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The United Nations International Day of Peace September 21, 2010

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Albania
Argentina
Armenia
Australia
Austria
Belarus
Burkina Faso
Cambodia
Chad

Colombia

Congo

Dominican Republic Ecuador Estonia Finland Georgia Germany Ghana Guyana India Israel Italy

Japan

Jordan
Latvia
Marshall Islands
Moldova
Nepal
Netherlands
Norway
Peru
Philippines
Russia
Sierra Leone
Solomon Islands

Spain
Tajikistan
Thailand
Trinidad & Tobago
United Kingdom
United States
Venezuela
Zambia
Zimbabwe





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AFGHANISTAN: Peace Seminar and a Music Festival in Kabul













ALBANIA: Distribution of school supplies to children from a local orphanage













ARGENTINA: A poetry contest on the theme of peace drew entries from 19 nations.

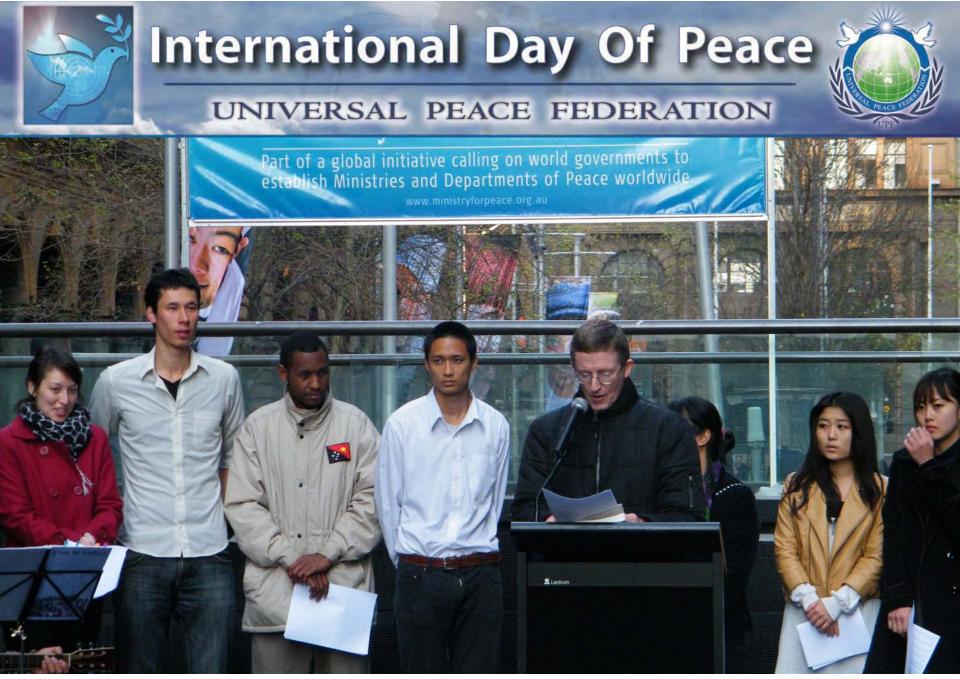








ARMENIA: Students at School No. 14 in Yerevan drawing their visions of peace



AUSTRALIA: Secretary General of UPF-Oceania speaks at a day-long rally in Sydney.















AUSTRIA: Youth take the lead sharing about recent interfaith peace projects.













BELARUS: A Peace March, arts contest, tree planting and concert in the city of Orsha













BURKINA FASO: With official support, youth join a blood drive and AIDS education.











CAMBODIA: A visit to the "killing fields"; a seminar at Cambodia Mekong University











CHAD: A "Football for Peace" tournament between army veterans and civilian





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COLOMBIA: Religious leaders join in a march and prayers for peace in Bogotá.











CONGO: 300 joined in prayers for peace at the Congressional Palace.





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DOMINICAN REPUBLIC: Celebration at the Regional University Center in Barahona





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ECUADOR: Young people from various religions talk about their work for peace.

















ESTONIA: High school students learn about the Day of Peace from interfaith NGOs















FINLAND: Peace Seminar with NGOs, community and governmental youth leaders











GEORGIA: "Brain Ring" contest for students, funded by the UN Office in Georgia













GERMANY, DUSSELDORF: Combined IDP and "Stand Up 2010" MDGs program











GERMANY, MUNICH: Lighting candles to promote inner peace





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GERMANY, STUTTGART: An interfaith gathering after reading Ban Ki-moon's





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GHANA: Reading a Peace Message at an interreligious gathering in Accra









GUYANA: Speeches and a peace march through the streets of Georgetown





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INDIA: A prize for peace poetry for a student at the Deorali Girls School, Sikkim









ISRAEL: A small gathering to discuss the implications of Ban Ki-moon's IDP message







ITALY: Buddhist monks from Burma and Tibet join interfaith prayers in Monza.







JAPAN: Cleaning up the Wada-Nahama beach, Kanagawa Prefecture





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JORDAN: Children watch a football match between Jordanians and Iraqis in Amman.





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LATVIA: Young people share ideas and drawings about their vision for peace.













MARSHALL ISLANDS: A celebration at the College of Marshall Islands in Majuro













MOLDOVA: Citywide meetings on "Youth for Peace and Development" in Chisinau







NEPAL: Students from the Bal Bagaincha school in Kathmandu light peace lamps.





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NETHERLANDS: A conference in Utrecht on the Impact of Foreign Aid in Africa



NORWAY: Young people met to discuss what their religion has to say about peace.





PERU: Prayers for peace offered in the National Congress by leaders of many faiths















PHILIPPINES: Ambassadors for Peace programs with police, religious, youth and tribal community leaders in Cayagan del Oro, Mindanao



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RUSSIA, EKATERINBURG: UPF partners with Brahma Kumaris for peace prayers.











RUSSIA, EKATERINBURG: Torches for peace were lit at a medical college.













RUSSIA, KOSTOMUKSHA: Programs for disabled children begin a new school year.





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RUSSIA, MEDVEZHIEGORSK: Students post messages on a "wall of peace."













RUSSIA, MOSCOW: Program with the NGO 'Federation of Peace and Concordance'





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RUSSIA, NIZHNI NOVGOROD: Students collect donations for a rehabilitation center.













RUSSIA, SEROV: A school teaches lessons on the theme of 'forgiveness.'





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RUSSIA, ZELENOGRAD: Students release 200 balloons carrying messages of peace.













SOLOMON ISLANDS: Candle-light prayer service for peace in Honaira





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SPAIN: Interfaith prayers and fellowship at the UPF Peace Embassy in Madrid













TAJIKISTAN: A program at the Tajik National Conservatory





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THAILAND: 200 schools mark IDP with silence followed by Ban Ki-moon's message













TRINIDAD & TOBAGO: Songs of peace at a kindergarten, preparing to release a dove





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UNITED KINGDOM: A multifaith seminar on peace and development in London













USA, WASHINGTON DC: Program co-hosted with the Embassy of Ghana to the USA



VENEZUELA: Making repairs at the St. Edmund Kids' Corner Foundation in Caracas

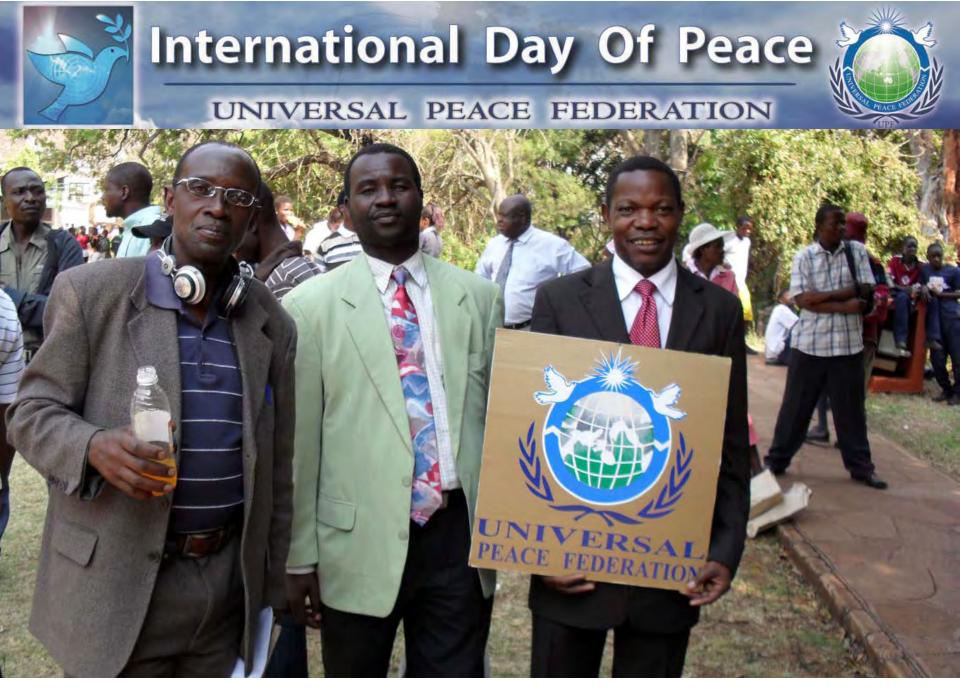


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ZAMBIA: Offering prayer for peace and reading peace messages in Lusaka



ZIMBABWE: Organizers of athletic tournaments for students from 12 schools



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