



***“Sharing the life-changing message of Jesus Christ”***

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## Welcome

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We welcome you in Christ’s name and thank you for sharing this worship moment with us. May this time of praise both honor God and inspire you.

We invite you to join us following worship for a time of fellowship with coffee & treats in our Fellowship Hall (through the glass doors in the gathering area).

If you are looking for a church home, come and explore all that Calvary has to offer. Please fill out a blue “Communion Participation & Visitor Registration” card, located in the pew pockets, so that we may get to know you better. You may drop it in the offering basket or hand it to an usher. Then feel free to stop in at our “Welcome Desk” and pick up more information about our many ministries.

If you have any questions, please speak with the Pastor or any of our staff or volunteers wearing a grey nametag.

*Please silence cell phones during worship.*

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***April 29-30, 2017***

***Third Sunday of Easter***

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# Order of Worship

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LBW: Lutheran Book of Worship (green)  
WOV: With One Voice (blue)

RPB: Red Pew Bible  
\*please stand as able

The entire worship service is projected on the screen.

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## **PREPARATORY PRAYER**

God, who by the humiliation of your Son raised up the fallen world: Grant to your faithful people perpetual gladness, and make those whom you have delivered from the danger of everlasting death partakers of eternal joys; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

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**PRELUDE:** “Christ is Risen! Alleluia”

Improvisation

## **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **\*THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

**P:** In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

**P:** Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God’s mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

We give you thanks, O God, for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters and by your Word you created the world, calling forth life in which you took delight.

Through the waters of the flood you delivered Noah and his family. Through the sea you led your people Israel from slavery into freedom. At the river your Son was baptized by John and anointed with the Holy Spirit. By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons, making us heirs of your promise and servants of all.

We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life, and above all we praise you for the gift of new life in Jesus Christ. Shower us with

your Spirit, and renew our lives with your forgiveness, grace, and love.

To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

**\*OPENING HYMN:** “Christ is Risen! Alleluia!” LBW 131

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE:** “This is the Feast” LBW pg. 60

**\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: Let us pray.

**C: O God, by the humiliation of your Son you raised up this fallen world. Teach us whom you have rescued from endless death to have the fullness of eternal joy. Open our hearts with your gospel, that they may burn with the Holy Spirit and devotion to your kingdom. Through Jesus your Son, who with the same Spirit reign with you, one God now and forever. Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS:** Acts 2:14, 36-41  
Psalm 116:1-14  
1 Peter 1:17-25  
Luke 24:13-35

**CHILDREN’S SERMON (Sunday Only)**

**SERMON** Pastor Ken Nelson

**\*SERMON HYMN:** “Alleluia! Jesus is Risen” WOV 674

**\*APOSTLES’ CREED** LBW pg. 65

**\*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**\*SHARING OF CHRIST’S PEACE**

**OFFERING:** “Christians, to the Pascal Victim” Wilbur Held

**\*OFFERTORY:** “Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful” LBW pg. 66

**\*GREAT THANKSGIVING** LBW pg. 68

<b>*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY</b>	LBW pg. 69
<b>*WORDS OF INSTITUTION</b>	
<b>*THE LORD’S PRAYER</b>	LBW pg. 71
<b>LAMB OF GOD</b>	LBW pg. 72
<b>COMMUNION: “Offertoire”</b>	Louis Boellmann
<b>*POST COMMUNION BLESSING</b>	LBW pg. 72
<b>*POST COMMUNION CANTICLE: “Thank the Lord”</b>	LBW pg. 72
<b>*POST COMMUNION PRAYER</b>	LBW pg. 74
<b>*BENEDICTION</b>	
<b>*CLOSING HYMN: “The Strife is O’er, the Battle Done”</b>	LBW 135
<b>DISMISSAL</b>	
<b>POSTLUDE: “The Strife is O’er”</b>	Wilbur Held

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He has Risen!  
 Alleluia!



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# Notes on Worship

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Thank you for worshipping with us. Large print bulletins are available from an usher. The right half of the Sanctuary as you face the altar is equipped with a hearing loop system for use with hearing aides or upon request, a headset.



## **Worship Books**

Though the entire service is projected on the screen, if you'd like to refer to the music for a hymn, you will find our hymn books in the pew-back in front of you. "Page" numbers are in the front, "Hymn" numbers are the larger numbers on the top corners of the page.

## **Communion**

All those who are baptized and believe that Christ is present in this meal are welcome to receive communion with us.

When directed by an Usher, please come forward using the center aisle and kneel or stand at the altar rail. You will receive the bread then the wine. Grape juice & gluten free wafers are available upon request. Children who do not yet commune receive a blessing. Once you have been served, please return to your pew by the side aisles.

If you are unable to come forward but wish to receive communion, let an Usher know and communion will be brought to you.

## **Flowers for the Altar**

Thank you for your gracious gestures of assisting in beautifying the altar with flowers. The cost is \$35. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex.

## **Sunday Hospitality Treats**

Sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex to provide treats (donuts, bagels, etc.) for Sunday hospitality time following worship. You may bring the treats (3-4 dozen) or simply add a "P" behind your name and pay \$30 to the church office and the treats will be purchased for you.

## **Next Week's Lesson**

First Lesson: Acts 2:42-47

Second Lesson: 1 Peter 2:19-25

Psalm 23

John 10:1-10

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# Prayers of the People

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**Healing, comfort & strength for:** Mary Ellen Thiede; Donna Schroeder; Jan Chesner; Barb Synder; Juanita Osowski; Lily Uhren; Mary Dentice (mother of Tony Dentice); Erica Adams (friend of Tony & Krista Dentice); John Nielsen (brother of Judy Kestly); Jane Smith (sister of Judy Sayas); Judy Osowski (sister of Juanita Osowski); Barb Dewey (mother of Sallie Schulz); Casey Clark (grandson of Judy Kestly); Darryl Olson (brother of Leah Morris); former Calvary organist, Bill Bravener; Rick Kebbekus (brother-in-law of Sallie Schulz).

**Serving in the Military:** Nicole Wahlgren (daughter of Kevin and Cathy Wahlgren, serving in the Army National Guard); Zachery Becker (grandson of Reg & Sue Becker, serving in US Army); Samantha Bland (daughter of Kim Nyka); Kyle Pierce (son of Karen & Keith Pierce, serving in the US Army); Alex Olson (Air Force, grandchild of Ardath Olson); all military chaplains; and all veterans suffering with post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

**For All Men and Women Serving:** Police Officers, Firefighters, & First Responders.

**Serving in the mission field:** Our NALC missionaries and missionaries everywhere, who take the Gospel of Christ Jesus to those who are perishing.

As a general guideline, we place people on the weekly prayer list for two weeks but will keep them on longer as needed. Please keep us updated. See the Crossroads for our long-term and shut-in prayer lists.

Please inform the church office of any births, illnesses, hospitalizations, deaths or any prayer requests, as well as changes in contact information or family status.

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## Mission & Outreach

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### Mission of the Month

#### Compassion International

Compassion International exists as an advocate for children, to release them from their spiritual, economic, social and physical poverty and enable them to become responsible and fulfilled Christian adults. This is done in a variety of ways. For the Calvary Congregation, we are most familiar with their Water of Life and Child Sponsorship programs. Our focus is on the Water of Life program to purchase water filtration systems. There is also an opportunity to sponsor children.



Your gift to Compassion's Water of Life will provide

- A safe water system that provides a lifetime of safe water
- Training and resources needed to clean & maintain the system and ensure lasting use
- Water sources, such as wells, when needed
- Knowledge about hygiene and safety through training and education
- Health, life, and hope for a child and their entire family

Use your weekly offering envelopes, white envelopes in the pew back or give online. Checks should be made out to Calvary Lutheran Church and note: April Mission of the Month.

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## News & Opportunities

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### The Bible's Big Story - Our Story

**Thursday, May 4, 7-9 p.m.**

Ever wish the Bible were easier to understand? Discover a roadmap and timeline to make the bible's big story clearer. Join us for an evening of discovery that will forever change the way you read the Bible and think about Jesus Christ. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall.

### New Members Class - Spread the Word!

Know of someone looking for a church home? Now is their opportunity

to learn more about Calvary and our family of faith with Pastor Ken! Classes will be offered from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. on Sundays, April 23 and 30, **OR** Tuesday, May 2, from 7 - 9 p.m. Classes will culminate with New Member Sunday, May 7. Please call the church office at (262) 786-4010 to register or with any questions.

### **Meet Your Deacon - THIS WEEKEND!**

Please stop in the Fellowship Hall after worship services on April 29 & 30 to meet your deacon for a quick visit and some delicious snacks. There will be signs on the tables indicating the deacons' names and the sections of the alphabet they serve.

### **“A Return to Grace: Luther’s Life and Legacy”**

Christ the Lord Lutheran Church and School is hosting a screening of “A Return to Grace: Luther’s Life and Legacy” on Wednesday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Marcus Majestic Cinema. Tickets are \$10. If you are interested, **purchase your tickets by May 3 at** <http://brookfield2.newluthermovie.com/> **or purchase through the church office (262) 786-4010 or Ruby Hauch by Sunday, April 30.** Call Ruby at (262) 782-5216 with any questions.

### **Calvary ROCKS with “*Kindness through Cookies*”!**

Last year we set our April goal for 200 dozen cookies for Luther Manor's Health Care residents. Did we do 200 dozen? NOOOO— our wonderful congregation *loved* on those residents with 252 DOZEN cookies and was the top cookie congregation in 2016! Let's top that in 2017!

Did you know each weekday Luther Manor volunteers deliver cookies, coffee and tea to 200+ residents of the Health Care Center? Please consider donating homemade or packaged, store bought cookies. Softer cookies, without nuts or seeds comply with the dietary needs of many residents. No time for baking? Those soft wafer bars that typically come in vanilla, strawberry, and chocolate, are a HUGE winner for melting in the mouth. And inexpensive at Aldi or even the Dollar Store. Any day in April, drop off your cookies in the Calvary kitchen and fill out the labels provided in the kitchen.



## **SALT on the Road - Friday, May 5 at 11 a.m.**

Calling all Calvary members (and friends) who are 60 or older!

YOU are a **S**enior **A**dult **L**iving **T**riumphantly!

YOU are the SALT of the earth!

And you are invited to go on a road trip for a tour of St. Josaphat's Basilica on Friday, May 5. Details and sign-up are posted on the glass doors of the Narthex. For any questions, please contact Grace Gunnlaugsson at [gracemg@mac.com](mailto:gracemg@mac.com) or (262) 369-3910.

## **Sign Making Party**

You are invited to a “make and take” sign party on **Sunday, May 7 at 1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall**. The boards turn out great and look store bought. It is super easy – no special skills required. It is family friendly so bring your child, yourself, grab a friend and let's have some fun. The per person cost is \$20 for one sign (4” x 24”), \$38 for two signs or \$56 for three signs. Sign up is on the glass doors in the Narthex.

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# **Christian Education and Youth**

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## **Adult & Youth Christian Education**

Christian Education continues on Sunday, April 30. This includes adult and Sunday School. All adults are welcome to join Wayne Johnson's “In Depth Scripture Study” or Jim Harrison's study: “Tackling Today's Topics”.

## **Pastor's Bible Study**

We will continue to study Luther's Small Catechism. Our next meeting is on Wednesday, May 3, at noon. Bring your Bibles!

## **Upcoming Youth Group Meetings - RSVP today to [PastorDawn@Calvarylc.com](mailto:PastorDawn@Calvarylc.com) !**

**3rd—5th Grade Group** - Sunday, April 30 from 11:30 - 1p. Lunch, Lesson and a mini-Geocaching Event!

**High School and Middle School Students!** - Saturday, May 13, at 2:30 pm we will make the trek to **ComedySportz** in Milwaukee for a fun, funny show followed by dinner together. We'll need a couple adult drivers, who will watch for free! **\$5 per student due to [PastorDawn@CalvaryLC.com](mailto:PastorDawn@CalvaryLC.com) or text 760-208-0986 when you RSVP by May 7.** Friends are welcome!



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# This Week at Calvary

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## Monday, May 1, 2017

## Tuesday, May 2, 2017

- 9:30a Staff Meeting
- 6:00p Celebration Ringers
- 7:00p New Member Class
- 7:00p Families Anon
- 7:30p Non Smoking AA

Office Hours Mon-Fri 8 a.m. –noon
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## Wednesday, May 3, 2017

- 7:00a Men's Breakfast
- 9:00a Amazing Grace Bible Study
- 12:00p Pastor's Bible Study
- 7:00p Alleluia Choir

## Thursday, May 4, 2017

- 9:00a Quilters
- 3:00p St. John Vianney kitchen use
- 6:30p DivorceCare
- 7:00p Christian Education Committee
- 7:00p "The Bible's Big Story - Our Story"

## Friday, May 5, 2017

- 11:00a SALT on the Road - St Josaphat's Basilica
- 12:00p Al Anon

## Saturday, May 6, 2017 *Name Tag Weekend*

- 8:30a Deacon Day of Renewal
- 5:00p Worship

## Sunday, May 7, 2017 *Name Tag Weekend; New Member Sunday*

- 8:00a Youth & Family Committee
- 9:00a Worship
- 10:15a Cherub Choir
- 10:20a Contemporary Musicians
- 10:30a Adult, HS, Confirmation & Sunday School Education
- 11:30a Confirmation Rehearsal & Lunch
- 1:00p Sign Making Party

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## This Weekend at Calvary

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### Saturday, April 29, 2017

- 8:00a Council Retreat  
5:00p Worship  
6:00p Meet your Deacon

### Sunday, April 30, 2017

- 9:00a Worship  
10:00a Meet your Deacon  
10:15a Cherub Choir  
10:20a Contemporary Musicians  
10:30a New Member Class  
10:30a Adult, HS, Confirmation & Sunday School Christian Ed  
11:30a 3rd - 5th Grade Youth Group

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## Serving at Worship

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**Presiding Minister:** Pastor Ken Nelson

**Organist:** Gene Traas

**Assisting Minister:** Kevin Wahlgren

**Lector:** Tina Baumgartner

**Acolytes:** Jared Springer, Rebecca Warber

**Altar Guild:** Shirley Brodell, Marge Tyne

**Children's Sermon:** Pastor Ken Nelson

**Deacons:** Saturday - Carol Roe

Sunday - Mary Ellen Thiede, Rich Baumgartner, Judy Sayas

**Greeters:** Saturday - Scott & Peggy Langelin

Sunday - Jonni Roush, Marilyn Hermann,  
Wayne & Bonnie Johnson

**PowerPoint Tech:** Saturday - Lydia Trudell

Sunday - Grace Gunnlaugsson

**Ushers:** Jim Harrison, Mark Trudell, Dale Berger, Dan Berger

**Visitor Hosts:** Mary Smith, Mark Trudell

**Hospitality:** Deacons

**Flowers:** Chuck & Jan Lukasik in celebration of their 36th wedding anniversary.