



November 25 – December 1, 2024

What's Happening

Trump's immigration crackdown includes denaturalization - The Hill

Trump team maps out Latin American strategy as part of mass deportations - CNN

ACLU sues to obtain Trump Admin's mass deportation plans - Boulder Daily Camera

1 million migrants in the US rely on temporary protections that Trump could target - AP

Trump team readies a flurry of executive actions for Day 1 - NBC News

Biden urged to protect migrants from Ecuador - WGN Radio/Nexstar

Farms, meat plants brace for Trump immigration crackdown - WSJ

LA approves 'sanctuary city' ordinance in anticipation of potential mass deportations - AP

Immigration Police can already sidestep US Sanctuary City laws using data-sharing fusion centers - Wired

Texas offers border ranch to Trump for mass deportation plan - Texas Tribune

Haitian immigrants are fleeing Springfield, OH after Trump election win - The Guardian

Oklahoma plans to help with mass deportations - The Oklahoman

Colorado officials, leaders preparing for immigration legal battles - CO Public Radio

Action One: Prayer

Good and gracious God, we thank you for the gift of families. We are grateful for all the joy and love that they bring into our lives. We ask that you provide special protection for all families, particularly those who face hardships as they move in search of a better life. Show mercy to those who travel in danger and lead them to a place of safety and peace. Comfort those who are alone and afraid because their families have been torn apart by violence. Open our hearts so that we may provide hospitality for all who come in search of refuge. Give us the courage to welcome every stranger as Christ in our midst. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen. (excerpts from USCCB)

Action Two: Calls/Letters

NATIONAL LEVEL –Urge Congress and Biden to protect immigrants in remaining wks of Biden admin - <https://www.aila.org/advocacy-tools/aila-s-advocacy-action-center>

NATIONAL LEVEL - Senate: Don't let Trump take revenge on the nonprofits. Reject HR 9495

https://act.commoncause.org/petitions/dont-let-trump-take-revenge-on-nonprofits?source=112224-hr-9495-senate&redirect=https://secure.actblue.com/donate/1124-pet-hr9495/%3Fsource%3D112224-hr-9495-senate&link_id=0&can_id=03b6cd570a93aeb040c5391b4bcd3e28&email_referrer=email_2539066_from_3071503_subject_3071501&email_subject=tell-congress-protect-our-right-to-dissent&refcodeEmailReferrer=email_2539066_from_3071503_subject_307150

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NATIONAL LEVEL - Urge Senate to enact a permanent solution for Dreamers - <https://p2a.co/Emn3bWM>

NATIONAL LEVEL - Urge Congress to act. Send a message to your MOC. Demand a pathway to citizenship: <https://unitedwedream.org/actions/send-a-letter-demand-congress-deliver-a-pathway-to-citizenship/>

NATIONAL LEVEL - Urge the Biden admin to implement real, humane solutions at the border - https://act.nilc.org/page/74800/petition/1?supporter.appealCode=20241023_Biden_EG_NILC&ea.url.id=2970173&forwarded=true

NATIONAL LEVEL - Tell Congress to invest in communities' capacity to welcome refugees. <https://cwsglobal.org/action-alerts/urgent-action-tell-congress-to-invest-in-local-communities-capacity-to-welcome-refugees/>

NATIONAL LEVEL - Fight to protect DACA recipients right to health care. https://act.nilc.org/page/74374/petition/1?ea.tracking.id=&supporter.appealCode=20241015_DACAND_EG_NILC&ea.url.id=2946810&forwarded=true

NATIONAL LEVEL - Urge Congress to create a pathway to citizenship for DACA recipients https://act.nilc.org/page/69018/action/1?supporter.appealCode=20240615_EG_DACA12_NILC&ea.url.id=2623645&forwarded=true

NATIONAL LEVEL - Demand Congress stand up to all forms of hate - https://actionnetwork.org/letters/demand-congress-stand-up-to-all-forms-of-hate/?link_id=1&can_id=03b6cd570a93aeb040c5391b4bcd3e28&source=email-re-demand-congress-stand-up-to-all-forms-of-hate&email_referrer=email_2461798&email_subject=re-demand-congress-stand-up-to-all-forms-of-hate

NATIONAL LEVEL - Tell your representative in the US House to commit to protecting immigrant communities. <https://p2a.co/qd8timg>

NATIONAL LEVEL - Urge Congress to act - pass a permanent pathway to citizenship for immigrant youth. https://act.nilc.org/page/74145/action/1?supporter.appealCode=20241010_DACAArg_EG_NILC&ea.url.id=2933863&forwarded=true

NATIONAL LEVEL - Urge Congress to pass legislation that affirms dignity of stateless persons <https://www.voterveice.net/JFI/Campaigns/118397/Respond>

NATIONAL LEVEL - Call on the Biden admin to modernize and strengthen DACA. <https://unitedwedream.org/actions/12-years-of-daca-demand-president-biden-strengthen-and-expand-protections/>

NATIONAL LEVEL- Tell Biden and Congress to reject inhumane, unlawful asylum restrictions <https://cwsglobal.org/action-alerts/take-action-tell-president-biden-and-congress-to-reject-inhumane-unlawful-asylum-restrictions-stand-by-commitments-to-the-persecuted/?eType=EmailBlastContent&eld=b2feada5-0275-45c1-973a-a87242d0c234>

Action Three: Education

Catholic Charities offering advice to Northern California immigrants - <https://abc7news.com/post/trump-deportation-plans-nonprofit-catholic-charities-santa-rosa-aims-help-north-bay-immigrants/15554162/>

Trump recess appointments for the Cabinet plan could be a brazen power grab - <https://www.vox.com/politics/385884/trump-recess-appointments-cabinet-adjourn-senate-ed-whelan>

Texas offers border ranch to Trump for mass deportation plan <https://www.texastribune.org/2024/11/19/texas-border-starr-county-ranch-trump-deportation/>

Border czar faith and immigration policy at a crossroads - <https://www.ncregister.com/news/tom-homan-immigration-faith-and-policy>

Book on Human Smugglers, Migrants wins National Book award - <https://www.nbcnews.com/news/latino/jason-de-leon-national-book-award-human-smuggling-immigration-rcna181197>

ONGOING: BROADVIEW ONLINE FRIDAY ROSARY: The Rosary prayer is conducted every Friday at 715 am CT for our immigrant sisters and brothers in detention, deportation and their families. The prayer is led by Sr JoAnn Persch, RSM and Pat Murphy, RSM. If anyone want to connect in Zoom or participate in person, they can contact Sr. JoAnn Persch at 773-597-5394 or jpmrsm2@gmail.com

ICDI Monthly meetings: Monthly meetings-first Thursday of every month at 12:00pm CT. These meetings begin with a small interfaith reflection and continue with our ICDI staff giving program updates. Register here: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwsde2spjotHtJBQ97mO9XQRns5BwjnisjJ>

Action Five: Social Media: (@ POTUS) Biden admin should help make sure DACA recipients are protected. DACA members are an important part of our society. **Thank you for your efforts!**