

Calvary Lutheran Church

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Back to School Rally Day Potluck Brunch Sunday, September 8 10:30 a.m.

Join us as we kick off the school year with a good old fashioned Lutheran potluck and games. Hot sliced ham, rolls, coffee, iced tea, lemonade and water will be provided. Your side dishes, salads and desserts will compliment the brunch!

We hope you can join us including you Saturday night worshipers!

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Sunset Tickets

"A Comedy of Tenors" will be enjoyed by many from Calvary on Wednesday, September 11. Those who ordered tickets can pick them up from Maxine Weisbrodt after worship on Sunday, Sept. 8, or at the Sunset Theater on Wednesday at 7:15 p.m.

A few tickets are still available. If you are interested in attending, please contact Maxine Weisbrodt.

WATCH FOR IT!!!

In the very near future, you will be given the opportunity to broaden your service opportunities at Calvary. The **"Serving OUR LORD by**

SERVING OUR CHURCH" initiative will begin shortly after Labor Day. We will utilize both electronic and hard copy distribution of an "Interest Indicator" on which you will be able to express your interest and availability to participate in over fifty areas of service.

We urge to participate and thank you for your prompt response!

Women's Ministry Book Group Monday, September 9th 1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

Being Mortal: Medicine and What Matters in the End

Whether you read this book or not, we hope you'll join us to talk about the book or just to listen and ponder.
All are welcome!

Mission of the Month - B.A.S.I.C.S. (Brothers and Sisters in Christ Serving)

B.A.S.I.C.S. is a Christian nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization to strengthen churches and Christian outreach ministries throughout the Milwaukee metropolitan area. The Calvary mission of the month donations for September will be supporting two of the ministries under the B.A.S.I.C.S. umbrella.

First, bibles written at a third grade reading level along with blankets to provide comfort and warmth are distributed to individuals in impoverished areas throughout Milwaukee. Second, the Genesis prison ministry offers in prison mentoring and discipleship as well as a comprehensive, transformational program that assists with housing, employment training, job placement, financial literacy and management to enhanced family development.

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

Pastor Ken's Mid-Week Bible Study

This weekly study is on **Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall**. Our 'first study' of the fall concerns itself with 'last things'. To put it another way, we'll begin with a study of the end! Confused? Intrigued?

Our study for the months of September and October will be the Book of Revelation, one of the most talked about books of the Bible, and perhaps one of the least understood. Our aim is to present the flow of Revelation, so that its visions so frequent (and at times bizarre) are better understood. Revelation speaks to every generation of believers, as all of Scripture does, but to hear it in ours a certain amount of "demystifying" its symbols, so often captive to present day speculation as to what they represent, is necessary.

Please join us for our discussion, which will make use of solid Lutheran interpretation through use a video by Professor Craig Koester of Luther Seminary entitled "Is This the Time". No advance preparation necessary, and no materials needed other than your bible and pen, to take copious notes from Dr. Koester's presentation and our ensuing conversations!

Lutheran World Relief Project Promise Health Care Kits

Cleanliness may not actually be next to godliness, but it certainly helps a person feel more human. When families find their homes destroyed, or must flee for their safety, soap and a towel rarely make the cut for what they can carry. Arriving in a refugee camp or other place of safety, they are scared, vulnerable and dirty from the travel. The simple items included in a Personal Care Kit provide much-needed self-care, critical germ fighting, and the chance to regain dignity amidst situations of fear and uncertainty

The annual collection of Personal Care Kits begins this month and continues through September 22.

Items to be included in the kit are:

- * One light weight bath size towel, dark color recommended
- * Two or three bath size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz. in original wrapping
- * One adult size toothbrush in its original packaging (or an individual toothbrush in a business size envelope)
- * One sturdy comb, remove packaging
- * One metal nail clipper, remove packaging

Please place your donations in the personal care kit collection bin in the Narthex. The shopping list for the necessary items is also in the Narthex.

Baby Care Kit Collection for NALC

Disaster Response

The Mission and Outreach Committee is collecting items for baby kits. These items can be new or gently used. ***Look for the collection tub in the Narthex.***

The list of needed items is below and is also available on the table in the Narthex.

Baby Items size 6-24 months:

- T-shirts
- Sleep gowns or sleepers
- Blankets, (receiving blankets, or crocheted or knitted, up to 52" square)
- Cloth diapers, flat folded preferred
- Jackets, sweaters, sweatshirts
- Baby caps
- Socks
- Hand towel
- Gentle bath soap bars
- Diaper pins

Monday Morning Movie September 16th at 9:00 a.m.

We thought it would be nice to begin our movie watching this year with a delightful and uplifting film. **"Christopher Robin"** is a recent release from Walt Disney Pictures that will take us back to the world of Pooh and friends and at the same time remind us of the important things in life. It isn't "just for kids", but it will bring out the wonder of what being a child means.

This quote from Jesus Calling for August 13 is all the encouragement we need to give ourselves permission to be a kid again. *"When you walk through a day with childlike delight, savoring every blessing, you proclaim your trust in Me, your ever-present Shepherd."* You're invited to walk into **Room 110 at 9 am on Monday, September 16** with childlike delight and savor the blessing of a lovely film. Your day - and your week - will be better for it!

Crossroads Newsletter

Click on the link below for the ***Crossroads*** monthly newsletter for insights on events and activities at Calvary Lutheran Church!

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NALC Women's Retreat September 20-22, 2019 Green Lake Conference Center

Join women from across the NALC for a weekend focused on discovering God's plan for our lives. The conference begins on Friday, September 20 at 5pm with dinner, opening prayer and service. Saturday's focus will be on two sessions entitled, "**Who Am I?**" and "**Who Are We?**". There will also be free time to explore Green Lake and the surrounding area.

The cost of the conference is \$35 and includes your conference materials. Lodging and meals are at your expense at the Bauer Lodge at Green Lake Conference Center. Rooms can accommodate up to three people, which will help with the cost.

Ready to register or have questions? See the sign up sheet and brochures on the glass doors in the Narthex or contact Marcella Nelson at 701.833.5157 or nelskog@juno.com.

Our Stephen Ministers are here for you.

Stephen Ministers are congregation members trained by Stephen Leaders to offer high-quality, one-to-one Christian care to people going through tough times. A Stephen Minister usually provides care to one person at a time, meeting with that person once a week for about an hour.

If you, or someone you know, could benefit from this important ministry, please contact Scott or Peggy Langelin at 262.792.9335.

Calvary Office Information

262.786.4010 office@calvarylc.com
Office Hours: Monday through Friday 8 a.m. - noon

Upcoming Events

Back to School Rally Day	September 8
Women's Ministry Book Group	September 9
Calvary Night @ Sunset Theater	September 11
Monday Morning Movie - Christopher Robin	September 16
Women's Conference at Green Lake Conference Center	September 20-22

More information can be found in the weekly bulletins,
Calvary's [website](#) or in the monthly
Crossroads newsletter.