



*“Sharing the life-changing message of Jesus Christ”*

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## WELCOME

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We welcome you in Christ’s name and thank you for sharing this worship moment with us. May our time of praise both honor God and inspire you.

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 racks so that we may get to know you better. You may drop it in the offering basket, or hand it to an usher. We also invite you to stop by our “Welcome Desk” in the Narthex and pick up our current newsletter and more information about our many ministries.

If you have any questions, please speak with Pastor Ken Nelson or anyone wearing a Deacon, Council Member or Usher nametag.

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).

**PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE DURING WORSHIP.**

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*March 14 & 15, 2020*

*Third Sunday in Lent*

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

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LBW: Lutheran Book of Worship (green)

WOV: With One Voice (blue)

RPB: Red Pew Bible

HS: Hymnal Supplement (maroon)

*The worship service is projected on the screen. \*Please stand as you are able.*

**LARGE PRINT BULLETINS ARE AVAILABLE FROM AN USHER.**

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## PREPARATORY PRAYER

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly and inwardly that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

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**PRELUDE**      “Chief of Sinners Though I Be”      - B. Kinyon  
*(Sunday: Celebration Ringers)*

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

\***OPENING HYMN** “Chief of Sinners Though I Be”      LBW #306

\***SALUTATION & KYRIE**      LBW pg. 78

### \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

**P:** Let us pray.

**C:** Almighty God, consider the worthy desires of your humble servants. Reach out to defend us from evil by the word and work of your majestic right hand. Grant this, we pray, through the same Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### SCRIPTURE READINGS:

First Lesson: Leviticus 19:9-18 *(RPB pg. 184)*

Psalm 119:97-104 *(prayed responsively)*

Second Lesson: 1 Peter 2:1-12 *(RPB pg. 1888)*

Gospel: Matthew 20-20-28 *(RPB pg. 1529)*

### CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

*(Sunday only)*

### SERMON

Pastor Ken Nelson

<b>*SERMON HYMN:</b>	“Tree of Life”	HS #742
<b>*APOSTLES’ CREED</b>		LBW pg. 85
<b>*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH</b>		
<b>*SHARING OF CHRIST’S PEACE</b>	<i>(See note below)</i>	
<b>OFFERTORY</b>	“Beneath the Cross of Jesus”	-B. Kinyon <i>(Sunday: Celebration Rings)</i>
<b>*OFFERING:</b>	“Let the Vineyards”	LBW pg. 87
<b>*GREAT THANKSGIVING</b>		LBW pg. 88
<b>*HOLY, HOLY, HOLY</b>		
<b>*WORDS OF INSTITUTION</b>		
<b>*THE LORD’S PRAYER</b>		LBW pg. 91
<b>LAMB OF GOD</b>		LBW pg. 92
<b>COMMUNION ANTHEM</b>	“Gift of Finest Wheat”	- Charles Callahan
<b>*POST COMMUNION CANTICLE</b>	“Lord, Now You Let..”	LBW pg. 93
<b>*POST COMMUNION PRAYER</b>		LBW pg. 94
<b>*BENEDICTION</b>		
<b>*CLOSING HYMN</b>	“Surely It Is God Who Saves Me”	WOV #635
<b>*DISMISSAL</b>		
<b>*POSTLUDE:</b>	“Finale on Hyfrydol”	-Henry Coleman

**NOTE:** In light of the recent updates regarding the Coronavirus, we will forego the passing of the peace and the collecting of offering as we usually do. We will do a more formal passing of the peace and an offering basket will be upfront for you to place your offering in when you come up for communion.

All music used in our worship services is used with permission:

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## NOTES ON WORSHIP

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**HEARING LOOP** 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. An information sheet is located in the plastic bins at the entrance doors to the Sanctuary. Please see an usher if you need assistance.



**WORSHIP BOOKS** The worship service is projected on the screen; however, 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. Bibles are placed in each pew and designated as "RPB" in bulletin.

**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 will 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.

**WORSHIP BAGS FOR CHILDREN** Worship Bags and Children's bulletins are in the basket in the Narthex. Each worship bag has coloring books, crayons, and a tactile activity or toy for children to play with. Each Worship Bag has a laminated Order of Service card in it to help children engage in the service. Children's bulletins that are specific to the worship service are also available from an Usher. We hope these resources will continue to be a blessing to the children as we worship together.

**SUNDAY HOSPITALITY TREATS** Please consider signing 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 treats will be purchased for you. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

**FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR - THE CHART IS IN THE NARTHEX** 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.

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## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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*If you have requested prayers for someone on the prayer list below who no longer needs our prayers, please notify the office or the prayer coordinators, Darlene Louison or Audrey McGarvie. Those individuals that have been on the prayer list for more than 30 days have been moved to the Long Term Prayer List, which can be found on the "It's About our Family" page in the Crossroads.*

**New prayer requests this week:** Don Heyen, Annie Bermel, Sue Rowe.

**Ongoing short-term prayer requests:** Pat Treutelaar, Janet Zastrow, John Ebert (brother of Jonni Roush); David Voight (friend of Jonni Roush); Doug Haus (brother-in-law of Chet Elliott); Al Powers (father of Matt Powers); Vicky Snyder (step-daughter of Barb Snyder); Barbara Koltermann, (friend of Glori and Eloise Kurth and Bill and Lenny Graffin); Milo (nephew of Lynnae and Caleb Douglas); Marcia and Jerry Borgie (friends of Grace Gunnlaugsson); Lynn Schoenfeld (friend of Lydia Trudell); and Tom Kestly (husband of Judy Kestly).

**Serving in the Military:** Dan Berger (serving in the U.S. Marines); Nicole Wahlgren (serving in the U.S. Army National Guard); Kyle Pierce (son of Karen and Keith Pierce, serving in the U.S. Army); Alex Olson (U.S. Air Force, grandchild of Ardath Olson); Karmen Thomas (friend of Tony and Krista Dentice serving in the U.S. Army); all military chaplains; and all veterans suffering with post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

**For All Men and Women Serving:** Police Officers, Firefighters and First Responders.

**Serving in the mission field:** Our NALC missionaries and missionaries everywhere bringing the gospel to the ends of the Earth.

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## MISSION & OUTREACH

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### MARCH MISSION OF THE MONTH - LUTHERAN BIBLE TRANSLATORS

The March focus of the “Mission of the Month” is support for Wycliffe and Lutheran Bible Translators. We support the work of the Federwitz families involved in Bible Translation work in West Africa and Papua New Guinea. Our monetary gifts in March support bringing The Good News and literacy to those in great need of hope, love, peace and salvation through Jesus Christ our Lord. Please pray for all those involved in Wycliffe and Lutheran Bible Translators.

Use your weekly offering envelopes, white pew envelopes, or give online. Checks should be made out to Calvary Lutheran Church and noted as “March Mission of the Month”.

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## NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

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### EASTER FLOWER ORDER FORMS

Our altar is beautifully adorned with spring flowers for our Easter services. If you'd like to purchase a plant or two (Easter lily, daffodil, hyacinth or tulip), or make a general donation for flowers and decorations, please complete one of the forms available on the glass doors in the Narthex. Potted plants are \$15 each and can be taken home after the Easter worship on Sunday, April 12. Order form deadline is Sunday, March 29.

### SIX-WEEK MARRIAGE REVIVAL COURSE

Are you and your spouse interested in improving communication, resolving conflicts without melt-downs, feeling deeper emotional connection and developing more intimacy while growing your marriage to align with God's plan? Invest in yourself and your marriage in this six-week program with experienced counselors presenting healthy habits proven to help marriages thrive! *Space will be limited and informational brochures are available on the tables in the Narthex and outside the church office.* If you have any questions, please reach out directly to Jenni at 206.473.2228.

When: Thursday Evenings April 16 - May 21st

Time: 6:30-8:00pm

Where: Media Room

Facilitated by: Tyler Loomis, LPC & Dr. Jenni Swanson, Psychologist

## **LENTEN MIDWEEK WORSHIP**

To supplement Pastor Ken's Lenten Bible Study, our Wednesday night Lenten messages will be devoted to our Lord's "High Priestly Prayer" in John 17 as well as significant portions of Paul's letter to the Ephesians – which is the most extensive letter of Paul's on the church and its unity. Service will begin at 6:30 p.m. and we have special guests delivering the sermon each week, as noted below. The weekly worship will focus on the following:

- March 18: John 17:13-18 & Ephesians 2:19-22 "*Unity in the Truth and Only the Truth*" (Sermon: Pastor Mark Knappe)
- March 25: John 17:20-23 & Ephesians 4:17-32 "*When Unity is Absent and Others Turn Away*" (Sermon: Pastor Caleb Douglas)
- April 1: John 17:24-26 & Ephesians 6:10-17 "*The Unity of Savior and Saved – Putting on the Holy Spirit*" (Sermon: Pastor Jerry Wittmus)

## **MONDAY MORNING MOVIE Monday, March 16 at 9:00 a.m.**

### **This Beautiful Fantastic Media Room #110**

Bella Brown is a quirky girl with a unique past who works in a library while trying to write a children's book. She also hates plants, but as a condition of the lease on her house, she must maintain the garden.

Her landlord becomes aware of her neglecting the garden and gives her one month to fix the landscaping or face eviction. Along the way, she develops relationships with her curmudgeonly neighbor, his cook/housekeeper, and an inventor who frequents the library.

## **UPDATE ON KEVIN WAHLGREN**

The Wahlgren family appreciates your prayers during this difficult time. If you'd like to send a note or card to Kevin, his mailing address is:

Kevin Wahlgren #686974  
Thompson Correctional Center  
Deerfield WI 53531-9562

There are several restrictions on what can be sent, but in a nutshell, you can send a photo or torn pages from a devotional book; but not an actual bound booklet. Letters and cards are always acceptable. As the Wahlgren's church family, please continue to keep Cathy, Nicole and Erik in your prayers.

## **THANK YOU, PANERA BREAD!**

Panera Bread (Ruby Isle) generously donates the loaves of bread that are used for communion every Sunday. Please take a minute to thank them if you're at Panera.

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## FAITH FORMATION

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL & CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Regular Sunday Christian Education classes are held on Sunday mornings from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. Pre-Kindergarten through 5th grade will begin in the Sanctuary with song before proceeding to their classrooms.

Pre-Kindergarten	Room 103
Kindergarten, 1st, & 2nd	Room 104
3rd, 4th & 5th	Room 106
Confirmation	Room 107
High School	Youth Room
Understanding Lutheran Worship	Media Room 110

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REGISTRATION IS OPEN!



Join us for VBS this summer from July 27-31 from 9am-2pm. Registration is open to children and students, ages 3 (must be fully potty-trained) through 5th grade. On this faith-filled adventure, kids discover that Jesus' power pulls them through life's ups and downs. **SPACE IS LIMITED.** Students who have completed the 6th grade and up are invited to serve as volunteers. Sign up on the Calvary website ([www.calvarylc.com](http://www.calvarylc.com)). At the top of the home

page, hover on FAITH FORMATION and then click on VBS. Many volunteers are needed to make our VBS successful. Please use the above online registration to sign up to volunteer.

### NEW! LENTEN BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR KEN

Pastor Nelson is leading a six-unit Bible study on Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m. entitled *"Of One Mind and Purpose"* – which focuses on division and unity in Christ. Written by Pastor Steven E. King and the NALC's Sola Publishing, the study's six sessions are:

1. "That They May be One – Set Apart in God's Word"
2. "Branches of One Vine – Connected to Christ"
3. "Walking Together – Mutual Dependence"
4. "Divisions Among You – False and Fractured Unity"
5. "Hard Choices – Facing Crossroads in Faith"
6. "While We are Parted – The 'Hidden' Church"

Come when you can and bring a friend!



## **SUNDAY MORNING STUDY WITH PASTOR KEN**

Pastor Nelson continues to lead a course on Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. entitled “*Understanding Lutheran Worship – Scope and Sequence*”. The class meets in the Media Room, #110. No preregistration or materials required. The class covers the following topics:

- Introduction to Liturgy
- Liturgical Posture, People and Furnishings
- Church Calendar and Colors
- Special Occasion Liturgies
- The Liturgy in Daily Life

The sessions will help participants discover the historical and biblical foundations of Lutheran worship – the integrity of our worship rituals, and how the liturgy mirrors the experience of the Christian life.

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## **UPCOMING ACTIVITIES**

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March 13	PJ’s & Prayers/Elementary Youth Night
March 16	Monday Morning Movie
March 18	Midweek Lenten Worship
March 23	St. Vincent de Paul Meal Program
March 25	Midweek Lenten Worship
March 26	Men’s Ministry Monthly Gathering
March 29	First Communion Middle School Youth Night

Attendance at worship last weekend:	Saturday:	28
	Sunday:	112

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## **ATTENDANCE & OFFERING**

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Donations for March to date:

General Fund Pledged	\$ 7,251
General Fund Unpledged	\$ 914
Mission of the Month	\$ 200
Building Fund	\$ 10

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## CONTACT INFORMATION

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



Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - Noon.



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# SEVEN DAYS AT A GLANCE

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## **Monday March 16, 2020**

9:00a Monday Morning Movie

## **Tuesday March 17, 2020 Crossroads Deadline**

9:30a Staff Meeting  
1:00p Rebekah Circle  
6:00p Celebration Ringers  
7:00p Council Meeting  
7:00p Families Anonymous  
7:30p Non-smoking AA

## **Wednesday March 18, 2020**

7:00a Weekly Men's Breakfast at Maxim's  
10:30a Al-Anon  
12:30p Pastor Ken's Bible Study  
6:30p Evangelism Committee  
6:30p Midweek Lenten Worship  
7:00p Alleluia Choir

## **Thursday March 19, 2020**

9:00a Calvary Quilters  
4:00p POTS Support Group

## **Friday March 20, 2020**

12:00p Al Anon

## **Saturday March 21, 2020**

5:00p Worship

## **Sunday March 22, 2020**

9:00a Worship  
10:30a COFFEE at the Cross rehearsal  
10:30a Sunday School, Confirmation, HS and Adult Education

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## THIS WEEKEND AT CALVARY

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### Saturday March 14, 2020

5:00p    Worship

### Sunday March 15, 2020

9:00a    Worship

10:30a    COFFEE at the Cross rehearsal

10:30a    Sunday School, Confirmation, HS & Adult Education

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## SERVING AT WORSHIP

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Presiding Minister: Pastor Ken Nelson

Organist: Gene Traas

Assisting Minister: Scott Langelin

Lector: Peggy Langelin

Acolytes: Jayden Day and Ellie Sayas

Altar Guild: RoJean Holler and Ruth Young

Children's Message: Larry Bonier

Deacons: Saturday – Ed Ramthun

Sunday - Pastor Jerry Wittmus, Jonni Roush, Glori Kurth

Greeters: Saturday - Ron and Jean Holman

Sunday - Gordy and Grace Gunnlaugsson

PowerPoint Tech: Saturday - Lydia Trudell

Sunday - Sue Meyer

Ushers: Scott and Peggy Langelin, Chuck and Jan Lukasik

Mug Bearer: Alex Baumgartner

Flowers: Jonni Roush

Hospitality: Anderson Family

Special Music: Celebration Ringers

