

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 The City of Tacoma has a special election ballot that is due by 8pm on April 22, 2025. This ballot is specifically for CoT [resolution 41588](#), or Prop 1, a street improvement measure that relies on a tax levy. Learn more about this resolution and do not forget to vote!



02 The anti-racism committee is excited to host a [free docuseries](#) featuring three incredible and thought-provoking films that explore identity, power, and social justice. Each film will also include special guests to facilitate a community discussion and Q&A.

The first documentary, *Since I Been Down*, will be shown on Wednesday, May 7th at 6:30pm with director and executive producer, Dr. Gilda Sheppard.



03 Jewish Voice for Peace, Tacoma chapter, has drafted an open letter objecting to Mayor Victoria Woodard's recent [all-expenses trip to Israel](#), despite the ongoing genocide of Palestinians and Israel ending all humanitarian aid going into Gaza. Scan the QR code to read the full letter and add your signature.



04 Both documented and undocumented immigrants are continuously under attack and treated inhumanely. With new concerns, challenges, policies, and general xenophobia, it can be hard to figure out what actions to take. The American Friends Service Committee (AFSC) has compiled a [list of six ways](#) to support immigrants today.



05 Highlight and talk about Kilmar Abrego Garcia's case. Kilmar fled El Salvador due to increased gang violence and threat on his life, and was granted legal protection by U.S. immigration in 2019. Kilmar is a legal resident who was sent back to El Salvador and is currently imprisoned with no plans from this administration to bring him back. Here are a few ways to support him.



06 April is [Autism Awareness Month](#). With the ongoing misinformation about people with autism coming from the administration, it is necessary more than ever to combat the spread of lies and misinformation.



If you like to review [scientific studies](#), the following article supports the scientific and medical consensus that vaccines do not cause autism.



07 On Friday, April 25, join student-led coalitions in Seattle for the annual [Palestinian Resistance Culturefest](#). Celebrate and uplift Palestinian culture through performances and speeches. All proceeds from the culturfest will be redistributed to mutual aid in Gaza and local Palestinian organizing initiatives.

