

# 2019 MOREHOUSE COLLEGE COMMEMORATION

#### **SATURDAY, JANUARY 19**

9 a.m.

MESSENGERS OF FREEDOM: A TORAH STUDY AND SHABBAT SERVICE WITH

RABBI BRADLEY LEVENBERG AND DR. HAROLD L. BENNETT

Location: African American Hall of Fame, Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel, Morehouse College

Contact: The Rev. Terry Walker at (470) 639-0325 or terry.walker@morehouse.edu

7 p.m.

OPENING EXHIBITION
"THE MEANING OF HOPE: THE BEST OF
THE MOREHOUSE COLLEGE MARTIN

LUTHER KING JR. COLLECTION"

In recognition of the 90th birthday of Martin Luther King Jr., the National Center for Civil and Human



Rights will present a retrospective exhibition of the Morehouse College Martin Luther King Jr. Collection's iconic documents. A public program will be held from 7-8:30 p.m.

Location: Voice to the Voiceless Gallery,
National Center for Civil and Human Rights,
100 Ivan Allen Jr. Blvd., Atlanta, GA.

Contact: Kelli Edwards, National Center for Civil and Human Rights, kedwards@
civilandhumanrights.org

#### **SUNDAY, JANUARY 20**

6 p.m.

HONORING THE FAITHFUL IN A CLIMATE OF FEAR: COMMUNITY-WIDE INTERFAITH PEACE ASSEMBLY AND

**CANDLELIGHT VIGIL** 

The Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel presents the annual community-wide candlelight vigil to enrich



support for the beloved world community. **Location:** Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel, Morehouse College

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## **MONDAY, JANUARY 21**

8 a.m.

BONNER OFFICE OF COMMUNITY

SERVICE'S MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY OF SERVICE

Students will participate in interfaith outreach and community service at various sites around Atlanta.

Location: Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel, Morehouse College

**Contact:** Dr. W. Monty Whitney, director of the Bonner Office of Community Service, wilbur.whitney@morehouse.edu

#### **TUESDAY, JANUARY 22**

5:30 p.m.

## FILM SCREENING: "KING IN THE WILDERNESS"

The Office of Strategic Communications and the Morehouse College Martin Luther King Jr. Collection will launch the Human Rights Film Festival with a screening of King in the

Wilderness, a documentary portrait of King during the last years of his life. The screening is courtesy of the Kunhardt Film Foundation.

Location: Bank of America Auditorium, Walter E. Massey Leadership Center, Morehouse College.

WILDERNESS

Contact: Kara Walker at kara.walker@morehouse.edu

## **THURSDAY, JANUARY 24**

11 a.m.

## MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. CROWN FORUM

**Speaker: Dr. Sarah Azaransky**, Assistant Professor of Social Ethics, Union Theological

**Topic:** This Worldwide Struggle: Religion and the International

Roots of the Civil Rights Movement **Location:** Martin Luther King Jr. International

Chapel, Morehouse College

Contact: The Rev. Terry Walker at

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### 5:30 p.m.

## FILM SCREENING: "ROSENWALD" PANEL DISCUSSION TO FOLLOW

"Rosenwald" tells
the story of Jewish
philanthropist, Julius
Rosenwald, who
established schools
in the pre-civil rights
era. Inspired by the
late educator, Horace
Mann Bond and his
son, Julian Bond, the
film documents blackJewish relations. Join



film director Aviva Kempner, Ethelbert Miller, and Councilmember Michael Julian Bond for a discussion to follow the screening. This event is sponsored by the Department of English.

**Location:** Bank of America Auditorium, Walter E. Massey Leadership Center, Morehouse College

Contact: Dr. Leah Creque at leah.creque@morehouse.edu

#### **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 30**

5:30 p.m.

## MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. LECTURE AND CONVERSATION SERIES

Keynote Speaker: Dr.
Eddie Glaude, Chair of
the Center for African
American Studies and the
William S. Todd Professor
of Religion and African
American Studies at
Princeton University.
Topic: "The Dangerous



Current Crisis"; Reception featuring the Morehouse College Jazz Combo to follow.

Location: Bank of America Auditorium, Walter E. Massey Leadership Center, Morehouse College

Contact: Dr. Vicki Crawford, director, Morehouse College Martin Luther King Jr. Collection, (470) 639-0569 or kingcollection@morehouse.edu

### **THURSDAY, JANUARY 31**

3:00 p.m.

## MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. COLLECTION VIEWING OF DOCUMENTS AND POETRY READING

Join AUC Robert W. Woodruff archivists and the Collection Director for a viewing of original documents and overview of the collection. This will be followed by a poetry reading from AUC faculty, Dr. Pushpa Parekh,



professor of English; Africa, Diaspora and the World, Spelman College; Dr. Georgene Bess Montgomery, professor of English, Clark Atlanta University; Rev. Dr. Ken Walden, president and dean, Gammon Theological Seminary, and Dr. Melvin Rahming, professor, Morehouse College. Reception to follow.

Location: Archives Research Center and

Robert W. Woodruff Library

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Exhibition Hall, Atlanta University Center



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