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DAYTON, Ohio, Oct. 28, 1988--University of Dayton students will focus their attention on Hunger Awareness Week, Nov. 10-21, with a wide variety of activities.

Musician Charles King will come to campus on Friday, Nov. 11 for a "Song and Social Change" workshop. The workshop, designed to show students how music can convey messages, will be held from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in the Kennedy Union West Ballroom. King will also host a concert at 9:30 p.m. Friday in the Kennedy Union Pub. Admission will be $2.

"Hands Across the Ghetto," an event where members of the UD community join hands as a symbol of solidarity with the hungry of the world, will be held Friday, Nov. 11 at 3:15 p.m. Approximately 800 participants are expected to form a line on Alberta St. from College Park to Irving Ave. WGTZ Z-93 will be on hand to play three special songs during the event, including "We Are The World." Following the event, a tailgate party and brief press conference will be held at 3:45 p.m. at the McGinnis Center, 301 Lowes St. Participants will be able to meet members of the community who are working to alleviate the hunger program. Canned food will be collected.

A 10K Walk-a-thon for Hunger will be held on Saturday, Nov. 12, beginning at 2 p.m. Walkers will begin at Roesch Library on campus, proceed west on Stewart St. across the river, turn south for a turn around the block before returning to Stewart, head north on Edwin C. Moses to Washington, turn south on Washington to reach Stewart and then return to campus via Stewart St. A
reception will then be held in the staff dining room at Kennedy Union from 4-6 p.m. Saturday.

On Monday, Nov. 14, volunteers from UD will work in the soup kitchen at St. Vincent Hotel from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Students will personally experience the unequal distribution of the world's food on Wednesday, Nov. 16. Hunger banquets at 6 p.m. at Marycrest Complex, Virginia Kettering Residence Hall and the McGinnis Center will offer meals based on what food is available in different regions of the world. Diners assigned to the Third World could be served a plate of rice, while those lucky enough to be assigned to a more affluent region may be served a hamburger and French fries.

A personal day of fast will be observed on Thursday, Nov. 17. Complete abstinence from food may be chosen by some participants, while others may choose to forego a favorite food. Mass will be celebrated at 9 p.m. in the Immaculate Conception Chapel, followed by a "break fast" meal of homemade bread and soup in Monk's Inn, located in Liberty Hall on campus.

"Food Production in China: Implications for World Hunger," a presentation by speaker Sylvan Wittwer, will wrap up Hunger Awareness Week. The former consultant on food production for the Ford and Rockefeller foundations in Mexico and Ceylon will speak on Monday, Nov. 21 at 8 p.m. in the Kennedy Union Ballroom. The event is free and open to the public.

For more information on events during Hunger Awareness Week, contact Sister Nancy Bramlage, S.C., at 229-2576.