



Artisan of Peace Pledge

The Artisan of Peace Pledge is a way that we can affirm peacemaking and is rooted in the core principles of Catholic social thought.

I pledge to avoid violence in my language, thoughts, actions, and relationships.

I pledge to work toward a society that respects the inherent worth and dignity of each person.

I pledge to respect and to build a deeper understanding of those who differ from me by belief, ethnic background, culture, or gender orientation.

I pledge to build a deeper understanding of the causes of, and ways to prevent, war and intercommunity violence.

I pledge to avoid violence and damage to Mother Earth and to promote musical and cultural events that spread the seed of caring for our common home.

I pledge to promote a non-military approach to security in my neighborhood, school, and community.

I pledge to practice peaceful solutions to conflict, to challenge violence in all its forms, to stand with my sisters and brothers who are treated unfairly.

I pledge to live conscientiously and simply so that I do not deprive others of the means to live.

I pledge to defend those whose human rights are not respected.

I pledge to bring consolation to the displaced, refugees, and migrants whose lives have been uprooted by war and violence.

I pledge to speak out against all those engaged in human trafficking.

I pledge to work for fairness, equality, and justice in my community.