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Mission Moment

Turn on the news or drive around the outskirts of our town and you will find what Jesus called "the least of these".... Those living in the margins of society, struggling to survive.

People like teenagers being recruited by a local gang... Or a father struggling for sobriety...Or a woman recently released from incarceration looking for work.

Over and over Jesus served people like this, embracing them.... and that is what we want to model as the people of The United Methodist Church.

To continue the ministry of Jesus we established **Human Relations Day** as a Special Sunday that calls all of our churches to participate in helping all God's children to realize their potential.

Next Sunday is **Human Relations Day,** one of six churchwide Special Sundays with offerings. It is a time to recognize our gifts enriching ministries that improve lives. This offering supports Community Developers, United Methodist Voluntary Services and Youth Offender Rehabilitation.

It is a day to celebrate life-changing ministries.