Calvary Lutheran Church



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Mission Servant Month Hunger Task Force Food Sort SATURDAY, JUNE 23

We need a few more helping hands for one of the last activities for Mission Servant Month. Join us on <u>Saturday</u>, June 23 to sort food at Hunger Task Force.

If you can help, please meet at church at 8:15am to grab your t-shirt and carpool to their warehouse on Hawley Road. All participants *must* wear closed toed shoes - no sandals or flip flops. Ages 12 to 15 must have an adult with them. Bring a friend. Questions?

Contact RoJean Holler at 262.853.8212. See you Saturday!

Indianapolis -- Here they come!

These High School youth will be heading to Indianapolis on June 23 for their summer mission trip, along with chaperones Megan Sayas and Pastor Ken. *Please keep them all in your prayers for safe travel and a rewarding mission trip experience.*

- Natalie Anderson
- Daniel Berger

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- Emily Berger
- Mary Baumgartner
- Chloe Ewings (niece of Megan Sayas)
- Ingrid Nelson
- Gwen Rian
- Jared Springer

They will participate in an upcoming worship service in August and will share more about their mission trip experience.

Youth & Family Ministry Summer Schedule

The summer schedule for youth and family ministry opportunities is hot off the press. The full event calendar can be downloaded <u>HERE</u> (*There are two pages to this calendar - be sure to scroll to the end.*) Copies of the calendar are also available in the Narthex.

Here's a look at what's coming up over the next couple weeks.

 Tuesday, 6/26
 Swings & Scoops
 6:00-8:30pm

 Thursday, 6/28
 Pray & Play Time
 9:00 - 11:00am

 Thursday, 7/5
 Camp Kids
 9:00-11:00am

Any questions should be directed to Angie Schatz at angieschatz@outlook.com.

July 4th Parade Hospitality Tent

Plans are underway for our annual Hospitality Tent during the City of Brookfield's annual July 4th Parade. The Praise Band will be performing outside before the parade. Cookies and bottled water will be offered to those who pass by our hospitality tent on the Calhoun side of church.

How can you help?

-- Donate cookies (sign-up sheet is on the table in the Narthex)
 -- Bring bottled water (Please leave cases of water in classroom #104)



-- **Sign up to help** with set up, serving or clean up (sign-up sheet is on the glass doors in the Narthex)

If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

The Summer Choir Wants YOU!

The Summer Choir will participate in worship on July 15 and August 19.

How does this impromptu choir work? Participants arrive at the Choir Room at 8:15am, learn a simple anthem, and then sing at 9:00am worship.

It's an easy, low-impact way to explore being part of the music ministry at Calvary. If you're interested, just show up! Questions? Gene Traas can be reached at music@calvarylc.com.

Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus

It's time for **participants and volunteers** to sign up for this summer's Vacation Bible School, which will be held:

> July 30 - August 3 9am - 2pm each day

NEW this year is online signup: <u>VBS SIGN</u> <u>UP.</u> Volunteers should also use this process to sign up.

All are welcome - Invite your friends and neighbors to join us as we chart a course to navigate Shipwreck Island!

Questions? Please contact Angle Schatz at <u>angleschatz@outlook.com.</u>

Our Little Free Library Needs More Books

Did you know that we have a Little Free Library exchange box by the playground on the east side of the parking lot? Your donation of new or gently-used books is always welcome especially for the younger children who may be using our playground over the summer. Please drop off any books in the church office and we'll make sure they get into the box.

Used/New Sporting Equipment/Clothing Drive

The Mission and Outreach Committee of Calvary is sponsoring a collection of new and gently-used sports clothing (uniforms) and equipment for any sport. Are you cleaning out your basement or garage and have uniforms or equipment that your kids have outgrown? Consider donating your items to this drive, which will benefit the Boys & Girls of Milwaukee. There is a collection bin in the Narthex during the month of June. If you have any questions, please contact Marcella Nelson.

New/Used Illustrated Bible Collection for BASICS

The Mission and Outreach Committee is collecting new and gently-used illustrated Bibles for children. These will be shared with BASICS (Brothers and Sisters in Christ Serving) in Milwaukee. Goodwill stores and garage sales are good places to find gentlyused Bibles. There is a collection bin in the Narthex. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Berger.

Mission of the Month - June NALC Disaster Response Fund Lutheran World Relief

The NALC Disaster Response Fund provides resources to respond to domestic natural disaster, working through local NALC congregations, as well as other compatible disaster relief organizations.

Lutheran World Relief (LWR) works to improve harvest, health and education in 35 countries each year. LWR partners train local men and women to produce local foods, dig low-cost wells and protect and restore their local environments. To support the Mission Servant Month projects, use your weekly offering envelopes or the white envelopes found in the pews. Checks should be made out to Calvary Lutheran Church and note: June Mission of the Month.

Amazon Smile Program

AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com) is a website operated by Amazon with the same products, prices, and shopping features as Amazon.com. The difference is that when you shop on AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price of eligible products to the charitable organization of your choice. (You will see eligible products marked "Eligible for AmazonSmile donation" on their product detail pages.)

Calvary Lutheran Church is a registered recipient of AmazonSmile donations! Their minimum donation amount is \$5, so even those small purchases will result in Calvary receiving funds. For more information about the AmazonSmile program, go to http://smile.amazon.com/about.

June Crossroads

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

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Pastor's Sermons

Pastor Ken hopes you're enjoying his Summer Sermon Series on the "**The Book that is a Library**". This weekend's sermon will be given by Pastor Jerry Wittmus and will be focused on the "**Gospels Section**". Click on the link below for last weekend's sermon, "**The Prophetic Writings Section**". This can also be found on the <u>www.calvarylc.com</u> homepage, along with prior weeks' sermons, by clicking on the link below.

Most Recent Sunday Sermon

Prior Sundays' Sermons

Membership Directory

We will be updating the Membership Directory in the near future. We are in the process of scheduling one weekend when Mark and Lydia Trudell will be available to take (or re-take, if needed) photos at church. Watch for more information in the Bulletin and Connections. If you need an address or phone number of a fellow member, please call the office at 262.786.4010.

Calvary Office Hours

Monday through Friday

8 a.m. - noon



Upcoming Events at Calvary

High School Mission Trip	June 23-29
Swings & Scoops	June 26
Pray & Play Time	June 28
Hospitality Tent - July 4 Parade	July 4
Camp Kids	July 5
Vacation Bible School	July 30-August 3
Starry Nights - Whiskey Belles	August 3

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