



Welcome to the weekly digital newsletter. "Questions about newsletter items? Please call the church office, 734-475-8119." A PDF reader is required on your device to open articles that say Read More...

Sunday Worship is at 9 and 11 am in the sanctuary

Click [HERE](#) to watch the Sanctuary Services on the church's YouTube Channel.

Click [HERE](#) for the 9 am bulletin. Click [HERE](#) for the 11 am bulletin.

Freedom to Sing - April 27, 2025

Scripture: Acts 5:27-32 | Psalm 118:14-29

"How can we keep from singing" once we have experienced freedom? We become witnesses to this new thing that God is doing in our lives. Despite the admonition not to teach in the name of Jesus, we hear in the Acts passage for this Sunday that Peter and the other apostles just can't help themselves!



Parables Worship in the social hall at 11 am

This month at **Parables: All-Abilities Inclusion Worship** we are celebrating World One. The mystical path was walked by Jesus, along with the other four theological worlds, as he lived his life. [Read More...](#)

Leadership Board sets dates for 2 more town halls

The Chelsea First Leadership Board set the dates for two additional town hall meetings as work continues on the transition to the new simplified accountable structure of church governance. [Read More...](#)





Dinner for Eight gatherings is a great way to help our church family get to know each other better. We have two more dinners - May and June. It is time to sign up for the May dinner. [Read More...](#)

GENESIS
IMMERSION
Bible Studies
J. ELLSWORTH KALAS

New Study Monday Night Group

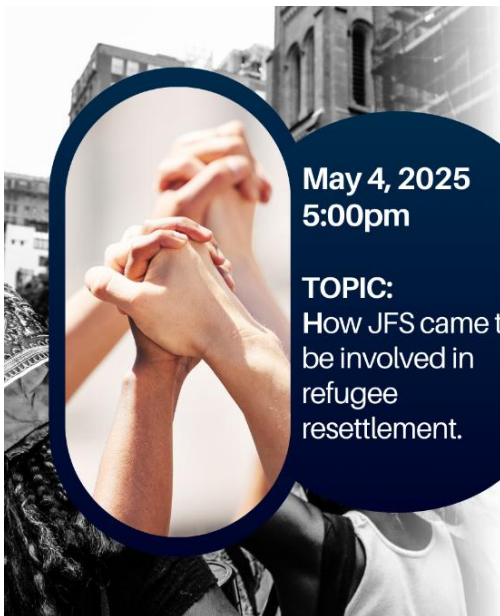
- April 28-June 23 @ 6:45pm
- The group will be a hybrid experience, both in-person and Zoom.
- www.chelseaumc.org/events for more information

CHELSEA FIRST



Jackson Interfaith Shelter Empty Bowls Event

There is an upcoming fundraising event supporting both the Jackson Interfaith Shelter and My Place. My Place is rental housing for youth ages 16 through 21 who are aging out of foster care. [Read More...](#)



**May 4, 2025
5:00pm**

TOPIC:
How JFS came to
be involved in
refugee
resettlement.

“SOUP-ER” SUNDAY SPEAKER SERIES



**Our speaker will be Mira Sussman
from Jewish Family Services**

The first Sunday of each month our Social Justice group sponsors a presentation on Social Justice.

The presentation concludes with a soup supper and time to have conversation on the presentation.


ALL ARE WELCOME!

Jewish Family Services of Washtenaw County has resettled thousands of individuals from all over the world, providing critical social services to ease their transition. Mira Sussman will share how JFS came to be involved in refugee resettlement.

Additionally, she

will provide background on the national refugee program and updates on the impact locally of recent policy changes. All are welcome. Stay for dinner or just come to hear the speaker.



 **128 Park Street
Chelsea Michigan**



PUT ON LOVE

**May 11, 2025
4:00 – 6:00 pm**

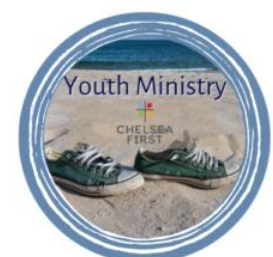
"Where people of all ages come together to share in music, storytelling, creative crafts, and a delicious dinner."



This Sunday, we're starting a new worship series called *The Cup of Freedom*. While the grown-ups learn about it in the service, the children will also explore the story from the Bible—Acts 5:27–32.

Children's Newsletter [Read More...](#)

Learn what the youth are doing on Sundays, what the Confirmation class is doing. **Youth Newsletter** [Read More...](#)





PRAYERS - If you have prayer concerns to share, please call the church office or click [HERE](#) to submit.

Prayer List [Read More...](#)

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Office Hours

Monday - Wednesday 8 - 4 pm

Thursday - Friday 8 - 3 pm

The Deadline for submitting articles is Wednesday noon, if it is after that, it will go in the following week. Please turn in articles 3 weeks before the event start date. Click [HERE](#) to submit your article



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