Calvary Lutheran Church



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RALLY DAY is just around the corner!

Make plans to join us for Rally Day on Sunday, September 9! Following the 9:00 a.m. worship, there will be time for the Sunday School students (and parents) to briefly meet their teachers. Adults can enjoy a cup of coffee in the Narthex.

A potluck lunch will follow at 10:30 a.m. along with games for all ages. Please sign up on the glass doors so that we can plan accordingly. Hope you can join us!

Walk for Water With Pastor Ken

Join Pastor Ken on Saturday, September 8 for a 3.2 mile walk to support <u>World Vision</u>. World Vision is a global Christian relief, development and advocacy organization dedicated to working with children, families and communities to overcome poverty and injustice.

Why 3.2 miles? That's the average distance people walk in the developing world to get their water every day. 100% of the money collected will be used by World vision to support their

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We will gather at Calvary at 8:30 a.m. and walk east along Gebhardt Road, then south on Pilgrim Parkway to the Dousman Stagecoach Inn Museum. At that point, we will turn around and walk back to church along the same route. Registration is \$10/adult (children are free).

If you'd like to join Pastor Ken, please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex. A registration form will be emailed to you and will be collected the day of the Walk. All are welcome!

Lutheran World Relief Project Promise

Backpacks were made for the School Kits during Mission Servant Month and are ready to be filled with school supplies. The empty backpacks can be found on the table underneath the TV in the Narthex. The shopping list is also on the table, and you can't miss the overflowing collection bin! More information can be found <u>HERE</u>.

Personal Care Kits are also being assembled. The shopping list and collection bin is also at the table.

The Quilters are Back!

The Quilters will resume their bi-monthly quilting sessions on September 6th and they are always looking for new folks to join them. They meet on the **first** and **third Thursday** of the month at 9:00 a.m. in Room 109.

NO EXPERIENCE IS NECESSARY!

Monday Morning Movie

The monthly Monday Morning Movies will resume on **September 17 at 10:00 a.m**. with the viewing of "SULLY".

On Jan. 15, 2009, Captain Chesley "Sully" Sullenberger (Tom Hanks) tries to make an emergency landing in New York's Hudson River after US Airways Flight 1549 strikes a flock of geese. Miraculously, all of the 155 passengers and crew survive the harrowing ordeal, and Captain Sullenberger becomes a national hero in the eyes of the public and the media.

Despite the accolades, the famed pilot now faces an investigation that threatens to destroy his career and reputation.

Come and learn Captain Sully's amazing story. All are welcome - bring a friend!

Pastor Ken's Wednesday Bible Study Resumes September 5

Summer is almost over ... and that means it's time for Pastor Ken to resume his weekly Bible Study.

Join him on Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall, **starting on September 5.**

Women's Ministry Book Club Resumes on Monday, September 10 1-2:30pm in the Media Room

This month's book selection is: Etta and Otto and Russell and James" by Emma Hooper

If you have any questions about the Book Club, please contact Grace Gunnlaugsson at gracemg@mac.com.

Youth & Family Ministry Summer Schedule

As we wind down the summer, there are several opportunities available for youth and families to get together. Here's a look at what's coming up over the next couple of weeks.

Friday, August 17PJ's and Prayers6:30 p.m.Sunday, August 26Backpack
Blessing9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, August F.I.R.M. BBQ & 5:30 p.m. 29 Potluck Sunday, September 9 RALLY SUNDAY 9:00 a.m.

Any questions should be directed to Angie Schatz at <u>angieschatz@outlook.com</u>.

S.A.L.T. (Senior Adults Living Triumphantly)

"For Your Eyes Only" Thursday, September 20

11:00am

If you're 60 or older - or even if you're not, but this sounds interesting to you - we hope you can join us for a program devoted to your eyes, all of our aging eyes.

We'll begin in the sanctuary with a short DVD introducing our topic for the day, age-related macular degeneration (AMD). This is a health issue that affects nearly all of us seniors at some point, whether it's watching for early indicators or dealing with the actual disease. Our own Audrey McGarvie will share her experience with us after the DVD.

At 11:45am we'll enjoy a light lunch in Fellowship Hall (free will offering), and at 12:15pm we'll be joined by Dr. Mackenzie Sward from Milwaukee Eye Care for an explanation of AMD and an update on current treatments. There will be time for questions of Dr. Sward after her prestentation. There will also be a table of resource materials you can take home.

Because this is such an important topic, we encourage you to invite your friends and neighbors to join us!

WATCH FOR THE SIGN UP SHEET ON THE GLASS DOORS IN THE NARTHEX

August Mission of the Month OPPORTUNITY INTERNATIONAL

For the month of August, we will continue our support of Opportunity International.

Opportunity International provides small business loans, savings, insurance and training to more than 2.5 million people working their way out of poverty in the developing world. Their loan repayment rate is consistently above 90%.

To learn more about Opportunity International, check out this <u>link</u>. Your financial contributions to Calvary's Mission of the Month during August support Opportunity International and the financing of micro-loans in poverty-stricken areas.

Use your weekly offering envelopes or a white pew envelope to contribute and note "Mission of the Month - August" on your check and/or envelope.

Let Us Know You're Here ...

If you will be in the church during regular office hours (Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. until noon), please stop by the office when you arrive and let the staff know that you are in the building. Thank you!

August Crossroads

Click on the link below for the *Crossroads monthly newsletter* for insights on what's happened and happening at Calvary Lutheran Church!

Current Crossroads

Summer Sermon Series

Pastor Ken hopes you are enjoying his Summer Sermon Series as he begins a new topic, "The Holy Spirit Month". This weekend's sermon will be on "The Work of the Spirit - Gathering the Christian Church".

Pastor Ken's previous sermons can always be found on the <u>www.calvarylc.com</u> homepage, or by clicking on the link below.

Prior Sundays' Sermons

Calvary Office Hours



Upcoming Events at Calvary

Men's Ministry Gathering	August 23
Walk for Water with Pastor Ken	September 8
Rally Day	September 9
Stephen Minister Commissioning	September 9
Women's Ministry Book Club	September 10
Faith Webbing Workshop	September 15
S.A.L.T. "For Your Eyes Only"	September 20
"Drawn to the Word" Worship & Artistic Experience	November 3-4

More information can be found in the weekly bulletins or the monthly *Crossroads* newsletter.