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Pray for Peace December 15-17

Individuals and faith groups are invited to participate in this collective peace initiative to address global tension and discord and foster unity among all people.

Share the experience
#prayforpeace





Manitoba Multifaith Council

December 7 at 8:13 AM · 🌐

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The Manitoba Multifaith Council cordially invites faith communities from across the province to join together in unity to pray for peace the weekend of December 15 - 17. During this time of year, many faith traditions share an emphasis on light, peace, and goodwill towards all humanity. To that end, we would ask individuals, churches, and groups to focus their prayers, teaching, meditation, or worship on love, compassion, and understanding as a foundation for lasting peace. We hope to invoke this healing power at a time when tensions are high in our province and anger and violence is increasing in communities across the country.

A selection of sample prayers for peace will be made available on the Manitoba Multifaith Council's website for those who wish to incorporate these messages into their worship or devotions.

We have created the hashtag [#prayforpeace](#) and encourage participants to share their experiences by posting on their personal social media platforms or on Manitoba Multifaith Council's Facebook page, accompanied by the hashtag. We hope this weekend of prayer can have a positive impact on our communities and we look forward to hearing your insights and reflections.

Below is a poster for you to print, post and share as you see fit.

For questions and additional information please contact:

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The
Free Press

Manitobans invited to pray for peace in Middle East



By: [John Longhurst](#)

Posted: 2:00 AM CST Thursday, Dec. 14, 2023

Stressful times for interfaith community



By: [John Longhurst](#)

Posted: 2:01 AM CST Saturday, Nov. 25, 2023



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Being Peace: A Prayer

If there is to be peace in the world,
There must be peace in the nations.

If there is to be peace in the nations,
There must be peace in the cities.

If there is to be peace in the cities,
There must be peace between neighbors.

If there is to be peace between neighbors,
There must be peace in the home.

If there is to be peace in the home,
There must be peace in the heart.

— Lao-Tzu, 6th century BCE



MASSEY LECTURES

Insecurity is an essential part of our society — but it doesn't have to be, says Astra Taylor

Writer, filmmaker and political organizer Astra Taylor says that collective action is the key to tackling insecurity in our world. In her CBC Massey Lectures, she explains how we came to this "age of insecurity" and what we can do about it.

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Fourteen beams of light are projected into the sky during a vigil to honour the women killed during the 1989 École Polytechnique massacre, in Montreal on Wednesday. (Graham Hughes/The Canadian Press)

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