

EVERYDAY MICRO ACTIONS

WITH THE HOPE OF EMPOWERING AND ENCOURAGING OUR CHURCH FAMILY DURING THESE TERRIFYING AND DIFFICULT TIMES, THE ANTI-RACISM COMMITTEE IS SHARING 7 IDEAS FOR RESISTANCE EVERY FIRST AND THIRD SUNDAY SERVICE. THESE ARE EVERYDAY MICRO ACTIONS WE CAN TAKE THAT COLLECTIVELY MAKE A HUGE IMPACT IN OUR COMMUNITY.

01

October is Filipino American History Month! Come learn, honor and celebrate the Filipino community on **Thursday, October 16 at 3-7pm** at the WA State History Museum. The theme this year is "buhay," which means alive or life in Tagalog, so this FREE community event will explore how the Filipino community lives and finds joy in Washington state.

Bonus: Julia Kagochi will be there to facilitate a panel of incredible Filipinos exploring what it looks like to build a life well-loved while pushing back against powers who expect the community to assimilate or be silent.



02

NEED TO KNOW: Elections are coming!!! Here are a few things to remember as Tuesday, November 4 comes close.

- Oct. 9 & 10 - Voters' pamphlets are mailed
- Oct. 17 - Ballots mailed; Drop boxes open
- Oct. 27 - LAST DAY to register online or by mail
- Nov. 5 - Election DAY! Ballots need to be returned by 8pm.

If you would like to register, please follow the [link attached here](#).



03

TAKE ACTION: Join 350 Tacoma (a grassroots climate justice movement), Jewish Voice for Peace, and other organizers for a family friendly protest and rally on **Saturday, October 18 from 1-3pm** at Stewart Heights Park. Organizers will be tabling with family friendly activities to participate in collective action.

Follow them on [Instagram](#) to learn more.



04

SHARE: With the administration's continued dehumanization of and targeted attacks on the trans community, it's more important to seek out support. Trans athlete Schuyler Bailar ([Instagram Pinkmantaray](#)) hosts FREE monthly support groups. To learn more, please [check out his website](#) for all the support group dates and information.



05

ENGAGE: Attend a [townhall event about WA state public policy](#) on **Saturday, October 25 from 10am-12pm** at Clover Park Technical College. Organized by the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., elected officials and their teams will come together to share about what's happening in the country and the state, and how it affects us all.

The forum will include U.S. Representative Marilyn Strickland, State Senator T'wina Nobles, and State Attorney General Nick Brown.



06

TAKE ACTION: Join Tacoma for All and other community organizers on **Tuesday, October 28 at 5pm** at City Hall for the City Council Community Forum to defend the Landlord Fairness Code and Tenant Bill of Rights. With local elections coming up in November, it's crucial that tenants and their allies share their stories and their experiences to the whole council.

If you are attending or just want to learn more, please [follow the link to register](#).



07

REMINDER: As you may have witnessed in the past week, Israeli forces intercepted every boat and detained every person who participated in the [Global Sumud Flotilla](#). These were people all over the globe carrying basic necessities (i.e. formula, diapers, food) with the hope of breaking the illegal Israeli siege on Gaza. But, every action, no matter how big or small, is important! While the Israeli forces were busy seizing the boats, Palestinians were able to fish for the first time in months without being shot at and killed! *Every action is important.*