

*Life's most persistent  
and urgent question is,  
'What are you doing  
for others?'*  
*Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.*

## **MLK Day of Service**

**January 17, 2022**

### **FedEx Events**

**FedEx is honoring the legacy of Dr. King in many different ways. Here are a few of our major annual initiatives.**

#### **Event sponsorship**

The King Center's Beloved Community Recognition Awards (formerly known as the Salute to Greatness Awards) will take place live in Atlanta, GA on January 15. This year's award recipients include Olympic gymnast Simone Biles and Pastor, Author, Activist Dr. William J. Barber II among others. FedEx is a major sponsor.

#### **Free museum admission**

FedEx will provide free admission to civil rights museums in three states on January 17. Due to COVID protocols, masks, and social distancing are required indoors and space will be limited at two of the museums that require online registration to reserve time slots.

National Civil Rights Museum / Memphis, TN

- Highlights: an outdoor stage with entertainment, one large community tent, and food trucks. The theme is Double V – Vaccinations and Voting. Guests are asked to donate an item for the Mid-South Food Bank, and/or give blood at the mobile units of Vitalant. Website - <https://www.civilrightsmuseum.org/about>

Mississippi Civil Rights Museum / Jackson, MS

- Highlights: Annual MLK Night of Culture program at 6 p.m. The free event includes live poetry and performances by Jackson State University's MADDRAMA theatre troupe, Hinds Community College's MONTAGE Theatre of Dance and other featured artists. The event will also be streamed live on the museum's Facebook page. Website - [Mississippi Civil Rights Museum \(ms.gov\)](https://www.museum.ms.gov)

Birmingham Civil Rights Institute / Birmingham, AL

- Highlights: live performances, poetry, a health fair and other in-person activities. A virtual panel discussion on "Realizing King's Dream," will also be live-streamed at Noon. Website - <https://www.bcri.org/>

#### **Feb. 1**

National Center for Civil and Human Rights / Atlanta, GA

- <https://www.civilandhumanrights.org/>

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