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# CHAPEL CHATTER

June 19, 2022

Christ - Students - Community
Coming Together

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Worship Services 9:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
All services are in the sanctuary
9:30 a.m. Worship is live streamed via YouTube

### **Thought for the day**

"The devils enter uninvited when the house stands empty."

~Dag Hammarskjold

# What is Juneteenth?



In 1863, during the American Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln issued the Emancipation Proclamation, which declared more than three million slaves living in the Confederate states to be free. More than two years would pass, however, before the news reached African Americans living in Texas. It was not until Union soldiers arrived in Galveston, Texas, on June 19, 1865, that the state's residents finally

learned that slavery had been abolished. The former slaves immediately began to celebrate with prayer, feasting, song, and dance.

Where is it celebrated?

Check your local community. There are many observances and celebrations around the area. Many are in the Lansing area, as well as Meridian Township and East Lansing. You can look online for events, as well as information about the history of Juneteenth.

Join us this summer for Alto Recorder Choir! We will meet after morning worship from July 10 to August 14. If you don't



have an alto recorder we can order one for you. Try something new (or old)!

Bring a friend!

Music, instruction and laughter are on the way!

#### **Council Meeting Monday**

Our council meeting will be held via Zoom on Monday, June 20 at 6:30 p.m.



Meeting ID: 859 7381 0604

Passcode: 118168

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85973810604?

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## This Week at Martin Luther Chapel

**SUNDAY - 6/19** 

9:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)

MONDAY - 6/20

6:30 p.m. Council Meeting

Sunday - 6/26

9:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)



Stephen Ministry has been an active part of Martin Luther Chapel since 2005. Stephen Ministers support our Pastors by providing one-on-one confidential, Christ-centered care to students and residential members 18 years and older experiencing life's changes and difficulties. Ste-

phen Ministers receive intensive training to learn how to care for others while God provides the cure. If you would like to learn more about Stephen Ministry, please contact one of the Pastors, the Ministry Assistant, or any of the active Stephen Ministers listed below.

#### **Stephen Ministers**

Lane Baehre, Judy Bearup, Susan Beyerlein, Joy Brewer, Aaron Delnay, Mira Edgerton, Melody Frye, Dan Hanrahan, Krista Haven, Reed Kalso, Sarah Klammer, Sheila Nash, Elaine Nevells, Mike Nevells, Abbi Schleusener, Betsy Seeley, Dave Unkefer.

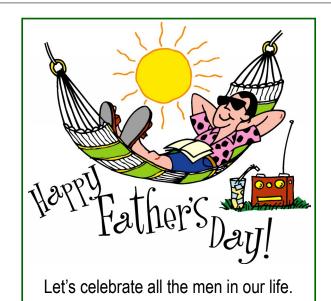
If you would like to receive the care of a Stephen Minister, please contact one of the Stephen Ministry Referral Coordinators:

Rev. David Dressel 517-285-4166 | Betsy Seeley, Stephen Leader 517-420-5692

Martin Luther Chapel Fall Carnival is Sunday August 28. We need your help to make it a success. Last year five students became part of our ministry and many members united together to do a great service to Christ and our community. We do not need a large time commitment, but we do need more



people to help with planning/executing and will be looking for 'day of 'volunteers. Many of you attended last year's event and if you enjoyed yourself, please consider donating a bit of your time this year. Please contact Susan Beyerlein at <a href="mailto:lombard4@msu.edu">lombard4@msu.edu</a> or 517.203.4376 to participate or if you have questions.







## **Stewardship Corner**

Happy summer

from the Stewardship Team!

Many of us will be traveling over the summer and might not be here regularly for Sunday services. As you travel, we encourage you to continue to participate in worship by joining our

live stream on YouTube or attending a church where you are. To help support the ministry of Martin Luther Chapel even while you are away, consider setting up online giving. This ensures that your support of our ministry is consistent even if you are unable to join us in person. Click the "Give" tab on our website or contact the church office for more information.