



Key CST Information

Primary

Peace is not just the absence of war. It is part of God's nature, and a value we should all seek to live out in our daily lives.

Peace comes from both justice and love and is dependent upon people understanding one another.

Promoting Peace

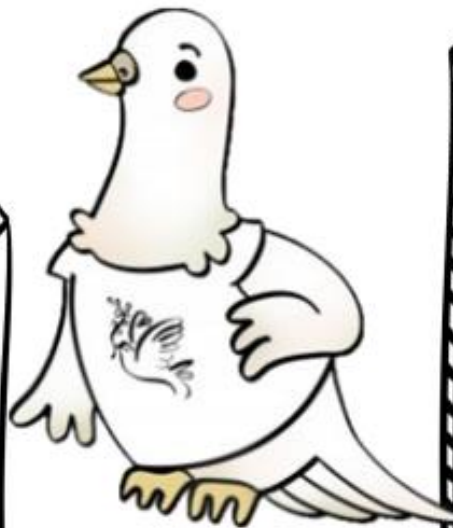
'Today the world has a profound thirst for peace. In many countries, people are suffering due to wars which, though often forgotten, are always the cause of suffering and poverty.' *Pope Francis, September 20, 2016*

Daisy the Dove
(a big fan of promoting peace)

'...those who promote peace have joy.'

Proverbs 12:20

"Peace is but an empty word, if it does not rest upon that order...that is founded on truth, built up on justice, nurtured and animated by charity and brought into effect under the auspices of freedom. *Peace on Earth, Pope St John XIII #167-8*



'Inner peace is closely related to care for ecology and for the common good because, lived out authentically, it is reflected in a balanced lifestyle together with a capacity for wonder which takes us to a deeper understanding of life.'

Pope Francis, Laudato Si' (Praise be), #225, 2015

CAFOD and Promoting Peace

Projects backed by CAFOD are building peace in multiple conflict situations. Poverty and conflict are closely linked, so CAFOD works in many countries where there is war or violence

Key statement

We can be God's instruments of peace through seeking justice.

