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Christ - Students - Community - Coming Together

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Thought for the day

"Let us learn then what are the things that defile the [person]; let us learn, and let us flee them. For even in the church we see such a custom prevailing amongst the generality, and [people] giving diligence to come in clean garments, and to have their hands washed; but how to present a clean soul to God, they make no account"

- St. John Chrysostom



EASTER LILIES If you would like to order a lily (\$20/ea) to decorate the Chapel for Easter Sunday, April 9, please sign up

on the flower chart at the prayer desk or mark your interest sheet by April 2. A donation for each lily will help us defray the cost. Make checks to Martin Luther Chapel with a note "lilies". Be sure to indicate the number you would like as well as if you would like it in memory of (IMO) or in honor of (IHO) a friend

Join us Sunday, April 2 during the morning service to hear Dan Winter, Executive Director for the Friendship House along with some international students will update us on their 2022 ministry and plans for 2023 and beyond. They will be available for questions after the morning worship service.



Bible Readings this week

In addition to our chosen scripture during worship, take a look at these lessons sometime this week:

Ezekiel - 37:1 - 14

Romans 8:1 - 11

John 11:1 - 45 (46-53) or

John 11:17-27, 38 - 53



Student-led Bible Study - Are you looking for a comfortable place to study God's Word with your peers? The Student-led Bible Study is at 8:00 p.m. each Sunday and all are welcome. We will have pizza and conversation before diving into a study of the Bible. Come study with your peers where all questions may be asked in a comfortable environment where all may learn.

Game Night - The Lutheran Student Organization (LSO) hosts a game night each week and everyone is invited whether you are a student or not. Meet at the Minskoff Pavilion on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. Join with other students and have a blast.



This Week at Martin Luther Chapel

SUNDAY - 3/26

- 9:30 am Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)
- 9:30 am Confirmation Class (Lower Level)
- 9:30 am Choir Rehearsal
- 10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)**
- 5:30 pm Christian Faith Class
- 7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)**
- 8:00 pm Student-Led Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)

Monday - 3/27

- 5:30 pm Wine & the Word Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)

Tuesday - 3/28

- 7:00 pm Stephen Ministry Cont. Ed (Zoom)
- 8:00 pm Stephen Ministry Peer Supv (Zoom)

SUNDAY - 4/2 Palm Sunday

- 9:30 am Confirmation Class (Lower Level)
- 9:30 am Choir Rehearsal
- 10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)**
- 5:30 pm Christian Faith Class
- 7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)**
- 8:00 pm Student-Led Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)

Last month, our community was impacted by the type of tragedy that has become all too frequent throughout our nation. We have seen, and grief has been a prevalent subject. There have also been incredible displays of support and solidarity at our church, in our community, and even in other college campuses across the country. Grief and crises take many forms and have many causes, from widely reported tragedies to personal struggles. Stephen Ministry at Martin Luther Chapel is here to carry out Christ's commandment to "love one another as I have loved you" (John 15:12) in a powerful and practical way. With Stephen Ministers, people who are hurting have a caring Christian presence providing emotional and spiritual support. If you would like to receive the care of a Stephen Minister, please contact one of the Stephen Ministry Referrals Coordinators: Rev. David Dressel 517-285-4166 | Betsy Seeley, Stephen Leader 517-420-5692



A look at Stewardship & Finance

In an effort to keep the Martin Luther Chapel community up-to-date on the FY 2023 budget, the Stewardship Team is partnering with the Finance Team to publish a visual graphic each quarter. These numbers are discussed each month at the council meeting, which is open to all! We would love you to join.

