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.



ENGAGE: Today, Sunday, October 19 from 6-8pm, the People's Assembly is hosting another "The People Got the People" event at the Oasis Youth Center. These events are a way to collectively offer care and support for one other. Today's event will include organizing care bags for unhoused neighbors.



If you're interested in participating, check out their page here.



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

• 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.



TAKE ACTION: City Council member John Hines, with support from other Council members, is pushing for an expanded camping ban – fast tracking it through the City Council in an uncharacteristic manner given the significant impact it will have on our unhoused neighbors. The City Council will vote on this on Oct. 21. We are calling on the community to advocate for our unhoused neighbors by testifying in person or writing letters to our council members. To learn more, follow Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness, the Tacoma Black Panther Party, and the Conversation 253.



To find council member contact information, check out the QR code attached.



DONATE: Western Alaska has been hit with severe storms, including Typhoon Halong. Much of the coast, which has a large indigenous population, is under water and many indigenous villages are completely wiped away. With Trump cuts and a government shutdown, Western Alaska is in dire need.



Please consider donating to the disaster response fund, linked here.



CELEBRATE: October is <u>Filipino American History Month</u>! Come learn, honor and celebrate the Filipino community on **Saturday**, **October 25 at 1-5pm** at the Asia Pacific Cultural Center. The theme this year is "Bayanihan: Journey of the Philippine Spirit," so this FREE community event will be a fun-filled celebration of Filipino culture.



There will be hands-on activities, arts and crafts, food, martial arts, vendors, a karaoke contest, and more!



ENGAGE: In preparation for election day, take the time to learn about different local candidates by attending the <u>candidate forum</u> on **Wednesday**, **October 29 at 6pm**, hosted by the Asia Pacific Cultural Center. Hear what they have to say and ask them meaningful questions to make sure you feel confident about your vote. <u>Register here!</u>



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ENGAGE Join <u>La Resistencia</u> on **October 25 and November 1 from 1-3pm** for a Solidarity Day in front of the Northwest Detention Center. Solidarity days are an essential piece in the fight to shut down the NWDC and free all detained individuals.



To learn more about these events, and other future opportunities to join the fight, follow La Resistencia on Instagram.