



The Buddhist Temples of Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawai'i

August 24, 2021

Aloha!

We are excited to invite you and your 'ohana to join in a worldwide ringing of bells for Peace Day in Hawai'i on Tuesday, September 21, 2021 at 9:01 a.m. HST. We envision this as an opportunity for all the people of Hawai'i and the world to come together as one 'Ohana to promote peace during these very challenging times in all of our lives. It will be amazing to hear bells ringing at the same time for Peace! We welcome our partners the United Nations Association of Hawaii and the University of Hawaii KTUH Radio.

It is easy to participate from your temple, church, school, home or favorite place. All you need is a bell to ring, and a cellphone, computer or other device to connect with us via Zoom.

How to join in:

1. Register online <https://hongwanjihawaii.com/peaceday2021/>. Or, contact Peace Committee Chair Rene Mansho, 808-291-6151 or renemansho@hawaii.rr.com.
2. You will receive a link for the Zoom event, and simple instructions on how to set up.
3. On the day of the bell-ringing, join the Zoom event at **8:15 a.m.** Here's the program:
 - 8:30 a.m. Blowing of the Pū (conch shell), Pule, "
Opening Ceremony
 - 9:00 a.m. One Minute of Silence honoring all who sacrificed for us to achieve peace
 - 9:01 a.m. Ring your bell for Peace Day from all around the world! View everyone
on Zoom for 5 minutes!
 - 9:06 a.m. Sharing Peace with Jake Shimabukuro, ukulele virtuoso
and Melveen Leed, Hawaii's Queen of Music
 - Acknowledgments

Please join us for this joyful and peace-filled moment in time, and share the event with your friends and family. Feel free to use the attached flyer for your email or social media accounts. There will be an important "dress rehearsal" on September 14th, 8:30 a.m for program planning. We look forward to seeing you all on September 21st! In gassho,

Bishop Eric Matsumoto
Honpa Hongwanji Mission

Rene Mansho
Peace Day Committee Chair

The Buddhist Temples of Honpa Hongwanji Mission of Hawai'i the
United Nations Association of Hawaii and UH Manoa KTUH Radio
invite you to

Ring Your Bell for Peace Day

Ring your bell for the International
Day of Peace, from your temple,
church, school, or favorite place
and join with hundreds of others
by Zoom around the world.

Tuesday, September 21, 2021.

Pre-celebration at 8:30 a.m.

Bell ringing at 9:01 a.m.



We encourage young people to participate!



Special Guest appearance by
JAKE SHIMABUKURO
2021 Ambassador for Peace Day
performing Songs of Peace

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MELVEEN LEED

"Miss Moloka'i", Hawaiian Country Girl"
"Queen of Waikiki," entertained all over
the world, Carnegie Hall, the Grand
Ole Opry, will sing,

"Let There Be Peace on Earth".

See you on Sept. 21st!

