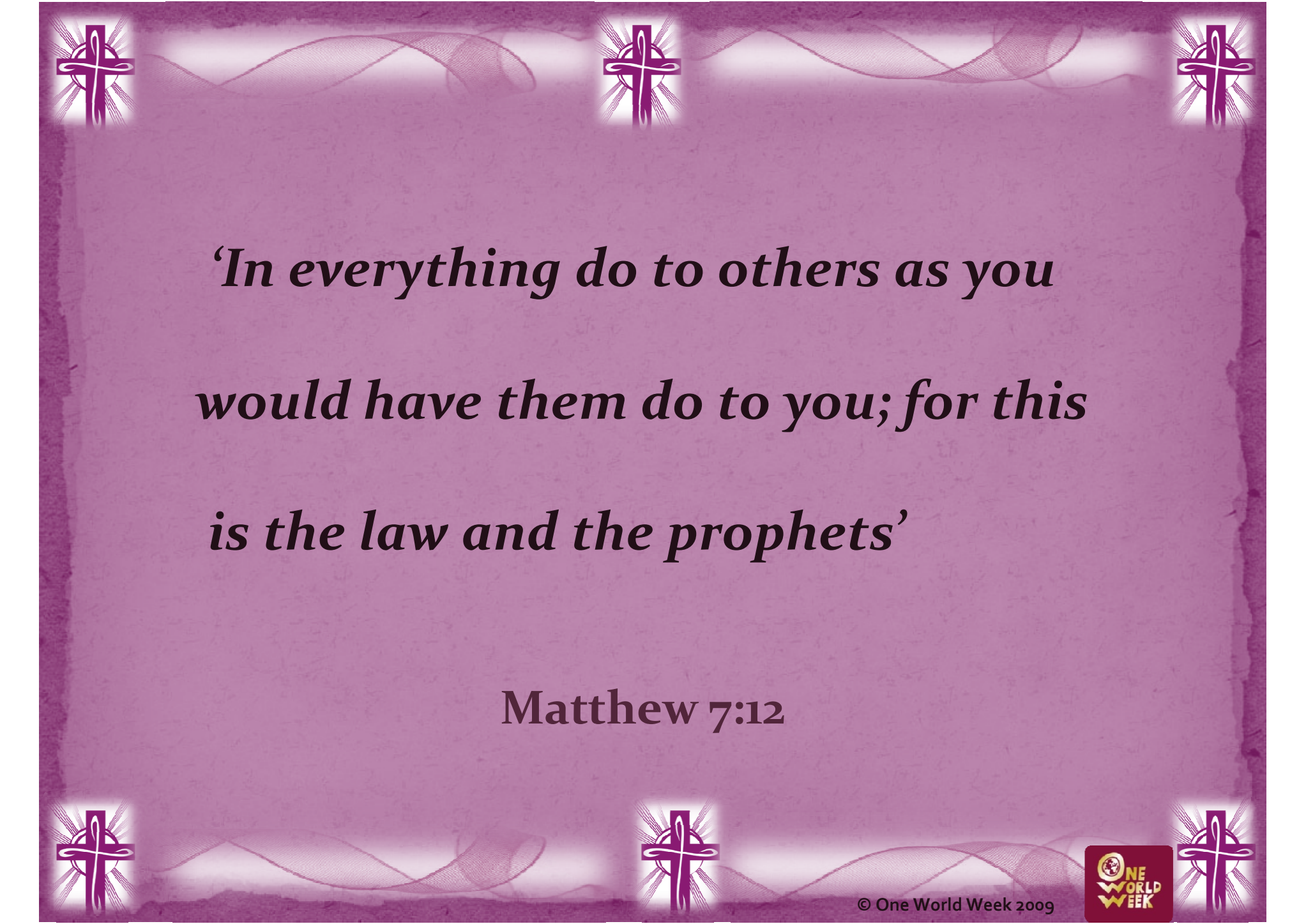


Do you know...?

• *Some facts on world poverty* •

• **A Christian response to poverty** •






*‘In everything do to others as you
would have them do to you; for this
is the law and the prophets’*

Matthew 7:12

**‘More than a billion people in
the developing world live on
less than a dollar a day.’**

<http://www.dfid.gov.uk>



*How does God's love abide in anyone who
has the world's goods and sees a brother
or sister in need and yet refuses help?*

1 John 3:17

**‘Over 960 million people are
malnourished in the world today.’**

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‘Whoever has two coats must share with anyone who has none; and whoever has food must do likewise.’

Luke 3:11



**‘Under-nourishment plays a
part in more than half of all child
deaths’.**

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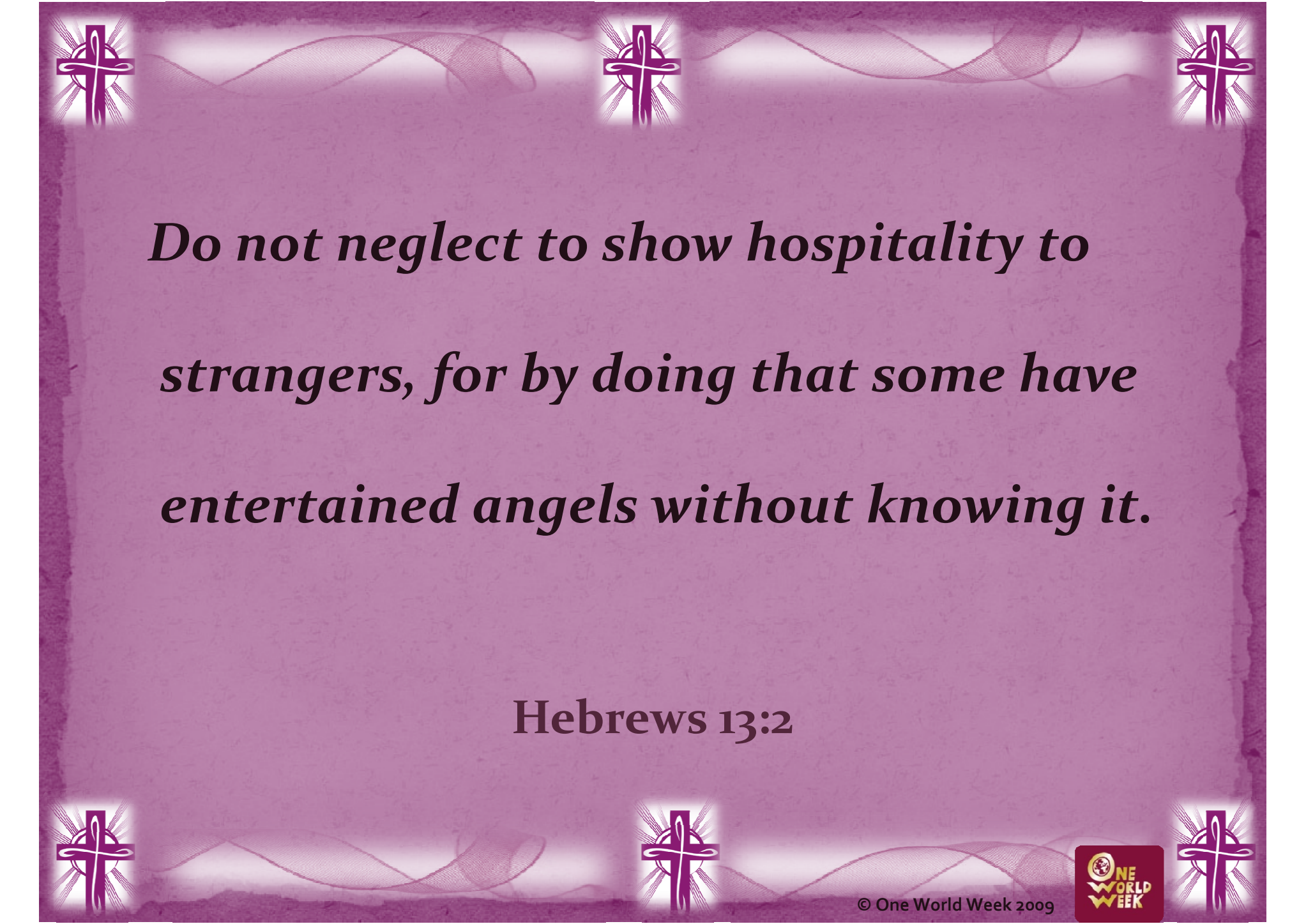
*‘Each of you must give as you have made up
your mind, not reluctantly or under
compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver’.*

2 Corinthians 9:7



**‘Two and a half billion people
have no access to basic
sanitation and 900 million
people no clean water’.**

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*Do not neglect to show hospitality to
strangers, for by doing that some have
entertained angels without knowing it.*

Hebrews 13:2

**‘A quarter of the world’s
population, about 1.6 billion
people, have no electricity to
their homes’**

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‘And he said to them, ‘Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.’

Luke 12: 15



**‘If we fail to get to grips with
water and sanitation, around
4,000 people, mostly
children, will continue to die
every day’**


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*Religion that is pure and undefiled before
God, the Father, is this: to care for
orphans and widows in their distress, and
to keep oneself unstained by the world'*

James 1:27





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