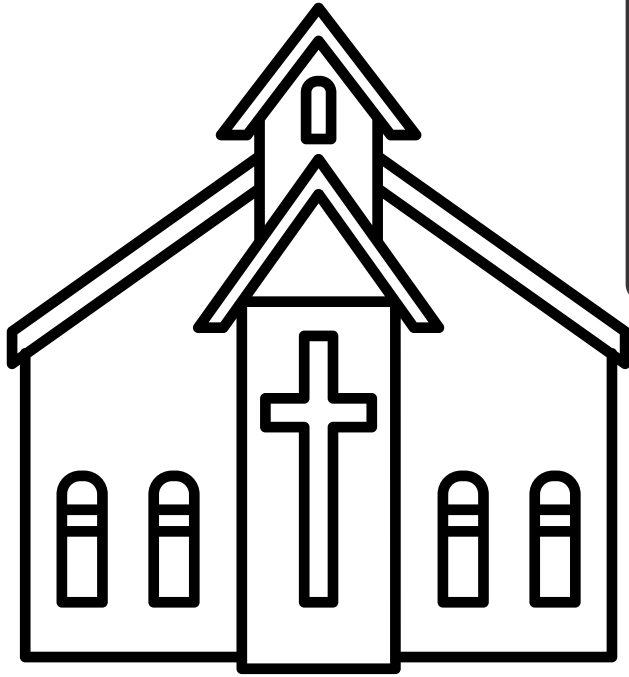


Martin Luther King Jr.



King was a Christian minister and activist who became the most visible spokesperson and leader in the Civil Rights Movement.

Born in
1929

in Atlanta

King was arrested

29

times and assaulted 4 times

Over 250,000 people gathered in Washington DC to hear Martin give his famous "I have a Dream" speech.

From
1957 to 1968

King Traveled over 6 million miles and spoke over

2,500

times



Martin Luther King Jr. Day is celebrated on the

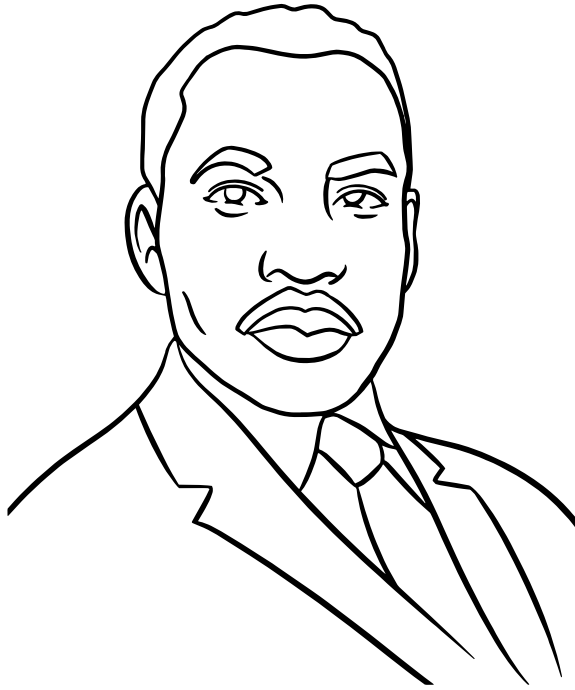
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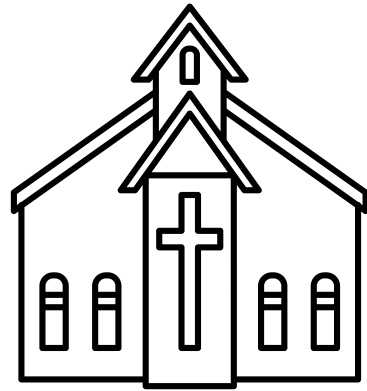
King is the only non-president to have a Federal Holiday in his name.

Martin Luther King Jr.

Born January 15, 1929
in Atlanta Georgia.

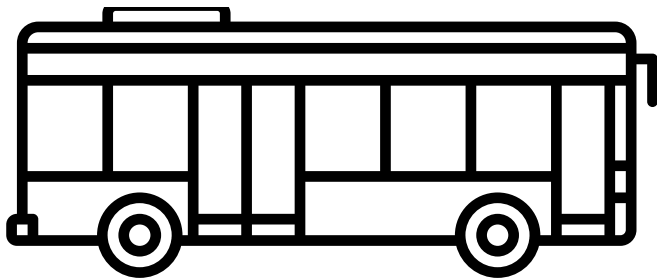


He was a Baptist minister and
civil rights activist.

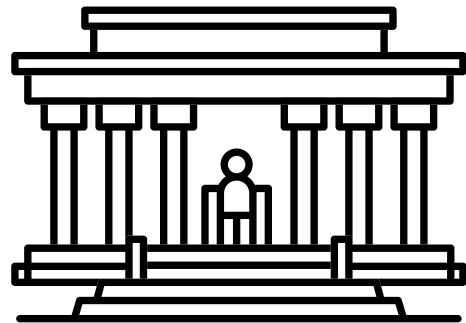


He helped fight against
discrimination in the United
States with nonviolent protests.

He oversaw the 1955
Montgomery Bus Boycott



We celebrate him on the
3rd Monday
in January



1963
He delivered his "I have a Dream"
speech on the steps of the Lincoln
Memorial in Washington DC.