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WISDOM Clergy To Lead Hundreds of Members to the Capitol for Madison Action Day

[Statewide]: WISDOM's thirteen affiliate organizations from around the state will converge in Madison for presentations on their key issues, reflection on their work together and to meet with legislators on Thursday. Every WISDOM Representative and Senator will be visited by a delegation of constituents. A copy of WISDOM's Legislative Agenda can be found <u>HERE</u>.

Time	Activity
9:00 AM	Wisconsin Masonic Center, 301 Wisconsin Ave. Madison, WI 53703 Worship, Presentations and Entertainment
12:30 PM	Capitol Steps Rally and Procession from Masonic Center to the Capitol
1:00 PM	Visits with Senators
1:30 PM	Visits with Representatives
2:30 PM	Grace Episcopal Church, 116 W. Washington Ave, Madison, WI 53703 Closing Activities

THURSDAY, APRIL 10

WISDOM's Key Issues:

- Green Bay Correctional Institution (GBCI) Closing and alternative solutions
- Driver's Licenses for All Restoring access for all Wisconsin residents
- Education Funding Advocating for increased support for schools
- BadgerCare Expansion Accepting federal funds to improve healthcare access

A <u>full list of our Priorities Booklet is HERE</u>. Hundreds of WISDOM's diverse, trained and disciplined members will be part of this important day to demonstrate faith in action and to assure that their deeply held values are represented in the Wisconsin state legislature.

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WISDOM is a statewide network, composed mainly of faith-based organizations. WISDOM began with Milwaukee Inner-City Congregations Allied for Hope, founded in 1988. It has grown to 13 affiliate organizations across the state of Wisconsin. We work on campaigns fighting for immigrant rights, correct the narrative around formerly incarcerated individuals, and much more. Our priorities have expanded to include multi-issue work from a faith-based lens as we fight for racial, social and economic justice for all. WISDOM is a proud member of the national Gamaliel Network.