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Due to the pandemic, we encourage you to explore these places and opportunities within your family units.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Check out KCPT for more Black history month opportunities.	Register today and watch on the 15 th https://info.umkc.edu/diversity/events-programs/martin-luther-king-jr-lecture-series/	1902 - Langston Hughes , a famous poet, was born this day in Joplin, Mo. Learn about Kansas City Black History	1948 - President Truman sent Congress a special message urging the adoption of a Civil Rights program , including the creation of a fair employment practices commission.	1920 - The Negro Baseball League is founded. Visit the Negro League Baseball Museum	1913 - Rosa Parks (born Rosa Louise McCauley) was born on this day. Dinner Suggestion: Fannie's African Cuisine 4105 Troost Netflix: I Am Not Your Negro	The History of the National Black Sisters' Conference with Sr. Anita Baird, DHM - YouTube
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EmbRace Meeting 9:00 am Memphis 2:00 pm Day of Prayer for African American Families Pray the Black Catholic Rosary	926 - Negro History Week originated by Carter G. Woodson is observed for the first time. African American Heritage Trail of KC, MO	St. Josephine Bakhita Saints for Black History Month (catholicmom.com) 1986 - Oprah Winfrey becomes the first African American woman to host a nationally syndicated talk show.	1971 - Leroy "Satchel" Paige is inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame. 1995 - Bernard Harris , African-American astronaut, takes space walk Learn about Julia Greeley	1964 - After 12 days of debate and voting on 125 amendments, the U.S. House of Representatives passed the Civil Rights Act of 1964 by a vote of 290-130. Bio: Hiram Young	1990 - Nelson Mandela is released from a South African prison after being detained for 27 years as political prisoner. Bio: Henrietta Dilille Dinner Suggestion: Nieces 6441 Troost Netflix: Loving	1909 - The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) was founded on 100th anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birth by 47 whites and six blacks. Bio: Josephine Silone Yates
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1970 - The New York Stock Exchange admits its first black member, Joseph Searles Bio: Pierre Toussaint Pray the Black Catholic Rosary	1867 - Morehouse College organized in Augusta, Ga. The institution was later moved to Atlanta. New registration law in Tennessee abolished racial distinctions in voting Black Gurl Zen (YouTube)	https://info.umkc.edu/diversity/events-programs/martin-luther-king-jr-lecture-series/ Bio: Minnie Lee Crosthwaite	Bessie Smith (Down Hearted Blues, 1923) Jazz Legend - Bing video 1619 Podcast New York Times Why Black Americans Mistrust the Healthcare System	Virtual Author Event hosted by the KCK Public Library - Richard Rothstein, The Color of Law . (Register ahead of time for this!) 1997 - Virginia House of Delegates votes unanimously to retire the state song, " Carry Me Back to Old Virginia ." Bio: Tom Bass	1688 - First formal protest against slavery by organized white body in English America made by Germantown Quakers at monthly meeting Dinner Suggestion: LC's BBQ 1500 Blue Parkway Netflix: Becoming	1919 - Pan-African Congress , organized by W.E.B. DuBois, met at the Grand Hotel, Paris. There were 57 delegates- 16 from the United States and 14 from Africa as well as others from 16 countries and colonies. KC Dividing Lines Tour YouTube
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Feb. 20, 1895 – Death of Frederick Douglass . Bio: Augustus Tolton Pray the Black Catholic Rosary	Bio: Sister Thea Bowman Learning for Justice	Black Zen Podcast/guided meditation Liberate Black Meditation App \$6.99/month	Bio: Mary Elizabeth Lange Watch: Heather C. McGhee: Racism has a cost for everyone TED Talk	1864 - Rebecca Lee became the first black woman to receive an M.D. degree. Walking the Talk: Diverse Representation in Healthcare	Walking the Talk: Wheatley Provident Hospital Dinner Suggestion Mesob 3601 Broadway Netflix: The Best of Enemies	1926 - Carter G. Woodson started Negro History Week. This week would later become Black History Month. Visit the Black Archives of Kansas City.
27	28	Resources for Children Celebrate Black History Month: Activities and Resources for Children - FamilyEducation Black History Facts for Kids - Bing video Black History Month (nationalgeographic.com) Black History Facts - Black History Month & Little Known Facts - HISTORY African American History For Kids - Black History Month - University of Illinois Extension				
1965 – Malcolm X dies. 1988 - Figure skater Debi Thomas becomes the first African American to win a medal (bronze) at the winter Olympic Games. Pray the Black Catholic Rosary	1932 - Richard Spikes invented/patented the automatic gear shift. Afro Flow yoga \$55/month virtual					