



Christ - Students - Community Coming Together

# CHAPEL CHATTER

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## *Thought for the Day*

"The wide and easy way that leads to destruction is precisely what Jesus has been describing all along as living with merely external righteousness, while the narrow and 'difficult' way is the vision he has cast for righteousness that is more and deeper than behavior. The broad and easy way is the way of the Pharisees, whose righteousness is easily definable and can be gritted out solely at the external level - not committing adultery, not murdering, and so on.

**The narrow and difficult way is Jesus's vision, a righteousness that requires deep roots and the exposure of one's whole person to God, true virtue."**

*Jonathan T. Pennington*

Fall 2025 Bible study "Paul - His Life and Message"

Join Pastor Curt Sunday mornings for a Bible study at 9:30 a.m. in the Fire-side Lounge. We will be studying Paul; his life and ministry, as well as surveying the major themes that are included in the letters he wrote.



**Join us after the morning service TODAY, August 24** for a Welcome lunch for the new school year with hotdogs and all the fixings.



## **College Corner**

~All students are welcome to come to the Coffee Area for our Ice Cream Social after the morning service TODAY, Aug. 24.

~Find the LSO student leaders & pastors at SPARTICIPATION TODAY at 4:00 pm

~Join us Monday, Aug. 25, at 6:00 p.m. at MLC for a Prayer Service to start the year



Council meeting,

Aug. 28. Find the Zoom link in the Good News email

Pastor Robinson's Dad Joke of the day

**Why can't sailors learn the alphabet?.**

This Week at  
**MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL**

**SUNDAY - 8/24**

9:30 am Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)  
9:30 am Choir (Sanctuary) \*  
**10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)**  
11:30 am Hot Dog Handout Lunch  
11:30 am LSO Ice Cream Social  
4:00 pm LSO @ Sparticipation  
**7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)**

**MONDAY - 8/25**

6:00 pm Prayer Service (Sanctuary)

**TUESDAY - 8/26**

6:30 pm Spiritual Care & Growth Mtg

**WEDNESDAY - 8/27**

6:30 pm Finance Meeting (Zoom)

**THURSDAY - 8/28**

5:30 pm Vocal Lessons (Sanctuary)  
6:00 pm US News/English Conv. Group  
6:30 pm Council Meeting (Zoom)

**SUNDAY - 8/31**

9:30 am Bible Study (Fireside Lounge)  
9:00 am Choir (Sanctuary)  
**10:30 am Worship (Sanctuary)**  
**7:00 pm Worship (Sanctuary)**

\* This week only for 9:30 Choir



**Jesus Moments**

This year we are encouraging everyone in the congregation to be more intentional about sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with their

neighbors. We call these "**Jesus Moments.**" - whether it's a meaningful conversation, a kind word, or even a small gesture, every interaction that brings someone closer to Jesus qualifies. Our goal is to reach 100 Jesus Moments each month. Let us know how many you've had throughout the week on the Interest Sheet.

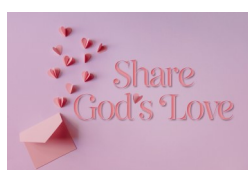
**Jesus Moments Results**

Apr ~ **134** | May ~ **102** | Jun ~ **163** | Jul ~ **49**



**Rooted in Community, Growing in Christ**

With our *Friends and Family* program, we are creating a strong foundation for lasting relationships with college students. We are inviting students to be part of this wonderful program and help create meaningful connections with resident members while offering a "home away from home." If you're interested in being a part of this program contact Pastor Robinson, or mark your interest sheet.



Is there someone from our MLC family you haven't seen in awhile or who is homebound and might need some cheer? Stop by the table outside the church office to write a note to them. Leave it in the basket with the person's name and we will address it and send it out! Brighten someone's day with a special note!

**Serve the Lord with Music**



Do you play an instrument or sing? We would love for you to share your musical gifts with our community at either our 10:30 a.m. or 7:00 p.m. worship services. Sign up on the interest sheet or talk to Yatidi Lightfoot (a.m.) or Mary Grace (p.m.)

**Welcome Students!**

Answer to Pastor Robinson's Dad Joke of the day  
**Because they get lost at "C"**