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**MONTCLAIR FILM CELEBRATES  
BLACK HISTORY MONTH WITH 9th ANNUAL  
FREE COMMUNITY SCREENING**

**AMAZING GRACE to screen at Glenfield Middle School  
February 8 at 3:00 PM**

**January 16, 2020, MONTCLAIR, NJ**—Montclair Film today announced the organization's 9th annual celebration of Black History Month, honoring the African American experience. This year, Montclair Film's annual free community screening will showcase **AMAZING GRACE**, directed by Alan Elliott and Sydney Pollack.

An incredible document of one of America's greatest artists at the peak of her powers and one of the best concert films of all time, **AMAZING GRACE** presents the live recording of Aretha Franklin's album *Amazing Grace* at The New Temple Missionary Baptist Church in Watts, Los Angeles in January 1972.

The screening takes place on Saturday, February 8th at 3:00 PM at the Glenfield Middle School auditorium. Tickets for this screening are free but required, and are available by visiting [montclairfilm.org](http://montclairfilm.org). All tickets and seating are available on a first come, first served basis. Patrons without reserved tickets may arrive 15 minutes before showtime and will be welcome to take any available seats on a first come, first served basis.

Montclair Film's programs are made possible through the generous support of our sponsors and donors. More special events will be announced soon.

**ABOUT MONTCLAIR FILM**

Montclair Film, a non-profit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization connects filmmakers from around the region and world with audiences by presenting films and year-round programs that engage, educate, and entertain through the power of visual storytelling. The ninth annual Montclair Film Festival will take place from May 1-10, 2020. Our programs are made possible by funds from the New Jersey Department of State, Division of Travel and Tourism, as well as the New Jersey State Council on the Arts, a partner agency of the National Endowment for the Arts, among many others. Montclair Film provides unique and meaningful ways to engage with diverse, creative, and sophisticated audiences and seeks sponsors for its signature spring film festival and other year-round programs that attract more than

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46,000 annual attendees and generate more than 750 million media impressions yearly. For information about Montclair Film, visit [www.MontclairFilm.org](http://www.MontclairFilm.org).

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