News from our brothers and sisters in Heavenly Europe

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Vienna, Commemorates World Interfaith Week

With the support of the Universal Peace Federation (UPF) in Vienna and the Women's Federation for World Peace (WFWP), Heavenly Europe organized a conference on the theme "Why Religions and Cultures in Dialogue Matter for Achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals" to commemorate the World Interfaith Harmony Week, which is observed in the first week of February each year.

The conference was well-attended, with two sessions featuring prestigious speakers from Europe, including three ambassadors, prominent theologians, scientists, and speakers from civil society, and around 200 guests. During the conference, participants shared cases of religious discrimination and discussed potential solutions to ensure religious freedom and peace. They also discussed the ways in which religious individuals can help to overcome such discrimination.



Geneva, World Council Of Churches

On February 06 2023, the World Council of Churches in Geneva held a seminar under the theme "Religion in Service to Peace: Human Dignity and Justice for All". The seminar was hosted at the headquarters of the World Council of Churches (WCC), which represents 350 member churches and 600 million Christians globally. Representatives from major denominations and religions in Geneva also attended the seminar.

The seminar, in Geneva ended with attendees expressing their hope to become key leaders in promoting church harmony in their respective communities. It was a wonderful experience to have a meeting in the World Council of Churches – the headquarters of most major Protestant, Anglican, and Eastern Orthodox Christian churches.