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On February 5, 2018...

Prayer and Reflection on Church and Community: The Early **Civil Rights** Years (1940-1960s)

Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around
turn me around, turn me around.
Ain't gonna let nobody turn me around.
Gonna keep on a-walking, keep on a-talking, marching up to freedom land.
Ain't gonna let race hatred turn me around...
Ain't gonna let segregation turn me around...
Ain't gonna let no injustice turn me around...

The Minkisi Ministry invites you to a scripture prayer and reflection: “Is There No Balm in Gilead?” (Jeremiah 8:22). For Black History Month, a video excerpt from a Selma documentary will also be featured.



Photo: Shufford Hill, Sr. and Warrie Green with Rev. David Ray, the late pastor at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church.

Join us, 7:15 p.m., Our Lady Queen of Peace, Parish discussion Room, 2700 19th St. S, Arlington, VA (inclement weather, follow Arlington County Public School closings) **RSVP:** Cecilia Braveboy, jisaac3@verizon.net, or 703-979-5389

A good read, see the Catholic Standard Article about the Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. Jan. 13th observance, at St. Joseph Church, Largo, Md. It was sponsored by the Archdiocese of Washington's Cultural Diversity and Outreach Office.

<http://cathstan.org/Content/News/Archdiocese/Article/Martin-Luther-King-Jr-celebration-highlights-perseverance-faith-of-black-Catholics/2/27/8288>.

“We will continue to act justly, love goodness and walk humbly with our God and all God's people.” (Sandra Coles-Bell, Program Director, Cultural Diversity and Outreach).