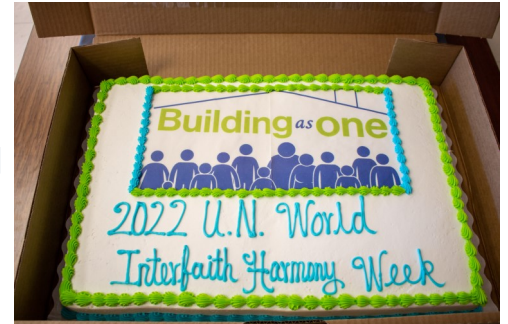




# Day 1: Wednesday, Feb. 1st

An Initiative of Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity in Celebration of the 2023 UN World Interfaith Harmony Week

Welcome to Day 1 of the 2023 United Nations World Interfaith Harmony Week Challenge! Start by learning about the history of this global initiative, and then complete one of the three action items listed below:



## 1 HISTORY

In 2010 the UN General Assembly proclaimed the first week in February annually as World Interfaith Harmony Week. Since then, individuals, governments, and communities have united to recognize this special event. During this week, the United Nations calls on individuals, nations, and diverse faith communities from around the world to join in celebration of this event and acknowledge the importance of interfaith dialogue.

## 2 INITIATIVE GOALS

Some of the primary goals of the initiative include

- 1) Recognizing the power and importance of interreligious and inter-belief dialogue
- 2) Promoting a culture of mutual understanding, respect, and dignity for others
- 3) Unifying individuals from diverse faith traditions and beliefs around common causes

## 3 DAILY ACTION OPTIONS

To check off today's challenge, choose to either:

- 1) [Learn more](#) about how the concept of the golden rule and helping others is described in holy texts across a variety of faith traditions.
- 2) Share what you have learned today with a friend or family member, and invite them to participate.
- 3) Write two or three sentences about your reactions to and attitudes toward the goals of interfaith harmony week.



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