

## WFWP Bergamo, Italy, celebrated the International Day of the Family

Giannina Figus and Elisabeth Ciacciarelli  
June 10, 2017



WFWP Bergamo, Italy, celebrated the International Day of the Family together with members and families of UPF, FFWPU, Bergamo's Ghanese Community, Christ Victory Church, the Sikh Community, Congregation for the Consciousness of Krishna, and the Church of Scientology.

Their celebration took place on 10 June 2017 in the City Youth and Culture Centre "Polaresco":

"On Saturday afternoon, UPF and WFWP collaborated together to organize a beautiful afternoon of choir, music, dances, testimonies... dedicated to the Family! It was the tenth edition of the International Day of the Family here in Bergamo!

The central theme was: "The Value of the Family for the New Millenium".

After the initial greeting, Carlo Chierico (Monza's UPF representative) introduced his father-in-law, Ettore Fiorina, who offered to the public a series of poems dedicated to the whole family sphere: the children, the couple, the parents and grandparents! These charming poems were accompanied by beautiful melodies on the piano.

Then, Carlo Zonato (Italy's UPF representative) presented an explanation of the peace vision that UPF promotes, that has as its central focal point the value of the family.

Then we heard about actual experiences of family life and of couples belonging to different communities, ethnicities and faiths: all the stories and experiences were united by a common sense of the irreplaceable value of the family.

There were also several musical and dance performances, that have further enriched the afternoon.

At the end, we enjoyed a multi-ethnic dinner!



Giannina Figus and Elisabeth Ciacciarelli  
WFWP Bergamo, Italy