

"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.

Order of Worship

LBW: Lutheran Book of Worship (green) RPB: Red Pew Bible

WOV: With One Voice (blue) *please stand as able

The entire worship service is projected on the screen.

PREPARATORY PRAYER

Almighty and merciful God, it is only by your gift that your faithful people offer you true and laudable service: Grant that we may run without stumbling to obtain your heavenly promises; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

PRELUDE: "A Mighty Fortress"

Dietrich Buxtehude

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Confession & Forgiveness LBW Pg. 77

*OPENING HYMN: "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" LBW 229

KYRIE & HYMN OF PRAISE

LBW Pg. 78

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray.

C: Almighty God, gracious Lord, pour out your Holy Spirit upon your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in all temptations, defend them against all their enemies, and bestow on the Church your saving peace; 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:

Jeremiah 31:31-34

Psalm 46

Romans 3:19-28

John 8:31-36

CHILDREN'S SERMON (Sunday Only)

SERMON: Stewardship: To Prayerfully Consider Part 2

Pastor Dawn Spies

*SERMON HYMN: "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast In Your Word" LBW 230

*APOSTLE'S CREED

LBW pg. 85

*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

*SHARING OF CHRIST'S PEACE

OFFERING: "Evening and Morning"

Johann Ebeling

Sunday: Alleluia Choir

*OFFERTORY: "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful" LBW Pg. 86

*Offertory Prayer

COMMUNION: "Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"

Johann Gottfried Walther

*POST COMMUNION BLESSING

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING HYMN: "Christ is Made the Sure Foundation" WOV 747

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" Jean Langlais

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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 pastor, the congregation, and the Call Committee, that we may discern and obey God's will.

Notes on Worship

Thank you for worshiping with us today. Large print bulletins are available from an usher. Here are a few notes to help you participate fulling in worship.

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 from 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 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 Youth Hospitality Coordinator will purchase treats for you. The sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the narthex.

Next Week's Lessons

First Lesson: Revelation 7:9-17 Psalm 149 Second Lesson: 1 John 3:1-3 Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

Prayers of the People

Healing, comfort & strength for: Roy Adelman; Jan Chesner; Judy DeBruine; Lydia Trudell; Chet Elliott; George Bzdusek; Bea Foster; John Kirch (Laurie Kretschmann's brother); Scott Smith (Bob Smith's brother); Barb Dewey (mother of Sallie Schulz); Casey Clark (grandson of Judy Kestly); Dan Kelly (friend of Jim & Sandi Harrison); Amanda Clark Krause (daughter-in-law of Bill and Jane Krause); Larry Hauch (son of Ruby Hauch); Darryl Olson (brother of Leah Morris); former Calvary organist, Bill Bravener; Rick Kebbekus (brother-in-law of Sallie Schulz); Julie Starich (Mary Ellen & Tom Thiede's son's mother-in-law);

Serving in the Military: 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); Tasha Alcorta (Navy) and Alex Olson (Air Force), both are grandchildren of Ardath Olson; all military chaplains.

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.

Mission & Outreach

October Mission of the Month: Lutheran World Relief

Lutheran World Relief extends the hand of Christian love to people overcoming poverty and injustice in 50 countries. We at Calvary have used our hearts and hands for decades to extend love and compassion to those living in the harshest conditions.

This year our Christian love produced

40 school kits — 50 quilts — 17 health kits — 11 fleece blankets

This is the culmination of people using their time and talents in service for many months.

Watch your weekly "Connections" email for more information on Lutheran World Relief and how they are making a difference in the world. This week highlights their assistance in disasters.

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

News & Opportunities

Special Congregational Meeting - December 4 at 10:30 a.m

- Call Senior Pastor
- Amend Constitution related to the number of serving Council Members — change from 12 to a range of 9 to 12.

Watch for more information in the mail.

Faithful Stewardship — Four Seasons of Giving

The season to reassess your commitment of time, talent, and treasures to Calvary Lutheran Church and will conclude with pledge card weekend, November 12-13. Over the next few weeks, listen closely to the readings, sermons, and your heart as you consider your commitments to Calvary.

Welcome New Members

This Saturday, we welcome with open arms and hearts the following new members to Calvary. Please take a few minutes to introduce yourself to them

Bruce & Ruth Steffens Shirley Mahn

Adult Bible Study - New Topic Starts TODAY!

This Bible Study - "John: 13 Lessons to Deepen Our Faith in Jesus, the Son of God.", led by Wayne Johnson, promises to help you grow, make a difference and change your life. New members are always welcome. We meet in the Media Room 110 from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. The books are only \$7.50 and we have coffee!

Trunk or Treat - Sunday, October 30 - TODAY!

All are invited for a spooktacular time on October 30th at 11:30 a.m. (after church & Sunday School). Drivers young and old, decorate your car trunk and bring candy for the Trick or Treaters! Youth, bring your costumes and change into them at the end of Sunday School. Then it's time to trick or treat at the trunks! We will use the southwest corner parking lot for this activity.

DivorceCare - November 3, 2016, at 6:30 p.m.

Divorced? Separated? DivorceCare, sponsored by Calvary, is a weekly seminar/support group that will help you heal from the hurt. Contact Jenni Swanson-Rian at askdrjenni@gmail.com or call the church office for more information

Daylight Savings Time Ends - Sunday, November 6

Remember to "fall back" this next weekend and set your clocks back one hour. An extra hour for prayer, sleep, and/or family time!

Meet Your Deacon Weekend -- November 12-13

Take this opportunity to connect with your deacon after services the weekend of November 12-13 in the Fellowship Hall. Stop for a short chat and some delicious snacks!

Partners in Medical Missions - "Presents with a Purpose" *Tickets available after service today!*

Celebrate your abundance by changing a life in Guatemala with a silent auction and celebration on Saturday, November 12 from 6:30 - 10:30 p.m. at Waukesha Elks Lodge 400. Tickets are \$25 and available after Sunday service or in the church office. See the poster on the glass door of the Fellowship Hall for more information.

Christian Education and Youth

Christian Education

Calvary's Christian Education meets today! As a reminder, parents, please escort your pre-school through 3rd grade children to their classrooms and pick them up after class.



10:30-11:30 Confirmation, High School & Adult Education 10:45-11:30 Sunday School (Preschool through 5th Grade)

High School Youth Group - Sunday, Nov. 6

High School Youth Group will meet at 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. for lunch, fun and fellowship. Friends are welcome!

Littlest Lutherans PJ's & Prayers - Friday, Nov. 11

Pre-school through 2nd grade children and their families are meeting at 6 p.m. for a short movie and fun before sharing in a time of prayer. We will meet in the Youth Room 112. Children are welcomed to come in their PIs!

Middle School Youth Group - Sunday, Nov. 13

Middle School youth will meet from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Come for lunch, fellowship and some general running around. We'll likely learn about God too, so be ready!

Pastor's Bible Study - No Class on November 2!

Lost & Found

Coat Missing & Coat Found

Two more coats (one adult & one child) have joined the missing this past weekend! Please check your closets for a navy blue, 3/4 length London Fog coat taken from the coat rack on Sunday, Oct. 9, 2016. A black Anne Klein coat was left on the coat rack the weekend of Oct. 8 - 9. Could this be yours?

Lost & Found Box

Before we start bundling up more with the colder weather, please check the lost & found box by the coat rack. We would like to find the "home" for those missing items before any new additions.

Upcoming Events

October 30, 11:30a Trunk or Treat TODAY

November 3, 6:30p DivorceCare

November 6, 11:30a High School Youth Group

November 11, 6p Littlest Lutherans PJ's & Prayers
November 12-13 Meet Your Deacon Weekend

November 12, 6:30p "Presents with a Purpose" sponsored by Partners

in Medical Missions

November 13, 11:30a Middle School Youth Group

Attendance & Offering

Attendance at worship last weekend: Sat: 30 Sun: 121

Received in October to date:

General Fund \$ 24,364.12 Mission of Month \$ 920.00 Building Fund \$ 80.00

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All staff can be reached by calling the **Church Office at 262-786-4010.**

This Week at Calvary

Monday, October 31, 2016

Tuesday, November 1, 2016

9:30a Staff Meeting

6:00p Celebration Ringers

7:00p Families Anon

7:30p Non Smoking AA

Wednesday, November 2, 2016

7:00a Men's Breakfast

1:30p Amazing Grace Adult Study

7:00p Alleluia Choir

Thursday, November 3, 2016

9:00a Quilters

6:30p DivorceCare

Friday, November 4, 2016

12:00p Al Anon

Saturday, November 5, 2016 All Saints Weekend, Name Tag Weekend

5:00p Worship

Sunday, November 6, 2016 All Saints Weekend, Name Tag Weekend

8:00a Youth & Family Committee

9:00a Worship

10:15a Cherub Choir - Practice in the Sanctuary

10:20a Contemporary Musicians

10:30a Adult Education

10:30a High School Education

10:30a Confirmation Class

10:45a Sunday School

11:30a High School Youth

This Weekend at Calvary

Saturday, October 29, 2016 Reformation

5:00p Worship

Sunday, October 30, 2016 Reformation

9:00a Worship
10:15a Cherub Choir
10:20a Contemporary Musicians
10:30a Adult Education
10:30a Confirmation Class
10:30a High School Class
10:45a Sunday School (pre K - 5th grade)
11:30a Trunk or Treat

Serving at Worship

Presiding Minister: Pastor Dawn L. Spies

Organist: Gene Traas **Lector:** Sallie Schulz

Acolytes: Rebecca Warber, Bobby Vollmar **Altar Guild:** Jan Chesner, Martha Altmin

Children's Sermon: Pastor Dawn **Deacons:** Saturday - Larry Bonier

Sunday - Bill Clayton, Terry Trotier, Mary Smith

Greeters: Saturday - Scott & Peggy Langelin

Sunday - Wayne & Bonnie Johnson, Gael Hirth, Jon &

Megan Sayas

PowerPoint Tech: Saturday - Lydia Trudell

Sunday - Sue Rowe

Ushers: Tom Thiede, Mary Ellen Thiede, Ed Ramthun, Jr.

Hospitality: Don & Fay Heyen