Annual Interfaith

Thanksgiving

Service

Sunday, November 22



Service in Sanctuary at 4pm

Potluck supper to follow in Fellowship Hall

Donations will be collected for RCMA.

Interfaith Coalition of Polk County
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Grace Lutheran Church Lakeland
745 S. Ingraham Avenue

GRACE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Prelude		Donovan Baltich, Piano
Welcome		Rev. Dr. Olga-Maria Cruz
Land Acknowledgement		Rev. Lois Sorenson
Sacred Symbols		Kim Motta Rav. David Goldstein Andy Quinn Homera Valenzuela
ICPC President's Welcome		Rev. Tim Sizemore
Songs	*I Am a Child of God* *Love One Another*	Latter Day Saints Children's Chorus Elizabeth Albarez, Chorister
Prayers of Thanksgiving & Care for Creation		
Offering for RCMA		
Offering Song	*Bind Us Together*	Rev. Dr. Olga-Maria Cruz
Psalm 150		Jewish Choir
Hymn		UUCL, Heather Norby
Closing		Rev. Dr. Olga-Maria Cruz

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WHO WE ARE

The Interfaith Coalition of Polk County began when an informal network of faith leaders decided they wanted to respond collectively to a neo-Nazi presence at a local fundraising event. Instead of spreading hate that targeted Jewish and LGBTQI+ residents of Polk County, this presence galvanized the network into a coalition of congregations and their leaders who promote unity in diversity through interfaith dialogue, mutual understanding, and cooperation. We participate in select community events and we host symposiums, potlucks, and other special events (such as this prayer service).

MEMBER CONGREGATIONS

These congregations and other faith-based organizations are located in Lakeland unless otherwise noted: Beacon Hill Fellowship, The Center for Expanded Consciousness, Christ The King Episcopal Church, Christ's Promise United Methodist Church (Auburndale), College Heights United Methodist Church, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, First United Methodist Church, Grace Lutheran Church ELCA, Hokori Zen Center, Reformation Lutheran Church ELCA, Shepherd's Community United Methodist Church, Temple Beth Shalom (Winter Haven), Temple Emanuel, and Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Lakeland.

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