



JANUARY 19: HUMAN RELATIONS DAY SPECIAL ENVELOPE

The United Methodist Church celebrates Human Relations Day to further the development of better human relations by involving congregations in community and youth outreach through Community Developers Programs, United Methodist Voluntary Services Programs, and Youth Offender Rehabilitation Programs. Specific ministries include the Community Developers Program, United Methodist Voluntary Services Program and the Youth Offender Rehabilitation Program. The fund is administered by the General Board of Global Ministry and the General Board of Church and Society.

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Sunday, January 19,
2025

9:30 am

Livestream at 9:30am on
our Facebook page.

Welcome to worship at
[Mt Nittany Church](#)

Jesus makes it clear in this passage that the fulfillment of this scripture isn't for those who are already saved, but rather for those who are still outside of it.

Giving:

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**Greeting
Prelude**

**Centering Words
Psalm 146**

1 Praise the Lord!

Praise the Lord, O my soul!

2 I will praise the Lord as long as I live;

I will sing praises to my God all my life long.

3 Do not put your trust in princes,

in mortals, in whom there is no help.

4 When their breath departs, they return to the earth;

on that very day their plans perish.

5 Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob,

whose hope is in the Lord their God,

6 who made heaven and earth,
the sea, and all that is in them;

who keeps faith forever;

**7 who executes justice for the oppressed;
who gives food to the hungry.**

The Lord sets the prisoners free;

8 the Lord opens the eyes of the blind.

The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;

the Lord loves the righteous.

9 The Lord watches over the strangers;

he upholds the orphan and the widow,

but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.

10 The Lord will reign forever,

your God, O Zion, for all generations.

Praise the Lord!

Opening Prayer

**God of the Nations, show us how to love all the people
of the earth, of all colors and kinds: those with
technology and without; those who make due with
very little and who use many resources; those with
formal education and without; those who call upon
your name and who do not; so that all your children
may be glorified in the name of the One who brought
glory and liberty, Jesus Christ our salvation. Amen.**

~Kace Leetch

***Opening Praise**

O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing #57

Scripture

Luke 4:14-30

Children's Message

Message

This Isn't for the Insiders

Gospel Praise

Surely the Presence of the Lord #328

Lord of the Dance #261

Peace

***Offertory Response**

Glorify Thy Name vs 1&2

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Prayers of the People

Projected

Lord's Prayer

***Closing Praise**

Jesus Shall Reign #157

***Sending**

5 fold Amen

Postlude

*You are invited to stand as you are able or willing.

Prayer List

Jon Hickey, Pat Sankey, Kurt Behers, Barbara Gotwalt,
Barrie Kintner, Carrie Wyten Family, Regina Reichard,
Mary Heltman, The Yarnell Family, Mary Jane Johnson,
Joann Voigt, Arica & Bret Monsell, BJ Rhodes, Rick
Edmiston, Carl Hill

Announcements

Community Dinners

Happy New Year and the start of our 2025 Community Dinners. Drive Thru turkey dinner from 4-6 on January 25. Sign up with Wendy Sunday mornings if you are able to help.

Youth Gathering

Youth will gather at Park Forest Village UMC today from 5:30-7pm for a time of games & fellowship.

Special Envelopes - UMCOR

There are special envelopes to give donations to UMCOR that will go to help victims of the recent fires in California. The envelopes are located in the pews and at the back of the Sanctuary beside the donation bucket. If giving by check please write on the memo line "UMCOR."

Souper Bowl of Caring

Souper Bowl of Caring begins today. Bring food donations to our display outside the Sanctuary. Money donations can be placed in the soup pot in the cart. Checks made out to Mount Nittany with Souper Bowl in the memo section are also welcome. Use an envelope with your tithing envelope number if you would like credit.

Calendar

January 19-25

Sunday

Friendship Class	8:30am	Boardroom
Worship	9:30am	Sanctuary
Children's Sunday School	9:30am	S/C Ed. Rm
Donuts + fellowship	10:30am	FLC

Monday

Pastor Hours	9-11am	Pastor's Office
Quilters	9:30am	Spring Creek Rm
Soccer	5:30-7pm	FLC

Tuesday

Pastor Hours	9-11am	Pastor's Office
Scouts	5-8:30pm	FLC

Wednesday

Knitters	9am	Spring Creek Rm
Girl Scouts	6-7:30pm	FLC

Thursday

Karate	5:30-6:30pm	FLC
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Saturday

Soccer	9-11:30pm	FLC
Community Dinner	4-6pm	FLC