

## PRESS RELEASE

### A DAY OF REMEMBRANCE

On April 4th, 1958, 50 years ago to the day, our nation's greatest peacemaker was brutally taken from us by a sniper's bullet.

On Wednesday, April 4th, from 6 PM – 8:30PM, at Mt Zion Baptist Church, 1634 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. (Rev. Dr. S McKinney Ave.) the MLK Commemoration Committee, with Honorary Chair Rev. Dr. Samuel B. McKinney will be presenting "A Day of Remembrance" for Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. In 2018, it is our desire is not simply to reflect on that tragic event that occurred 50 years ago, but to connect history with contemporary issues. The sub- themes for the Commemoration will be economic equity, education, justice and nonviolence.

At 6PM there will be a Reception featuring a variety of ethnic dishes and at 7:00 pm the Program begins. The program will consist of uplifting music, the spoken word, and a diverse group of community speakers.

Again, April 4th, from 6PM -8:30PM, at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, the event is "A Day of Remembrance" for the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. by recounting the history to connect the contemporary issues, to propel forward.

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