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Thought for the Day

"We can easily forgive a child who is afraid of the dark; the real tragedy of life is when [adults] are afraid of the light."

Plato

Rooted in Community, Growing in Christ

Through our *Friends and Family* program, we're coming together this fall to create a strong foundation for lasting relationships with college students. We are inviting resident members to be part of this wonderful program and help build meaningful connections with students. These relationships create bonds that unite our community while offering students a "home away from home." If you're interested in supporting a student and sharing the love of Christ, contact Pastor Robinson, or mark your interest sheet.

Join us after the morning service August 24! We will have a Welcome lunch for the new school year with hotdogs and all the fixings. We are also asking for donations of cookies to hand out with hotdogs to students and neighbors! Bring donations by August 22.





Is there someone from our MLC family you haven't seen in awhile or someone 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!

Pastor Robinson's Dad Joke of the day

Where do Volkswagens go when they get old?

This Week at

MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL

SUNDAY - 8/10

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

TUESDAY - 8/12

7:00 pm Stephen Ministry Peer Supv. (Zoom)

THURSDAY - 8/14

6:00 pm US News/English Conv. Group

SUNDAY - 8/17

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



Answer to Pastor Robinson's Dad Joke of the day

The old Volks home.

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

Aug ~ 74 | Sep ~ 138 | Oct ~ 110 | Nov ~ 55 | Dec ~ 92 Jan ~ 67 | Feb ~ 85 | Mar ~ 92 | Apr ~ 134 | May ~ 102 Jun ~ 163 | Jul ~ 49



Are there students you know attending college in the state of Michigan? Help us connect them to an LCMS campus ministry from the Michigan, English, and North Wisconsin Districts. This fall, we're ready to welcome your students and help them thrive. Join us in building meaningful connections and fostering spiritual growth for tomorrow's leaders. All we need is for you to make the introduction!

Send us their contact information. Scan the QR code here, see the Good News email or on the Martin Luther Chapel

St. Luke, Christ Campus offers a community meal and the Gospel to our neighbors every Saturday. A team of volunteers prepares the meal, sets the tables, distributes meals, and helps clean up.

We have a few openings in our volunteer schedule yet this month - especially August 16 and August 23 -- and are greatly in need of people to help. Ideally, we'd like 6-8 people for a crew. No experience or special skills are needed - we train you on the spot and can put just about anyone to work. This is also good for families with children; we often have children helping alongside parents. If interested, please contact Pastor Trevor Sutton, pastortsutton@knowingjesus.org



Ph.D. student from Germany is looking for short term housing (Sept-Dec). The Kortemeyers suggested he reach out to Martin Luther Chapel. There is a poster on the bulletin board with more details and contact information.