



The Multifaith Association
of South Australia

MULTIFAITH ASSOCIATION OF SA

Welcome to our first newsletter for 2014



We are fortunate that Damian Outtrim has agreed to take on the role of President. We are grateful for his commitment to building peace and understanding amongst faith groups. His calm and meditative approach is a positive influence on us all.

End of Year Picnic on Sunday December 15th was enjoyed by all who came. The beautiful Botanic Park provided a relaxing environment for sharing food and conversation.



EVENTS SO FAR THIS YEAR:

The year has already started with various Multifaith activities. Our **Climate Change Course** held on the 19th January and 16th February has resulted with more new people joining this very important and informative group training.

The **Australia Day Multifaith Service** at Elder Hall was attended by several members of our organization and the final prayer for the service was read by Damian. Seven faiths were represented and the theme was 'Faith in Action'.



The Symposium planning group has already convened several times this year. Many ideas have been brought to the table including refugees, climate change and personal stories of faith. Please feel free to email us about any ideas and suggestions for the planning group to work through.

URI INTERFAITH NETWORK MEETING IN MELBOURNE ORGANISED BY CULTURAL INFUSION



Victor Kazanijan, Executive Director, URI



Kiran Bali, URI Global Council Chair



We are deeply proud of, and so inspired by, the wide range of interfaith initiatives that the cooperation circles are implementing and the impact that they are having.

16th February



The meeting provided opportunities for discussion and sharing with other multifaith groups. We looked at challenges and opportunities that we face and the URI visitors invited us to use the resources available through the organization. As Cooperative Circles (CCs) we have access to the many resources on the URI website and also through networking with headquarters and other CCs. *Ann Aisatullin*

We welcome any feedback, suggestions and ideas for our newsletter. Also we welcome new members or people interested in receiving regular emails of upcoming events and future newsletters.

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The Multifaith Association of SA is also a member of two international multifaith organisations:

Religions for Peace

Religions for Peace 

And

United Religions Initiative

