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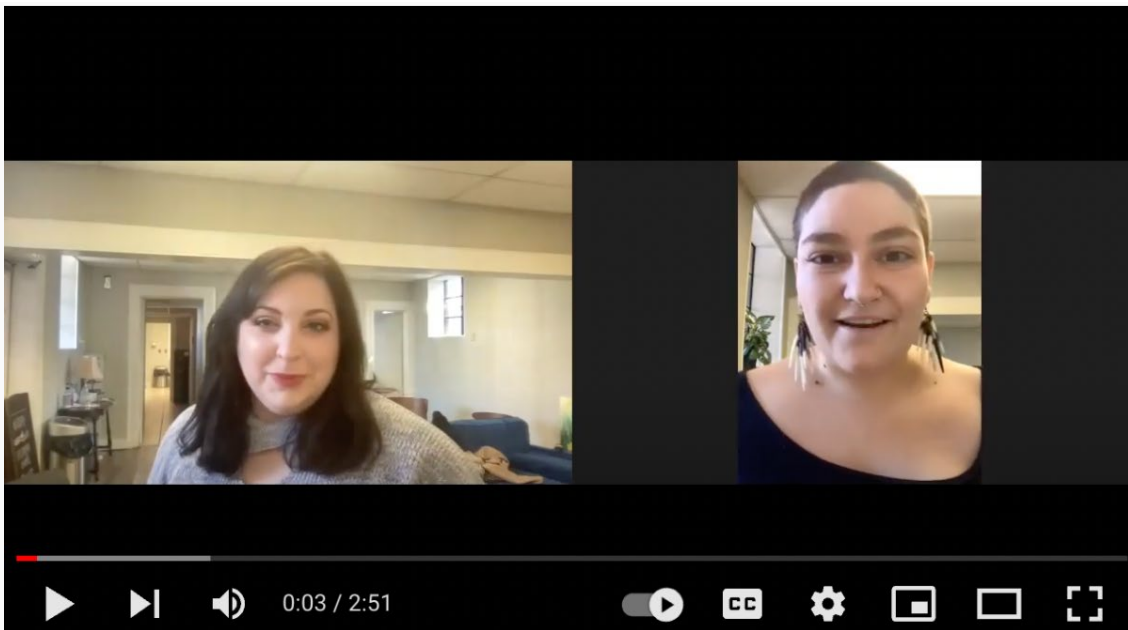
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## You attended your congregation's Network Meeting. Now it's time to invite people to the Nehemiah Action!

Hop on the phone and start talking to people about the Nehemiah Action! Need help with these conversations?

- Use one of [these sample scripts](#) to guide you
- Watch the model Nehemiah Action invitation video below



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## Did you miss your congregation's Network Meeting?

If the answer is **YES**, you can still sign up to attend CAJM's make-up Network Meeting on February 24 at 7pm on Zoom. **ALL** congregations are welcome to attend.

[\*\*Click here to register for the February 24 Make-Up Network Meeting!\*\*](#)

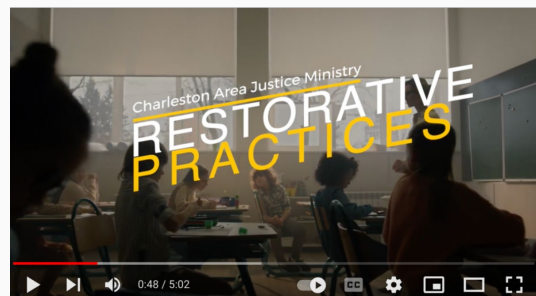
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## A message on love and justice from Rev. Joseph Darby



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## Watch updates from our Flooding and Education Committees



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## The Housing Committee needs you to show up and share your housing story at County Council!

Our Housing Committee will be attending County Council meetings until we win funding for the Affordable Housing Trust Fund. We need YOU to sign up to attend a meeting so that we can show County Council that affordable housing is a priority for the community.



We also need folks who are willing to share their housing stories at

County Council. **EVERYONE** has a housing story! Treva is happy to help you uncover and craft your story with just a quick phone call. You just have to be willing to speak!

[Click here to sign up to attend an upcoming County Council meeting.](#) There's also an option to let us know when you are willing to share your testimony.

Curious about the housing committee's recent progress? [Click here to read an update!](#)

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## Upcoming Research Visits



### Education Full Committee Meeting

February 17, 2022, at 7:00 PM

[Register Here](#)



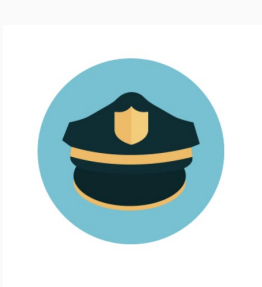
### Mr. Donald Kennedy, Acting Supt CCSD (Education Committee)

February 22, 2022

Pre Meeting at 2:00 PM

Meeting at 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)



### Captain Cretella of CPD on Racial Bias Audit (Policing Committee)

February 24, 2022

Pre Meeting at 10:30 AM (In Person)

Meeting at 11:30 AM (In Person)

[Register Here](#)

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## Mark your calendars!

**Make-Up Network Meeting** - February 24 @ 7pm on Zoom - [Click here to register](#)

**Rally** - March 14 @ 7pm - Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church (7396 Rivers Ave)

**Nehemiah Action** - April 4 @ 7pm - Bring at least three people with you! - Location TBD

**Celebration & Investment-Drive Kick-Off** - May 16 @ 6:30pm - Location TBD

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## Have you made your 2022 investment in CAJM?

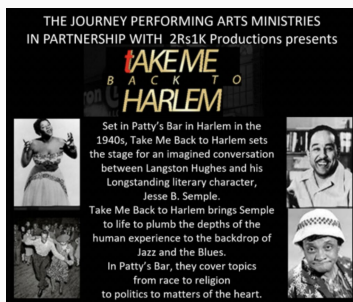
CAJM's 2022 investment drive goal is **\$215,000!** In honor of our tenth year, we are striving for 100% participation for investments! In other words, we're going ALL IN for year ten!

It's not too early to make a payment towards your 2022 CAJM investment! You can do so by clicking the link below. Reach out to your team leader or organizer with any questions about investing.

[CLICK HERE TO INVEST!](#)

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## Want to have some fun outside of CAJM meetings?



### Take Me Back to Harlem

February 19, 2022 - Shows at 3pm and 6pm  
Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian Church (302 Hibben Street)

Come and see our very own Rev. CeCe Armstrong in the play *Take Me Back to Harlem!*

Set in Patty's Bar in Harlem in the 1940s, *Take Me Back to Harlem* sets the stage for an imagined conversation between Langston Hughes and his long-standing literary character, Jesse B. Semple.

[Click here for tickets to Take Me Back to Harlem.](#)



## Black History Month Art Exhibit

February 26, 2022 - 3pm-7pm  
St Julian Devine Community Center (1  
Cooper Street)

This exhibit features middle and high school students to present their artistic skills to the public.

Students have studied various African- American artists throughout American history and, in adoration, replicated a famous painting from one of the studied African- American artists.

[Click here for tickets to the Black History Month Art Exhibit.](#)



## Black Pearl Sings

March 11- March 27  
Historic Dock Street Theater (135 Church  
Street)

*Black Pearl Sings!* tells the story of Pearl, a Gullah woman from the Sea Islands of South Carolina, who finds herself in a Texas jail separated from her daughter, and of the song that might be her ticket home.

[Click here for a flyer with more info.](#)

To get a discounted ticket, go to [www.charlestonstage.com](http://www.charlestonstage.com) and use the promo code **BlackPearlSingsCAJM**, or call 843-577-7183 and reference the code.

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## Black History Fact:

"While Rosa Parks is credited with helping to spark the civil rights movement when she refused to give up her public bus seat to a white man in Montgomery, Alabama in 1955—inspiring the Montgomery Bus Boycott—the lesser-known Claudette Colvin was arrested nine months prior for not giving up her bus seat to white passengers."

- *The History Channel*

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