

Instructions:

In groups:

1. Reflect back on the Caritas 'Solidarity' film. How was Maristely empowered? How does she empower others? How do these help to build justice and peace and a more just and fair world?

On your own:

2. The MDF young leaders from the *favelas* earn 'solidarity rings' when they have completed their leadership training. Maristely says that these rings are an important symbol:
"For those who wear them, the moment they put these rings on they feel that there is a commitment to the most disadvantaged people in our society – to be there with them, work with them, get together and even just smile with them, just to say that 'I am here with you and we are going to build a better future for us all.'"

Imagine MDF were holding Just Leadership-Young Leader Awards in Australia. Complete the Nomination form on page 3 to explain why you should receive a solidarity ring: be sure to say what just leadership qualities you demonstrate, what the ring would symbolise to you, and how you will continue to be a Just Leader.



JUST LEADERSHIP AWARD

Young Leaders

NOMINATION FORM

ORGANISATION/INDIVIDUAL

The following young person is nominated for a Just Leadership – Young Leaders Award.

NOMINEE (Name)

NOMINEE'S PROFILE

Please explain why you believe the nominee is deserving of this Award.

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