

## TRANSGENDER DAY NOV OF REMEMBRANCE 20TH

Today, we remember and honor transgender people around the world whose lives have been lost to anti-transgender violence.

The Intercultural Center, The President's Commission on Gender and Sexual Diversity (PCGSD), and the Gender and Sexuality Alliance (GSA) strive to bring awareness, affirmation, and support of members of the LGBTQIA community here at Millersville. On this day, Nov 20<sup>th</sup>, we acknowledge the lives that have been lost to anti-trans violence and transphobia through Transgender Day of Remembrance (TDOR).

This event is intended to not only bring awareness to anti-trans violence, but to also grieve the lives that have been lost in what now has become the deadliest year on record for transgender people in the U.S.

While there are many allies within our community and beyond, it is important to recognize that many trans/non-binary/genderqueer folks face various obstacles and challenges to live their full and authentic selves.

At MU, we acknowledge and reflect on this day and encourage all to celebrate the progress in the transgender community and recognize those impacted by anti-trans violence. A vigil/memorial will be displayed outside the Student Memorial Center (SMC).

If interested, events are being held both in Lancaster, York, and Harrisburg if anyone would like to attend. In Lancaster, Grace United Church of Christ will hold a Vigil from 7pm-9pm. The church is located at 1947 New Holland Pike Lancaster, Pennsylvania. In York, The York LGBT Center and York Equality Fest will host a vigil from 5:30pm-6:30pm at Union Lutheran Church. The church is located at 408 W. Market Street in York, PA. In Harrisburg, TransCentralPA will host a vigil/rally from 5:15pm-8pm on the Front Capital Steps.

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