



Through the month of February, we observe Black History Month, an annual celebration to honor the achievements by African Americans and recognize their contributions to U.S. history.

There are many opportunities to explore Black History this month. Here are just a few suggestions for individuals and families to experience, learn and connect during Black History Month.

### **Experience through worship**

- Revisit the 2021 video produced by Resurrection clergy, artists and musicians, and experience Black History Month through word and song. Program is in two parts on YouTube: [Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#).
- [Watch some powerful sermons](#) preached at Resurrection on Racial Justice.

### **Learn through educational programs**

- Read about the history and contributions of [Sojourner Truth](#), a former slave who became an outspoken advocate for abolition, temperance, and civil and women's rights in the nineteenth century.
- [Watch a video](#) that exploring the untold stories of Black women in the Suffrage Movement with a focus on Ida B. Wells.

### **Connect through tours and visit** (in person and virtually)

- Follow the African American Heritage Trail of Kansas City ([aahtkc.org](http://aahtkc.org)) The trail features sites and institutions across the city that reflect the African American history, experiences and civil rights movement.
- In celebration of Black History Month, the Royals and Royals Charities are covering admission to the [Negro Leagues Baseball Museum](#) for the entire month of February.
- Take a virtual tour of the [National Museum of African American History & Culture](#). The exhibit A People's Journey, A Nation's Story is a great resource for exploring Black history.
- In Kansas City, [link to VoiceMap](#), and take a guided tour in Kansas City to learn about the history of segregation in Kansas City.
- Visit the new special exhibit at the Johnson County Museum on the History and Lasting Legacies of Redlining. Museum hours are Monday – Saturday, 9am – 4:30 pm. [Learn more about the exhibit.](#)