

*Nonviolence and the Struggle for Civil Rights:*

*An Evening with Civil Rights Activist*

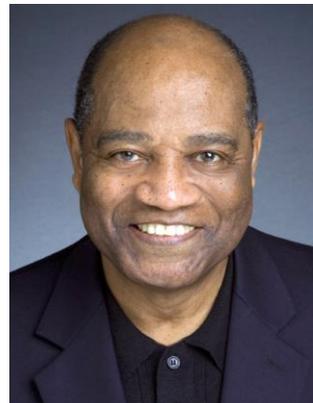
*John W. Hardy*

**7:00 p.m. - August 21, 2019**

**St. John's Episcopal Church**

**26998 Woodward Ave. (11 Mile & Woodward)**

**Royal Oak**



St. John's is honored to welcome retired Detroit Public School Teacher, professional actor, and veteran civil rights activist John W. Hardy for a discussion of the principles of nonviolence and of his work in the 1960s-era civil rights movement.

*Mr. Hardy's involvement in the civil rights movement includes the following:*

- **Field representative for the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee (SNCC)**
- **Field representative on the Freedom Ride Coordinating Committee**
- **SNCC Voter Registration Training Schools in Mississippi**
- **Participated in boycotts, marches, and lunch counter sit-ins in his native Nashville and elsewhere**

As a Detroit Public School Teacher, Mr. Hardy worked to keep the spirit of the movement alive in his students, and his work with the Detroit Historical Society has highlighted the Freedom Rides and the 1967 Rebellion in Detroit.