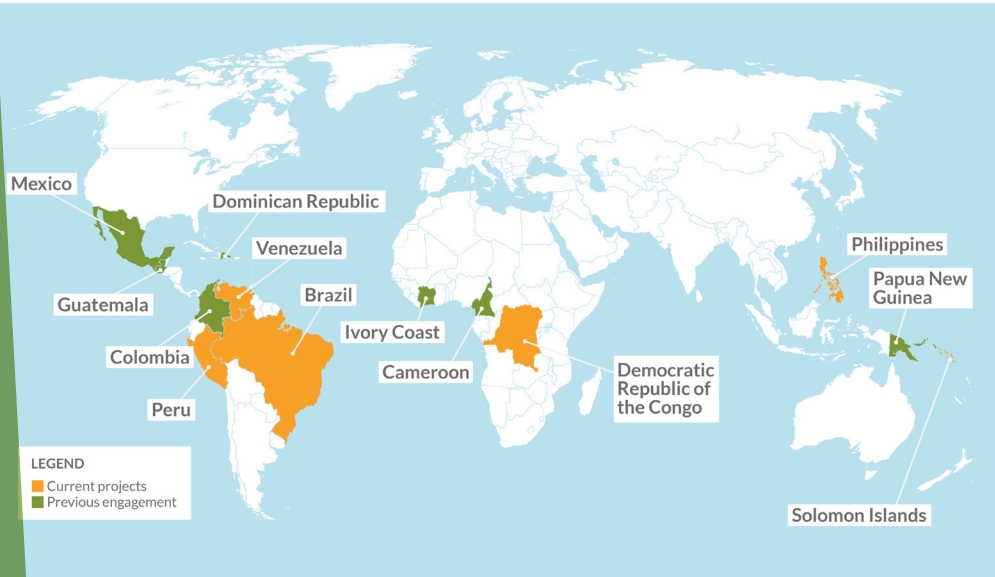
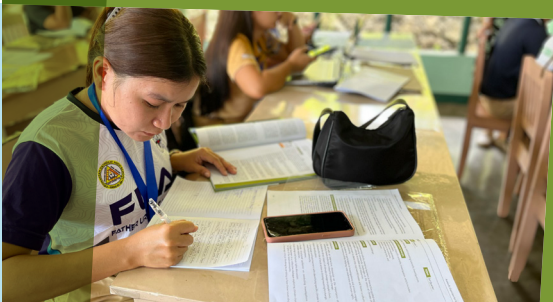


OUR COUNTRY ENGAGEMENT



OUR IMPACT



More than 9000 students in the **Philippines** benefitted from our Handbook on Climate Change and Human Rights, increasing the awareness of the youth on these critical issues.

In the **Democratic Republic of the Congo**, we trained Dominicans sisters in human rights monitoring. Equipped with these skills, they interviewed over 270 community members, exposing human rights concerns in the cobalt and copper mining sector.

We bolstered the capacities of the Dominican Family in **Solomon Islands** on human rights monitoring and advocacy, which enabled them to effectively pinpoint the adverse effects of logging activities on local communities.



Our efforts to highlight the inhumane living and working conditions endured by Haitian and Haitian-descent labourers in sugarcane fields in the **Dominican Republic** helped to uncover one of the biggest financial scandals in history, the **Pandora Papers**.

URGENT ACTION



When an emergency situation requiring international attention arises, the Delegation endeavours to give it the necessary **visibility** on social media and at the UN. It aims to provide the international community with **reliable information** coming from the ground, to strengthen the work of credible local leaders in addressing the root causes of the crisis and to promote **peacebuilding efforts**.



ABOUT US

Dominicans for Justice and Peace, established in 1998, represents the **Order of Preachers** (Dominicans) in the United Nations (UN).

As an integral part of the Order's mission to seek truth and justice, we stand in solidarity with victims of violations of **human rights** and **dignity** and **environmental destruction**.



We are inspired throughout the Order's 800-year history by Dominican forerunners such as Francisco de Vitoria (1486-1546), who is acknowledged in the UN as the founder of international law to protect oppressed and vulnerable people.

The Delegation has its headquarters in **Geneva** and representations in **Vienna** and **Nairobi**.

OUR APPROACH

Advocacy and training are key components of our working approach.

- **Advocacy:** we aim to create a **space** for Dominicans, civil society organisations, and the most vulnerable populations to **have their voices heard** at various UN offices, while also driving ambitious and sustainable changes in government agendas.
- **Training:** we build capacity through **workshops on human rights, environmental justice and related UN mechanisms** and host partners to provide exposure to the work of advocacy at the UN.

OUR THEMATIC FOCUS



HUMAN RIGHTS

We work for the promotion and protection of human rights worldwide. Grounded in faith and a commitment to the **dignity** of every person, our work aims to give a voice to marginalised communities, expose **injustices** and human rights violations, and advocate for **systemic change**.



ENVIRONMENTAL & CLIMATE JUSTICE

We aim to raise awareness on the **impacts of climate change on human rights**, to amplify the voices of vulnerable communities affected by environmental degradation, to push governments to adopt **social safeguards**, and to bring a **spiritual perspective** to environmental and climate discussions.



CONTACT US

You too can make a difference in the lives of vulnerable people by supporting the work of Dominicans for Justice and Peace.

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