

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2009

Date	Event	Contact
January		
18 th	Peace Sunday	www.paxchristi.org/PeaceSunday1.htm
18 th – 25 th	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity	www.ctbi.org.uk Tel 020 7654 7254
25 th	World Leprosy Day	www.leprosymission.org.uk
27 th	Holocaust Memorial Day	www.holocaustmemorialday.gov.uk
27 th	Homelessness Sunday	www.homlesness-sunday.org.uk
31 st - 9 th Feb	Poverty & Homelessness Action Week	www.church-poverty.org.uk
February		
6 th	Unicef Day for Change	www.unicef.org.uk
8 th	Education Sunday	www.natsoc.org.uk/educationsunday
7 th – 14 th	National Marriage Week	www.nmw.org.uk
11 th	World day of the Sick	www.cccb.ca
12 th	Red Hand Day	www.redhandday.org
23 rd – 9 th March	Fairtrade Fortnight	www.fairtrade.org.uk
March		
2 nd	Women's World Day of Prayer	www.wwdp-natcomm.org
8 th	International Women's Day	www.international.womensday.com
6 th – 15 th	National Science Week	www.the-ba.net
21 st	International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination	www.un.org/depts/dhl/racial/
21 st – 27 th	Week of Solidarity with the People's Struggling Against Racism and Racial Discrimination.	www.un.org/depts/dhl/racial/
22 nd	World Day for Water	www.worldwaterday.org/page/1023
22 nd	Mothering Sunday	
29 th	Justice Sunday	www.uusc.org/ia/justice_sunday
April		
3 rd	Vocations Sunday	http://www.cofe.anglican.org/lifeevents/ministry/workofmindiv/vrsc/vocsun/
4 th	International Day for Landmine Awareness and Assistance	www.unicef.org/emerg/index
7 th	World Health Day	www.who.int/world-health-day
17 th	Rogationtide	
May		
3 rd	World Press Freedom Day	www.worldpressfreedomday.org
8 th	World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day	www.ifrc.org
9 th	World Fair Trade Day	www.wftday.org
10 th – 16 th	Christian Aid Week	www.christianaid.org.uk
15 th	International Day of Families	www.un.org/esa/socdev/family
16 th	World Debt Day	www.jubileedebtcampaign.org.uk
18 th	Not For Sale	www.chaste.org.uk
21 st	World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development	www.ewb-uk.org
29 th	International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers	www.un.org/events/peacekeepers
31 st – 6 th June	Week of Prayer for Parliament	http://www.christiansinparliament.org.uk/
June		
1 st - 7 th	Volunteers' Week	www.volunteering.org.uk
4 th	International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression	www.acpp.org/sevents/0604
5 th	World Environment Day	www.unmeditation.org
8 th - 14 th	National Carers Week	www.carersweek.org
12 th	World Day Against Child Labour	www.hrea.org/feature-events/day-against-childlabour

15 th - 21 st	Refugee Week	www.refugeeweek.org.uk
16 th - 24 th	Green Transport Week	www.eta.co.uk
20 th	World Refugee Day	www.usaforunhr.org/worldrefday
26 th	International Day in Support of Victims of Torture	www.hrea.org/feature-events/torture-victims-day

July

12 th	Sea Sunday	www.missiontoseafarers.org
12 th	National Childrens Homes Sunday	www.nch.org.uk

August

12 th	International Youth Day	www.un.org/esa/socdev/unyin/iyouthtoday
23 rd	International Day for the Remembrance of the Slave Trade and its Abolition	www.portal.unesco.org
30 th	International Day of the Disappeared	www.amnestyusa.org/individuals-at-risk/freedom-writers/day-of-the-disappeared/page.do?id=1011383

September

10 th	World Suicide Prevention Day	www.who.int/mediacentre/events
13 th	Racial Justice Sunday	www.ctbi.org.uk
21 st	International Day of Prayer for Peace	www.overcomingviolence.org

October

1 st	International Day of Older Persons	www.helptheaged.org
4 th	Disability Sunday	www.throughtheroof.org
7 th	World Day for Decent Work	www.tuc.org.uk
10 th	World Mental Health Day	www.wfmh.org/wmhd/abt/about.html
16 th	World Food Day	www.fao.org/wfd
17 th	International Day for the Eradication of Poverty	www.un.org/dept/dhl/poverty
18 th	Micah Sunday	www.whiteband.org
18 th - 25 th	One World Week	www.oneworldweek.org
18 th - 25 th	Week of Prayer for World Peace	www.nfpb.gn.apc.org/Prayer
24 th	World Development Information Day	www.un.org
24 th	United Nations Day	www.un.org/events/unday
25 th	Bible Sunday	www.biblesunday.org/home.php

November

8 th	Remembrance Sunday	
11 th	Armistice Day	
16 th	International Day for Tolerance	www.un.org/depts/dhl/tolerance
17 th	International Students' Day	www.en.wikipedia.org/International_Students_Day
16 th	Prisons Sunday	www.prisonweek.org
20 th	Universal Children's Day	www.un.org/depts/dhl/children_day
24 th	Buy Nothing Day	www.buynothingday.co.uk
25 th	International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women	www.un.org/depts/dhl/violence

30 th - 11 December	United Nations Climate Change Conference - Copenhagen	http://www.cop15.dk/en
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December

1 st	World AIDS Day	www.worldaidsday.org
2 nd	International Day for the Abolition of Slavery	www.un.org/depts/dhl/slavery
3 rd	International Day of Disabled Persons	www.un.org/disabilities
9 th	Anti Corruption Day	www.undoc.org
10 th	Human Rights Day	http://www.un.org/av/special/hrday/
18 th	International Migrants Day	www.web.amnesty.org/pages/refugess-migrantsday
20 th	International Human Solidarity Day	www.un.org/esa/socdev/social/intldays/IntSolidarity