

## **Multi-Faith Remembrance Day Service held at Brahma Kumaris Harmony House, Leicester, on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2017**



*Dignitaries who participated in the Multi-Faith Remembrance Day Service  
at BK Harmony House Leicester, 12th November, 2017*

On the evening of Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2017, Leicester Brahma Kumaris hosted a Multi-Faith Remembrance Day Service organised in conjunction with the Chairman of ABF, The Soldiers Charity and the Sikh Welfare & Cultural Society.

Over 200 people from more than 8 faith groups and including Lord-Lieutenant of Leicestershire, the Lord-Lieutenant and High Sheriff of Rutland, Commodore Saxena from the Indian High Commission and many senior officers from the Armed Forces came together to remember those who had given their lives in the First World War, in the Second World War and ever since to maintain the freedom we enjoy today.

All were assembled in Harmony House auditorium and welcomed by Sister Jayanti's message, followed by the observance of 2 minutes silence and the laying of more than 30 wreaths. Each of the local faith leaders, including the Bishop of Leicester, then lead prayers in their tradition and Sister Maureen spoke movingly about the role of spiritual presence in areas affected by the violence of war.

Lady Gretton, The Lord-Lieutenant of Leicestershire, then read a personal message from the Queen to the gathering.

The very moving service was concluded with a meditation commentary lead by Sister Maureen and followed by those present enjoying a meal and conversations together. All participants were given a gift of a Brahma Kumaris calendar and blessing card, many saying they would return as they had enjoyed the powerful, peaceful atmosphere within Harmony House and emanating from Baba's children.



*Brother Bhupen (Coordinator, Harmony House), Resham Singh Sandu MBE (former High Sheriff of Leicester), Lady Jennifer Gretton (The Lord-Lieutenant of Leicestershire), Rt Reverend Martyn James Snow (Bishop of Leicester), Lt Col David Young and Brother Parmjit (Harmony House)*