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# Thought for the Day

We could probably prove that throughout history those Christians who have accomplished the most practical benefit in this world are those who have believed most fervently in the next.

Gordon Allport

Heading

## 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 our resident members to be part of this wonderful program and help create meaningful connections with students. These relationships will be the bonds that unite our com-

munity 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.



Help Wanted - Pastor Curt is looking for a volunteer team to help navigate some technology issues for Martin Luther Chapel. If you have experience with email servers, websites and/or networking, please send him an email, dwyerc@martinlutherchapel.org. We will schedule a meeting in early August.



Is there someone from our MLC family you haven't seen in awhile? Or maybe 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!

Save the Date for August 24 at 11:30 a.m.! Join us for lunch after the morning service with hotdogs and all the fixings. If you would like to donate cookies for us to hand out with hotdogs to students and our neighbors that would be an added treat!

This Week at

# MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL

## **SUNDAY - 8/3**

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

# THURSDAY - 8/7

6:00 pm US News/English Conv. Group

# **SUNDAY - 8/10**

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

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





#### **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

# WELCOME TO THE PRAYER COMMUNITY at MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL

Since 2007, the Prayer Community has welcomed all resident members and college students to experience the awesome power of God through prayer. We are dedicated to praying for others while respecting the confidentiality of requests. Submit a prayer request through our website or in writing. Forms are available in church near the prayer desk. To join the Prayer Community, sign up on the interest sheet or contact the office at (517)332-0778.

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.