



CELEBRATING IMMIGRANT LABOR IN NEWARK

A PUBLIC DIALOGUE

 **DATE**
APRIL 10

 **LOCATION**
ST. STEPHAN'S CHURCH
7 WILSON AVE
NEWARK, NJ

 **TIME**
7:00 PM -
10:00 PM

**FOOD WILL BE SERVED AS WE
GATHER TO SHARE OUR STORIES**

St Stephens Grace Community Church and New Labor invite you to join The Monuments to Migration and Labor Project for a public conversation about the immigrant labor, past and present, that built Newark and the region.

What aspects of this history are most valuable to share and commemorate now in this challenging moment for immigrants everywhere?

Your story is part of history. The stories collected in this History Harvest will help shape a series of monuments across New Jersey, honoring the labor and legacy of immigrant communities.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

GROUP STORYTELLING SESSION

CONNECT WITH
OTHERS AND
REFLECT ON
SHARED HISTORIES.

ONE-ON-ONE INTERVIEWS

RECORD AND
PRESERVE YOUR
FAMILY'S LABOR
STORY.

PHOTO & ARTIFACT COLLECTION

BRING ITEMS THAT
CAPTURE YOUR
FAMILY'S
JOURNEY.

The New Jersey Monuments to Migration and Labor Project is a collaborative initiative involving public stakeholders, artists, scholars, and community organizations from across the state of New Jersey. Through dialogues taking place in 2025-2026, we will gather stories that document New Jersey's diverse history of migration and labor, past and present. New Jersey publics are invited to work with local and nationally recognized artists to commemorate and honor immigrants contributions to the state as laborers. Through this process, together we will work to make public art and monuments to migration and labor that are visible features of New Jersey's commemorative landscape, and that challenge audiences to reconsider what they know about migrants and their labor.