

Portland NAACP Adopts Breast Cancer Outreach



Two longtime programs providing breast cancer education and resources to the Black community will get new life as part of a commitment from the Portland NAACP and a financial contribution from Susan G. Komen Oregon and Southwest Washington, the affiliate of the national organization which has ceased operations. It is important to note that while the local affiliate is closing, Susan G. Komen will continue to have a presence in the community with their national programming. They can be reached via their breast care helpline at 1-877-GO-KOMEN (1-877-465-6636) or online at komen.org.

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Obituary

In Loving Memory

Patricia McClure

Sunrise: May 27, 1958
Sunset: March 28, 2021

Patricia Ann McClure was born May 27, 1958 and passed away at her home in Portland on March 28, 2021. A Homegoing celebration will take place Friday, April 9 at 11 a.m. at Highland Christian Center, 7600 N.E. Glisan St.

Patricia love to read books of all kinds, cook, play cards and attend family gatherings. Everyone knew the deal when Patricia

walked in the room and no one had a problem with honoring her demands, but her greatness joy came in 2005 and 2007 when she became a grandmother to Jakayla and Keith (Poppa). On most Fridays you would find Patricia volunteering at the church food bank where everyone loved her.

Patricia grew up knowing the Lord and in 2011 she accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior and became a member of Highland Christian Center under the late Pastor W. G. Hardy Jr. where she loved to go and worship.



Floyd's Family Takes Seat at Trial

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Courtney Ross, recounted both happy and sad times during their relationship — and their struggles with opiate addiction. He paid close attention, sometimes hanging his head as she recounted their life together, as part of prosecutors' efforts to humanize George Floyd to the jury by portraying him as more than a crime statistic and giving a sympathetic explanation for his drug use.

At one point Philonise Floyd shook his head and turned his eyes away from the TV screen as it showed his brother laying unresponsive on a stretcher.

During a graphic video of officers struggling with George Floyd inside and then outside a squad

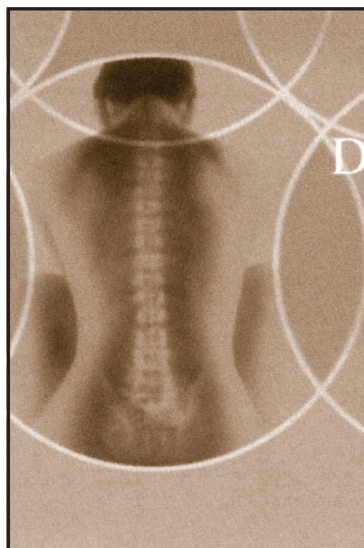
car, yelling "Mama" and "I can't breathe," Rodney Floyd held his hands and looked down, shaking his head, refusing to watch. He later told a reporter in the hallway, through tears, that he did watch some of the video out of the corner of his eye.

He watched at least some of the other videos too. His jaw visibly clenched and his head shook as he heard his brother's cries for help. But he turned his head as one video showed Chauvin's knee on his brother's neck.

Shareeduh Tate, a Floyd cousin from Houston, told a reporter she had been encouraged by the often-emotional testimony from bystanders who pleaded with the officers to ease up.

"I could almost feel like I was

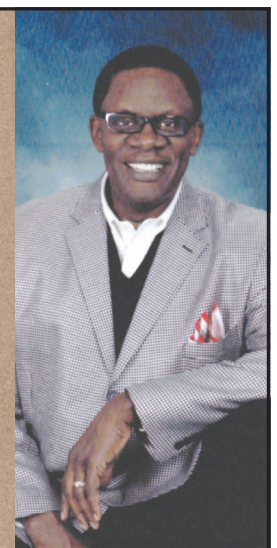
living in that moment with them," she said. "Countless times I myself have wished I had been able to intervene."



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