### MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL

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## CHAPEL CHATTER

Christ - Students - Community - Coming Together

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#### Thought for the day

The call is Jesus' sovereign act. And so there is no emphasis whatever on the qualifications of the persons called.

There are no likely candidates for discipleship.

~Martin Franzmann

**First Communion Class** - A First Communion Class for students who are ready to receive the Lord's Supper is scheduled to begin Sunday, January 22. We will meet at 9:30 a.m., prior to the 10:30 a.m. worship service. The class will meet for 4 weeks, and we will celebrate a First Communion Sunday sometime in late February. Contact Pastor Dave for more information.

**Christian Faith Bible Study -** Interested in what our church teaches? Pastor Curt will lead this Bible Study, beginning Sunday January 22 at 5:30 p.m. Anyone is welcome! We will cover the basic tenets of the Christian faith as confessed by the Lutheran church. This class may lead to membership in the congregation for those who are interested.



### Bible Readings this week

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

Isaiah 62:10 - 12

Titus 3:4 - 7

Luke 2:1 - 14

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Would you like to get involved in worship at Martin Luther Chapel? Please check your interest sheet for volunteer opportunities. We would love your help to assist with or prepare communion, be a reader, bring treats, greet, and/ or usher!

Don't worry if you haven't done it before-training will be provided!



# This Week at Martin Luther Chapel

SUNDAY - 1/8

9:30 am Confirmation Class (Education Room)

9:30 am Choir Rehearsal

10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

11:30 Bible Study Group (Fireside Lounge)

7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)

Tuesday—1/9

7:00 pm Stephen Ministry Continuing Ed. (Zoom)

8:00 pm Stephen Ministry Peer Supervision (Zoom)

**SUNDAY - 1/15** 

9:30 am Confirmation Class (Education Room)

9:30 am Choir Rehearsal

10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)

6:00 pm Student-Led Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)

7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)

Monday—1/16

5:30 pm Wine Women & the Word Bible Study

#### WELCOME TO THE PRAYER COMMUNITY AT MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL

Since 2007, the Prayer Community has been welcoming all resident members and college students to experience the awesome power of God through prayer. This community of people is committed to praying for others while always respecting and honoring the confidentiality of each prayer request.

Now, for the first time, you can join the Prayer Community <u>and</u> request prayers online at martinlutherchapel.org. When you click on "Ministries", look for the Prayer Ministry section for directions to participate including links for joining and requesting a prayer. You can also use the Prayer Community forms located at the entryway to the Chapel Office. Questions? Contact the Chapel Office at (517)332-0778.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Jan. 16 .....MLK Jr. Day (Office closed; MSU no classes)

Feb. 22.....Ash Wednesday

Mar. 4......Spring Break Servant Event

Mar. 6.....MSU Spring Break

Apr. 9 ......EASTER

The Stephen Ministers at Martin Luther Chapel pray that you experience God's love and care wrapped around you in the new year.



WINE WOMEN & the WORD BIBLE STUDY Jan. 16, 5:30 p.m. The focus will be Love using various scriptures. We will meet at Martin Luther Chapel in the Fireside Lounge, with snacks, beverages and fun. All women college age and up are welcome. Questions? contact Dian Silvey, silveyd@martinlutherchapel.org, 517.420.3124.

