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- ➡ Who helped with the protest in the Cities Church in St. Paul?
- ➡ A lesbian BLM leader by the name of Chauntyll Allen.
- ➡ Recall that at the top BLM was trained in Marxist-Leninist thought by a org founded by a former communist-terrorist Weather Underground member E. Mann.

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A Minnesota Black Lives Matter leader has bragged about helping lead the anti-ICE protesters who stormed a local church, claiming that interrupting Sunday service is what Jesus would have done.

Chauntyll Allen, leader of Black Lives Matter Twin Cities, proudly told **TMZ** that she played a key role in rallying protesters to storm the Cities Church in St. Paul during Sunday service over their belief that a pastor was also working as an Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) official.

Allen claimed the protest, which is under federal investigation, "needed to be done to get the message across."



Chauntyll Allen told TMZ that Sunday's church protest in St. Paul was necessary.

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**A STATEMENT FROM THE
COMMUNIST PARTY USA**

**STOP TRUMP'S ATTEMPT
AT MILITARY RULE IN D.C.!**

The moment we warned of has arrived. Yesterday, Trump announced his take over of Washington D.C.'s police department, along with the deployment of 800 national guard troops to patrol the city's streets. Both actions are not only an abrogation of the right of the people of D.C. to govern themselves; it's also a step in the direction of fascism.

Trump claims there's a crime "emergency" in the district. We wholeheartedly reject this assertion. As is well known, the crime rate in the nation's capital has actually dropped. Thus, Trump's claim is a pretext to repeal home rule and establish military rule over a democratic and progressive city. It's a show of force in an attempt to make an example of D.C.'s residents and a warning to other major cities led by Black and progressive mayors.

Trump lies about D.C. follow his life-long pattern of racist targeting of Black youth, immigrants, and the unhoused — who are the most vulnerable when it comes to police terror.

**FREE NEKIMA LEVY ARMSTRONG
AND CHAUNTYLL ALLEN
NOW!**

NOW!

**BOYCOTT
TARGET**

Join Us **ON THE PICKET LINE**

**DATE: EVERY SATURDAY
TIME: 11-12P
LOCATION:
COLUMBIA HEIGHTS TARGET
3100 14TH ST. NW**

NO DIVERSITY, EQUITY, OR INCLUSION? No Dollars!

TRUMP'S WAR

Today we pause and dip our banners to honor the life of comrade Arturo Griffiths who recently passed away following a long battle with health issues. Arturo was a lifelong activist and joined the Communist Party in his youth, some years after immigrating from Panama to Washington, D.C. in the 1950s.

He quickly became a leader in the social movements within the nation's capital — struggling for Latino and undocumented workers rights, winning key policies in the district like drivers licenses for immigrants and granting noncitizens the right to vote. Arturo was a co-founder of the Latin American Youth Center and served as president of the DC Latino Festival leading thousands from Adams Morgan to the National Mall to uplift immigrant culture and fight for the expansion of democratic rights. He was also a fierce advocate for peace, always looking to Latin America's struggle against US imperialism as a sign of hope.

He was a committed organizer and truly understood the concept of the united front — building bridges among different political movements and raising the centrality of the struggle against racism within them, linking his identities as an Afro-Latino working-class immigrant. Arturo ran for office with these skills in 1994 and 2000, falling short of winning but able to put a working class stamp on the DC political scene.

Later, Arturo was a founder of the Claudia Jones School for Political Education, Trabajadores Unidos de Washington, DC and the Amigos Park Coalition, the latter an effort to build a community-governed park which will be the first park in DC's history with a Latino name. Shame on Mayor Bowser for not allowing him to see its realization.

We extend our deep condolences to Arturo's family, friends, and comrades as we honor his life.

Arturo Griffiths iPresente!

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FASCISM NEVER**

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Trump officials investigate protesters who interrupted Minnesota church service, targeting ICE official

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By [Andy Rose](#), [Elise Hammond](#)



Videos from a Facebook Live by activist group Black Lives Matter Minnesota on Sunday show the moment a group of protesters disrupted services at a church in St. Paul where they say a local official with US Immigration and Customs Enforcement serves as a pastor. (Black Lives Matter Minnesota)

- ➡ C' Allen is Founder of Love First with her wife Satara Strong.
- ➡ On their board as co-chair is Danielle Matthias who is a senior organizer with the Minnesota Freedom Fund (legal fund that helps bail protesters out).
- ➡ Kamala Harris promoted the Minnesota Freedom Fund.

Contact her at lovefirst.tc@gmail.com



Chauntyll Allen, Founder

Born and raised in Rondo, Chauntyll Allen is a longtime front-line community organizer, educator and youth activist. She leads Black Lives Matter Twin Cities, founded Love First Community Engagement, and works as the Director of Criminal Justice and Activism at the Wayfinder Foundation — among many other community leadership roles.

She joined the Saint Paul School Board in January 2020. Her journey with SPPS began as a graduate of Central High School, and continued through the years as program coordinator with Community Education, basketball coach for middle and high school, Teaching Assistant, Discovery Club teacher, and Educational Assistant (EBD Level 4-6). Chauntyll brings a special interest of special education and addressing the current disparities to the Board. She was inspired by Commissioner Toni Carter's dedication to working with youth, and she has been a great mentor to Chauntyll.



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Chauntyll and her wife, Satara Strong-Allen, live in the St. Anthony serving as a board member, Chauntyll is also a youth advocate and love of Saint Paul's youth drives Chauntyll in her work.

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by Sarah Lee

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Minnesota Freedom Fund. Founded in 2016 by University of Minnesota student Simon Cecil, the [Minnesota Freedom Fund](#) (MFF) is a nonprofit bail-fund organization based in Minneapolis. Before the death of George Floyd on May 25, 2020, it focused on posting smaller bonds for Minnesota-area inmates. During the first half of June 2020, it raised over \$30 million in donations, likely helped by a tweet from vice-presidential candidate [Kamala Harris](#).



MFF has also received funding and support from numerous entertainment celebrities.

As with other bail fund groups, its posting bail for persons accused of violent crimes has led to multiple controversies, including the release of an alleged domestic abuser who has since been arrested and charged with second-degree murder in a road-rage shooting in August 2020.

Thread: <https://twitter-thread.com/t/2015471197429928209>