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## Last Chance...Last Chance Talent Search



Renita Hunter

Hal Jackson's Talented Teens of Washington Scholarship Program is an exciting and wonderful opportunity for pre-teens (8-12 years old) and teens (13-17 years old). It is a program for individual talents, wherein all genre of talent are performed in live theater. This includes vocal music, instrumental music, dance of all forms, drama, gymnastics, martial arts and other creative theater arts. Auditions for the 2006 Scholarship Program will be held in Seattle and cost \$10.00. The auditions will be held at Mount Zion Baptist Church, 19th at East Madison, Sunday, March 5th from 4 pm to 7 pm. The contestant winners for 2006 Scholarship Program will have an 8 day free trip to New York City and perform on Apollo stage or 4 days to Orlando, Florida, to compete for an International title, college scholarship, public appearances, etc.

For further information call (206) 722-1839 or email to [talentedteenswa@yahoo.com](mailto:talentedteenswa@yahoo.com).

*"It has been said that dignity is the ability to hold back from the tongue that which never should have been on the mind in the first place."*

## Seattle International Church Offers FREE Shuttle Service

Seattle International Church will offer Every Sunday Transportation to and from our church in Downtown Seattle. Pick up is at 9:30 AM on 10th and Yesler, in the front of the Yesler Terrace Community Center. Drop off will be around 1:15PM.



Please call today to reserve your seat, at (206) 256-0100, or be at the location at 9:20 AM, bus departs at 9:30 AM.

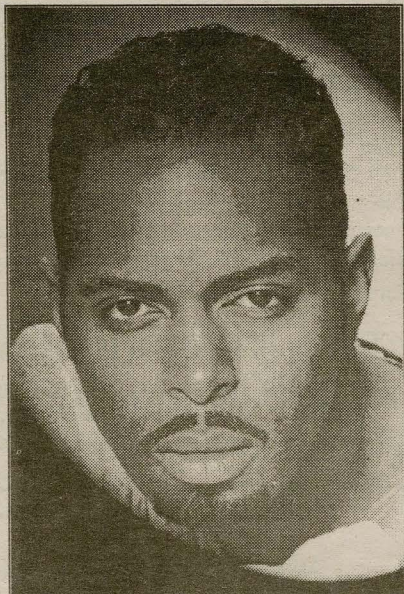


**3 Day  
Purity, Holiness and  
Consecration Revival  
starting TONIGHT!  
February 23rd-25th**

Come out and join this 3 day revival where we will focus on how to live a prosperous and successful life

Wednesday Night at 7 PM -  
Pastor Julia Hampton  
Thursday and Friday Night at 7 PM -  
Bishop Ray Hampton III

## Streetsweeper Ministries We're Not Playing Church!



Andre Taylor

Aren't you tired of the same OH thing? Don't you want a new and fresh word from God? Don't you want the fire of God back in your life! Well step out of your conformity and let God show you something new. Fear is keeping you from change. But God's Spirit is always moving to cause change. Move with the Holy Ghost and don't let anyone keep you from your destiny! If you want an extreme change in your life, take an extreme chance and make God aware of you again. Take back your life, I'll help you, cause I took back mine from pimping, prison and women. So I can feel and understand your pain! I, Andre' Taylor come to you from the gutter to glory!

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 7:00PM (THE HOLIDAY INN, ONE SOUTH GRADY WAY RENTON, WA, THE SPRUCE ROOM)

Please visit Street Sweeper Ministries on line  
[www.streetsweeperministries.com](http://www.streetsweeperministries.com)

## Walker Chapel A.M.E. Church brings Retired Presiding Elder Jewel B. DeWhitty for the 55th Church Anniversary

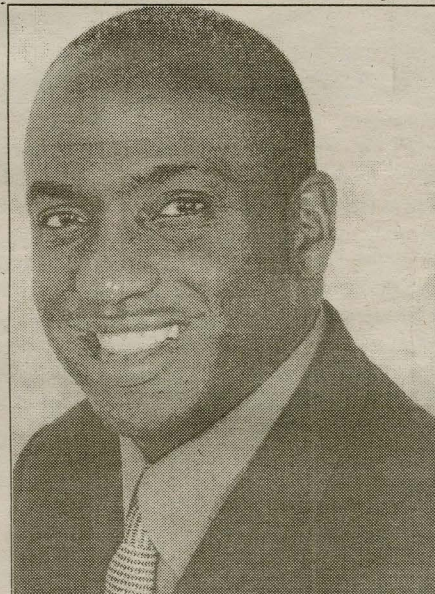


Rev. Jewel B. DeWhitty

The celebration is scheduled for Sunday, February 26, beginning with our newly appointed pastor Rev. David Aaron Johnson, bringing the morning message at 10:30 a.m. and will climax Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. with the dynamite Rev. Jewell B. DeWhitty. Rev. Dewhitty has a long list of accomplishments including Pastor, presiding Elder and community leader in the Seattle Area. Also featuring the music ministries from First A.M.E. Church, Seattle, and Allen A.M.E. Church, Tacoma. The anniversary also highlights Walker Chapel A.M.E. Church's pianist, the accomplished Neil Jones, and the awe-inspiring WC Praise Dancers. God has allowed the church to continue to provide opportunities for worship, praise and empowerment through faith. Our anniversary theme is "Chosen for the Kingdom's Work", with the Scripture: 1 Peter 2:9.

We invite you to help us celebrate God's blessings upon our Church! Please consider joining us for fellowship and refreshments after the service. We know you will experience the presence of the Lord as we celebrate God at this event. For more details, contact the office at 206-325-8468. To God be the glory!

Cynthia Fowler, Church Anniversary Chairperson, Rev. David Aaron Johnson, Pastor



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## Oneness Christian Center Celebrates Black History

The Greater Puget Sound Area is cordially invited to attend the Oneness Christian Center as Black History Month is celebrated on a grand scale. The celebration will be held on Sunday, February 26, 2006 at 3 p.m. at the church, located at 2716 E. Cherry at Martin Luther King Jr. Way. The program will feature the role of many Black women in the course of history in the United States, music by Total Experience Gospel Choir and a reader's theater presentation by Keeper of the Dream. The cast of Keepers of the Dream include Jackie Moscou of Langston Hughes Cultural Arts Center, Director of "Black Nativity": at Intiman Theater, and playwright of "Keeper of the Dream"; Josephine Howell, noted local actress and singer; Pastor Pat Wright, Pastor of Oneness Christian Center and Founder/Director of Total Experience Gospel Choir.

There is no admission fee, however, a free will offering will be welcomed.

For additional information, please contact Pastor Pat Wright at (206) 322-7904.

## Support Changing the King County Logo!

Come and support, King County Councilmember, Larry Gossett's ordinance to change the King County Logo from an imperial crown to an image of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Effective 2005, Governor Gregoire signed a law making Dr. King our County's official namesake. For further information or details on this meeting, please call Nick Allen, legislative aide to Councilmember Gossett, at (206) 296-0321.

When: Monday, February 27, 2006

Where: King County Council Chambers  
10th Floor of King County Courthouse  
516 3rd Ave., Seattle

Time: 2:30 PM

## King County Council Holding Public Health Town Hall Meeting in the Central Area

On Monday, February 27, 2006, the King County Council is hosting a Town Hall meeting at First A.M.E. Church (1522 14th Ave.) entitled, "Public Health: Disparities in Health". The meeting is scheduled to begin at 9:30 AM. For more information, contact Cindy Domingo, legislative aide in Councilmember Gossett's office, at (206) 296-0312.

When: February 27, 2006

Where: First African Methodist Episcopal Church (FAME)  
1522 14th Ave., Seattle

Time: 9:30 AM Meet and Greet Your County Councilmembers  
10:00 AM Meeting

Seattle International Church is located at 2130 6th Ave.

(6th & Blanchard in Downtown Seattle). (206) 256-0100 [www.seattlechurch.com](http://www.seattlechurch.com)

Bishop Ray and his lovely wife, Julia Hampton, who are the senior Pastors are looking forward to serving you.