



***“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 ‘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 Pastor Roser or any of our staff or volunteers wearing a grey nametag.

*Please silence cell phones during worship.*

**May 2 & 3, 2015**  
**Fifth Sunday in Easter**

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

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LBW: Lutheran Book of Worship (green)

RPB: Red Pew Bible

**The entire worship service is projected on the screen.**

*Large print bulletins & service order are available from any usher.*

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## PREPARATORY PRAYER

*Grant, we pray You, Almighty God: that the splendor of Your glory may shine upon us, and the ray of Your light may, by the illumination of the Holy Spirit, confirm the hearts of those who have been born again through Your grace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit: ever one God, world without end. Amen.*

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**CALL TO WORSHIP:** “Glory to God, We Give You Thanks” *by W. Greatorex*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## VISION & MISSION

## CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

**OPENING SONG:** “Holy, Holy, Holy!” LBW #165

## EASTER DIALOG

**SONG OF PRAISE:** “Glory to God, We Give You Thanks,” WOV #787, v. 1

## BLESSING OF THE PEOPLE

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us Pray...

**C: O God, through whom redemption comes to us and our adoption is accomplished: Look in mercy on your children, and bestow upon all who believe in Christ perfect freedom and an eternal inheritance; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.**

**READING FROM THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES:** Acts 8:26-40 [RPB pg. 1705]

**PRAYING THE PSALM:** Psalm 150 [RPB pg. 983]

**EPISTLE READING:** 1 John 4:1-11 [RPB pg. 1902]

**VERSE:** LBW pg. 83

**READING FROM THE GOSPELS:** John 15:1-8 [RPB pg. 1676]

**CHILDREN'S SERMON [Sun]**

**SERMON SONG:** "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus" LBW #487

**SERMON**

**RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS [Sun]**

**APOSTLES' CREED**

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

**SHARING OF CHRIST'S PEACE:** *We invite you to share the peace with one another.*

**OFFERING** *The Offering is received as the Lord's table is prepared.*

**Offertory:** [Sat] "Awake, My Heart, with Gladness" by D. Gruffydd  
[Sun] "I Am the Vine" by Allen Pote

Alleluia Choir, Carolyn Trotier

**OFFERING PRAYER**

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING:** LBW pg. 88

**SHARING IN THE LORD'S SUPPER**

Celebration of Holy Communion: In the Lord's Supper, we truly receive the body and blood of the risen Christ. Baptized Christians who confess this real presence of Christ Jesus in this Holy meal are invited to come forward with us to receive Holy Communion. Those not prepared for communion and persons who have a different understanding of the Lord's Supper are welcome to come forward for a blessing. Please indicate this to the servers by bringing your service bulletin to the altar rail with you.

- When an usher directs you, come to the front using the center aisle
- Please kneel at the rail; receive the bread, then the wine.
- Grape juice & gluten free wafers are available upon request
- Children who do not yet commune receive a blessing
- If you are unable to come forward but wish to receive communion, let an usher know and communion will be brought to you
- When you are finished, return to the pew by the side aisles

**Music During Distribution:** [Sat] "Here, O My Lord, I See Thee" by Gene Traas  
[Sun] "Holy, Holy, Holy" by Franz Schubert Alleluia Choir

**BLESSING**

**SENDING SONG** "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!" WOV #674

**SENDING**

**POSTLUDE:** "Processional in A Flat" by David N. Johnson

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Sunday School/Christian Education

Sunday School for all begins at 10:30 am. P3-Gr 5 begin in the choir room & then proceed to classrooms. Catechism class for middle school meets in Room 107, high school youth meet in the Youth Room & Adult Ed meets in the Media Room. *All are invited!*

### Wednesday Bible Studies

Please join us as we delve deeper into the Scriptures each week, Wednesdays at 1 pm.

**Next Week's Lessons:** Acts 10: 34-48; Psalm 98; 1 John 5: 1-8; John 15: 9-17

### Prayers

*Serving in the Military:* Zachery Becker (grandson of Reg & Sue Becker, serving in US Army); Karl Schulz (son of Sallie Schulz, serving in the US Army); Samantha Bland (daughter of Kim Nyka); Kyle Pierce (son of Karen & Keith Pierce, serving in the US Army); Ryan Michael (grandson of Donald & Fay Heyen); Tasha Olson, at the Hospital Corpsman School in dental training & Alex Olson, training as an air traffic controller for the Air Force (grandchildren of Wayne & Ardath Olson); all military chaplains.

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

*For healing:* Ginnie Cox, Marge Blockland; Steve Swanson (son of Barb Synder); Elizabeth Bruns; Mary (sister of Cindy Busche); Steven Sell (brother of Sue Wizner); Susie Nelson, (cousin of Mark Trudell); Pennie Hirth (niece of Gael & Carl Hirth); Steve (neighbor of Jean & Rich Bloomberg); Fern MacGillis (mother of Sandi Harrison).

*For strength:* Christians being persecuted be strengthened to remain faithful to their Savior, Jesus Christ; those affected by the earthquake in Nepal.

*For sympathy:* Friends & family of Marge Blockland who passed away on Wednesday.

*For joy:* New Calvary members Barb & Bob Branston and Kris Lewandowski.

*As a general guideline, we place people on the weekly prayer list for 2 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.*

## MISSIONS

### Calvary Cares with Cookies- We REALLY DO! *From Linda Berger*

I was so AMAZED entering the fellowship kitchen Monday to pick up cookies for delivery to Luther Manor. Our Calvary congregants stepped up to the plate and knocked it out of the ballpark! Thank you for the amazing response. I was so joyful to deliver not 50 dozen, - no, not even 100 dozen - but 122 dozen just in this week's trip! And I learned through a very nice note that touched me deeply that Pastor Jack & Donna Trethewey, residents of Luther Manor and Calvary congregants, donated 8 dozen bringing our week's total to 130 dozen and the total so far for the month...170 dozen. I am so proud of Calvary's caring with cookies for the residents. Thank you!

## **May Mission of the Month: Mission Servant Week**

Each year Calvary sets aside one week for members to go out into the community together and do hands-on mission work. Watch for more details about this summer's Mission Servant Week and then plan to join other Calvary workers as we reach out into the community by helping with many meaningful projects and tasks.

Some of the projects already in the works include: letters/ cards to our service men and women serving overseas, school kits and school supplies for Lutheran World Relief etc., toiletry/health items for St. Vincent De Paul guests, food and volunteers for Waukesha Food Pantry, Toddlers on a Mission- work with kids at senior living facilities, LSS- Hickory Hills Project- painting fence and trimming trees, shrubs, Calvary clean up - trim bushes and spread mulch, kitchen clean up, toy cleaning in nursery.

Your financial contributions to Calvary's Mission of the Month during May fund the various projects. Any leftover funds are dispersed to the groups we have worked with during the week. Use your weekly offering envelopes or a white pew envelope to contribute and note "Mission of the Month" on your check and/or envelope.

## **OPPORTUNITIES & NEWS**

### **Welcome New Members**

This Sunday we receive into membership Barb & Bob Branston and Kris Lewandowski. We welcome them to Calvary & invite your prayers for them as they join our family of faith.

### **YOUth Christian T-Shirt Sale**

The Calvary youth are selling Christian T-Shirts! Since the average t-shirt is read over 3000 times before it is thrown into the rag bag, you really can feed thousands with just one serving!! No product with a Gospel message is as powerful as you are! When you put on a Christian t-shirt, you make yourself a walking talking billboard for Christ!

Pick up an order form today! T-shirts are just \$16 each - no shipping costs! (Additional charges for sizes 2X -4X.) *All proceeds from the sale will go to support the Youth Ministry Summer Mission Trip and Bible Camp.*

### **Church Life Baseball Game Outing**

Tickets are on sale for the Madison Mallards Game on June 28th! It's "Faith Night" at the game, so join your fellow Calvary family members for a fun time! Details are available on flyers. Bus seating is limited, so get your tickets and sign up now!

### **Pianist Needed**

We are in need of a pianist to accompany the monthly services that Pastor Roser leads at Heritage & Care-Age. The Heritage service is the 3rd Tuesday of each month, at 11am & the Care-Age service is the 4th Thursday of every month, at 10:30 am. Both facilities have an upright piano.

## **Stock Sale**

Calvary Youth Stock (CYS) is available for purchase at a cost of \$25.00 per share. This is a limited 150 share offering. Shares may be purchased by families or individuals, as well as In Honor or In Memory of an individual(s). The Youth stock shares are unique in that they are a one-year investment. You will have the opportunity to repeat this investment every year!

The purchase of this stock does so much more than just provide money for church camp and a mission trips. It is a way to have a sense of ownership in the growing faith of these amazing individuals, whom God created in His image! Shares are available for purchase now. Get yours before they are gone!

## **Calvary Endowment Fund Special Presentation!**

Have you thought about putting charitable donations into your long-term and estate planning? Will the Calvary Endowment Fund be a part of that planning? How is this accomplished? What are the possible tax advantages for you?

Join us on May 17 at 2 pm to hear a panel of experts provide information on the Calvary Endowment Fund from an investment, legal & accounting perspective. They will explain various forms of giving and explain the advantages available to you. Refreshments will be served. Come & join us!

## **Women's Ministry Book Group**

All women of Calvary are invited to come to the media room at 1:00 on Monday, May 11 to discuss Bill O'Reilly's book *Killing Jesus*. This book takes readers inside Jesus's life, recounting the seismic political and historical events that made his death inevitable – and changed the world forever. It promises to be a good discussion.

## **Monday Morning Movie**

On Monday, May 18, come to the media room at 9 am for snacks, coffee, and a screening of "Tea with Mussolini". The story is set in Florence, Italy, beginning in 1935 and extending through the end of World War II. The movie stars Maggie Smith, Judi Dench, Lily Tomlin, Cher and more. Come join us!

# **YOUTH & FAMILY**

## **Vacation Bible School 2015 -- Register Now! Only \$15 for entire week!**

Calvary's "Everest" VBS will be August 3-7. Sign-up your little climbers for an epic expedition of praying & playing! Children age 3 (fully potty trained) through 5th grade are invited to attend. Questions? Visit the church website, or contact Angie!

This week is not just for kids! We are running this week, in-house; which means we will need your help. Whether you can help for an hour, a day, or the whole week. We need help before during and after VBS, both behind the scenes and hands-on.

Don't miss out on this awesome week, that is fun filled, high energy, and God driven!!

## ATTENDANCE & OFFERINGS

Attendance at worship last weekend: Sat: 36 Sun: 149  
Received in April -- General Fund: \$22,984.61  
Mission of the Month: \$ 4,380.00  
Building Fund: \$ 175.00

## SERVING AT WORSHIP

**Presiding Minister:** Rev. Dennis Roser

**Assisting Minister:** Lee Tyne

**Acolytes:** Jared Springer, Gwen Rian

**Altar Guild:** Martha Altmin, Ruth Young

**Children's Sermon:** Pastor Roser

**Deacons:** [Sat] Ernie Kretschmann; [Sun] Keith Pierce, Sue Rowe, Grace Gunnlaugsson, Donna Schroeder (H)

**Greeters:** [Sat] Mark & Lydia Trudell; [Sun] Judy De Bruine, Jonni Roush, Maxine Weisbrodt

**Hospitality:** Provided by RoJean Holler and Jonni Roush

**Lector:** Grace Gunnlaugsson

**Mug a Newcomer:** Mary Smith

**Musicians:** Carolyn Trotier, Alleluia Choir

**Nursery:** Alecia Huettl

**Organist:** Gene Traas

**PPT:** [Sat] Lydia Trudell; [Sun] Ron Foster

**Ushers:** Bill & Jane Krause, Gordy Gunnlaugsson, Larry Bonier

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## THE WEEK AHEAD

### **Sunday, May 3, 2015** *Name Tag Weekend*

8:30a Cherub Choir

9:00a Worship

10:30a Sunday School; Confirmation; Adult Education

2:00p Church Life Theater Outing

### **Monday, May 4, 2015**

No scheduled activities

### **Tuesday, May 5, 2015**

9:30a Staff Meeting

6:00p Celebration Ringers

6:30p Amazing Grace Bible Study

7:00p Worship & Music Committee; Families Anonymous

7:30p Non-Smoking AA

### **Wednesday, May 6, 2015**

7:00a Men's Breakfast

1:00p Bible Study

7:00p Alleluia Choir

### **Thursday, May 7, 2015**

9:00a Quilters

### **Friday, May 8, 2015**

12:00p Al Anon

### **Saturday, May 9, 2015**

5:00p Worship

### **Sunday, May 10, 2015** *Mother's Day*

8:30a Cherub Choir

9:00a Worship

10:30a Sunday School; Confirmation; Adult Education

### **Sunday Nursery**

We encourage you to bring your children to worship but understand that the attention spans of young children are limited. There may also be times when they just "need a break". For these times, a staffed nursery is available for young children (infant up to age 5) during the worship service on Sunday. We offer a safe & welcoming environment staffed by caring adults. Silent pagers are available so that parents may return to worship, assured that they can be reached at any time.