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The Art of Giving

Mayor's Luncheon

In Conversation with

Marc Morial

President & CEO of the National Urban League
former Mayor of New Orleans, LA.

Moderator:

Steve Montgomery

President & CEO of the Fort Worth Chamber

Dallas-Fort Worth
Urban League

Date	City Club of Fort Worth	VIP Reception
March 9, 2026	301 Commerce St. Fort Worth, TX 76102	11:30am **Luncheon** 12pm-1pm

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LEADERSHIP & LEGACY:

A Conversation with Marc Morial

PROGRAM

Opening Welcome	Dr. John L. Barnett Jr.
National & Black National Anthems	2BYG
Welcome	Mattie Parker, Mayor of Fort Worth, TX
Welcome & Invocation	Michael Evans, Mayor of Mansfield, TX

Luncheon Served

TCEF Welcome & Recognition of Sponsors	Shirley Pace
Presentation of Scholarships	Dr. Arlene Barnett
Presentation of Speakers	Shirley Pace

Leadership & Legacy

A Conversation with Marc Morial

Audience Q&A	Dr. John L. Barnett Jr.
Presentation of TCEF Mayor's Award	Dr. Arlene Barnett & Shirley Pace
Commissioner's Recognition	Roderick Miles

Scholarships / Awards

Alyce Marie & Rev. Carranza Adair Holliday Legacy Scholarship

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Hugh J. White Legacy Scholarship

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Scholarships / Awards

Drs. LaKiesha & Courtney M. Crawford Scholarship

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TCEF Art of Giving Mayors Luncheon Award

Marc Morial

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"Our Children, Our Future, Our Investment "

The Founders

It all started with an idea around the kitchen table...the world our children will inherit is not the world we were prepared for. We were taught to go to school, get good grades, take on debt, pay it back, and retire from the same company. That world no longer exists.

If we care about our children's future, we must teach them how to learn and how to earn. It is from that belief that the Tarrant County Education Foundation was born. This has truly been a labor of love.

Our Mission

We are committed to awarding scholarships to Tarrant County students based on academic excellence, community service, and financial need. We coach students in effective scholarship application techniques and engage students in unique STEAM projects that inspire exploration of creative careers.

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