Welcome to the Sunday Forum!

Zoom Forum

- Grab a cup of coffee and enter the Zoom link immediately after the service is over to enjoy a few minutes of informal conversation prior to the presentation.

- Forum will start at 11:10 and end at noon. As in the past, we will try to allow time for discussion and questions at every forum, but as soon as the forum program starts, we respectfully ask everyone to mute your device and remain muted unless you’re asking a question or making a comment. (Thanks!)

- Each week’s Zoom Link will appear in ULC’s Friday “Announcements” email. If you do not receive this weekly email, please contact the office for alternate arrangements.

- As speakers/topics are finalized, the schedule below will be updated.
No Forum TODAY

ULC Racial Justice Team
 Responding to White Privilege
 The ELCA, ULC and You

ULC Racial Justice Team
 Guest Speaker
 Judith Roberts, ELCA Program Director for Racial Justice Ministries

Pamela Miklavcic
 The Davies Project
 Community-based, non-medical support to local families facing serious, long-term health challenges with a child.

*Judith Roberts, ELCA Program Director for Racial Justice Ministries, will talk about the Declaration of the ELCA to People of African Descent. At the ELCA Churchwide Assembly in 2019, Rev. Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA Presiding Bishop and the ELCA Church Council formally delivered the introduction to, and a copy of, Explanation of the Declaration of the ELCA to People of African Descent. This document was accepted by Rev. Lamont Wells, President of the African Descent Lutheran Association. A video of the event is featured on the Racial Justice Team page on our website.
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Auguste Shikongo will talk about her remarkable work in Namibia where her project works to “bring lasting change in the lives of children and youth by breaking the community poverty cycle through education, employment, empowerment, and psychosocial support.”

Kid’s Hope USA
Barb Kissling discusses this mentoring ministry with volunteers from churches working weekly with at-risk students. What makes this ministry so special that it has grown in 25 years from southwest Michigan to across the nation?

ULC Earthkeeping Team
A special presentation in celebration of the Joint Solar Project between ULC and the Islamic Center.

Learn more about Auguste Shikongo and the Auguste Community Aid Project
Bio: https://1drv.ms/w/s!AkvBAg0hbsgZjn0xJxeWjSlu8pkN
Website: https://www.augustecommunityaidproject.org/
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Council recently approved moving forward with a visioning plan to guide ULC in discerning what God is calling us to be as we come to the end of our mortgage obligation. Join us for an interactive group discussion as we begin to gain input from the congregation.

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