Activism centered around:

- Cooperative interaction in Kirkland with faith communities and human services organizations.
 - Activities that relate to human needs.
 - Activities incorporating: Celebrations Dialogue
 Community awareness
 Communication
 Service

KIN CALENDAR:

> May

<u>Crop Walk</u> Fundraising walk

> August - Sept

Back to School Project

Provide school supplies, for Kirkland children in need.

> November

<u>Alternative Giving Fair</u> <u>Hopelink Thanksgiving Baskets</u> Fruits and vegetables for Hopelink.

> Throughout the year Recreation Project

Free recreational camps and scholarships for low income children and family members

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: YOU CAN HELP !

> <u>Crop Walk</u>

Walk or run 10k and obtain financial pledges for Church World Service and the HopeLink food bank.

- Back to School Project
 Collect and purchase school supplies.
- <u>Alternative Giving Fair</u> Organize event.
 Secure entertainment.
 Set up and take down event.
 Manage a booth.
- <u>Thanksgiving Baskets</u>
 Collect fruits and vegetables at a
 KIN host church.
 Transport fruit and vegetables
 to HopeLink
- <u>Recreation Program</u>
 Secure recreational
 opportunities for low-income
 children and families

Beliefs and practices:

- By serving, our eyes are opened to the need for change in the world.
- Together we can do more than anyone of us can do alone.
- Our faith traditions tell us to use the gifts of our time, energy, creativity and money to be a blessing to others.
- We match untapped resources with unaddressed needs.
- All faith traditions are to be valued and respected.
- We serve with joy as well as compassion.
- KIN is a 501c3, all-volunteer organization. Every dollar donated to our projects is used for the projects. Our low overhead expenses are paid by the dues of our member congregations. Our congregations and the community at-large provide the resources we need for the work we do. KIN does not receive any government funding.
- KIN is governed by the KIN board, made up of representatives of member congregations, as well as individuals who may be members at large, or representatives of faithbased communities that are not officially affiliated with KIN. The only requirement is a willingness to serve. KIN board meetings are held the first Saturday of every month and are open to anyone who wishes to attend.

Community Partners:



Participating Congregations

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Kirkland Washington Stake

Compassionate :: Challenging :: Inclusive Holy Spirit Lutheran Church

Holy Family Catholic Church Kirkland Washington

Kirkland Congregational Church

The Progressive Christian Voice in the Heart of Kirkland United Church of Christ

Celebrating the Spirit of Christ with All People

Lake Washington Christian Church

Lake Washington United Methodist Church







9:15AM

Lake Washington United Methodist Church 7525 132nd Ave NE Kirkland, Washington 98033 (425) 885-3311

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Our KIN Representative is

Check with your employer about contribution matching.