Important Peace Dates

Think about opportunities throughout the church calendar year to preach and teach about peace, nonviolence and reconciliation and to engage in service projects and witness for justice and peace:

Peace Sunday in Advent
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Earth day - April 22nd

Lent and Holy Week - sins that lead to conflict, violence and war and reconciling work of Christ.

Mother's day - originally established as a protest against war in 1872

Memorial Day

Holocaust Remembrance Day:

Dates for Yom Hashoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day)

2010 - April 11

August 6, 9 - anniversary of bombs dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki

Pentecost (and once unified, but now divided church)

July 4th

September 11th

All Saints Day - discuss peacemakers in church history

Election Day

Veterans' Day