



Join the Interfaith Coalition For Black Lives Next Rally: Sunday, October 18th from 1:30 to 2:30 pm at Intersection of Northern Prkwy and N. Charles Street

Related Action for October: Govans Ecumenical Development Corporation (GEDCO). In 1984, seven denominations along the York Road corridor came together to address the housing crisis for older adults in northern Baltimore City. In 1991, GEDCO was incorporated. In 1994, GEDCO opened CARES, which provides emergency food and financial assistance to community residents as well as assistance with finding employment. Today, GEDCO has over 55 member and partner organizations helping its mission to provide permanent housing for formerly unhoused men and women, seniors, and those with disabilities. GEDCO provides supportive services and is well known for its programs and partnerships at Stadium Place. Please consider bringing a check to the rally for GEDCO or GEDCO/CARES, or donate online to <https://gedco.org/make-a-donation/>

We hold rallies once a month, usually on the third Sunday from 1:30 to 2:30, to keep alive the message that people in Baltimore are working towards an anti-racist society. Our rallies are also a way to bring people together who are engaged in anti-racism work. In addition, each month we participate in a “related action” which involves donations of supplies and/or funds to Baltimore City organizations and schools.

Since 2020, IC4BL has stood up to proclaim “Black Lives Matter!” Given the disproportionate effects ICE raids are having on Black and Brown communities, IC4BL expanded our message and our actions in 2024, to include immigrants, undocumented migrants and refugees. We welcome signs at our rallies that are interfaith and nonviolent. Suggested messages: “No Human Being is Illegal,” “Welcome Immigrants!” in addition to “All Lives Can’t Matter until Black and Brown Lives Matter!”

For additional information and to sign up for updates:
<https://ic4bl.org> or use this QR code.



The Following Organizations Co-Sponsor IC4BL

- Arlington United Methodist Church
- Ascension Lutheran Church
- Baltimore City Baha'i Community
- Baltimore Monthly Meeting of Friends, Stony Run
- Benedictine Sisters of Baltimore
- Beyond the Boundaries
- Black Onyx Movement
- Bolton Street Synagogue
- BRIDGE Maryland, Inc.
- Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church
- Call to Action Maryland
- Cathedral of Mary Our Queen
- Catholic Charities of Baltimore
- Church of the Redeemer
- Congregation Beit Tikvah
- DE-MD ELCA Synod Racial Justice Team
- Faith Lutheran Church, Cockeysville
- Faith Presbyterian Church
- First and St. Stephens's UCC
- Grace United Methodist Church
- Gwynn Oak United Methodist Church
- Homewood Friends Meeting
- Immigration Outreach Service Center
- Latino Racial Justice Circle
- Memorial Episcopal Church
- Pax Christi Baltimore
- Racial Justice Circles
- School Sisters of Notre Dame
- Sisters of Bon Secours, USA
- St. Gabriel Catholic Church, Woodlawn
- St. Ignatius Catholic Church
- St. John's Baltimore UMC
- St. John the Evangelist, Columbia, MD
- St. Matthew Catholic Church
- St. Matthew LEAD LGBTQ+ Ministry
- University Baptist Church

