



Christ - Students - Community Coming Together

# CHAPEL CHATTER

May 17, 2026

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## *Thought for the Day*

"While in heaven he is also with us; and we while on earth are with him. He is here with us by his divinity, his power and his love.

We cannot be in heaven, as he is on earth, by divinity, but in him, we can be there by love."

*St. Augustine*



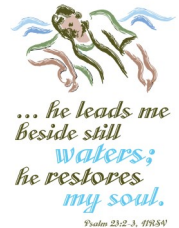
## 55+ Group Activities



Please join us for lunch at 12 Noon on Wednesday, May 27 at one of our favorite places to meet: Jimmy's Pub, 16830 Chandler Rd., East Lansing

We promise you the best kind of FUN, FOOD, AND FELLOWSHIP you will find anywhere! If you plan to join us, please respond by May 25 to Betsy Seeley, [betsy.seeley5@gmail.com](mailto:betsy.seeley5@gmail.com).

Pastor Robinson will be taking a time away from May 24 - August 11. This is designed as a time of rest and restoration. Pastor Robinson will be reachable by email but may not answer immediately. Please reach out the Pastor Curt, Pastor Dave, or Dian for any immediate needs.



Do you like decorating cookies? We are having a Cookie Decorating class with Sarah Putala on June 7 after the morning service. RSVP by May 31 on the Interest Sheet, If you need Gluten free cookies, please note that as well. Class limited to 25. Reserve your spot soon.



**East Lansing Art Festival is**  
**Festival is**  
**May 16-17.**

**Parking is available**  
**in the City Hall**  
**Lot next door.**



This Week at  
**MARTIN LUTHER CHAPEL**

**SUNDAY - 5/17**

8:45 am Choir (Sanctuary)  
9:30 am **Worship** (Sanctuary)  
7:00 pm **Worship** (Sanctuary)

**MONDAY - 5/18**

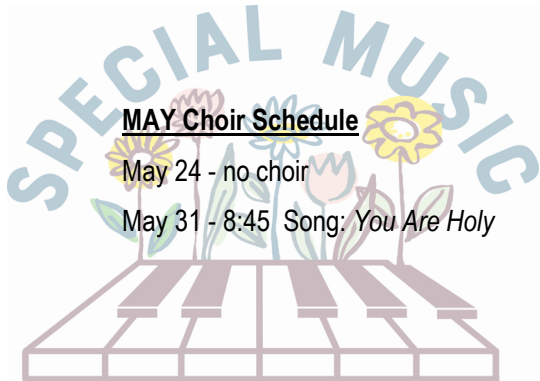
5:30 pm Wine, Women & Word (Fireside Lounge)

**THURSDAY - 5/21**

5:30 pm Voice Lessons (Sanctuary)  
6:00 pm US News/English Conv. Group

**SUNDAY - 5/24**

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



**MAY Choir Schedule**

May 24 - no choir  
May 31 - 8:45 Song: *You Are Holy*



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**"It'll be okay, Mommy. PJ will tell you where he hid your keys just as soon as he learns to talk."**

**Jesus Moments**



This year we are encouraging everyone to join in sharing the good news of Jesus Christ with the people God places in our path. 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 YTD = 395**

**2025:** Apr ~ 134 | May ~ 102 | Jun ~ 163 | Jul ~ 49 | Aug ~ 277  
Sep ~ 212 | Oct ~ 108 | Nov. ~ 135 | Dec. ~ 122 = 1546  
**2026:** Jan. ~ 118 | Feb ~ 106 | Mar ~ 116 | Apr ~ 133



*A simple kindness can make a spectacular difference in someone's day. We don't realize how powerful the little things can be.*

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Check out this video on YouTube  
*Flawless* by MercyMe



Do you know when you will be in town this summer? Are all your vacation plans mapped out? If so, we are looking for volunteers on a Sunday to read, assist with communion or bring treats. Sign up for a date on the board in the copier room or on the Interest sheet.

**Join us for our next Congregation Brunch, June 14 @ 10:45 a.m.** You are welcome to bring a brunch favorite side dish. We will have a breakfasty main dish.



Pastor Robinson's Dad Joke of the day

What is the most important meal of the day for a car?  
**Brake-fast**