

### LAST UPDATED August 23

# Copy & Paste Invitations to the Vigil for Democracy at MDC

Thanks for your interest in inviting family, friends, and colleagues to join the Vigil at Metropolitan Detention Center. Here are some easy notes to share by email or text. Just copy and paste, adjusting for your audience.

### SAMPLE EMAIL TEMPLATE | COPY & PASTE | ADJUST FOR YOUR AUDIENCE

Subject: Join me Tuesday for a vigil at MDC Brooklyn

Hello Friends,

I'm inviting you to join me Tuesday at 6pm for a peaceful vigil outside the Metropolitan Detention Center (MDC) in Brooklyn. Over 100 of our immigrant neighbors are being held there—taken from their homes, schools, and workplaces—and kept in notoriously harsh conditions: rancid food, freezing winters, stifling summers, and constant neglect.

Vigils are simple but powerful: we gather, grieve, and make injustice visible. Standing together helps us resist raids, detentions, and deportations—and show our neighbors they are not alone. You don't need experience—just your presence. Signs are welcome (here are some <u>ideas</u>), but not necessary.

#### **Details**

When: Tuesday, 6-7pm

Where: MDC Brooklyn (29th St & 3rd Ave, Sunset Park/Industry City)

Who: Everyone is welcome—bring family and friends

Sign up (optional): Mobilize details

Led weekly by Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and Brooklyn Indivisible, these vigils are part of a growing movement for dignity, compassion, and freedom.

Hope to see you there, [YOUR NAME]

## SAMPLE EMAIL TEXT MESSAGE | COPY AND PASTE | ADJUST FOR YOUR AUDIENCE

Hey there! Please join me on Tuesday at 6pm for this vigil in Industry City/Sunset Park Brooklyn at the corner of 29<sup>th</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue. More info from Indivisible Brooklyn on Mobilize or just show up! Please feel free to bring signs (here are some ideas and they don't have to be fancy — all you need is some cardboard box and a sharpie!), but what matters most is your presence!