 Service



223 Major UPF Programs by Chapter, 2010





United Nations

- UN International Day of Families
- UN International Day of Peace
- Other Commemorative Days
- UN Week of Spirituality
- Briefings of Mission Delegations
- UPF Programs organized with UN Agencies

THE UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL DAY OF FAMILIES



UN International Day of Families



Strong family bonds can help reduce youth problems, crime, drug abuse, and the spread of diseases such as HIV/AIDS. In 2010, the UN focused upon the special challenges caused by migration.

Celebrations in 41 Nations

•	Afghanistan	•	Georgia	•	Russia
•	Argentina	•	Germany	•	Sierra Leone
•	Austria	•	Hungary	•	Solomon
•	Bangladesh	•	Iceland		Islands

- Spain Barbados India
- Ireland Cameroon Canada Israel
- Cote d'Ivoire Japan
- Croatia Latvia
- Moldova Czech Republic Nepal
- Ecuador Netherlands
- Finland Nigeria
 - France Norway

- St. Lucia
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom
- Uruguay
- USA
- Venezuela
- Zambia

International Day of Families: UN HQ



United Nations, NY: A Day of Families symposium to discuss the challenges posed by migration, to both migrant and non-migrant families

International Day of Families: UN HQ







United Nations, NY: The Ambassadors of Sudan (left), Qatar (center), and Nepal (right) were among the high-level UN participants who cosponsored the event.

International Day of Families: Hungary



Budapest, Hungary: Parents and children work together to create a mural on the wall of a temporary residence facility for families.

International Day of Families: Japan



Tokyo, Japan: International couples talked about the challenges they face in being accepted by their relatives.

International Day of Families: Thailand



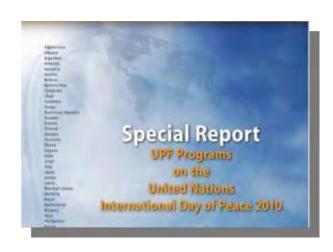
Chacheongsao, Thailand: A grandfather (age 92) and grandmother (age 83) perform traditional Thai dances, accompanied by family members.

THE UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE



International Day of Peace

Celebrations in 50 Nations



Each year UPF chapters and Ambassadors for Peace around the world join with UN agencies and with other NGOs in observations and celebrations of the **International Day of** Peace.

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•	Afghanistan	•	Germany	•	Russia
•	Albania	•	Ghana	•	Sierra Leone
•	Argentina	•	Guyana	•	Slovakia
•	Armenia	•	India	•	Solomon
•	Australia	•	Israel		Islands
•	Austria	•	Italy	•	Spain
•	Belarus	•	Japan	•	Switzerland
•	Burkina Faso	•	Jordan	•	Tajikistan
•	Cambodia	•	Latvia	•	Thailand
•	Chad	•	Marshall	•	Trinidad &
•	Colombia		Islands		Tobago
•	Congo	•	Moldova	•	United
•	Dominican	•	Mongolia		Kingdom
	Republic	•	Nepal	•	United States
•	Ecuador	•	Netherlands	•	Uruguay
•	Estonia	•	Norway	•	Venezuela
	Finland		Poru	•	Zambia

Peru

Philippines

Zimbabwe

Day of Peace: Burkina Faso









Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso: Youth join a blood drive and receive AIDS education.

Day of Peace: Chad



N'Djamena, Chad: A "Football for Peace" game between army veterans and civilians

Day of Peace: Dominican Republic





Barahona City, Dominican Republic: The International Day of Peace is celebrated at the Regional University.

Day of Peace: Germany



Dusseldorf, Germany: Young organizers emphasize the Millennium Development Goals and taking action for peace.

Day of Peace: Ghana





Accra, Ghana: Reading a Peace Message at an interreligious gathering

Day of Peace: Italy



Monza, Italy: An interfaith prayer ceremony and procession to mark the UN International Day of Peace

Day of Peace: Trinidad & Tobago



Trinidad & Tobago: Children at the Early Learning Kindergarten touch a "dove of peace" before its release.

Day of Peace: Zimbabwe



Harare, Zimbabwe: A "Sports for Peace" tournament brings together students from 12 schools.

Day of Peace: Benin



Cotonou, Benin: IDP, which UPF Benin has observed since 2006, served as the kickoff for a new national partnership for peace with the slogan "War will not pass through me."

Other UN Commemorative Days



UN Commemorative Days offer opportunities to develop partnerships and draw attention to shared concerns.

UPF Programs Organized on 8 other UN Commemorative Days

- 1. World Water Day
- 2. World Environment Day
- International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking
- 4. International Youth Day
- 5. UN Day of Non-violence
- 6. International Day of Tolerance
- 7. World AIDS Day
- 8. Human Rights Day

World Water Day: Argentina



Buenos Aires, Argentina: Celebrating water as the fountain of life and well-being on UN World Water Day, March 22

World Environment Day: UK



London, United Kingdom: Speakers at a symposium on World Environment Day, June 4, talked about a sense of interconnectedness to each other and the world around us.

Australia: Day Against Drug Abuse



Sydney, Australia: A representative of Drug Free Australia spoke about the high addiction rate in their country; a UPF representative advocated strengthening families.

International Youth Day: Nigeria









Nigeria: Programs were held in three states on the theme of "Healing Our World: Vision-Mission-Passion" in honor of International Youth Day, August 12.

Day of Non-Violence: Iceland



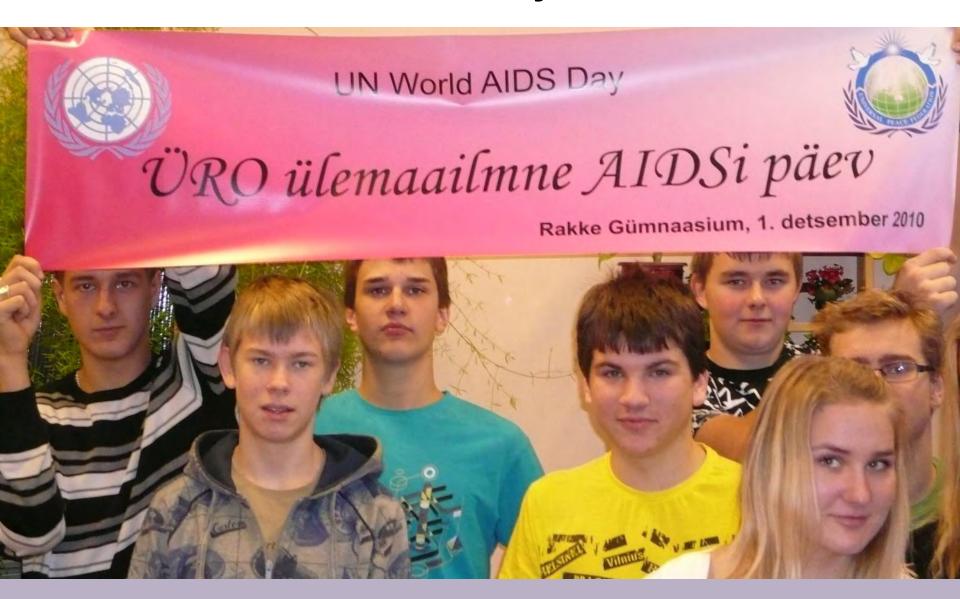
Reykjavik, Iceland: UPF representatives joined in a peace march in honor of Mahatma Gandhi's birthday, October 2, celebrated as the UN Day of Non-violence.

Day of Tolerance: Russia



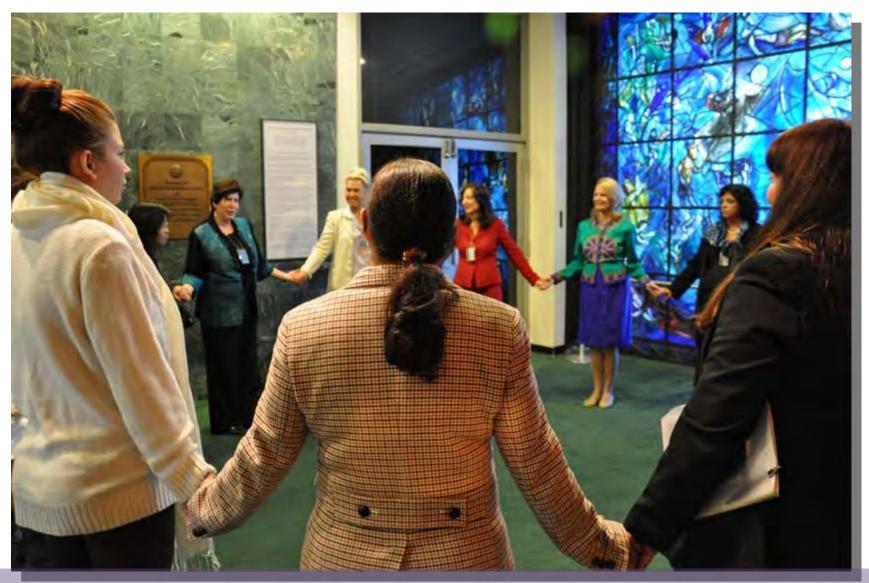
Sverdlovsk, Russia: Students from Serov discuss tolerance with students at the Medical College of Sverdlovsk on the International Day of Tolerance, November 16.

World AIDS Day: Estonia



Tallinn, Estonia: Celebration and youth seminar on World AIDS Day, December 1

UN Week of Spirituality: USA



United Nations, NY: UPF assisted in the celebrations to mark the UN Week of Spirituality at the United Nations headquarters.

Briefings and Meetings with UN Missions





United Nations, NY: Left: With the Ambassador of China at the UN. Right: Dr. Thomas Walsh and Mr. Taj Hamad with Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon

Briefings and Meetings with UN Missions





United Nations, NY: Each year in September UPF holds briefings for Heads and other representatives of Delegations to the UN General Assembly in New York.Left: Delegation of Guinea: Right: Foreign Ministry Senior Advisor, Montenegro

Tea Ceremonies and a Culture of Peace













United Nations, NY and Washington DC: Promoting the building of a culture of peace, UPF holds Japanese Tea Ceremonies in New York and Washington DC.

UPF PROGRAMS ORGANIZED WITH VARIOUS UN AGENCIES



Programs with UN Agencies



Partnerships among government organizations, intergovernmental agencies, civil society, and faithbased organizations can help advance the Millennium Development Goals.

Programs Organized in Conjunction with 7 UN Agencies

- UNICEF
- UNESCO
- UN Information Centre
- UN Environment Programme
- UN High Commissioner for Refugees
- High Commissioner for the Reintegration of Ex-combatants
- UN Development Fund for Women

UPF with DDR: Congo



Brazzaville, Congo: A representative of the High Commissioner for the Reintegration of Ex-Combatants addressed the International Day of Peace event.

UPF with UNDFW: Ecuador



Quito, Ecuador: A representative of the United Nations Development Fund for Women spoke about empowering women and promoting gender equality.

UPF with UNHCR: Jordan



Amman, Jordan: A representative of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees spoke to young Jordanians and Iraqis living in Jordan who competed in a friendly football match.

UPF with UNICEF & UNESCO: Nepal



Kathmandu, Nepal: UPF partnered with UNICEF and UNESCO in organizing a "Week of Peace" activities throughout the Kathmandu Valley.

UPF with UNEP: Russia



Moscow, Russia: The UN Environment Program sent a letter supporting UPF-Russia's annual Lake Baikal training program combining service projects with personal growth.

UPF with UNESCO: St. Lucia



Castries, St. Lucia: Representatives of UNESCO (left) and UPF (right) join four other organizations in signing a declaration on the International Day of Peace.

INTERFAITH





Interfaith

- Consultations
- Assemblies
- Religious YouthService
- Chairman's Tours

Interreligious Council Consultations

"World peace can be fully accomplished only when the wisdom and efforts of the world's religious leaders, who represent the internal concerns of the mind and conscience, work cooperatively and respectfully with national leaders who have much practical wisdom and worldly experience."

> -Rev. Dr. Sun Myung Moon August 18, 2000 at the United **Nations**

Consultations were held in 17 nations to advance the founder's proposal for an Interreligious Council at the UN

- Australia
- Israel

Switzerland

- Austria
- Japan

 Tajikistan Thailand

- Azerbaijan
- New Zealand
- UK

- Canada Georgia
- Russia

Peru

USA

- Ghana
- Sierra Leone



Interfaith Consultation: Austria





Vienna, Austria: Former Austrian Ambassador to Canada Dr. Walther Lichem speaks of the challenges of living in a society of neighbors from diverse backgrounds.

Interfaith Consultation: Korea



Cheonan, Korea: An interfaith consultation held at Sun Moon University discusses the challenges facing the creation of an interreligious council at the United Nations.

Interfaith Consultation: Peru



Lima, Peru: Ambassadors for Peace discuss practical aspects of the proposal for an interreligious council at the UN.

Interfaith Consultation: Switzerland



Geneva, Switzerland: Interreligious consultations during a conference on human rights

Interfaith Consultation: Tajikistan



Dushanbe, Tajikistan: The UNESCO representative in Tajikistan spoke at the consultation about the dangers of religious fundamentalism.

Interfaith Assembly at the Cheon Bok Gung



Seoul, Korea: Representatives of seven world religions offer prayers and light peace candles at the Interfaith Assembly, held at the Cheon Bok Goong in October.

Interfaith Conference: Bangladesh





Dhaka, Bangladesh: UPF joins an Interfaith Dialogue organized by the Bangladesh National Commission for UNESCO, the Ministry of Education, and Dhaka University.

Interfaith Field Trips: Taiwan



Taiwan: UPF Ambassadors for Peace participate in a series of quarterly field trips and seminars to visit Buddhist, Confucianist, Taoist, and other local religious sites.

Religious Youth Service (RYS)



Religious Youth Service was founded in 1986 to give opportunities to young people from diverse religious and cultural backgrounds to live and work together to further deepen their faith, as well as share the best qualities of their faith with people of other faiths.

Religious Youth Service Activities in 7 Nations

- Haiti
- India
- Jamaica
- Nepal
- Sri Lanka
- St. Lucia
- Thailand

Religious Youth Service: Haiti



Cache Cache Douge, Haiti: Volunteers offer sports and a variety of recreational activities at a summer enrichment camp for children displaced by the earthquake.

Religious Youth Service: India



Chennai, India: Religious Youth Service and the Federation of Gandhian Institutions commemorated the International Day of Peace with Interreligious prayers and a vigil.

Religious Youth Service: Jamaica



Portland, Jamaica: Giving the Avocat Primary and Junior High School a facelift and inspiring young people with the vision of One Family under God.

Religious Youth Service: Nepal



Pokhara, Nepal: Volunteers upgrade the landscaping at a local school.

Religious Youth Service: St. Lucia



Anse-la-Raye, St. Lucia: Young people from the US and Canada help paint a house damaged by Hurricane Tomas.

Religious Youth Service: Thailand





Chacheongsao Province, Thailand: RYS combined interfaith education with a practical program to add one more floor to school building providing 4 more classrooms at a rural school.

Chairman's Interfaith Tours: Israel



Acco, Israel: Imam Samir Assi (in blue robe) welcomes the UPF leaders to his mosque and explains about the history of Islam in Acco (Acre).

Chairman's Interfaith Tours: Israel



Yirka, Israel: The UPF Chair Hyung Jin Moon and his wife Yeon Ah Lee exchange gifts with Druze leader Sheikh Mowafaq Tarif during a visit to his home in northern Israel.

Chairman's Interfaith Tours: Vatican



The Vatican: Prayers at the Holy Ground in St. Peter's Square during a visit to the Vatican and other Christian holy sites in Italy.

Chairman's Interfaith Tours: Germany



Buchenwald, Germany: A moment of prayer during a visit to the former Buchenwald concentration camp where thousands of Jews were killed.

Chairman's Interfaith Tours: Nepal



Kathmandu, Nepal: A traditional Hindu greeting on arrival in Nepal. Later the group traveled to Lumbini, birthplace of the Buddha.

Chairman's Interfaith Tours: Thailand



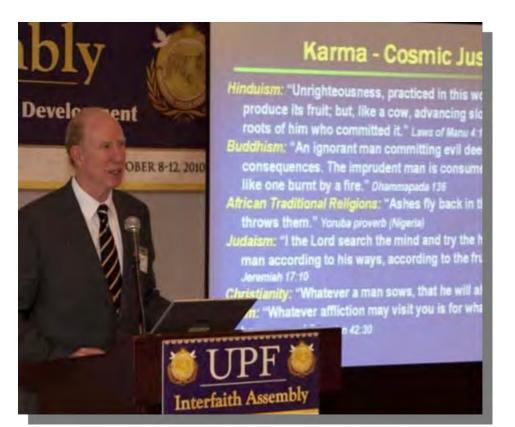
Bangkok, Thailand: A visit to a Buddhist temple

PEACE EDUCATION

INTERNATIONAL LEADERSHIP CONFERENCES (ILC) CHARACTER EDUCATION



International Leadership Conferences



International Conferences in 14 Nations

- Cameroon
- Congo
- Cote d'Ivoire
- Ghana
- Israel
- Japan
- Korea

- Netherlands
- Russia
- San Marino
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- United Kingdom
- United States

UPF's International Leadership Conferences (ILCs) focus on core values and universal principles of peacebuilding. Presentations offer an in-depth analysis of root causes of conflicts and identify "best practices" responses to conflict and violence.

Overview of the ILC Curriculum

- The Need for New Vision and Values
- God's Ideal of Peace
- The Three Stages of Human Life
- The Root Cause of Human Conflict
- The Principles of Restoration
- Marriage and Family as Instruments of Peace
- UPF Program Briefings

ILC at the Interfaith Assembly: Korea





Seoul, Korea: Participants listen to presentations at an interfaith conference.

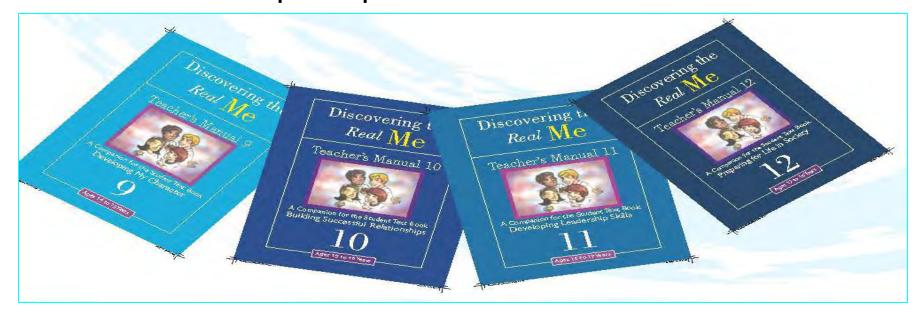
ILC: Indonesia



Jakarta, Indonesia: New Ambassadors for Peace appointed at the end of a leadership conference

Character Education

• The UPF Character Education curriculum, *Discovering* the Real Me, offers a comprehensive approach to character education. It focuses on universal values and core ethical principles common to all cultures.



The UPF Character Curriculum is being made available on request worldwide.

Character Education



Indonesia



Kenya



South Africa



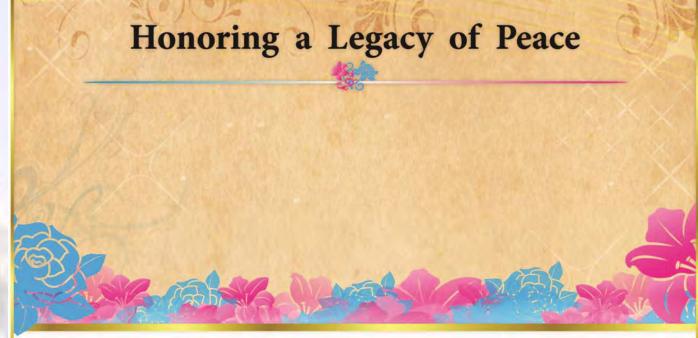
Armenia

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- LEGACY OF PEACE
- AFRICA DAY
- UPF WORLD ASSEMBLIES







Memorial Festival of Ascension and Unity

UNITED NATIONS
DELEGATES DINING ROOM
NEW YORK, NY MARCH 18, 2010



Legacy of Peace

Legacy of Peace programs celebrate the lives of individuals who have made a valuable contribution to peace and have passed on to a higher dimension.

Celebrations in 29 Nations

- Argentina
- Austria
- Australia
- Belarus
- Brazil
- Cambodia
- Canada
- Finland
- Georgia
- Grenada
- Hungary
- Indonesia
- Israel
- Lithuania
- Malaysia

- Marshall Islands
- Moldova
- Nepal
- Netherlands
- People's Republic of China
- Russia
- Slovakia
- Solomon Islands
- South Korea
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- Ukraine
- United Kingdom
- United States

Legacy of Peace: United Nations





United Nations, NY: A tribute to Gen. Alexander Haig and the UN forces whose efforts during the Korean War liberated Rev. Moon from a North Korean death camp.

Legacy of Peace: United Nations



Also among those recognized were Hédi Annabi, the UN Head of Mission in Haiti and the 100 UN workers who died with him during the Haiti earthquake.

Legacy of Peace: United Nations



Dr. Douglas DM Joo, President of *The Washington Times*, speaks at the United Nations event about the significance of the *Seung Hwa* ceremony.

Legacy of Peace Programs Worldwide



Sydney, Australia



Hong Kong, China



Sao Paulo, Brazil



Lisbon, Portugal



AFRICAN UNION

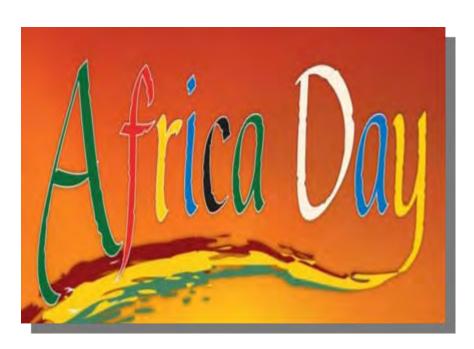
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Manhattan Center

Africa Day



Celebrations in New York City and around the world of Africa Day 2010 and the 50th anniversary of independence of 17 African nations

Africa Day Celebrations in 13 Nations

- Angola
- Canada
- Congo
- Ecuador
- Georgia
- Ghana
- Israel

- Nepal
- Netherlands
- Russia
- South Korea
- United Kingdom
- United States



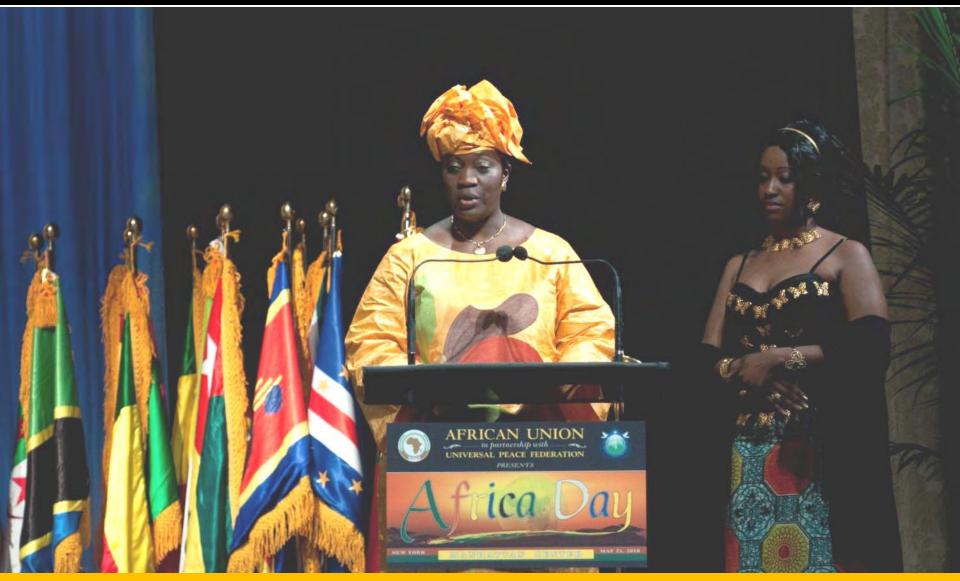




Rev. In Jin Moon invites the UN to think of the Manhattan Center as their "home away from home" during UN renovations.







UN African Ambassadors Spouses Group President, Madame Désirée Juliette Tendeng Badji







UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon addresses an overflow audience at the Manhattan Center.







H.E. Joy Ogwu, Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the UN (center), meets with Africa Day entertainers and African diplomats.

Africa Day: Korea



Seoul, Korea: The Prime Minister of Zimbabwe, Dr. Morgan Richard Tsvangirai, samples typical dishes from various regions of Africa.

Africa Day: Russia



Moscow, **Russia**: A cultural program celebrating Africa Day held at the House of the Peoples of Russia with several African Ambassadors in attendance

"ABEL UN" WORLD ASSEMBLIES



"Abel UN" World Assemblies

The UPF World Assemblies brought representatives of 194 nations in convention with the UPF Founder, Ambassadors for Peace, and others.

The "Abel UN" Peace Campaign was initiated leading up to World Interfaith Harmony Week in February 2011.

World Assemblies 2010

United States

East: New York/Washington

West: Las Vegas

South Korea

Seoul





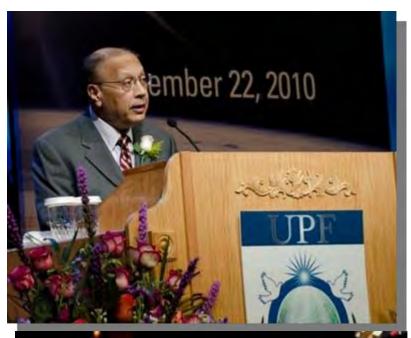


World Assembly: New York



New York, USA: Representatives of the 194 nations of the "Abel UN" at the World Assembly. UPF has chapters in 150 nations, of which 81 held major events in 2010.

World Assembly: New York









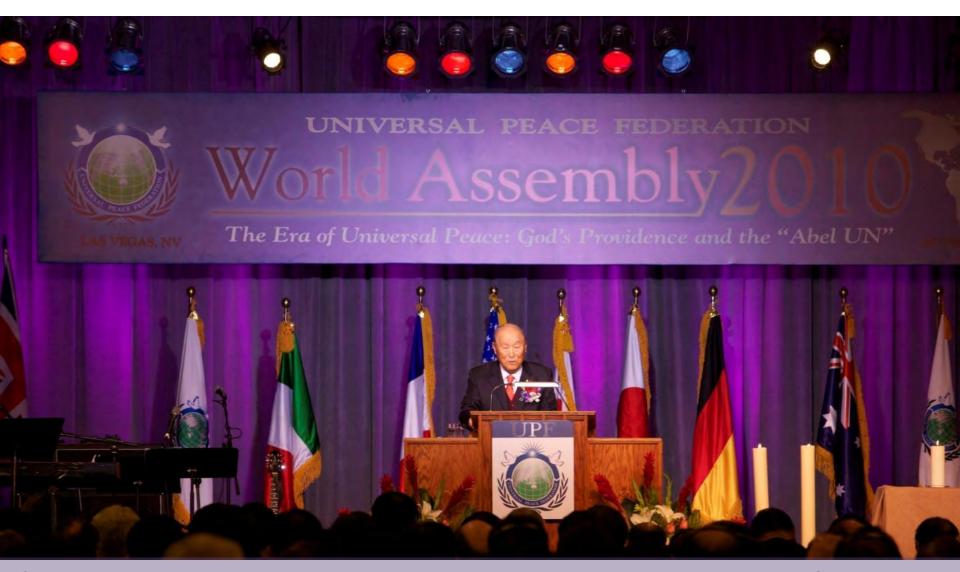
New York, USA: Speakers Amb. Anwarul K. Chowdhury, former UN Under-Secretary-General (L), and Dr. Hussein Hassouna, Ambassador, League of Arab States to US (R)

World Assembly: New York



New York, USA: This was the second time the UPF met in full Assembly with the Founder, the first being in September 2007.

World Assembly: Las Vegas



Caesar's Palace, Las Vegas: Dr. Moon challenges the audience to make God's peace a living reality in at least one nation on earth by the "D-Day" of January 13, 2013.

World Assembly: Seoul

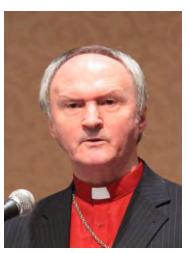


Seoul, Korea: Dr. Joon Ho Seuk offers a prayer representing the Unification tradition during the interfaith invocations to open the World Assembly 2010.

World Assembly Seoul











Seoul, Korea: Dr. and Mrs. Sun Myung Moon open the World Assembly 2010 in Seoul.

UPF PEACE INITIATIVES

- Marriage and Family
- Women for Peace
- Parliamentarians for Peace



Marriage and Family

The family is the primary school of love and character and the central building block of society. UPF programs strengthen marriage and family ties.



World Peace Blessing Ceremonies

- Austria
- Colombia
- San Marino
- South Korea

Marriage & Family Programs

- Panama
- Slovakia
- Spain
- United States

Marriage and Family: Korea



At the October 14 World Peace Blessing in Korea, Mr. Flavio Signore and Dr. Concepion Pinos Signore of Spain renew their vows.

Marriage and Family: Austria



Vienna, Austria: A World Peace Blessing ceremony held at the Radisson Hotel on February 21

Marriage and Family: Colombia



Bogota, Colombia: An interfaith wedding conducted by an Ambassador for Peace

Marriage and Family: Panama



Panama City, Panama: The "Marry Your Partner" program provides relationship education and encourages unmarried couples to wed.

Marriage and Family: San Marino



San Marino: Participants in the World Peace Blessing ceremony celebrate the rededication of their marriage on January 23 at the National Theater.

Marriage and Family: Slovakia







Bratislava, Slovakia: Former President Michal Kovak and Prime Minister Jan Carnogursky speak at a rally to promote traditional family values.

Marriage and Family: Spain



Madrid, Spain: International and interreligious couples offer prayers for peace during one of UPF-Spain's monthly marriage and family seminars.

Marriage and Family: UK

Women for Peace



UPF's Women for Peace initiative offers an innovative vision for women promoting peace at a time of global crisis. It advocates a parental heart and service to others as guiding principles.

International Women's Day Celebrations held in 10 Nations

- Argentina
- Belize
- Canada
- France
- India
- Israel

- Netherlands
- Russia
- United Kingdom
- United
 States

Women for Peace: UN HQ



New York, USA: A Women's Day program hosted by the Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the UN. At the podium: Rev. Tsu-Wei Zoe Chang, former President, UN Women's

Women for Peace: Argentina



Buenos Aires, Argentina: Distinguished service awards presented by the Women's Federation for World Peace on the International Women's Day

Women for Peace: Canada



Toronto, Canada: Women gather to consider the theme of "Equal Rights, Equal Opportunities, Progress for All."

Women for Peace: Netherlands



The Hague, Netherlands: Participants in a symposium on "Equal Rights, Equal Opportunities, Progress for All," on the International Women's Day

Parliamentarians for Peace

Conferences in national Parliaments and Assemblies for parliamentarians, diplomats, jurists, and scholars focus on topics such as good governance, interfaith dialogue, and ways in which religion can join civil society in partnership.

Events in the Parliament of 4 Nations

- Azerbaijan
- Peru
- United Kingdom
- Uruguay



Parliamentarians for Peace: Azerbaijan



Baku, Azerbaijan: A presentation of the UPF Peace Principles to members of Azerbaijan's parliament

Parliamentarians for Peace: Peru



Lima, Peru: Congressmen, government ministers, and faith leaders participated in an International Day of Peace event in one of the rooms of the National Congress.

Parliamentarians for Peace: UK



London, United Kingdom: Presenting the case for the interfaith council at a consultation in the House of Commons

Parliamentarians for Peace: Uruguay



Montevideo, Uruguay: A celebration of the International Day of Families in the Parliament building annex

UPF REGIONAL REVIEW

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Latin America

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Oceania



UPF Regional Chairs



Las Vegas, USA: The UPF Regional Chairs (front row) and representative Ambassadors for Peace with the UPF Founders after the Legacy of Peace program.

UPF Chapters Worldwide

By the numbers

- 86 chapters held major programs in 2010
- 140 nations have registered UPF chapters
- 194 nations recognized by the "Abel UN"

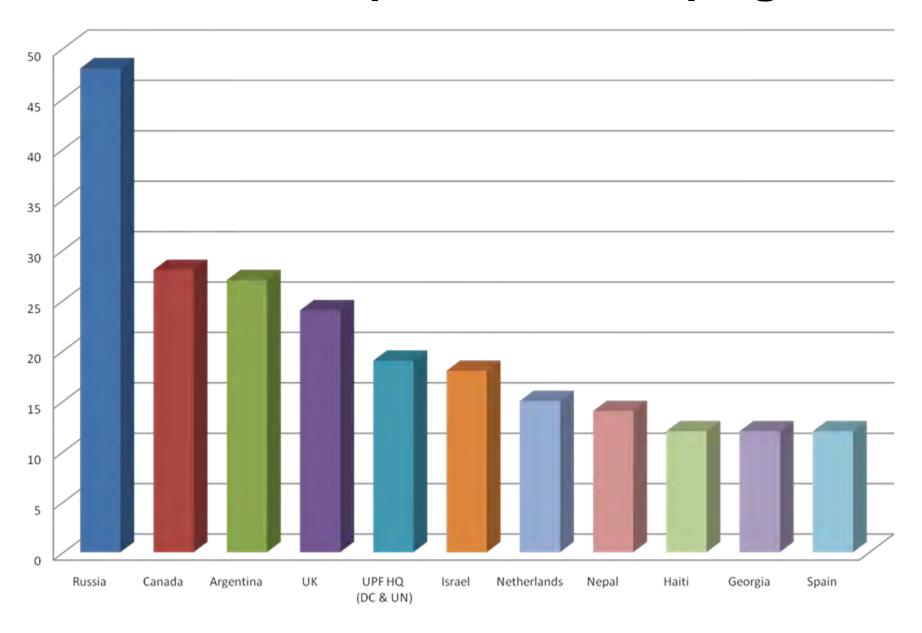
Regional Offices

- UPF Chapters are organized by regions of varying size, from just one nation (Korea, Japan, Canada) to 54 (Africa).
- Larger regions have up to 4 regional sub-offices.

Active UPF Chapters



Most Active Chapters based on programs



Africa: Cote D'Ivoire



Abidjan, Côte d'Ivoire - Establishment of the South Abidjan Local Peace Council in the Municipality Hall of Koumassi. The Council is busy following disputed national elections.

Africa: Kenya



Nairobi, Kenya: Peace education and entertainment for a Day of Peace program at the Jomo Kenyatta Conference Center

Africa: Sierra Leone





Freetown, Sierra Leone: Dr. Lansana Nyalley, Deputy Minister of Education, Science and Technology, addresses schoolchildren attending a UPF character education program.

Africa: Sudan







Khartoum, Sudan: A seminar to consider ways to improve religious tolerance, understanding, and cooperation, especially in the Muslim world

Africa: Zambia



Lusaka, Zambia: At an interfaith seminar, Zambian clergy discuss how they can better cooperate to work for peace among of religions.

Asia: Afghanistan



Kabul, Afghanistan: Young people collect gifts and donate them to the elderly on the International Day of Families.

Asia: India



Delhi, India: UPF volunteers organize a clean-up of the grounds of the Qutab Minar, one of India's most visited monuments and a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Asia: Malaysia



Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia: Interfaith invocations at a Legacy of Peace memorial festival

Asia: Nepal

 Conferences for high-level officials offer insights for improved relations among the countries of the region, and service projects build grass-roots relationships among diverse people.



Kathmandu, Nepal: A recent program at the Peace Embassy welcoming the Vice President of Nepal and others back from a seminar in Korea

Asia: Pakistan



Nowshera, Pakistan: Following devastating flooding, UPF distributes relief aid through UNHCR, including clothing, food, and medical supplies donated from Japan.

Eurasia: Georgia

 People-to-people diplomacy in this region of recurring conflict, the South Caucasus Peace Initiative builds understanding among the people of Russia, Armenia, Azerbaijan, and Georgia.

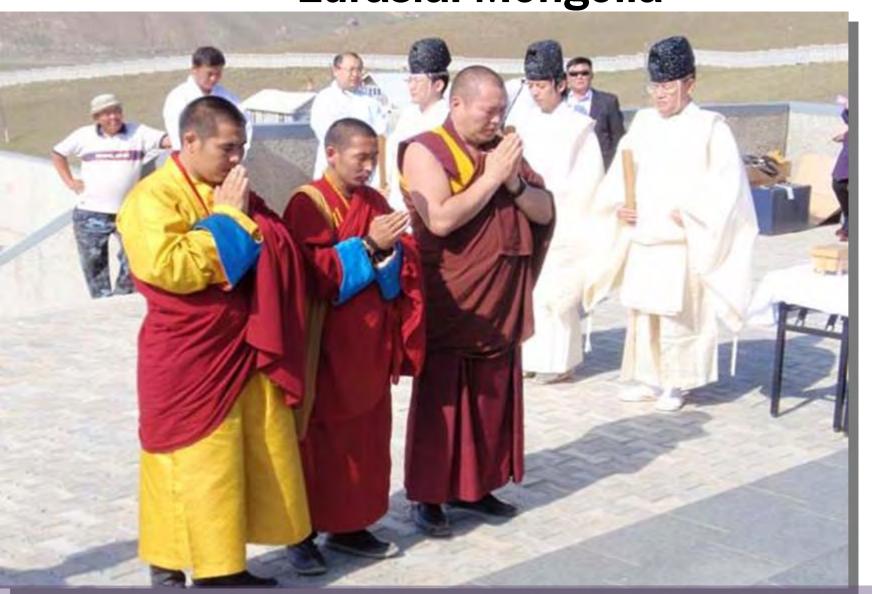




Russian students display the gifts they made for students in Georgia.

Dialogue among students from various nationalities living in Georgia

Eurasia: Mongolia



Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia: Japanese Shinto priests and Mongolian Buddhist monks join in a prayer ceremony for Japanese soldiers who died in Mongolia during World War II.

Eurasia: Russia



Moscow, Russia: Viewing an exhibit documenting 20 years of peacebuilding work in the nations of the former Soviet Union

Europe: Fact-Finding Tour to Japan



Tokyo, Japan: European Ambassadors for Peace visited Japan to lend their support to the campaign against the mistreatment of Unification families there.

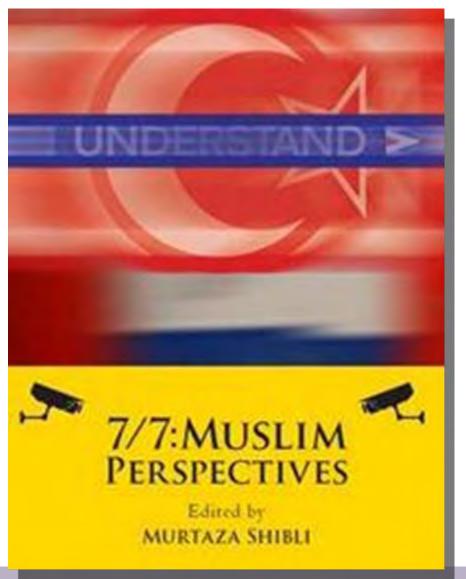
Europe: Norway



Oslo, Norway: A representative of the UN Information Centre spoke at an International Day of Peace seminar about the importance of investing in youth.

Europe: United Kingdom





London, UK: 7/7 Muslim Perspectives, a book by an Ambassador for Peace addressing the legacy of the 2005 bombings in the UK, was launched in the House of Lords.

Japan

UPF-Japan hosts regular educational seminars for members of the Japanese diplomatic community, sponsors Ambassadors for Peace of different nations to visit Japan, and participates in major UN



Kanegawa, Japan: Families cleaning up the Wada-Nahama beach

Korea

 Civil society initiatives support reconciliation and the peaceful reunification of the Korean Peninsula through tourism, cultural exchanges, and a variety of person-to-person connections.



Seoul, Korea: Dr. Sun Jo Hwang (in red tie), President of UPF-Korea, at the kick-off rally for the "Food Is Love" humanitarian campaign to aid North Korean families

Latin America / Caribbean: Argentina



Buenos Aires, Argentina: People from 4 continents submitted poems to a contest on the theme of Cultures: Values and Integration for Peace.

Latin America / Caribbean: Argentina



Guatemala City, Guatemala: An Ambassadors for Peace Americas Tour to Guatemala promoted understanding and partnerships through seminars and home visits.

Middle East: Israel / Palestine

 Briefings, dialogues, and opportunities to interact with people in the region give unique insights into current events as well as opportunities to serve as ambassadors goodwill who build lasting relationships with people of diverse cultures.





Acco, Israel: An invitation to the iftar meal during Ramadan

Middle East: Israel / Palestine



Israel/Palestine: Participants in International Youth Leadership programs engage in peacebuilding dialogues and service projects as well as visiting historic and holy sites.

Oceania: Solomon Islands







Solomon Islands: UPF funded a major program for root-crop development, helping to advance the UN Millennium Development Goals.

North America

UPF activities are held in all 50 states under the leadership of the USA chapter. In addition, UPF International conducts a special outreach program to the diplomatic community in Washington DC.



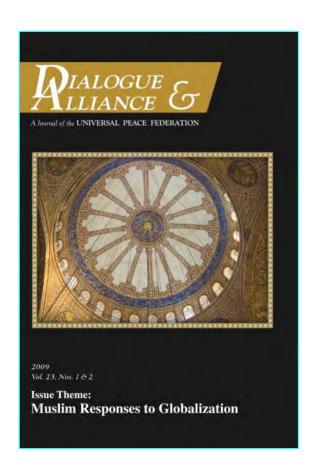


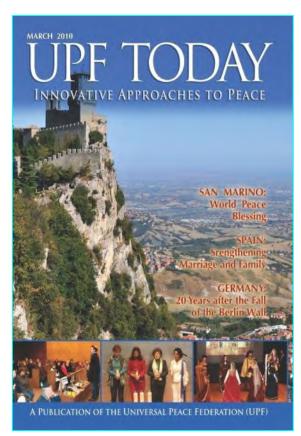
Washington DC: H.E. Milton Nathaniel Barnes, Ambassador of Liberia to the US, was a keynote speaker at the celebration of Africa Day, 2010.

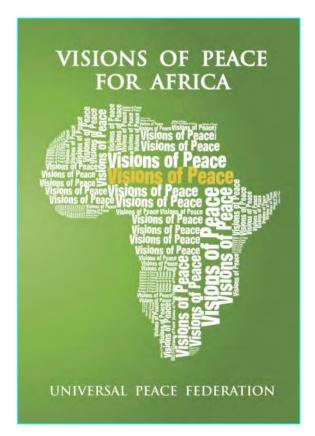
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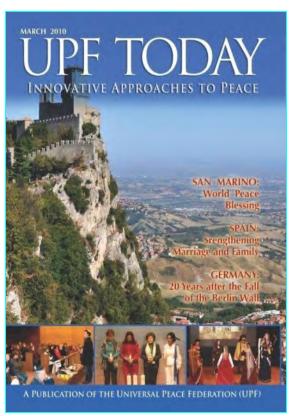


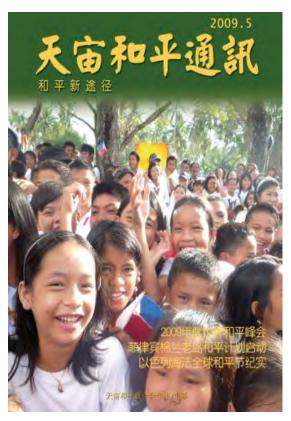




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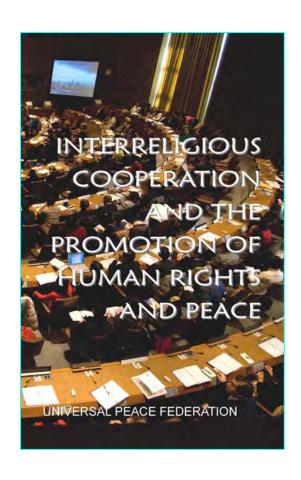


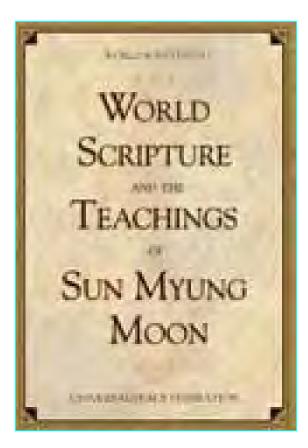


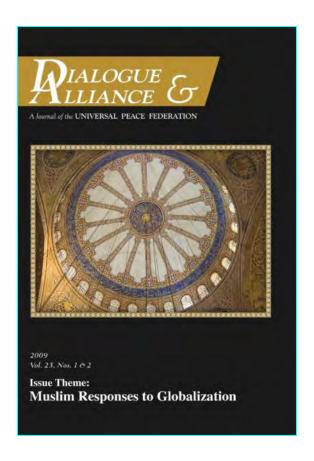


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UPF Publications: Interreligious Books

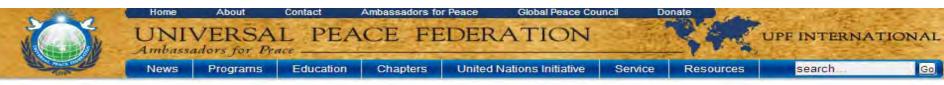






UPF now publishes the *Dialogue and Alliance* Journal, is the publisher of *World Scripture and the Teachings of Sun Myung Moon* and other interfaith books.

UPF Website



It isn't enough to talk about peace. One must believe in it. And it isn't enough to believe in it. One must work at it. Eleanor Roosevelt

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中文 - Chinese

Deutsch - German

Publications



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UPF Interfaith Assembly Held in Seoul

Seoul, Korea - The UPF Interfaith Assembly opened in Seoul October 9 at the Cheon Bok Gung, the Unification community's inspiring new sanctuary in the up-and-coming district of Yongsan. Around 1200 people came early on a Saturday morning to participate in a moving ceremony of prayers and readings from seven faith traditions: Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism, Druze, Shinto, Christianity, and Buddhism. | Conference Schedule and Resources

Read more...

Leaders in Central Africa Address Regional Issues

Yaounde, Cameroon - The Congress Hall filled with 354 dignitaries for a regional International Leadership Conference on October 1, focusing on strategies to improve education and the environment in the nations of central Africa.

Read more...

Interfaith Service Project in Nepal

Pokhara, Nepal - About 30 dynamic youths representing different faiths attended a Religious Youth Service project in Pokhara September 24 to October 1. Representatives came from the Buddhist, Baha'i, and Jain religions.

Read more...

Development Aid: Perspectives and Examples

Utrecht, Netherlands - Character development and community partnerships should be key factors in development aid, according to a Ghanaian NGO leader addressing a UPF-Netherlands conference on September 19 in Utrecht. A professor at the Maastricht School of Management cited statistics about aid and concerns of donor nations. Read more...

Interfaith Rosh Hashana Liturgy in Bogotá

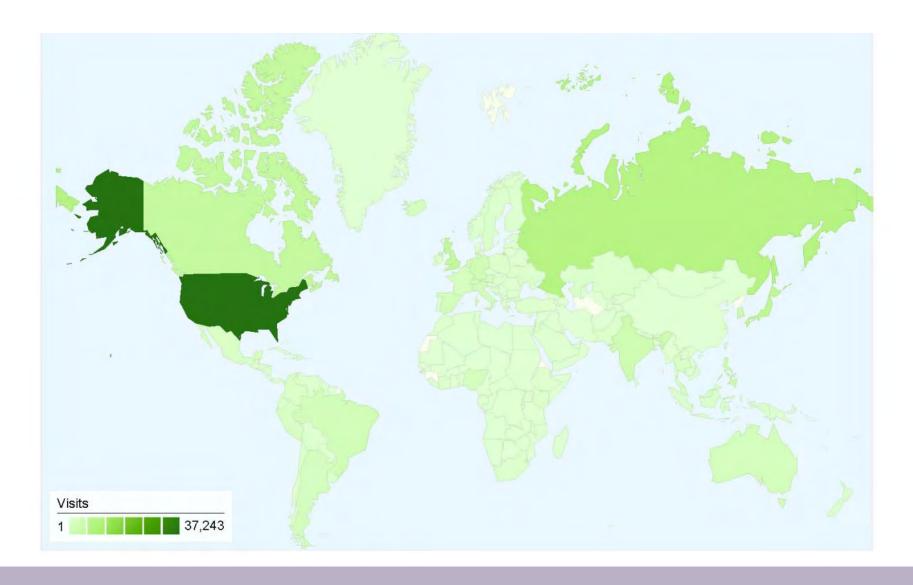
Bogotá, Colombia - An interfaith Rosh Hashana service took place at the UPF Peace Embassy in Bogotá on September 8, with Christian, Muslim, and Buddhist leaders invited by a rabbi to join in the liturgy.



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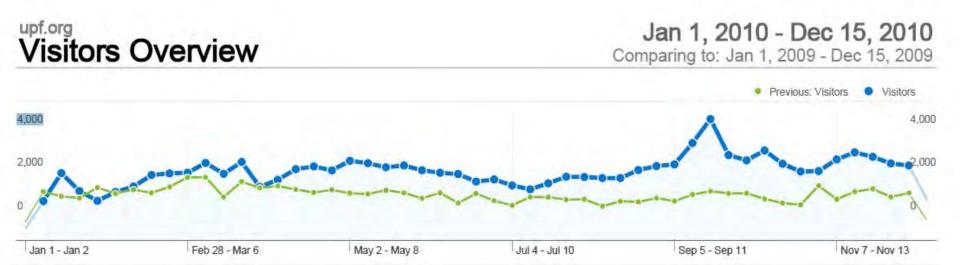
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UPF Web Visitors



Visits to the website came from 214 countries and territories. The USA was top.

UPF Web Statistics



Analysis:

- 1)Monthly traffic to the website is up around 30% over 2009
- 2)There are 10,000 unique visitors a month
- 3) Daily "hits" are around 30,000.

Recommendations:

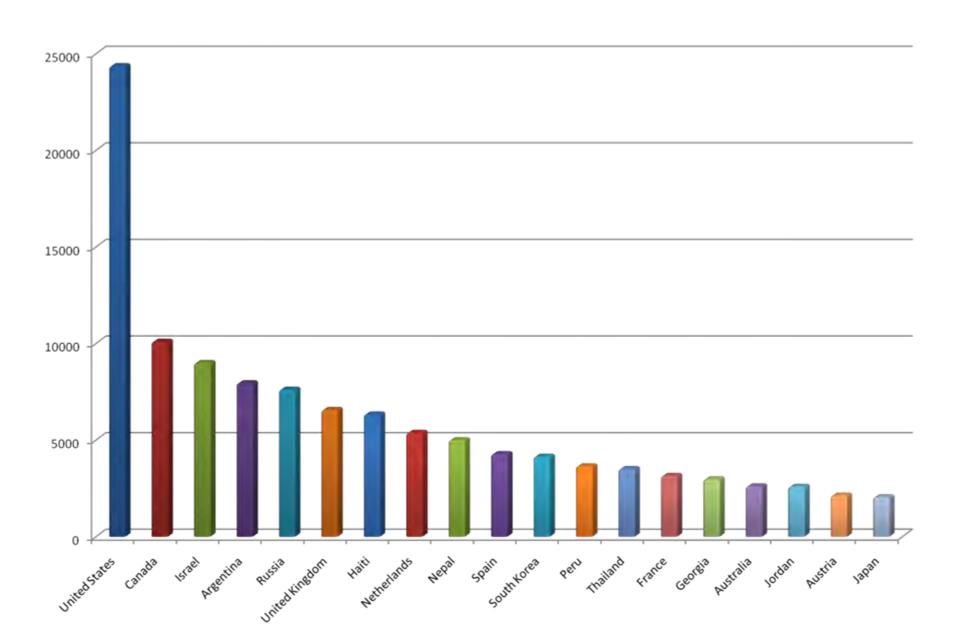
- 1)Consider more use of social media (YouTube, Twitter, Facebook, etc.) to drive visitors
- 2)Consider a Google advertising campaign, or similar.
- 3) Research into market interest for similar sites.

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Most Read Articles on UPF Website

Title	Views	Date
Marriage and Family Education	4153	10-Oct-10
The Value of the Family	3960	01-Oct-10
Promoting a Family-Friendly Culture	3231	10-Oct-10
International Leadership Conference, February 2010	2994	14-Jan-10
Little Angels Children's Folk Ballet to Tour US	2782	11-May-10
World Peace Blessing	2576	14-Jan-10
Honoring a Legacy of Peace at the United Nations	2376	20-Mar-10
Water Supplies for Haiti	2229	21-Jan-10
UPF Interfaith Assembly Held in Seoul	1997	09-Oct-10
Honoring the UN Day of Families	1941	18-May-10

Chapters with most Web Hits



PLANS FOR 2011



Organizational Growth

1. Ambassadors for Peace

- Expand the AFP network in each nation to a minimum of 3 times the number of parliamentarians.
- Update the database of AFPs, UPF members, and friends.

2. Registered Chapters

 Expand UPF Chapter Registration to 170 nations and get activity reports from at least 120 of these.

3. Regional Peace Councils

- Develop the Global Peace Council as a global parliament that convenes annually and addresses global issues.
- Develop 12 Regional Peace Councils.

Programmatic Development

1. Towards An Abel United Nations

- Develop Interfaith Peace Councils in 70 nations.
- Develop "Model Nation" Programs in 7 nations.
- Mobilize 70 nations in support of the Interreligious Council at the United Nations initiative.
- Become a world leader in for peacebuilding, conflict prevention, and post-conflict reconciliation.

2. Education

- Upgrade and improve UPF's Peace Education curriculum.
- Develop state-of-the-art programs in strengthening marriage and family.
- Establish the World Peace Blessing as a global brand.

UN Program Goals 2011

Program	Date	2010	2011
International Day of Women	March	10	15
Day of Families	May	41	60
Africa Day	May	13	20
Day of Peace	September	50	75
Other Commemorative Days	Various	20	30
TOTAL		133	210

THANK YOU!

