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Sankofa – "Go back and fetch it" – A Ghanaian Proverb

Join our On-Line Sankofa Prayer Movement

2020-2021 Theme

PRAYER, POLITICS AND POWER

(Action Prayer – Political Awareness – Reclaiming Power)

(All members of the faith community are invited)

Saturday, March 20, 2021 - 11:45 am – 1:15 pm

Zoom ID - 994 6995 4559 - Phone 646-876-9923

SANKOFA PRAYER RITUAL (11:45 AM)

Sister Semiko Crider, MAPCC

Founder of **Love Knots Waist Beads**, a ministry based on a West African tradition where waist beads are symbols of femininity, fertility, sensuality, and spiritual well-being. Today waist beads are used for aesthetic and practical purposes. Love Knots Waist Beads ministry provides a space of grace and a connection for healing.

THE MEETING BEGINS (12:00 NOON)

THE EDUCATIONAL COMPONENT (12:05 PM)

"WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH/INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY:

What does Sisterhood/Siblinghood mean to me?"

Breakout Room Exercise

THE PRAYER COMPONENT (12:25 PM)

PRAYER CONCERNS

The Siblinghood Prays for Vocation/Ministry/Call

Mother Lorraine Turner(**GI/Builder Generation**)

Calvary Fellowship AME Church, Brooklyn, NY

The Siblinghood Prays for our Communities

Mother Doris Parker-Johnson (**Silent Generation**)

New Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Harlem, NY

The Siblinghood Prays for Inclusivity

Valerie Holly (**Baby Boomer Generation**)

Judson Memorial Church, New York, NY

The Siblinghood Prays for Identify Formation

Catrice Allen(**Generation X**)

Memorial Baptist Church, Harlem, NY

The Siblinghood Prays for Siblinghood

Mia S. Parker (**Millennial Generation**)

Founder of Nana Pies, LLC, New York, NY

The Siblinghood Prays for the Marginalized

Kiyana Peters (**Generation Z**)

Mercy College – Memorial Baptist Church, Harlem, NY

THE ACTION OF OUR PRAYERS COMPONENT (12:50 PM)

GROUP COMMITMENT

An outreach to a mother represented in one of this month's prayer concerns. It could be a call or text or video meeting or greeting card. Be creative. Show concern. Resolve to show love.

PERSONAL COMMITMENT

Breakout Room Exercise

Sankofa Prayer Movement is multi-generational, multi-cultural and multi-faith activism that embraces spiritual encounters purposed to effect change in their respective communities. For centuries, women have practiced spiritual agency to generate change.

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