The King Center Impact Presentation
June 23-26, 2018
This multi-media Impact presentation chronicles Coretta Scott King’s vision to institutionalize Dr. King’s legacy through a living memorial. Since its inception in 1968, The King Center has made great strides towards the creation of Dr. King’s “Beloved Community”. For the first time, the true story of the evolution of The King Center will be told through documentation, testimonials, interviews and other irrefutable evidence highlighting its impact on the community, the nation and the world. The presentation will also provide a glimpse into The King Center’s priorities for the next 50 years.

Beloved Community International Expo and Festival
June 23 & 24, 2018
The Expo is an opportunity for The King Center (TKC) to create what Dr. King called the “Beloved Community” a community where people of all races, creed, color and nationality are living and working together in peace and harmony. Presented in collaboration with the local Consul Generals and other key partners, The Expo will transform TKC campus and adjacent streets into a world house where representatives from all seven continents will provide educational and entertaining experiences that reflect their culture, language, education, politics, religion, arts, music, entertainment and humanity. For example, attendees will be taught basic words and phrases such as, hello, and how are you in different languages. Touring the countries of the world with symbolic passports, and visas where required, visitors will be able to experience how people around the world, live, work, play and eat. This exposure to other nationalities will help visitors to gain an awareness of, respect for and appreciation of other cultures. Technology will be used to complement the experience. In addition, visitors will be able to thoroughly immerse themselves in other cultures through the international community’s performing and visual art and worldly cuisine.

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Beloved Community Global Leadership Summit
June 25 & 26, 2018
The Summit will bring together leaders from across the world to engage in dialogue about improving diplomatic relations, easing international tensions, promoting nonviolent social change and leadership development. Scholars, educators and others will be invited to present papers on how Dr. King’s leadership has influenced Social Change nationally and internationally. There will also be presentations on Nonviolence365™ (NV365) as a means to create the Beloved Community as well as other promising practices of Nonviolent Social Change that have been employed in areas throughout America and the rest of the world.

The King Center Impact Presentation
June 23-26, 2018
This multi-media Impact presentation chronicles Coretta Scott King’s vision to institutionalize Dr. King’s legacy through a living memorial. Since its inception in 1968, The King Center has made great strides towards the creation of Dr. King’s “Beloved Community”. For the first time, the true story of the evolution of The King Center will be told through documentation, testimonials, interviews and other irrefutable evidence highlighting its impact on the community, the nation and the world. The presentation will also provide a glimpse into The King Center’s priorities for the next 50 years.

Beloved Community International Expo and Festival
June 23 & 24, 2018
The Expo is an opportunity for The King Center (TKC) to create what Dr. King called the “Beloved Community” a community where people of all races, creed, color and nationality are living and working together in peace and harmony. Presented in collaboration with the local Consul Generals and other key partners, The Expo will transform TKC campus and adjacent streets into a world house where representatives from all seven continents will provide educational and entertaining experiences that reflect their culture, language, education, politics, religion, arts, music, entertainment and humanity. For example, attendees will be taught basic words and phrases such as, hello, and how are you in different languages. Touring the countries of the world with symbolic passports, and visas where required, visitors will be able to experience how people around the world, live, work, play and eat. This exposure to other nationalities will help visitors to gain an awareness of, respect for and appreciation of other cultures. Technology will be used to complement the experience. In addition, visitors will be able to thoroughly immerse themselves in other cultures through the international community’s performing and visual art and worldly cuisine.

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Beloved Community Global Leadership Summit
June 25 & 26, 2018
The Summit will bring together leaders from across the world to engage in dialogue about improving diplomatic relations, easing international tensions, promoting nonviolent social change and leadership development. Scholars, educators and others will be invited to present papers on how Dr. King’s leadership has influenced Social Change nationally and internationally. There will also be presentations on Nonviolence365™ (NV365) as a means to create the Beloved Community as well as other promising practices of Nonviolent Social Change that have been employed in areas throughout America and the rest of the world.

Text to give:
FIFTYFORWARD TO 243725
For more information, visit www.MLK50Forward.org
**THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY**

2018 is truly a momentous year. It is the 50th anniversary of one of the most tragic, catalytic and meaningful events in American history: the assassination of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Individuals and organizations around the globe will honor Dr. King on April 4, 2018 and throughout the year. 2018 also marks the 50th Anniversary of the founding of The Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change (The King Center) The King Center will be a home for global and national commemoration. In coalition with select partners, The King Center seeks to spark dialogue on some of the most pressing issues facing our nation and our world.

**APRIL 4, 2018 COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS**

This worldwide campaign will launch on the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. National Holiday and conclude on April 9. Participants will commit to completing fifty acts of kindness or service during the time period that has a positive impact on their community. These can be done individually or in conjunction with major civic organizations.

“Mountaintop Moments”

Around the world, people will reflect on their own “Mountaintop Moment” - like Dr. King, and depict the future as they see it from their “mountaintops.” These “inspiramercials” (inspiring commercials) will be depicted through visual art, song, digital media, spoken word and more. Join the conversation by using the hashtag #MLK50Forward and #MountaintopMomements

**APRIL 4, 2018 COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS (continued)**

50 Acts of Service or Kindness Campaign Jan. 15-Aug. 28, 2018
Cross the cultural and racial divide by participating in service projects or commit acts of kindness that have a positive impact in your communities by:
- Pledging to participate on your own or with an existing project
- Joining the conversation by using the hashtag #MLK50Forward and #MLK50Kindness

**FedEx**

**Ford**

**Target**

Martin Luther King, Jr. Peace Prize Award Ceremony

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Nonviolent Peace Prize is The King Center’s highest award presented for commitment to nonviolence as a way of life through which social justice, human rights and civil liberties are attained for all. The prize also recognizes achievements in the eradication of poverty and racism, and the successful quest for alternatives to war. Honoring Benjamin Ferencz and Bryan Stevenson.

Global Bell Ringing & Wreath Laying

The Global Bell Ringing will begin at the National Civil Rights Museum in Memphis, TN and The King Center in conjunction with the rest of the world. The Wreath Laying, which will include the King Family, will take place at the crypt of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Mrs. Coretta Scott King here in Atlanta, GA.

Beloved Community Talks: A Special 50th Anniversary Edition** 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Each day
Interactive courageous conversations focused on addressing the “Triple Evils” Dr. King emphasized: poverty, racism, and war, featuring the world’s greatest public intellectuals, innovative thinkers, and global policy leaders. Featuring Dr. Bernice A. King, Marian Wright Edelman, Dr. John a. powell and George Lakey.

**MLK50 FORWARD - NEXT GENERATION FOCUS**

King Centennials Speaks April 7, 2018 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
The Centennial Generation of “King Children”, Miss Yolanda Renee King, Granddaughter of Martin Luther King Jr. and Miss Maryn Rippy, Granddaughter of AD King, will host an event highlighting youth all over the world doing innovative and extraordinary work for humanity. The program will be co-emceed by Hudson Yang of ABC’s Fresh off the Boat.

International Call to Faith Leaders

A global call to faith leaders to commemorate Dr. King and his vision for change in weekend services.

March for Humanity & Love for Humanity Tribute** April 9, 2018
March: 12:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Morehouse Event: 2:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
A March in Atlanta beginning in front of Historic Ebenezer and ending at the campus of Morehouse College followed by a Love for Humanity Tribute at Morehouse.