

We invite you to celebrate with us

Multi-Faith Week 2007

September 21th - 27th

The Centre Of Melbourne Multi-faith and Others Network (COMMON) would be honoured to have you join us in our exploration of the different faiths of Melbourne during the week of September 21st - 27th. On each day of the week, a faith meeting place is open to the general public, as well as to their members, so that we can experience the diversity of traditions in Melbourne. The first day **21st September 2007** is the **International Day of Peace**, on which a **Multi-faith Healing Conference** will be held at the Aboriginal 'Maya' Healing Centre in 7/11 Rossmoyne Street, Thornbury. This will be the coming together of Aboriginal communities and members of other faiths, starting with a tree planting ceremony then followed with prayers from many different faiths. Being a Friday there will be special Muslim prayers. Lunch will be provided by the Sikhs. We will be exploring healing on the individual and community level as well as in the wider context, using ancient and modern wisdom. We hope to see you at this and other events as multi-faith week is an unique opportunity that should not be missed.

Mission Statement:

"COMMON grew from people of diverse beliefs and faiths who came together to foster friendship across ideological and religious divides. We aim to contribute to building a society where there is respect and understanding between all those of belief or

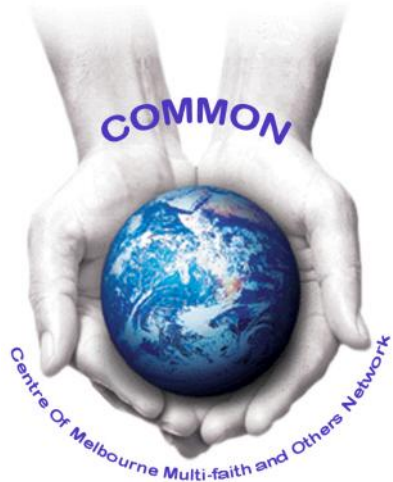
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Date: 21st September, Friday
Time: 9.00am for 9.15 start until 5.30pm
Venue: Aboriginal Maya Healing Centre, 7/11 Rossmoyne Street, Thornbury, 3071. Walking distance from Thornbury train station.
Event: In celebration and support for healing and genuine



Date: : 21th September, Friday
Time: Contact Centre for details
Venue: **Aboriginal Maya Healing Centre**
Event: Join our Muslim brothers and sisters in lunch time prayer at the Healing Conference.



Date: 22nd September, Saturday
Time: 10am
Venue: The Leo Brack Centre for progressive Judaism, 33 Harp, Kew East
Event: Participate in a regular Jewish Shabat service



Date: 22ndth September, Saturday
Time: 2:00 – 3:00pm
Venue: Fo Guang Yuan Art Gallery, 141 Queen Street, Melbourne
Event: Join in a Buddhist experience of information and meditation.
Contact: Alan Wong 0438 936 688, alan.wong@deakin.edu.au



Date: 22nd September,
Time: 2-4pm, open 10:00am – 4:00pm every day
Venue: **1.** Shiva Vishnu Temple, 52 Boundary Road, Carrum, Downs, Vic, 3201 Tel: 039782 0878. **2.** Durga Mandir, 705 Neale Road, West Rock Bank, Vic, 3335. **3.** Melbourne Murugan Temple, 17-19 Knight Avenue, North Sunshine, Vic, 3020 Tel: 03



Date: 23rd September, Sunday
Time: 11 am to stay for lunch (langgar)
Venue: 1. Sri guru Singh Sabha Gurudwara Sahib, 344 Hume Highway, Craigieburn contact : Jagdeep Singh jagdeepshergill@hotmail.com 0411957281
 2. Sri Guru Granth Sahib Gurudwara 194 204 Pome



Date: 24th September, Monday
Time: 5:30 – 6:00pm Mass, 6:00 – 6:30 pm prayer
Venue: St. Francis' Church, 326 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne
Event: Join Catholic brothers and sisters in a Mass and prayer.



Date: 25th September, Tuesday
Time: 7:00 – 9:00pm
Venue: Greek Orthodox Church of St. Eustathios, 221 Dorcas St, South Melbourne.
Event: Participate in a vespers service.
Contact: Fr. Chris 0417 596001



Divine Heart Meditation
 Wednesday 26 September 2007 at 8.00pm
 The meditation will conclude at approximately 9 pm followed by refreshments available for purchase.
 Heart Flow Worldwide, 523 Centre Road, Bentleigh (cnr Balmoral Ave). ph 9563 9400.
 Please arrive early as we start on time and there is no admittance once the meditation has commenced. Suitable for people 16 years and over.



Date: 27th September, Thursday
Time: 5:10pm
Venue: St. Paul's Anglican Cathedral, Cnr Swanston and Flinders Streets, Melbourne
Event: Join in the evening prayer service