

# Pacific Yearly Meeting Friends Peace Teams Representative Report to Annual Session 2020

## **SUMMARY**

Friends Peace Teams has been working for peace in Asia West Pacific, in all of Latin America, and in the Great Lakes Region of Africa.

## **REPORT**

In Asia West Pacific (AWP), the 7th Annual International Peace Training brought people from around the world to learn how to make Cultures of Peace. Peace Place in Pati, Indonesia now has land that demonstrates how to live sustainably on the earth. AWP is working for peace in Indonesia, Philippines, Nepal, Korea, North Caucasus & Ukraine.

Peacebuilding en Las Americas (PLA) works for peace in Colombia, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Ecuador, and other regions. PLA is primarily bringing Alternatives to Violence to these places.

The African Great Lakes Initiative (AGLI) works for peace in Burundi Congo, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, and Uganda. AGLI responds to requests from local religious and non-governmental organizations that focus on conflict management, peace building, trauma healing, and reconciliation. AGLI sponsors Peace Teams composed of members from local partners and the international community.

Making Cultures of Peace is a slow and important movement.

Pacific Yearly Meeting's Representative to Friends Peace Teams is Gay Howard.