

## **Actions of the Week:**

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## **This Month**

**Tuesday, May 12, 9:30-11:30am**

### **No Roxbury Ice Camp!**

The state of New Jersey and the township of Roxbury have requested that the US District Court issue a preliminary injunction, stopping DHS from converting the Roxbury warehouse into a concentration camp. In support of the amicus brief filed by our allies and partner organizations, our coalition will be both inside as witnesses and outside the courthouse rallying while the judge hears the oral arguments. Martin Luther King Building, 50 Walnut St, Newark, NJ 07102. Register [here](#).

**Tuesday, May 12, 1-1:30, and subsequent Tuesdays**

### **Episcopal Church Immigration updates**

Join Episcopal Migration Ministries and the Office of Government Relations every Tuesday at 1 p.m. ET for 30-minute updates on U.S. immigration policy and how Episcopal churches and communities are responding. Spanish interpretation is available. Register [here](#).

**Tuesday, May 12, 4-6, and subsequent Tuesdays and Fridays**

### **Wanaque4Democracy Rally**

Rally behind resistance to authoritarianism. Ringwood and Union Ave, Wanaque, NJ supplied when you register [here](#).

**Tuesday, May 12, 7:30 pm**

### **Teach Truth: The Fight Against False History**

As the United States approaches its 250th anniversary, some extremists groups are pushing school curriculums that distort history and replace facts with versions of the past that fit their beliefs. Join Jesse Hagopian of the Zinn Education Project to learn the history that Prager U and the 1776 Project are trying to bring into classrooms. Review actual lessons from their curricula and see how we can work together to make sure the truth is taught. Register [here](#).

**Tuesday, May 12, 8:00 PM**

### **Covenant for Our Future**

**GreenFaith** is joining Covenant for Our Future — a national, multi-faith, multi-issue coalition bringing communities together to build a more just and equitable future, and climate justice is

one of the issues at its core. This call is a chance to connect with people across faith traditions and movements who are committed to taking action together. — [sign up today!](#)

**Wednesday, May 13, 3:00 – 4:00 pm (and every second Wednesday)**  
**Racial Justice Leadership Circle**

This monthly racial justice webinar, hosted by the Rev. Miguel Bustos, senior manager for mission program and equity integration, spotlights diocesan initiatives, racial justice strategies, and community partnerships, with different guests and themes each month. These webinars are designed for racial justice leaders to learn models and practices as well as for support and connection. This month's special guest: Karla Sikaffy duPlantier, interim Latino missionary for The Episcopal Church. [Register](#)

**Wednesday, May 13, 4-5 and subsequent Wednesdays**  
**Teaneck Peace and Justice Vigil**

Join the local New Jersey Peace and Justice to express your support for the end of deportations and the war in Ukraine. National Guard Armory, 1799 Teaneck Rd, Teaneck, NJ 07666.

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**Saturday, May 16, 10:15-12:15**

**Visibility Brigade Letter Making**

**Chester Public Library, 250 West Main St, Chester, NJ**

Have you seen those Visibility Brigade signs over highways? Want to help? Join them in making letters to support their action and meet some of the VB movers and shaker. Register [here](#).

**Saturday, May 16, noon, and subsequent Saturdays**

**ICE Out for Good**

Protest ICE actions at rallies hosted by Springfield Visibility. At the Tesla dealer at 135 US-22, Springfield, NJ 07081.

**Sunday, May 17, and subsequent Sundays, 3-4**

**Montclair Sunday Protests**

Bring your signs to the corners of Church St & Bloomfield Ave **EVERY SUNDAY** from 3-4pm. This is a grassroots event unaffiliated with any organization. [For information](#)

**Sunday, May 17, and subsequent Sundays, 4-4:30**

**Leonia Vigil for Peace and Justice**

Join Leonia's New Jersey Peace and Action branch at the intersection of Broad Avenue and Fort Lee Road, in Leonia, NJ.

**Sunday, May 17 • 5:00 p.m.**

**Love Unfolding: A Service Celebrating God's Unending Love**

**St. George's Episcopal Church, 550 Ridgewood Road, Maplewood**

Join us for a special choral event bringing together the choirs of Morrow Memorial Methodist Church and St. George's Episcopal Church for an evening of sacred music by queer composers past and present. Whether in the past or present, Queer musicians and artists have shaped the landscape of Christian sacred music in profound and lasting ways. This collaborative service lifts up those contributions

**Monday, May 18, and subsequent Mondays, 4:30-5:30**

**The Lantern League**

A network of grassroots advocates, rallying every Monday in Denville at the corner of Pocono and Diamond Spring Rd, Gazebo Park.

**Tuesday, May 19, 11:00 am – 1:00 pm**

**Words Matter: Navigating the Language of Diversity**

**New Jersey Division of Civil Rights**

Bias is on the rise in our communities. Supporting marginalized populations and talking openly about issues related to identity are more important than ever. In this training, participants will explore the impact of stigmatizing language and why it is important to embrace inclusive language as a strategy for dismantling bias in our society. Through interactive exercises, participants will unpack current terminology related to diversity, equity, and inclusion, and discuss strategies for using the "language of diversity" in ways that promote understanding rather than division. [Register](#)

**Sunday, May 24, 3:00**

**Delaney Hall**

Join other Episcopalians in being present during visiting hours at the ICE detention center, Delaney Hall in Newark. The Diocese of Newark has a regular presence on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday and the first Sunday at 3:00 pm. Collect gift cards to support family members (supermarket, uber, visa) are welcome. Reach out to Nancy MacDonald [macdonald623@aol.com](mailto:macdonald623@aol.com) or Rev. Miguel Hernandez [miguel\\_h92@yahoo.com](mailto:miguel_h92@yahoo.com) to get involved.

**Monday, May 25, 7 pm**

**Transgender 101 & Embracing Diversity**

The Greater New York Area Episcopal Church Trans Task Force (TTF) will come and talk about understanding trans issues with a presentation titled Transgender 101. The Rev. Deacon Lainie Murrell is a deacon in the Diocese of New York. Aaron Miner is a graduate of Union Theological Seminary, and a member and lay leader at St. Ann's Episcopal Church / la Iglesia Sta. Ana in the Bronx. This is part of the Deacons on the Road to Emmaus series. **Click this link to enter the meeting [ZOOM LINK](#)**

**Thursday, June 4, 10:30 – 5:00 pm**

**Protecting Our Future: Faithful Action for Immigrant & Climate Justice**

**Abiding Presence Lutheran Church 2220 Pennington Rd, Ewing NJ**

GreenFaith NJ invites you to join us in a statewide summit for an afternoon of learning, sharing and faithful action to protect immigrant & climate justice. [Register](#)

**Saturday, June 5**

**Rocks in the Garden: A Public History of Slavery in Morristown Walking Tour**

Morris County Historical Society

Morristown Green, 10 North Park Place

Visit and discuss sites and events relevant to the history of slavery in Morristown.

[Check avail times and register](#)

**Saturday, June 5, 5:00 pm**

**Oasis Commission PRIDE Mass and Reception**

**Grace Church, 200 Highfield Lane, Nutley, NJ**

The celebration will take place this year at Grace Church in Nutley and will include a live jazz band to accompany the worship music and to play during the reception.

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**Saturday, June 13, 12 – 2 pm**

**Honoring Legacy & Empowering the Future**

**UBE's 19th Annual Scholarship Luncheon**

Diocesan Center, 94 E. Mt. Pleasant Avenue Livingston, NJ

For tickets, Rene Pilgrim (973)202-5424, or Bob Simmons (973)736-5516