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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...

"We're building a community where everyone feels welcome, valued, encouraged, and invited to a lifelong spiritual journey."



Collaboration - November 2, 2025

Scripture: Luke 10:1-11

Jesus didn't do this work alone, and you can't, either. The key thing Jesus did when starting ministry was to gather a group of people, a team of disciples. [Read More...](#)



Click [HERE](#) to watch the 9 or 11 am Sanctuary Service on the church's YouTube Channel. Click [HERE](#) for the 9 am bulletin, click [HERE](#) for the 11 am bulletin.



Parables Worship at 11 am in the social hall

Parables is working for PEACE. This year at Parables we are using The Peace Table Storybook Bible each Sunday as a way to lift up our practices of peacemaking in 4 areas: Self, Others, God, and Creation. Every Sunday we use interactive means to think about the scriptural text, apply it to our lives and practice it during the week---related to our monthly theme of making small choices each day toward creating a culture of peace. [Read More...](#)



Session 2, Nov. 2 Why Do People Migrate?

Following a video featuring Monalisa Salakielu Tu'itahi, who is an immigrant from Tonga, an immigration attorney and the Immigration Coordinator for the California-Pacific Conference and an advocate for justice and dignity for immigrant communities. [Read More...](#)

**KEYBOARD EXCURSIONS**





KYLE WEBBER
PIANO & ORGAN



BRIAN BRILL
PIANO

SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 2 @ 3:30 PM

CHELSEA FIRST UMC
128 PARK ST, CHELSEA

SPIRITUALS, HYMNS & SURPRISES...
ONE GLORIOUS SOUND.
ALL ARE WELCOME!



Final town hall for 2025, originally set for Oct. 26 has been postponed.

When it is rescheduled, the town hall will focus on how lifelong faith formation will be woven into the life of Chelsea First United Methodist Church. [Read More...](#)

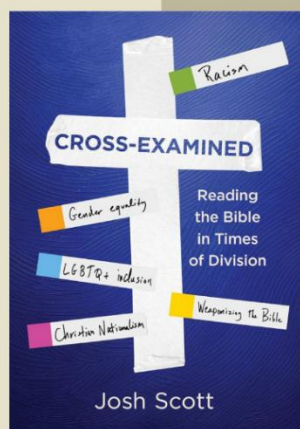
CROP Walk Update and fundraiser information. Over \$31,000 Raised to Fight Hunger! [Read More...](#)



MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

This five week book study begins on November 3.

Stop by the Connection Center for more information or check out the events page on our website.



New Book!

New Monday Night Bible Study begins November 3
Cross-Examined: Reading the Bible in Times of Division by Josh Scott. [Read More...](#)

First & Third Tuesday of each month
7:00 - 8:15pm

Quiet Center

A time, place, space to
"Be at peace, and simply be."



Justice Seeking Friends,

This is essential information about a new Michigan Organization, FOSNA MI. This organization is seeking justice in the Middle East. We are pleased to collaborate

with them in their work. We hope you will also make this new organization part of your prayers and justice work. ***The attached is your invitation to attend their first conference, on November 7, in Ann Arbor, MI. [Read More...](#)*** Rev Corey Simon Chair, Michigan UMC Board of Justice Middle East Task Force

Never Again for Anyone

Mobilizing an Interfaith Movement

AGAINST APARTHEID, ETHNIC CLEANSING & GENOCIDE IN PALESTINE

Friday, November 7
Ann Arbor, Michigan

Main Program
8:30 am – 5:30 pm
Speakers & Workshops
(Lunch Included)

Evening Program
7:15 pm – 9:30 pm
"The Palestine Exception"
film and discussion

At this conference we will learn how to challenge distorted religious and political ideologies that justify and enable systemic racism and oppression and explore strategies for working across faith traditions for a world where freedom, justice and equal rights for all prevail.

Omer Bartov
Professor-Holocaust & Genocide Studies, Brown U

Juan Cole
Professor-Middle East History, U of Mich.

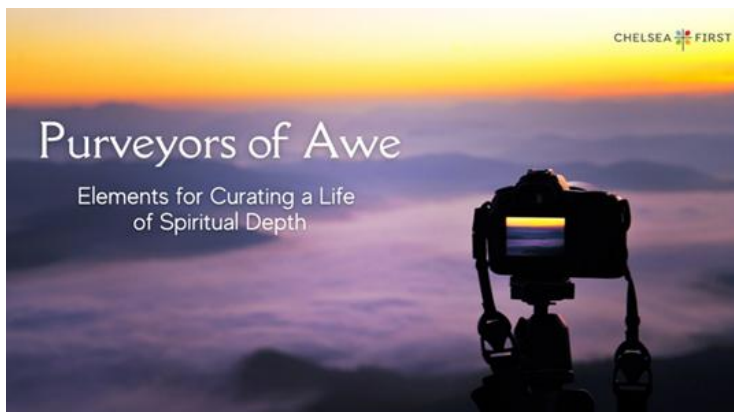
Alana Alpert
Rabbi-Congregation T'chayah, Detroit Jew for Justice, Rabbis for Ceasefire

Irene Butter
Holocaust survivor, Prof. Emeritus Public Health, U of Mich.

Daniel Bannoura
Professor-Theology, U of Notre Dame

Layla Saatchi
Professor-Philosophy & Teaching, Wayne State U

Registration - \$25 Sponsor - \$100
tinyurl.com/FOSNA-MI



New Worship Series

***Purveyors of Awe* - Nov. 9 – Connection •**

Nov. 16 – Self-Giving

Series resumes Jan. 11–Feb. 15

In a world hungry for meaning, many are searching for spiritual depth beyond traditional boundaries. [Read More...](#)

It is time for our semi-annual sale of coffee, tea, chocolate, olive oil and nuts! Shop early for gifts and products that will contribute to your holiday celebrations. [Read More...](#)



All are welcome and encouraged to attend the annual church conference for Chelsea First, which is scheduled for 9:30-11:30 a.m. November 15 at Manchester United Methodist Church, 501 Ann Arbor St., Manchester. [Read More...](#)

This Sunday in CONNECT

This Sunday, our children will stay together in worship for a very special service. It will be Communion Sunday and a time to celebrate All Saints Day—as we remember and honor the saints in our congregation who have passed away this year and remain always in our hearts. It is also Commitment Sunday, when everyone is invited to offer their commitment of time, talents, and resources for the year ahead. A Sunday filled with meaning, gratitude, and precious moments together—one not to miss! **Children's Newsletter** [Read More...](#)





This Sunday in Youth Gathering

This Sunday, our youth are invited to stay in worship for a special service. It's **Communion Sunday**, a time to gather at the table together. We will also **celebrate All Saints Day**, honoring and remembering the saints in our congregation who have passed away this year but will always remain in our hearts. In addition, it's **Commitment Sunday**, when we are all invited to offer our time, talents, and resources for the year ahead. It will be a Sunday filled with **meaning, gratitude, and sacred moments**—a beautiful time to worship together. **Youth Newsletter** [Read More...](#)



This Week's Prayer List

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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