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What's Happening

Chicago clergy meet with Pope Leo XIV to advocate for immigrants - Chicago Trib

Almost 100 kids as young as 4 face expedited immigration hearings in Chicago - NBC News

ICE agent indicted after striking, injuring immigrant with his vehicle in TX - NBC News

Supreme Court review likely in case denying bond to undocumented immigrants facing deportation - Houston Public Media

Groups sue to stop ICE from hiding locations of thousands of immigrant detainees - NBC News

Trump admin sued over refugee policy changes - The Hill

US makes plans to deport Afghans, families of allies to Pakistan - Bloomberg Law

White House clears ICE to spend $7B on detention, deportations and hiring in 2027 - Project Salt Box

Trump admin can block immigration judges from closing deportation cases - Wash Post

Supreme Court denies emergency request, keeping deal in place to block 'admin closure' - Reuters

Refugee green card 'freezing' hit with class action lawsuit - Newsweek

ICE agents arrest US citizen at gunpoint in Charlotte, NC immigration advocation say - NC Newsline

Action One: Prayer

Give peace in our time, O good and gracious God, that peace which, as your son Jesus Christ told us and as we have experienced in these days, is a peace which the world cannot give. To world leaders grant the wisdom to see beyond the boundaries of race, religion, and nation to that common humanity that makes us all your children and brothers and sisters to one another. Amen. (Xavier University's Center for Faith & Justice)

Action Two: Calls/Letters

NATIONAL LEVEL -Take Action: Demand Accountability and Guardrails as Trump Admin Subjects People to Rights Violations in Immigration Detention - https://cwsglobal.org/action-alerts/take-action-demand-accountability-and-guardrails-as-trump-administration-subjects-growing-numbers-of-people-to-rights-violations-in-immigration-detention/

NATIONAL LEVEL - Defend refugees as Trump admin targets them for deportation.
https://cwsglobal.org/action-alerts/take-action-defend-refugees-as-trump-administration-targets-them-for-deportation/

NATIONAL LEVEL -Tell Congress: Stop ICE from locking children in detention -
https://actionnetwork.org/letters/stop-locking-children-in-detention/?source=group-demand-progress-3&referrer=group-demand-progress-3&redirect=https%3A%2F%2Fsecure.actblue.com%2Fdonate%2Fice-miller-detention

NATIONAL LEVEL - End ICE violence, shut down DHS prisons, and hold the Trump administration accountable! https://act.demandprogress.org/sign/end-mass-deportations/?t=5&akid=35733%2E8294413%2E6sJ7pX

NATIONAL LEVEL - Sign the petition: Don't let children walk into court alone.
https://actionnetwork.org/forms/dont-let-children-walk-into-court-alone/

NATIONAL LEVEL - Tell Congress take back $240 billion in mass deportation funding
https://act.nilc.org/page/102992/action/1?supporter.appealCode=20260925_EG_3Actions_NILC+&ea.url.id=6063598&forwarded=true

NATIONAL LEVEL -Tell Congress: Sign the Dream and Promise Act Discharge Petition
https://act.nilc.org/page/102993/action/1?supporter.appealCode=20260925_EG_3Actions_NILC&ea.url.id=6063600&forwarded=true

NATIONAL LEVEL - Tell Congress: No Detention Expansion in Alexandria, Louisiana
https://actionnetwork.org/letters/tell-congress-no-detention-expansion-in-alexandria-louisiana?source=direct_link&eType=EmailBlastContent&eId=2b279127-af61-4475-8216-06b6a4071cc6

NATIONAL LEVEL - Take Action: Sign Rep. Garcia's Discharge Petition and Vote YES on the American Dream and Promise Act.
https://immigrationjustice.quorum.us/campaign/166493/?utm_source=everyaction&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=ta-160721&emci=0f3a112b-7684-f111-b337-000d3a1558ce&emdi=ea000000-0000-0000-0000-000000000001&ceid=%7b%7bContactsEmailID%7d%7d&%7b%7b%7bEngagementData%7d%7d%7d=

Action Three: Education

Court ruling fails to aid immigrants stuck abroad without visas - https://www.npr.org/2026/10/26/nx-s1-5991896/court-ruling-fails-to-end-wait-for-thousands-of-immigrants-stuck-abroad-without-visas

Texas dad deported by ICE to Ghana was then forced to go to Mali, a country that's unsafe for him, he says - https://www.cbsnews.com/news/moussa-diawara-third-country-deportation-ghana-mali-60-minutes/

Memphis immigrant food pantry says need remains high a year after federal task force entered city - https://tennesseelookout.com/2026/10/29/memphis-immigrant-food-pantry-says-need-remains-high-a-year-after-federal-task-force-entered-city/

ONGOING: BROADVIEW ONLINE PRAYER VIGIL: The Broadview Online Prayer Vigil for our immigrant sisters and brothers in detention, deportation and their families continues at 7:15 AM via Zoom and in person. On First Friday of each month, there is an Interfaith Community Prayer Service. On all other Fridays, we pray the Rosary. The prayer service is facilitated by Sr. Rita Specht, RSM. For those attending in person, address is 1930 Beach St., Broadview, IL. Feel free to connect beginning at 7:00 AM any difficulties, or if you wish to be added to our weekly announcement, please contact Rita Corley-Baker @ corley.baker@gmail.com or by text/cell: 773-550-1004 Whenever possible, the online community will be connected and pray together with the group at Broadview. BY VIDEO: Click this link to join the Rosary via Zoom video. Or click here: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83127670921?pwd=aHBRVSti UWxPUWxadjRqQkRXK3A4UT09 First time Zoom users should visit www.zoom.us to download the Zoom app, open free account , and to find instructions .) BY PHONE (no charges): Dial 1-312-626-6799 to join the Rosary only by phone. The Meeting ID is 831 2767 0921and Meeting Password is 32132132

ICDI Monthly meetings: Monthly meetings-first Thursday of every month at 12:00pm CT. Meetings begin with a small interfaith reflection and continue with our ICDI staff giving pgm updates. Register here: https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/OuD1UdYZQFC2EQdPWKj4hw#/registration

Action Five: Social Media: (Rep/Sen) Resume full adjudication of refugee green card applications. Stop stripping them of their status. Thank you for your effort!