

# About Our Shared Story:

**OUR SHARED STORY** is a six-month, interfaith program where teens from diverse spiritual traditions explore a common theme. Following a wildly successful pilot program last year, this year's program follows the same format of using the arts as a platform for interfaith dialogue, exploration and analysis. Additionally, we are looking to expand the diversity of youth and faith groups represented.

## The project includes:

- ✓ **LARGE AND SMALL GROUP** sessions of inter-faith dialogue, focused on each teen's understanding of a theme common to all faith traditions
- ✓ **ARTS LESSONS** teaching techniques for using art as a means of communication
- ✓ **THEATER/MUSIC/FILM** projects for participants to share their newfound understanding with the community

## PROGRAM DATES

10/03 11/07 01/09 02/06 03/13

## Why

This program promotes unity and peace in the human family by providing teens an opportunity to explore, deepen and express their inner-values while making connections with peers of different faiths.

The goals of the program are to enrich each participant's understanding of their own faith, remove the barriers to understanding others' and creating an open, compassionate community.



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