

first Friday

February 4, 2022 | 10-11 am

TABLE TALK

with

Kathleen Merritt

Sister Pamela Smith, SSCM, PhD

Father Michael Okere

IT'S BLACK HISTORY MONTH!

Feb. 8 is *International Day of Prayer & Awareness Against Human Trafficking*.

It is also the feast of **St. Josephine Bakhita**.

We've got Valentines Day suggestions too!



Yvonne Pygatt

National Council of Catholic Women Board of Directors Service Commission Chairman



Charlotte House

Catechist, St. Martin de Porres Church Columbia, SC

Black History Month

- ☐ Host a Black Film Marathon
- ☐ Visit Black History or Civil Rights Museum
- ☒ Attend a Black culture event
- ☐ Mentor a Black child in your neighborhood
- ☐ Talk with Black elders about the past
- ☒ Learn about unsung hero of Black history
- ☐ Host a "read a Black author book" discussion group
- ☐ Host a "soul food" cooking class

Yvonne Pygatt will share some history and resources from the National Council of Catholic Women on human trafficking and the feast day of St. Bakhita. **Charlotte House** will discuss ways to incorporate Black History Month in religious education class and other youth gatherings. **Kathleen Merritt** will discuss Valentine's Day as an opportunity to spread love in creative ways. **Sr. Pam Smith** will give our weather report, what to expect over the weekend and some ministry updates. The audience will have the opportunity to test their knowledge on Black History and win some prizes!

Grab your cup of coffee or tea and join us in prayer, conversation, prizes & fun!



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