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LCBS NJROTC Color Guard
Tuscarora High School Boys Basketball Team
World View Band, Parkview High School

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*"In Pursuit of Equal Rights,
Social Equity, & Human Dignity"*



**Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
"I Have A Dream" Committee
presents**

31st Annual March and Celebration Program

January 17, 2022

**Live March and Virtual Program
Leesburg, Virginia**

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. ANNUAL CELEBRATION

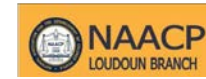
10:15 a.m.
The Live March

Welcome to the Court House
Judge Lorrie A. Sinclair Taylor
Loudoun County General District Court

Courthouse Invocation
Reverend Aileen Fitzke
Loudoun Clergy and Faith Leaders, Chair
Minister of Unitarian Universalist Church Sterling, Virginia

10:30 a.m.
Martin Luther King Jr. Commemorative March
Loudoun Courthouse to Frederick Douglass Elementary School

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“LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING”

Lift ev'ry voice and sing, till earth and heaven ring; Ring with the harmonies of liberty.

Let our rejoicing rise, high as the list'ning skies; Let it resound, loud as the rolling seas.

Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us. Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us; Facing the rising sun of our new day begun,

Let us march on till victory is won.

Stony the road we trod, bitter the chast'ning rod, Felt in the days when hope unborn had died.

Yet with a steady beat have not our weary feet

Come to the place for which our fathers sighed?

We have come over a way that with tears has been watered;

We have come treading our path thro' the blood of the slaughtered

Out from the gloomy past, till now we stand at last, Where the white gleam of our bright star is cast.

God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, Thou who has brought us thus far on the way. Thou who has by Thy might led us into the light, Keep us forever in the path, we pray.

Lest our feet stray from the places, our God, where we met Thee; Lest our hearts, drunk with the wine of the world we forget Thee. Shadowed beneath Thy hand, may we forever stand, True to our God, True to our native land.



*Excerpt from 'I Have A Dream' speech
"I say to you today, my friends, so even though we face the difficulties of today and tomorrow, I still have a dream..."*

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. ANNUAL CELEBRATION

1:00 p.m.

Celebration Program Launch on YouTube @MLKMarchLeesburg

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MLK "I Have A Dream" Committee Chair

Tammy Carter

VIRTUAL CELEBRATION PROGRAM

Mistress of Ceremonies

D. Lena Hickman-Miott

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ACCESSING VIRTUAL PROGRAM:

1. VISIT www.youtube.com
2. Search @MLKMarchLeesburg
3. Click on first item in the search
4. Look for 2022 Celebration Video starting at 1pm

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VIRTUAL PROGRAM

Opening Remarks.....	Tammy Carter
Program Overview & MC.....	D. Lena Hickman-Miott
Opening Reflection.....	Rizwan Jaka <i>All Dulles Area Muslim Society, Chairperson</i>
Musical Selection “Lift Every Voice”	Dr. Lloyd B. Mallory, Jr. <i>Director, Kentucky State University Chamber Singers</i>
Welcome.....	Kelly Burk <i>Mayor, Town of Leesburg</i>
Featured Speaker.....	Sherelle T. Carper <i>24th National President, NANBPWC, Inc.</i>
Musical Selection	Benjamin Demase <i>Loudoun Valley High School</i>
Poetry Reading	Lael Ayalew, 7th Grade, <i>Trailside Middle School</i>
Guest Speaker.....	Jennifer Wexton <i>US Congresswoman, 10th District</i>
Children’s Corner.....	Marti Whiting-Pearson, <i>Author</i> <i>Student Readers:</i> <i>Giselle Reeves, 3rd Grade, Seldens Landing Elementary</i> <i>Laylah Randolph, 3rd Grade, Cool Springs Elementary</i> <i>Ariana Cherry, 1st Grade, Mountain View Elementary, and</i> <i>Youth member, Northern Virginia Chapter, Jack & Jill of America, Inc.</i> <i>Langley Wright, 4th Grade, Cedar Lane Elementary, and</i> <i>Youth Member, Loudoun County Virginia Chapter, Jack & Jill of America, Inc.</i>
Musical Selection.....	World View Band - Parkview High School
Guest Speaker.....	Kwasi Fraser <i>Mayor, Town of Purcellville</i>
Featured Speaker.....	Fernando "Marty" Martinez <i>Vice Mayor, Town of Leesburg</i>
Dr. King Holiday Occasion Shoutouts	Supporting Organization

VIRTUAL PROGRAM

Musical Selection Soloist	Anthony Anderson, <i>Baritone</i>
Keynote Speaker.....	Dr. W. Andy Knight <i>2021-2022 Fulbright Distinguished Chair, International Area Studies</i> <i>Yale University</i> <i>Professor, International Relations, University of Alberta, Canada</i>
Musical Selection.....	ADAMS BEAT
Youth Panel Discussion.....	Nancy Campbell Academy <i>Ontario, Canada</i> <i>Indigenized Hip Hop Grassroots Project</i> <i>Moderator: Karim Rushdy, Panelist: Stanislas Alexandre Yekel,</i> <i>Vincent Cassius Cain, Krystal Riverz, Tao Wang, Camilla Bogosi,</i> <i>Camera /Media: Bennet Naylor</i>
Musical Selection Soloist.....	James Daniels
Dr. King Holiday Occasion Shoutout	Local Organizations
Golden Rules Readings.....	Youth Interfaith Participants
Musical Selection Soloist.....	Ayana Ogunsunlade, <i>Soprano</i>
Closing Remarks.....	Tammy Carter
Closing Prayer.....	Pastor Daryl S. Taylor, <i>Grace Covenant Church</i>
Closing Selection & Acknowledgements.....	“We Shall Overcome”

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