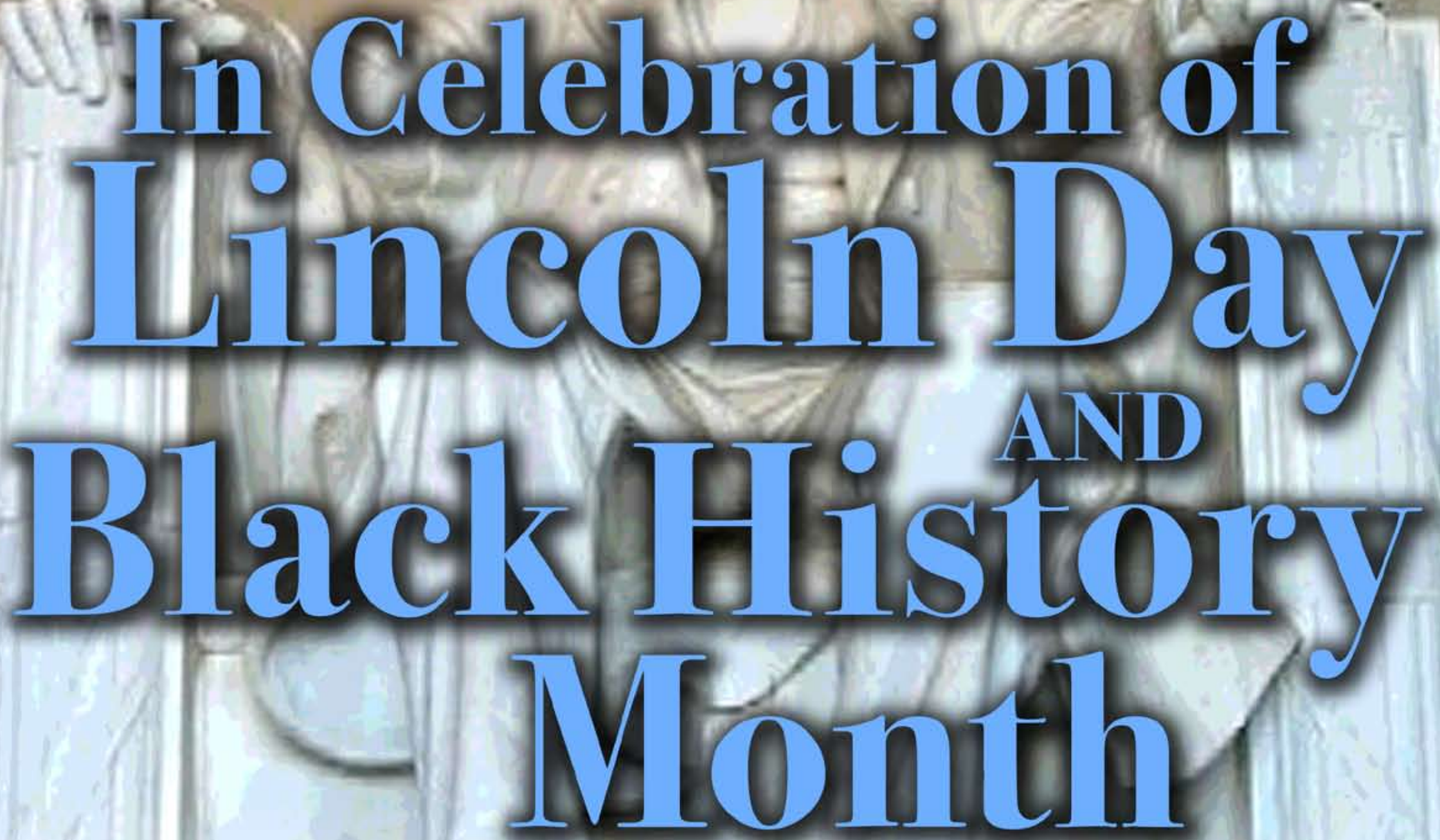


IN THIS TEMPLE  
AS IN THE HEARTS OF THE PEOPLE  
FOR WHOM HE SAVED THE UNION  
THE MEMORY OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN  
IS ENSHRINED FOREVER

*200<sup>th</sup> Birthday*

A large, detailed bronze statue of Abraham Lincoln, seated and holding a book, is the central focus of the poster. The statue is set against a background of a classical building facade with columns.

# In Celebration of Lincoln Day AND Black History Month



**Dave Roediger**, Professor of History,  
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

This year marks the bicentennial of Abraham Lincoln's birthday. In honor of that event John A. Logan College will sponsor a talk by **David Roediger** titled "**The Glory of Lincoln and the Limits of Emancipation.**" Roediger is the Kendrick Babcock Professor of History at the University of Illinois and the author of *How Race Survived U.S. History: From Settlement and Slavery to the Obama Phenomenon* (2008).

"Leaders will always make history," the historian C.L.R. James once said, "but only such history as it is possible for them to make." Roediger considers the relationship of Lincoln and other leaders to the drama of emancipation in light of James' wisdom, locating greatness in ability to realize what mass movements make possible and discussing the limits on the freedom coming out of the Civil War.

For more information, contact David Cochran at (618) 985-2828, extension 8689.

**Thursday, February 12th • 9:30 a.m.**  
**John A. Logan College - Terrace Dining Room**  
**THE TALK IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**