

## **December**

**December 3:** International Day of Disabled Persons, designed to raise awareness regarding persons with disabilities in order to improve their lives and provide them with equal opportunity.

**December 10:** International Human Rights Day, established by the United Nations in 1948 to commemorate the anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

**December 26-January 1:** Kwanzaa, an African-American holiday started by Maulana Karenga in 1966 to celebrate universal African-American heritage.