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Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration 2017

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 11
WMU/Kalamazoo Public Schools Social Justice Book Bowl, 5 p.m. Linden Grove Middle School Elimination competition for middle and high school students from surrounding area school districts.

THURSDAY, JAN. 12
“The Courage to Create” poetry competition awards reception, 5 to 7 p.m. WMU Multicultural Center, Adrian Trimpe Building Designed to encourage the love of poetry and student research in the role of writers as agents for social change in students grades 7 to 12

FRIDAY, JAN. 13
| Community Reflection, 11 a.m. Stetson Chapel, Kalamazoo College Speakers: Kalamazoo College students, faculty, staff and administrators

SATURDAY, JAN. 14
| Public School Students’ Visitaton, 9 a.m. registration East Ballroom, Bernhard Center, Western Michigan University Open to middle and high school students and parents and guardians from Kalamazoo Public Schools and surrounding school districts

SUNDAY, JAN. 15
| The 31st Annual Northside Ministerial Alliance Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration, 4 p.m. Mt. Zion Baptist Church, 120 Michigan St., Kalamazoo Rev. Dr. Adell Moore, host pastor Keynote speaker: Bishop John Franklin White, presiding prelate of the Fourth Episcopal District, African Methodist Episcopal Church and president of the AMEC Council of Bishops

MONDAY, JAN. 16
| City of Kalamazoo Communitywide Day of Service, 8 a.m. Meet at City Hall, 241 W. South St. Volunteer opportunities available at http://go.volunteerkalamazoo.org
| Convocation, 10:50 a.m. Stetson Chapel, Kalamazoo College
| Commemorative Walk, 3:30 p.m. Gather at WMU Kanley Chapel, proceed to Kalamazoo College Red Square, then MLK Park in downtown Kalamazoo
| Community Celebration, immediately following the commemorative walk Radisson Plaza Hotel at Kalamazoo Center Sponsors: Bronson Healthcare and Borgess Ascension