

Global Women's Peace Network 10th Anniversary UN General Consultative Status 25th Anniversary

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### President's Corner: "It Is In Giving That We Receive"

Dear families and friends,

I hope you had a most meaningful, safe, and enjoyable THANKSGIVING with family and friends!

May I share some thoughts on gratitude and family as we continue to proceed into the holiday season?

Have you ever wondered why every human being is longing for family, friends, a happy home, children's voices and parent's loving eyes watching them grow—why is this desire deeply engraved in us all, and where is it coming from?

I dare say that this deep, almost irresistible longing for belonging comes from no one other than our loving Creator, the Parent of all humankind, who instituted the one and only institution common to all humanity: the Family husband, wife, children, and grandchildren....

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### **Preparing Kits for Disaster Relief—National Initiative**

WFWP is partnering with International Relief Friendship Foundation (IRFF) to support families in Florida who were impacted by the devastation of Hurricane Ian. IRFF was also founded by Father and Mother Moon to respond to disasters with a loving heart.
While disaster response is fairly costly work, IRFF partners with agencies and responds in small but meaningful ways that do what they can to help people that are often neglected by the "big boys" of the industry. So IRFF has worked extensively with a well-experienced organization, Christian Disaster Response (CDR), and Dr. Ron Patterson who has more than 50 years experience and was formerly a trainer of National Red Cross workers.
There's a very simple way anyone can help these families who are facing this extraordinary crisis!...

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#### WFWP Canada holds 30th Anniversary Luncheon

The Women's Federation for World Peace (**WFWP**) Canada held its 30th Anniversary Celebration "*Let's Shine! Illuminate the future!*" on November 5, 2022 at the Canadian restaurant in Etobicoke with 120 people in attendance.

In the letter of invitation, WFWP Canada President Lilly Tadin stated the following:



"This year marks a triple milestone for WFWP, as we celebrate the 30th Anniversary since its founding on April 10, 1992, in Seoul Korea, the 25th Anniversary of its being granted General Consultative Status at the UN with ECOSOC (May, 1997), and the 10th Anniversary of the Global Women's Peace Network (July 16, 2012)...

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As an organization with "general consultative status" with the United Nations, we are the voice for women's role in nurturing a Culture of Heart in the family, society, and and in the world!



Local WFWP chapters serve communities abroad through projects like the *Arabic Literacy Project* for refugee children in Jordan.

### Happy #Giving Season from WFWP USA

You carry great love in your heart for women creating peace. You care deeply for the next generation of peace leaders. Now is an excellent time to show your *sparkle and shine* and keep WFWP programs and education going strong in the new year!

Your kind donation today will make a world of difference! You can be a benefactor to a young woman searching for her true God-given purpose. You can help ensure a bright future for schoolchildren in Asia, Africa, the Middle East, as well as here in the United States and so much more.

#### Together we are strong. Together we give!

Yes, I want to DONATE

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### The Five Virtues of a High Noon Life

## WFWP Canada Hosts Second Webinar in Series on Porn Addiction

The **Women's Federation for World Peace** (WFWP) Canada hosted its second webinar in a series on **Porn Addiction** on Monday, November 14, 2022 with 40 participants in attendance. The webinar was the second in a series created by **Andrew Love**, one of two founding members of <u>High</u> <u>Noon</u>; an organization dedicated to providing support and guidance on human sexuality.

Andrew's three-part presentation called *Porn...How to Deal with it*, offered a holistic approach to the problem of pornography...

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Honoring and Learning From our First Nation's People during this Time of Thanksgiving and Giving



#### Season!

We want to always continue to recognize and learn about the many contributions of the first peoples to the establishment and growth of the U.S. as well as celebrate their rich and diverse cultures, traditions, and histories. "Without a Whisper", a short film about the beginnings of the women's rights movement and the profound influence of indigenous women on Seneca Falls: <u>https://www.pbs.org/filmfestival/films/without-a-whisper</u>

#### Note from the President

Please, enjoy this insightful video recording and also notice the deep wisdom of the First People of this nation to treat their women with equal value, and give them an equal part in their decision making. Angelika Selle



## READY, SET, BAKE: HOW TO THROW A HOLIDAY COOKIE PARTY

Do you love baking and trying new recipes but don't have time to bake different batches of cookies during the holiday season? Throw a cookie party with your WFWP chapter or a group of friends! Each guest can choose a different recipe and bring a batch to share at the party. I've hosted a cookie party for the past few years, and it is always a lovely way to spend time with friends and family.

Here are some ideas to make your cookie party fun and stress-free!

To prepare for the party, make a list of guests. Consider how much space you have and how many people you can accommodate comfortably to make sure everyone has space. If possible, try communicating with guests to decide the best possible date. Have guests tell you which cookie they plan to bake to avoid duplicates at the party.

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# Upcoming WFWP Events: Global and Local

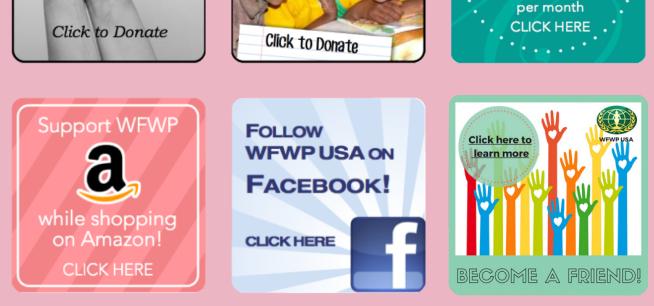
Check out the calendar for exciting upcoming events.

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