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LCC to Celebrate MLK Jr. with Local Faith Community

LANSING, MICH. – Lansing Community College and the greater Lansing faith community will celebrate the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. on Saturday, January 15 at 4:00 p.m. The event, which is open to the public, will be held at Union Missionary Baptist Church, 500 S. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Lansing.

The featured speaker is the Reverend David Bigsby, Pastor of the Upper Room Ministries MBC, Chicago, Illinois. Rev. Bigsby is also the newly elected President of the Gamaliel National Clergy Caucus.

The Recruitment and Outreach Department at LCC will be present to inform attendees of the college's Faith Based initiative. The Faith Based initiative began in 2008 to link volunteers from area faiths to the college and train them to assist parishioners and community members in achieving their educational goals. The LCC Foundation will also be there with information on student scholarships. The deadline to apply for a scholarship for the 2011-2012 academic year is January 28.

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About Lansing Community College

Lansing Community College is Michigan's third largest community college with more than 30,000 students attending each year. The College has more than 280 degree and certificate programs. LCC offers courses in general education for those interested in transferring to a four-year institution, career and workforce development, developmental education and personal enrichment. To meet the professional development and training needs of regional employees, the college offers customized programs for credit, non-credit and continuing education. The University Center at LCC offers students the opportunity to earn bachelor's and master's degrees from six partner universities on the downtown LCC campus. For more information, visit lcc.edu.