



“Sharing the life-changing message of Jesus Christ”

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Welcome

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.

March 10-11, 2018

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Order of Worship

LBW: Lutheran Book of Worship (green)

RPB: Red Pew Bible

WOV: With One Voice (blue)

HS: Hymnal Supplement (maroon)

*please stand as able

The entire worship service is projected on the screen.

PREPARATORY PRAYER

Grant, we beseech you, almighty God, that we, who for our evil deeds deserve to be punished, by the comfort of your grace may mercifully be set free; through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

PRELUDE: “Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

S. B. Kinyon

(Sunday: Celebration Ringers)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS**

WOV pg. 10

***OPENING HYMN:** “O Lord, Throughout These Forty Days” LBW 99

***KYRIE**

WOV pg. 28

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray.

C: God of all mercy, by your power to heal and to forgive, graciously cleanse us from all sin and make us strong; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Numbers 21:4-9, RPB pg. 242

Psalms 107:1-9, RPB pg. 947

Ephesians 2:1-10, RPB pg. 1,818

John 3:14-21, RPB pg. 1,650

CHILDREN’S SERMON (Sunday Only)

SERMON:	Pastor Ken Nelson
*SERMON HYMN: “Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing”	LBW 363
*APOSTLES’ CREED	WOV pg. 33
*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & SHARING OF CHRIST’S PEACE	
OFFERING: “For the Least of My Brothers”	Dolores Hruby (Sunday: Alleluia Choir)
*OFFERTORY: “Let the Vineyards be Fruitful, Lord”	WOV pg. 35
*GREAT THANKSGIVING AND WORDS OF INSTITUTION	WOV pg. 36
*THE LORD’S PRAYER	WOV pg. 39
LAMB OF GOD	WOV pg. 39
COMMUNION: “Meditation”	Leon Boellmann
*POST COMMUNION BLESSING & CANTICLE	WOV pg. 40
*BENEDICTION	
*CLOSING HYMN: “Alas, And Did My Savior Bleed”	LBW 98
DISMISSAL	
POSTLUDE: “Menuet Gothique”	Leon Boellmann

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TIME OF PRAYER FOR THE CALL PROCESS

We invite everyone to join the Call Committee, Council, and Deacons as we pray before the altar immediately following worship. We’ll pray for The Call process, the person the Holy Spirit has identified to be our next Director of Youth & Family, the congregation, and the Call Committee, that we may discern and obey God’s will.

Notes on Worship

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: Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalm 119:9-16

Second Lesson: Hebrews 5:1-10

Gospel: Mark 10:32-45

Prayers of the People

Healing, comfort & strength for: Barb Branston; George Rooney; Lowell Sonderman; Lee Hermann; Theodore Peelen (grandpa of Tony & Krista Dentice); Sue Bellin (friend of Terry Bzdusek); Jeni (daughter of Pat Treutelaar); Richard Pickhardt; (brother of Lucy Dallmann); Scott Borgardt (friend of Julie Matthes); Tom Grenell (friend of Lydia & Mark Trudell); Elizabeth Bruns (mother of Carol Rooney); Dorothy Kealey (mother of Sue Rowe); Terry Knoke (friend of Megan Sayas); Tam (friend of Judy Sayas); Kard Pierce (brother of Keith Pierce); Joe Frank (cousin of Mary Ellen Thiede); Pastor Joel Diemer (former interim Pastor at Calvary); Delores Seel (Keith Pierce's mother); Stan Strzykalski (friend of Ernie & Laurie Kretschmann); Mary Lou (friend of Judy Kestly); Brad Gabriel (friend of Swanson-Rian family); Bonnie (sister of Roberta Stepp); Casey Clark (grandson of Judy Kestly); Darryl Olson (brother of Leah Morris); and former Calvary organist, Bill Bravener.

Serving in the Military: Nicole Wahlgren (daughter of Kevin and Cathy Wahlgren, serving in the Army National Guard); Mike (friend of the Voss family); 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: NALC missionaries and all missionaries who share the life-changing message of Jesus Christ around the world.

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.

Mission & Outreach

Mission of the Month: Youth Programs



We all look forward to summer fun. Our youth also look forward to summer's opportunity for a week at Bible Camp and/or THE Mission Trip. Bible Camp at Lutherdale is full of fun-learning, praising, and worshipping. Campers are with kids from other churches sharing their faith, learning through fun songs and activities to grow their personal connection to Christ, creating those rooted experiences which last a lifetime. This camp ranges from \$410-\$500 depending how early kids register. Some families have more than one camper. We can support our campers with contributions to reduce costs that may otherwise inhibit them from attending.

“THE” Mission Trip creates amazing memorable outcomes. Much planning and preparation goes into them and it is a substantial financial investment as well. So much internalizing of faith, personal and communal, are the result of THE Mission Trip. Our youth bond with each other, and with other Christians from across the country. There is sacrifice, serving, learning, praising, sharing, shaping, worshipping and fun!

Please consider a generous gift to support our youth in these life changing summer youth programs. Use your weekly offering envelopes or a white pew envelope to contribute and note “Mission of the Month” on your check and/or envelope.

News & Opportunities

Food Sunday

A Wee Bit O’Green . . . Beans, peas, spinach, etc. are the items requested for the next Food Sunday with collection on **March 17-18**. Other items of need are rice, pasta, peanut butter, soups, canned meats, fruits or vegetables, and cereals. If you prefer to make a monetary contribution, please mark your envelope or check with the notation “Food Pantry”. Your continued support of the Waukesha Food Pantry is greatly appreciated - thank you!

Meet Your Deacon!

We have six new deacons and six continuing deacons excited to meet with the congregation after **worship on Saturday, March 17 or Sunday, March 18**. Check the table signs to see who is your deacon. Please be sure to stop by and say hi to your deacon.

Connections Magazine

The 10th anniversary of the *Connections* magazine (March/April) is now available. A limited number of copies are available in the Narthex. Pick yours up today.

Midweek Lenten Suppers and Worship

Weekly during Lent, we will meet on Wednesdays for Worship at 7 p.m. Join us Wednesday, March 14, at 6 p.m., for a simple supper of soup, salad, bread, and dessert prior Worship. Join us for this time of repentance, reflection and renewal before the celebration of Easter.

Easter Continental Brunch

Celebrate the Resurrection of Our Lord with a continental brunch in the Fellowship Hall following 9 a.m. worship on Sunday, April 1. Sign up of the sheet posted on the Narthex glass doors.

Flowers for Easter Worship

Help beautify our altar for the celebration of the resurrection of our Lord on Easter Sunday with the purchase of flowers. It is also a wonderful way to honor someone special in your life. Please use the form included in the bulletin or located in the Narthex.

Family Good Friday Event - March 30

All Families are invited to gather at 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for the Family Good Friday Event. We will walk through the events of holy week, make a hand print mural and hear about God's amazing love for us. All are invited to attend this special event and are then invited to worship at 7 p.m.

Prayer, Does It Make Any Difference?

Find out during this six week study session on prayer using Philip Yancey's "Prayer, Does It Make Any Difference?" Join us on Saturday mornings March 17 and 24 from 9 - 10 a.m. in the Media Room 110 **OR**

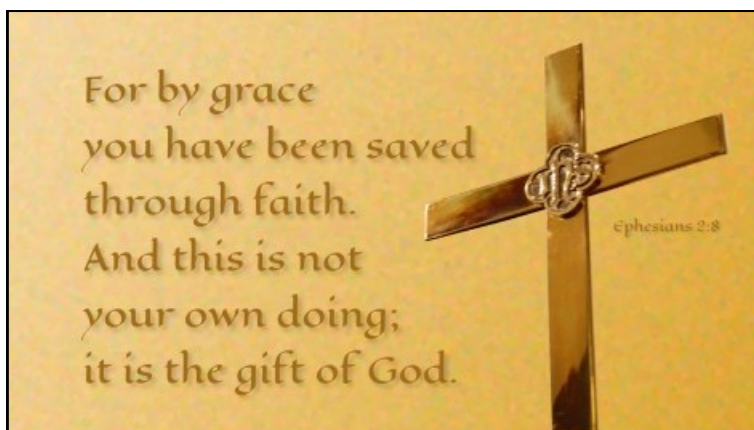
Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. on March 13, 20, and 27 in Room 102. The book and participant guide are \$20. They are also available used online or in e-book format. You are welcome to come to any of the sessions even if you cannot attend all. Contact Marcella Nelson with any questions at (701) 833-5157.

Sunset Playhouse Vouchers Available

Calvary has a number of Sunset Playhouse Vouchers available for a reduced price of \$15 each. Each voucher entitles the bearer to one complimentary ticket to a Furlan Auditorium Production (“Into The Woods,” “Don’t Dress For Dinner,” Any Number Can Die,” or “The Producers”) or Musical Main Stage Concert Series (“Heard It Through The Grapevine: The Magic of Motown” or “Band On The Run”). Call the Office at (262) 786-4010 to acquire this great deal. Remember - *Entertainment Begins at Sunset!*

Staffed Nursery

Child care is available during Worship in the staffed nursery on Sunday mornings. Erica Zipp is coordinating the staffing. Please let her know if you are available to help.



Christian Education and Youth

Christian Education

Christian Education meets today, Sunday, March 11, at 10:30 a.m.
Visitors and friends are always welcome to join!

PreK-Kindergarten	Room 103
1st, 2nd & 3rd	Room 104
4th & 5th	Room 106
Confirmation	Sanctuary
High School	Youth Room
Tackling Today's Topics	Room 102
In Depth Scripture Study	Room 110

Pastor's Bible Study - Wednesdays at 12:30p

Pastor's Bible Study will meet on March 14 in the Fellowship Hall.
During Lent, our study will focus on "Why Did Jesus Have to Die -
Lessons on the Atonement". All are welcome!

Upcoming Activities

Meet Your Deacon	March 17, 6 p.m.
	March 18, 10 a.m.
Food Sunday	March 17-18
Palm Sunday	March 24-25
Maundy Thursday Worship	March 29, 7 p.m.
Family Good Friday Event	March 30, 6 p.m.
Good Friday Worship	March 30, 7 p.m.

This Week at Calvary

Monday, March 12, 2018 *Serenity Inn Meal Program*

- 1:00p Women's Book Group
- 7:00p Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, March 13, 2018

- 9:30a Staff Meeting
- 10:30a Women's Bible Study
- 6:00p Celebration Ringers
- 7:00p Deacon Meeting
- 7:00p Families Anon
- 7:30p Non Smoking AA
- 7:30p Prayer Study Session

Office Hours Mon-Fri 8 a.m. –noon

Wednesday, March 14, 2018 *Council Reports Due*

- 7:00a Men's Breakfast
- 8:30a Executive Committee
- 12:30p Pastor Bible Study
- 6:00p Lenten Supper
- 7:00p Lenten Worship
- 7:45p Alleluia Choir

Thursday, March 15, 2018

- 9:00a Quilters
- 6:30p Evangelism Committee

Friday, March 16, 2018

- 12:00p Al Anon

Saturday, March 17, 2018 *Food Sunday*

- 9:00a Prayer Study Session
- 5:00p Worship
- 6:00p Meet Your Deacon

Sunday, March 18, 2018 *Food Sunday*

- 9:00a Worship - First Communion
- 10:00a Meet Your Deacon
- 10:15a Sunday School Choir
- 10:30a Contemporary Musicians
- 10:30a Adult, High School, Confirmation and Sunday School
Christian Education

This Weekend at Calvary

Saturday, March 10, 2018

9:00a Prayer Study Session
5:00p Worship

Sunday, March 11, 2018

9:00a Worship
10:15a Sunday School Choir
10:30a Contemporary Musicians
10:30a Adult, High School, Confirmation and Sunday School
Christian Education
11:30a First Communion Class

Serving at Worship

Presiding Minister: Pastor Ken Nelson

Organist: Gene Traas

Assisting Minister: Lee Tyne

Lector: Chris Spangenberg

Acolytes: Scott Anderson, Rebecca Warber

Altar Guild: Tom & Sue Sadowsky

Children's Sermon: Mary Baumgartner

Deacons: Saturday - Ernie Kretschmann

Sunday - Rhonda Rodriguez, Al Rodriguez,
Mary Ellen Thiede

Greeters: Saturday - Ron & Jean Holman

Sunday - Herb & Judy Grosnitz

PowerPoint Tech: Saturday - Lydia Trudell

Sunday - Chuck Lukasik

Ushers: Scott & Peggy Langelin, Chuck & Jan Lukasik

Mug 'Bearer: Tom Thiede

Flowers: Lucy Dallmann in celebration of her birthday

Hospitality: Don & Fay Heyen