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**WEDNESDAY ON FIRE**

Wednesday ON FIRE

meets weekly at 7:09 pm.

This informal time of worship includes contemporary Christian music led by our own Worship band, short video clips with an inspirational message, a Christ based message by one of your peers, and time for prayer. Are you interested in playing an instrument or singing? Please mark your interest sheet or speak with a member of the Wednesday ON FIRE team.

# Chapel Chatter

*Christ - Students - Community Coming Together*



Sign up on your interest sheet or at the prayer desk if you'd like to purchase a \$35 floral arrangement in memory of or in honor of a loved one.

**DID YOU KNOW?** Participating congregations at this afternoon's 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Reformation Service were invited to decorate a door to have on display at the Breslin Center's concourse before the service. Our college students spent some time creating a great display on our door to represent Martin Luther Chapel. Please check out their hard work in the Welcome Area this morning.

**ELECTION HOSTS** are needed at Martin Luther Chapel as we host Precinct 2 as a polling place. You will not be involved with the elections but provide direction to our guests who may ask questions about locations of bathrooms, beverage, etc. Please consider if you would like to help on Tuesday, Nov. 7 and indicate your timeframe, i.e. in the morning or afternoon of that date on the sign up in the welcome area. Questions? Contact Pastor Curt.

**RAKE-N-RUN** The Youth are having a Rake-N-Run and Fall party on Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in attending, please contact Matt Montney ([montneym@gmail.com](mailto:montneym@gmail.com)).



**2018 SPRING BREAK SERVANT EVENT - MARCH 3-10**

Are you interested in going on our annual Servant Event trip? Each year students from Martin Luther Chapel travel during their Spring Break to do something that makes a difference in the lives of others. This coming Spring Break the group will be going to El Paso and building a house in the Juarez area, and if there are enough people applying, another group will go to Phoenix (rehabbing houses) or Texas (hurricane relief). Want to know more, or interested in participating? Pick up a copy of the 2018 Servant Application in the Welcome Area.

**MLC PHOTO BOARD** If you missed having your picture taken on September 24<sup>th</sup> or October 1<sup>st</sup>, feel free to submit a new individual or family photo to update our board. There is still time – you can bring it by the church office or email it to [schembe3@msu.edu](mailto:schembe3@msu.edu).



**SUNDAY SUPPER** tonight will be prepared by the team from the Germany trip. Gather on the lower level at 5:30 pm for home-cooked food and fellowship before the evening worship service. Vegetarian option is always available. A mini bus run begins at 5:00 pm for those who live on campus with return runs at 6:30 and 8:00 pm.

**MSU HOMECOMING PARADE** is **THIS** Friday, October 20. Come to the Chapel at 5:30 pm and enjoy some food and fun along with other college students, alums, and community residents! Hot dogs and drinks will be provided. Bring along your favorite tailgate food to share with others. The parade starts at 6:00 pm at the Hannah Community Center at Burcham and Abbot and passes right by the front of the Chapel where you can watch the parade and festivities. Please **mark your interest sheet** if you plan to attend - and spread the word among alumni and others that have moved out of the area - we would love to welcome them back home to Martin Luther Chapel for the weekend!

**EAST LANSING GREAT PUMPKIN WALK**

On Monday, Oct. 30, from 5-7 pm, hundreds of families bring their children downtown in full costume to receive treats from merchants and community groups. Martin Luther Chapel will set up a station on the Ann St. Plaza where volunteers will hand out stickers and treats to the more than 1,000 trick-or-treaters. **We are in need of treats to hand out!** Please bring your contribution to the Chapel office by Friday, 10/27. If you can help with candy or at the Pumpkin Walk, mark your interest sheet.



**PORTALS OF PRAYER** for October-December are available in the entryway in regular and large print.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

Now it is faith to believe that which you do not yet see; and the reward of faith is to see that which you believe.

St. Augustine

**SOLA: WHAT MATTERS MOST**

A special Reformation series for the month of October

As Christians, there are some things that should be at the top of our minds. In this series, we look at the things that matter most to our faith and should therefore be not only at the top of our minds, but deep in our hearts.

**Oct 15: Sola Fide – Faith Alone**

**Oct 22: Sola Scriptura – Scripture Alone**

**Oct 29: Soli Deo Gloria –Glorify to God Alone**



## This Week at Martin Luther Chapel

### SUNDAY—10/15

8:45 am Staff Prayer

9:30 am Bible Study

#### 10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

2-6 pm Reformation Event at Breslin Center

2:00 pm Concourse Opens

4:00 pm Pre-service Concert

5:00 pm Worship at Breslin Center

5:30 pm Sunday Supper

#### 7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)

8:00 pm Wed. ON FIRE Rehearsal

### MONDAY—10/16

10:45 am Prayers for the Ministry

### TUESDAY—10/17

1:00 pm Strike a Pose Art Class

### WEDNESDAY—10/18

7:09 Wed. ON FIRE

8:05 Student Bible Study

### THURSDAY—10/19

6:00 pm English Conversation

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

### FRIDAY—10/20

5:30 pm MSU Homecoming Parade Gathering

### SUNDAY—10/22

8:45 am Staff Prayer

9:30 am Bible Study

#### 10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

4:00 pm Transition Team Meeting

4:15 Confirmation

5:30 pm Sunday Supper

#### 7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)

8:00 pm Wed. ON FIRE Rehearsal

**ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLASS** led by Dave Unkefer and Kris Munger has resumed and meets on Thursday evenings at 6:00 pm in the Education rooms on the lower level. Join us for conversations to practice speaking and listening to English in a friendly and relaxing atmosphere. For more info contact Dave ([deunkefer@gmail.com](mailto:deunkefer@gmail.com)) or Kris ([healingpoetry@hotmail.com](mailto:healingpoetry@hotmail.com)).

**SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY** Pastor Curt will be leading a study on the Acts of the Apostles. What can the 21st century Church learn from the 1st century Church?

**PRAYER REQUESTS** If you have special concerns that you would like included in the prayer during the service, please write them on the Prayer Request sheet on the wooden prayer desk in the entryway.

**FALL RETREAT – SAVE THE DATE** An overnight retreat will be held at Kimball Camp in Reading, MI on Friday/Saturday, November 10 & 11. The cost is \$20 plus some money to buy fast food on our way to camp on Friday. We will leave from Martin Luther Chapel at 5:30 pm on Friday and return by 6:00 pm on Saturday. If you would like to attend or want more information, please mark your interest sheet! If you have any questions, please contact Sara Bollstetter or Judah Pemble.

**PLACES TO PARK FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP** in addition to the City Hall lot include street parking (no permit needed), AT&T parking lot across from City Hall, Grove Street ramp, the attorneys' parking lot at 601 Abbot, and the Hannah Community Center parking lot.

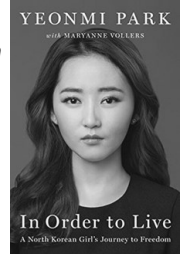
**20S & 30S GROUP** The 20s & 30s group will be meeting every other week on Mondays at 7 pm. Please mark your interest sheet if you would like to participate.

### ESL SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE

**CLASS** We are holding a Bible class this morning in the Education room downstairs for English language learners (children of students from our international community.) We are looking for volunteers to lead the class in the weeks to come. Please speak with Pastor Curt if you have interest in participating.

### MLC BOOK GROUP

MLC Book Group Selection for November is *In Order To Live: A North Korean Girl's Journey to Freedom* by Yeonmi Park, with Maryanne Volkers. The next meeting will be Thursday, November 2, at 7:00 pm. Sign up on your Interest Sheet!



**CLEANING YOUR CLOSET?** A collection for gently used clothing and food for homeless adults and children and local food banks continues at Martin Luther Chapel throughout the year. Lansing Rescue Mission has placed yellow barrels on the lower level near the pop machine for coats and clothing; personal care items; and non-perishable foods, such as dry beans, cooking oil, syrup for sweetening, CANNED fruits and vegetables. Thank you for your generosity!

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH** takes place Sunday mornings during the sermon in the 9:30 am worship service. Children ages 1 to 10 are invited to hear the gospel in children's words in the Fireside Lounge.

**BUILDING HOURS** are from 9:00 am—10 pm Sunday– Thursday, Friday 9:00 am—5 pm (closed on Saturdays).

**COLLEGE STUDENT BIBLE STUDY** meets Wednesday nights at 8:05 pm after Wednesday ON FIRE. It's a great place to get to know other students and discuss topics relevant to young adults and learn what the Bible has to say about them.

**MINI BUS** Need a ride to Chapel from campus and back? We have a mini bus that runs before and after morning worship, Sunday Supper, evening worship, Wednesday ON FIRE, and other Chapel events. The schedule can be found online at <http://martinlutherchapel.org/about/mini-bus-schedule> or on the shelf in the Welcome Area.

### CALLING ALL MINISTRY MINDED COOKS AND ASSISTANTS

We are still in need of cook(s) and assistant(s) for Sunday Suppers on 11/26, 12/3, and 12/10. If you would be available and willing to cook, please mark your interest sheet or contact Cindy Winter ([thewintercrew@yahoo.com](mailto:thewintercrew@yahoo.com)) or use the sign up sheet located on the bulletin board in the copier room.

