

Pastor, Theodore Williams, Jr. and Delisle Mt. Zion UMC Announce:

Dr. MLK Jr. Youth Essay Competition

\$100.00 First Place

\$75.00 Second Place

\$25.00 Third Place

Complete guidelines

Eligible entries are limited to middle and high school students living in Pass Christian, MS. Students meeting the above eligibility from the following churches may submit an essay to Delisle Mt. Zion UMC: Trinity Episcopal, First Baptist Church, Our Mother of Mercy Church, First United Methodist Church, Goodwill Missionary Baptist Church, First Missionary Baptist Church, Bible Fellowship Church, St. Paul United Methodist Church, Pineville Presbyterian Church, St. Stephen's Catholic Church, Grace Chapel, Mt. Zion UMC, Highland Baptist Church, St. Rose De Lima Church and Sacred Heart Parish.

Subject of essay: If Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. had not been assassinated in 1968, what would he say and do about the new Mississippi I. D. Voter Law? Essays must be between 450 and 500 words in length. Essay must have at least three references, two of the sources must have been written by Dr. King. For example, these two sources may be from a book, speech or letter by Dr. King. Wikipedia may not be used. All essays must include a bibliography. Bibliography does not count toward total word count. Delisle Mt. Zion would like for essays to be typed; however, essays may be neatly hand written using black ink. No points will be deducted for hand written essays.

Winners will be informed and must read essay at Delisle Mt. Zion UMC at the Sunday service Feb. 26. 2012.

Essay is to be submitted by student,-not school or church; however, school or church may be involved in process so long as essay is the work of the student. All essays must have a cover sheet that includes the student's name, age, school name and grade, home phone and church and/or school affiliation. Church or school may delivery essays to Delisle Mt. Zion UMC. Please be sure to meet all above requirements so that your essay will not be disqualified.

Deadline: Hand delivered by Feb. 13th, 2012 Delisle Mt. Zion United Methodist Church by 5pm. **NO EXCEPTIONS** Place in mail box if church is closed.

**Delisle Mt Zion United Methodist Church, 6846 Kiln Delisle Road, Pass Christian
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