Engaging Your Congregation in Rise Up and Vote Virginia 2022

Postcard to infrequent voters. Handwritten postcards encourage infrequent voters to vote. VICPP can send you postcards, messages, and addresses of infrequent African American voters for your social action group to write and send postcards. Postcards must be mailed by October 15. Order in batches of 100 from VICPP. Send your requested quantity and mailing address to: Robert@virginiainterfaithcenter.org

Text your friends and family. VICPP is training people to send their friends and family members texts about registering and voting. If you are tech savvy, you can download the phone app, Impactive, and enter the VICPP campaign code, which is 206173. If you’d like help with setting up and using the app, VICPP is conducting Impactive training sessions every Thursday evening at 6 p.m. from now till the elections. Register at: tinyurl.com/vicpp-impactive

Souls to the Polls. Learn how congregations around the country are encouraging people to vote by organizing “souls to the polls” events. Register for the Souls to the Polls training on October 27 at 7 p.m. at: https://faithinaction.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJYucemspzMpEt0DaGf6Jbhmlh7tIN5p0qtS

You may also contact Robert@virginiainterfaithcenter.org to access a video of the taped training.

100 percent voting congregation. VICPP can assist you in making sure everyone in your congregation is registered and votes by providing publicly available data about who is registered. You can also receive registered voters’ polling places so you can provide that information to them, as well as the information about who their state elected leaders are so they can be better advocates. To learn more, contact: Robert@virginiainterfaithcenter.org

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