Our purpose is to reflect together on the vision and Christian ministry of Dr. King for the purpose of encouraging and cultivating a deeper commitment to be God’s agents of justice, peace and reconciliation.

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REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. Commemoration 2022

DISPLAY in Library for the Month of January & February
Murray Library has several displays that commemorate MLK and black achievements. Our foyer display focuses on opportunities to follow Dr. King’s lead through service here on campus and in the community. The large display case is entitled “Black Achievement: Honoring the past, celebrating the present, inspiring the future.” The Great Reads Shelf celebrates the library’s newest themed room, which houses “The Bridge to Freedom” children’s book collection. Check out these displays between January 10th and February 28th.

PODCAST: “Dr. King’s Legacy” – January 18th – 21st
In conjunction with the Pulse, Multicultural Council will be releasing several podcasts featuring members of our campus community as they reflect on Dr. King’s legacy and how it applies to them today.

I AM A MAN
Experience, I AM A MAN, a virtual reality (VR) experience by Derek Ham. This experience highlights the historic events of the African-American Civil Rights Movement.

MONDAY, January 17, 2022
Observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

TUESDAY, January 18, 2022
Common Chapel, featuring guest speaker, Ms. Lisa McNair
Worship led by Messiah University’s UVP Gospel Choir. Brubaker Auditorium, 9:30a.m.–10:15a.m.
A native of Birmingham, Lisa McNair is the younger sister of Denise McNair, one of the four girls killed in the infamous 1963 bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church. By sharing the story of Denise’s life and tragic death, Lisa hopes that the lessons of the Civil Rights Movement will never be forgotten, but will inspire us to be a better nation.

Evening Chapel, featuring guest speaker, Ms. Lisa McNair
Hostetter Chapel, 7:00p.m. – 8:00p.m.

Bridge to Freedom Children’s Collection
Dedication and ribbon cutting ceremony for a newly designed space featuring a collection of children’s books donated by Dr. Todd, Lonette, and Bryce Allen. Open House and Refreshments
Lower Level of Murray Library, 3:00p.m. – 5:00p.m.

WEDNESDAY, January 19, 2022
Featured Lottie Meal at Lunch “MLK’s Favorites”
Menu: Buttermilk Biscuits, Southern Fried Catfish, Memphis BBQ Ribs, Macaroni & Cheese, Kickin’ Collard Greens, and Peach Cobbler

THURSDAY, January 20, 2022
MLK Trivia
Have fun with your friends at the annual MLK Week Trivia Night. Come learn about Dr. King and his legacy through some trivia questions. There will be five rounds of trivia and they will be about Dr. King and other prominent figures in the Civil Rights Movement. Prizes will be awarded to the winners. Larsen Student Union, 7:00p.m. – 8:30p.m.

FRIDAY, January 21, 2022
SAB Lost Films featuring The Best of Enemies
Parmer Cinema, Boyer Hall, Friday at 6:00p.m.

SATURDAY, January 22, 2022
SAB Lost Films featuring The Best of Enemies
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