



OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY

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**Clerk Brown will be the Guest Speaker at Chicago Miracle Temple
for Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

The Honorable Dorothy Brown, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, will be the guest speaker for the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day celebration at Chicago Miracle Temple, 34 East 16th St. in Chicago Heights, on Monday, Jan. 19 at 7 p.m.

Clerk Brown, who rose from humble beginnings in rural Louisiana to become the first African-American Clerk of the Circuit Court, has often noted that she is a manifestation of Dr. King's dream for America. Dr. King's legacy has affected Clerk Brown's life not only through his struggle for civil rights but also through his being a champion for equal justice.

As the Clerk of the second largest court system in the world, Clerk Brown is involved on a daily basis in the effort to ensure justice for the citizens of Cook County. "As I go about the business of running the Clerk's Office, I often remember one of Dr. King's famous sayings: 'Injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere,'" said Clerk Brown.

"Why We Must Continue to Dream" is the theme for the sixth annual Martin Luther King Jr. Day program at Chicago Miracle Temple. The event will also feature a gospel performance, and presentations of the Mayor's Office Citizen of the Year, Dream Maker, Business of the Year and Outstanding Community Service awards.

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