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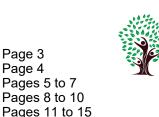


SATURDAY JUNE 15TH, 2024 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm

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Program 3rd hour (2:00 pm to 3:00 pm)

DJ Music/Raffle Dance Ministry **GBF** Dance Ministries DJ - Party Time MC Productions **Reflections on Juneteenth** Pastor Kirkland Smith (GBF)

Program 4th hour (3:00 pm to 4:00 pm)

Musical Selections

Program 5th hour (4:00 pm to 5:00 pm)

Dance Ministry DJ Music/Raffle MC Farewell Closing Remarks/Final Raffle WEMIME

SLAVE

Minister Susan Austin



Grace Arms of Antioch

Grace Arms is a charitable organization that reaches out to our community with need based programs which will help educate, eradicate (homelessness, poverty, and dysfunction), empower, and equip the disenfranchised, the disadvantaged, and the developmentally disturbed.

To satisfy & meet the needs of the consumer. But a key component in spite of their unique individual focus, is that the services they will provide will fulfill necessary voids in our community amongst a diverse group of people with diverse needs.

To assist, provide and educate in the following areas:

- After School Programs Tutoring Students
- Childcare Center Daycare
- Cultural Programs: MLKjr Day, Black History, Juneteenth
- Grace Closet Food & Clothing Pantry •
- Grace House Transitional Housing •
- Grace Kings Boys (9 to 17 years old) Mentoring Program
- Grace Parties Event Equipment and Space Rentals
- Holy Eve Carnival Community Fellowship
- Legal Aid
- Mid Night Basketball
- **Overcomers Recovery**
- Sports Community Sports Program
- Summer Camp Child Development

Vision: These programs all meet specific needs in our community; thus helping in fulfilling our mission.



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What is Juneteenth

Juneteenth is the oldest known celebration commemorating the end of slavery in the United States. Though the Emancipation Proclamation was given by Abraham Lincoln in 1863, the beginning of the end of slavery wouldn't be recognized until some-time later - June 19, 1865.



The Juneteenth Freedom Festival exists to share the history of slavery and to memorialize its ending. We honor the sacrifice of our ancestors & share the cultural heritage of slaves and their descendants through entertainment, art, education, and an ever-present, always-developing sense of community.

In 2021 Juneteenth was made a federal holiday. The day is also celebrated outside the United States, being used by organizations in a number of countries to recognize the end of slavery and to honor the culture and achievements of African Americans.

Start of Juneteenth Celebration

On June 19, 1865, Maj. Gen. Gordon Granger came to Galveston, Texas, to inform a reluctant community that President Abraham Lincoln two years earlier had freed the slaves and to press locals to comply with his directive.

Why did it take so long for the news to get to Texas?

There is no one reason why there was a 2½-year delay in letting Texas know about the abolition of slavery in the United States, according to Juneteenth.com. The historical site said some accounts place the delay on a messenger who was murdered on his way to Texas with the news, while others say the news was deliberately withheld.

Despite the delay, slavery did not end in Texas overnight, according to an article by Henry Louis Gates Jr. originally posted on The Root. Gates said after New Orleans fell, many slavers traveled to Texas with their slaves to escape regulations enforced by the Union Army in other states.



No Substitutions



Event Vendors

Cancer Support Community—San Francisco Bay Area Cancer Support Community is an organization that supports people facing cancer and their loved ones to become healthier, live longer and live better, has been marginalized. <u>www.cancersupport.net</u>





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Minister Susan Austin Event MC JuSusan

JuSusan Austin '

A soul-jazz artist, composer, writer and performer, began singing at age 4 and is currently known for her unique jazz sound, strong vocals and inspirational lyrics. She founded Soft Sound Music and recorded her first gospel jazz CD entitled 'God's Love Ballads' in 2008.





The Main Ingredient is an American soul and R&B group best known for their 1972 hit song "Everybody Plays the Fool". The group was formed in Harlem, as a trio called the Poets, composed of lead singer Donald McPherson, Luther Simmons, Jr., and Panama-born Tony Silvester. They made their first recordings for Leiber & Stoller's Red Bird label, but soon changed their name to the Insiders and signed with RCA Records. In 1968, after a couple of singles, they changed their name once again, this time permanently, to the Main Ingredient.

The Main Ingredient Headliner

SLAVE SLAVE is an American Ohio-based funk band formed by Steve Washington, Floyd Miller, Tom Lockett Jr, Carter Bradley, Mark Adams, Mark Hicks, Danny Webster, Orion Wilhoite, and Tim Dozier.

With such hits as "Slide", "Just a touch of Love", and "Watching You".



SLAVE Headliner

ENTERTAINMENT



Randi Brooks "I will bless the Lord at all times..." An Evanston, IL native, Randi, has been singing since she was a little girl with her musical family in church. She has had the opportunity to travel around the world and sing with many of the top gospel artists of today. She was also a member of the Grammy award winning choir, "The Tommies", for more than 10 years. Randi earned a B.A. in Psychology from Northwestern University. After relocating to the Bay Area in 1996, she obtained a M.S. in Technology Management from Golden Gate University in San Francisco, CA.

Sister Randi Brooks

Pastor Holloway grew up in a Christian family but chose to live a life a crime. Soon after he became incarcerated, he began reflecting on his life, and knew he had to make a change.

This ultimately brought him back to the roots of his spiritual faith. In the Bible, there is a story about a prodigal son who left the loving care of his father and began living a reckless lifestyle.

In essence, Pastor Derrick's story can be compared to that one.

In 2023, he became a member of Grace Bible Fellowship working along side Pastor Kirkland A Smith and several other ministry leaders to change the lives of many and bring them closer to GOD.

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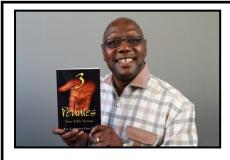
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Rev. Lawrence Gray Sr. About the Show: The Title of the show is *Victory Lane*. Its message is to spread the gospel that Jesus Saves to a lost and dying world by preaching and teaching The Word of God (The Holy Bible).

Rev. Gray is a Minister of the Gospel and Author: 3 Pennies from Hell to Heaven, No Sex in Heaven, From the Streets of San Francisco: CRACK-The Untold Story. *Can be purchase on Amazon*.



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That same year, prior to being torn down she was honored to sing in Nelson Mandela's actual jail cell on Robben Island, South Africa. In 2014 she gathered a group of the East Bay's finest jazz musicians and vocalists to form her own band.

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