



# PURE LAND LEARNING COLLEGE ASSOCIATION INC.

MULTI-FAITH MULTICULTURAL CENTRE

EVERYONE MATTERS - TOOWOOMBA, A MODEL CITY OF PEACE & HARMONY



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Our warm sun was shining on Queens Park and encouraged those of us who ventured to Toowoomba Languages and Cultures Festival. Gloriously, our Women's Circle of Peace grew bigger and more beautiful as we invited festival goers to contribute to our Women's Circle of Peace mandala. We took great delight watching everyone thoughtfully place different coloured rice, feathers and shells, creating a feast for our eyes and nurturing our spirits. The heart warming messages of peace written on white ribbons and placed for all to see and read, led us to firmly believe there is enormous goodness in our community and reason to hope. We also felt excited to invite women to our upcoming Women's Forum to be held on the 14th of October. Our day was filled with the beauty of spirit we encountered in each of the people we were grateful to meet and this was symbolised in the colour and creativity of our mandala.

**Nicole Rangiira**

**Member of the Women Circle of Peace**



**17 August 2017** – With our friends from The Abbey Church at St Michael's and Sergeant Jim Bellos OAM at the Queensland Police Multifaith Dinner.



**18 August 2017** – An Interfaith Education and Nurturing Day organized by Nicole Rangiira, was held at St. Bart's Anglican Church with members of the Toowoomba Interfaith Working Group (TIWG) and pastoral carers. Seen here is Nicole leading everyone in the TIWG affirmation for peace and harmony.