

# Engagement

**We reveal who we are in our actions.** Action for peace can take many forms, but every act for a peaceful future has far-reaching consequences.



*"The difference between what we do and what we are capable of doing would suffice to solve most of the world's problems."*

—Mahatma Gandhi

# Hope

**We must not be defeated by helplessness.** The feeling that we are powerless breeds violence. It was human beings who gave birth to nuclear weapons—these instruments of hellish destruction. It cannot be beyond the power of human wisdom to eliminate them. Together we must hope—and act.



*"Every one of us can make a contribution. And quite often we are looking for the big things and forget that, wherever we are, we can make a contribution. Sometimes I tell myself, I may only be planting a tree here, but just imagine what's happening if there are billions of people out there doing something. Just imagine the power of what we can do."*

—Wangari Maathai