



Day for All People Agenda

Wednesday, January 15, 2025

Centenary United Methodist Church

- 7:30 a.m. **Registration, Hot Donuts, Yogurt, Fruit and Coffee/Tea.** Please move to the Sanctuary (without food or drink) as soon as you can. Sit by your Senator's name.
- 8:15 a.m. **Convening Music – Sing along with Justice Songs** – led by Rev. Cora Armstrong
- 8:30 a.m. **Welcome and Preparation for Advocacy**
- Rev. Dr. Anthony L. Fludd, Chair, VICPP Board
 - Ms. Aliya Farooq, Chair, VA IPL Board and VICPP Board member
 - Rev. Matt Bates, Senior Pastor, Centenary United Methodist – welcome and opening prayer
- Issues*
- Housing and Faith Communities
 - Criminal Justice Reform & HEP
 - Health Equity
 - Environmental Justice
 - Worker Justice
 - Directions and encouragement
 - Send off prayer
- 9:20 a.m. **Walk to new General Assembly Building** (corner of 9th & Broad). Go through security. Find offices.
- 10:00 a.m. **Visits with Senators** (most at 10) and **Delegates** (most at 10:30 or 10:45). Then return to Church.
- 11:30 a.m. **Thank You Notes & Grab Lunches**– Please pick up two thank you cards and envelopes (for thanking your legislators) and your boxed lunch and proceed to your lunch meeting. Give the completed thank you notes to the facilitator of your lunch meeting or drop in the basket at registration. (Boxed lunches have halal meat and vegetarian options.)
- 11:45 a.m. **Lunch meetings – Denomination Gatherings**
- 12:30 p.m. **Workshops - session 1**
- ***Higher Education in Prison (Terri)***
 - ***Call the Midwife - What's Next in Maternal Health? (Kathryn)***
 - ***Faith and Housing (Sheila)***
 - ***Environmental Justice Now! (Faith)***
 - ***Writing for Social Justice (Connor)***
 - ***Ending Indiscriminate Youth Shackling (LaKeisha)***

1:20 p.m. Break – walk to next workshop

1:30 p.m. **Workshops - session 2**

- ***Restoration of Rights (LaKeisha)***
- ***Electrification and Energy Efficiency (Faith)***
- ***Engaging Your Congregation in the Work of Justice (Sheila)***
- ***Advocacy 101 (Kim)***
- ***Labor and Living Wages (Ramon)***
- ***Filmmaking for Justice (Kenneth)***

2:20 p.m. Break – back to sanctuary

2:30 p.m. **Taking it all home**

- **Closing Speaker: Rev. Dr. LaKeisha Cook**
- Closing Song

3:15 p.m. **Adjourn***

**Be sure to drop your nametag and lanyard in the bin provided so we can reuse them. Also, pick up posters and tubes for use at events.*