

Fifth Sunday of Easter  
Confirmation Sunday  
Calvary Lutheran Church  
May 18-19, 2019



# *Confirmed in Faith*

*So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord,  
continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him,  
strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and  
overflowing with thankfulness.*

Colossians 2:6-7

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# Order of Worship

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WOV: With One Voice (blue)      HS: Hymnal Supplement (maroon)  
The worship service is projected on the screen. \*Please stand as you are able.

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**PREPARATORY PRAYER** 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 forever. Amen.

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**PRELUDE:** “Shall We Gather at the River” -anon

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS/TEACHER RECOGNITION

### \*CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

\***OPENING HYMN:** “Shall We Gather at the River” WOV #690

**SALUTATION & KYRIE** LBW pg. 78

\***PRAYER OF THE DAY** *(Saturday only)*

**P:** Let us pray.

**C:** **Pour into our hearts, O God, your Spirit of truth, that we might live in confidence and peace, secure in the sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life as we await the return of your Son when all our sorrows will be turned to joy in his presence; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**CONFIRMATION PRAYER OF THE DAY** *(Sunday only)*

**P:** Lord God, our loving Father, from whom has come all the good things in our lives, this is a day of great joy, particularly for we who are affirming our faith in you, and we are grateful. We give you thanks for our parents, baptismal sponsors, teachers and friends who have cared for us. We pray that the gladness in your presence that we share in now as your people will remain with us in all the days ahead.

We ask today that your Spirit will guide us and strengthen us in faith towards you and love towards one another for a life of joy in your presence through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. He lives and rules with you and the Spirit as one God in a world without end. Amen.

**C: Heavenly Father, you alone can make us think and do what is good and true and loving in your sight. Bless this young person of yours, watch over her as only you, her heavenly Father, can. Give her your creative Spirit, let her know you care and understand what you have to say to her, so that she may always be yours, now and forever in the life you have promised to those that love you through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS:**

First Lesson: Acts 11:1-18 Psalm 150  
Second Lesson: Revelation 21:1-7 Gospel: John 13:31-35

**CHILDREN’S SERMON** *(Sunday only)*

**SERMON** Pastor Ken Nelson

**\*SERMON HYMN: “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”** WOV #771

**\*APOSTLES CREED** LBW pg. 85

**\*PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/SHARING OF CHRIST’S PEACE**

**OFFERING “Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence”** Paul Boehnke  
*Alleluia Choir (Sunday)*

**\*OFFERTORY: “Let the Vineyards”** LBW pg. 86

**RITE OF CONFIRMATION** *(Sunday only)*

**\*GREAT THANKSGIVING/HOLY, HOLY, HOLY**

**\*WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**\*THE LORD’S PRAYER** LBW pg. 91

**LAMB OF GOD** LBW pg. 92

## COMMUNION

COMMUNION ANTHEM “Glorious Day” *Saturday* “Confidence” *Sunday*  
COFFEE at the Cross

\*POST COMMUNION CANTICLE LBW pg. 93

\*POST COMMUNION PRAYER LBW pg. 94

\*BENEDICTION

\*CLOSING HYMN: “Oh, What Their Joy” (Saturday) LBW #337  
“Even Then” (*Sunday*) COFFEE at the Cross

\*DISMISSAL

\*POSTLUDE: “F Major” - anon (Saturday)

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## Notes on Worship

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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 Lessons

First Lesson: Acts 16:9-15

Psalm 67

Second Lesson: Revelation 21:9-14, 21-27

Gospel: John 16:23-33

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## Prayers of the People

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**Healing, comfort & strength for:** Chet Elliott, Darlene Louison, Wayne Dieck, Pastor Jerry Wittmus, Jan Chesner, Reggie Becker, Carroll Gehrke, Ed Marshall, Janet Zastrow, Jeanette Ketelsen; Michael Rossa (son of Lucy Dallman); Jeff Edwards (friend of the Kretschmann's); Philip Voss' mother; Michael (relative of Jane and Hugh Taufner); Judy Cefalu (friend of Sue Meyer); Aleah (friend of Jenni Swanson); Lolette Olkowski (friend of Judy Sayas); Sheila Ulsberger (friend of Brad and Sue Meyer); Rod Clark (friend of the Baumgartner and Spangenberger families); Pamela Scott (mother of Megan Sayas); Lois Wegner (friend of Kurth's, Grundman's, Graffin's and Doug Ranger); Rev. Cathi Braasch (former interim pastor); Monica Barchus (niece of Ernie Kretschmann); Chuck Summers (cousin of Jonni Roush); Tom Waldoch (father of Lynnette Anderson); Sue M. (friend of Mary Smith); Marcia and Jerry Borgie (friends of Grace Gunnlaugsson); Melvin and Mary Morris (parents of Chris Morris); Karie (friend of Chuck and Norene Giuliani); Sharon Ponyio (cousin of Mark and Lydia Trudell); Janice Tackes (friend of Sandie Rupnick); Sue Bellin (friend of Terry Bzdusek); Brad Gabriel (cousin of Jenni Swanson).

**Serving in the Military:** Dan Berger (son of Linda and Dale Berger) serving in the U.S. Marines; Nicole Wahlgren (daughter of Kevin and Cathy Wahlgren) serving in the U.S. Army National Guard stationed in the Middle East; Kyle Pierce (son of Karen and Keith Pierce, serving in the U.S. Army); Karmen Thomas (friend of Tony and Krista Dentice

serving in the U.S. Army and deployed to Afghanistan); Mike Rath (brother of Jill Voss, serving in the U.S. Marines); Alex Olson (U.S. 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 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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### MISSION OF THE MONTH -

### MISSION SERVANT MONTH PROJECTS PREPARATION

The month of May is a time of preparation for Mission Servant Month which is held in June. Monetary donations in May will be used to support and purchase supplies for a variety of service projects. See the sign up sheets on the glass doors for more info.

- 6/6, 11 & 12 Fleece Blanket Making
- 6/13 Backpack Sewing and Prayer Shawl Ministry - assist in knitting or donating yarn
- 6/14 Waukesha Hope Center breakfast and lunch preparation for the homeless
- 6/15 Calvary clean up—preparing a great place for welcoming viewers of the 4th of July parade (rain date June 22)
- 6/18 Lutheran Social Service outdoor work at Hickory Hills
- 6/22 Food Sort at Hunger Task Force
- 6/24 St. Vincent De Paul Meal Program

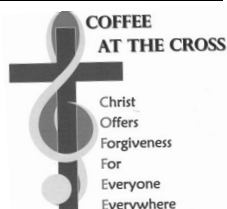
To support the Mission Servant Month projects, use your weekly offering envelopes or the white envelopes in the pew backs. Checks should be made out to “Calvary Lutheran Church” and designated for May Mission of the Month.

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## News & Opportunities

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**Our Contemporary Musicians have a name!**  
**COFFEE (Christ Offers Forgiveness For Everyone Everywhere) at the Cross.**



## **Sunday School Teacher Recognition**

As we approach the end of the 2018-19 Christian Education year, we would like to recognize those who assisted with Sunday School and Adult Education. Their time and talent in service as teachers and substitutes has made Christian Education a vibrant ministry within Calvary Lutheran Church. This year's Sunday School and Christian Education teachers:

Preschool & K:	Angie Schatz
Grades 1 - 3:	Cindy Rooks
Grades 4 & 5:	Karen Pierce, Chet Elliott
All Grades Subs:	Lynnette Anderson, Lauren Beeson, Jen Brostowitz, Malorie Harder, Alecia Huettl, Sue Meyer, Johanna Nelson, Katie Rooks, Megan Sayas, Erica Zipp
Confirmation:	Pastor Ken, Kyle Jones
High School:	Kyle Jones, Brad Meyer
Adult Ed:	Jim Harrison, Wayne Johnson, Marcella Nelson

## **Calvary Men's Softball Team**

The schedule for the next couple of games for our men's softball team in the West Suburban Church league is shown below. All games are played at the two softball diamonds at Elm Grove Village Park (located on the north end of the park.) If you're able to come and cheer them on, please do! There are bleachers or you can bring your own chairs.

May 20, 6:00 p.m. on Diamond 2 (vs St. Mary's)

June 3, 6:00 p.m. on Diamond #2 (vs. St. John's)

We are also selling T-shirts to show our support for the team. Shirt samples and the order form are on the glass doors in the Narthex. You can choose from either kiwi green or hot pink. Cost is \$11 for SM-XL; \$13 for XXL.

## **Bullet Points from Church Council Meeting April 24, 2019**

- Council approved new telephone system.
- VBS volunteers are desperately needed.
- Property Committee is updating parsonage windows and exploring heat pump options for Pastor Ken and Kyle's offices.

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## **Christian Education**

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### **Pastor Ken's Bible Study - Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m.**

Held in Fellowship Hall each Wednesday, all are invited to participate in this weekly study. Bring a friend. Coffee and light refreshments are served.

## Adult & Youth Christian Education

Christian Education classes are held following worship on Sunday at 10:30 a.m.

PreK-Kindergarten	Room 103
1st, 2nd & 3rd	Room 104
4th & 5th	Room 106
Confirmation	Room 107
High School	Youth Room
Tackling Today's Topics	Room 102

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## Youth & Family Ministry

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### Water Bottle Sale for Youth

This year we're doing something new that gives Calvary the opportunity to support its students monetarily, physically and spiritually. How can we do all three at the same time? Here's how: We have a clear reusable water bottle with a specially designed Youth & Family Ministry decal for each student (20 in all) attending either summer camp, confirmation camp, or mission trip. Attached to each water bottle is a prayer card for a specific student.

For **\$100** you'll help to offset the cost for the students participating in those summer experiences. You will receive the prayer card for the individual student to use to pray for them this summer and that student will get the water bottle to use at summer camp, confirmation camp, or mission trip. The front of each prayer card has an individual student's name, birthday, and grade as well as what their summer experience will be. On the back, there's a quick how-to on using the prayer card and a prayer you can use. Or, for a donation of **\$25**, you can receive an individual prayer card to use to support our students in prayer over the summer.

Water bottles and prayer cards can be found at a table in the narthex.

*Thank you for your continued support for the students of Calvary.*

### Vacation Bible School Sign Up NOW!

Roar is the name of the amazing VBS we're hosting this summer where kids learn about how God is good, even when life gets wild! It's set in the African savanna, so it's going to be a roaring adventure.

During the week of **July 29 to August 2**, children and students will have an amazing opportunity to grow in faith through music, interactive Bible stories, crafts, and more. VBS participation is open to children age 3 (fully potty-trained) to students who have completed 5th grade this year. The cost is \$15/attendee. **We need volunteers for VBS to make it successful.** You can volunteer for a couple hours or a couple days. Invite a friend or family member



to join you. **Please visit [www.calvarylc.com/vbs/](http://www.calvarylc.com/vbs/) for more information or to register.**

## **Confirmation Camp (Lutherdale) – June 16-21**

This year, Calvary confirmation students will be headed to Camp Lutherdale for confirmation camp. This week of camp is set aside for churches to bring their students for an immersive week of faith and fun with worship centered on the sacraments, small group Bible study with your church and much more. Visit [www.lutherdale.org](http://www.lutherdale.org) for details and to register. **A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is due at registration. The total cost per student is \$250;** Calvary will cover the remainder of the cost. Scholarships are available.

## **High School Mission Trip – July 6-13**

This year, the high school students will be traveling to Pocahontas, VA to repair homes through Group Mission Trips. We'll repair porches, patch roofs, shore up existing structures, and serve where it's needed most in this small community of about 441. We will leave Calvary Saturday July 6 and return July 13. **A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is due at sign up.** Though the registration is \$464, thanks to generous support from members of Calvary, the total **cost per student is \$250.** Checks can be made out to Calvary (with Mission Trip in the memo line) and given to Kyle Jones. *The trip is open for students entering high school (8<sup>th</sup> graders) through graduating seniors.*

## **Calvary at Lutherdale – July 7-12**

It has been our tradition to pick a week in the summer for children and students of Calvary to go to Camp Lutherdale together. This summer that will be July 7 -12. That week is open to all age campers kindergarten through high school. The theme for that week will be ***Water Week*** which means the week will be filled with lakefront activities like swimming, canoeing, pontoon boats and the water slide, wet and wild camp games like kiddie pool kickball, and Water Olympics. Visit [www.lutherdale.org](http://www.lutherdale.org) for half week and full week details and to register. **A non-refundable deposit of \$100 is due at registration. The total cost per student is \$250 for the full week and \$125 for the half week.** Calvary will cover the remainder of the cost. Scholarships are available.

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## Upcoming Activities

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<b>May 17</b>	PJ's and Prayers and Elementary Youth Night
<b>May 19</b>	Confirmation & Sunday School Teacher Recognition
<b>May 26</b>	Middle School Youth Night
<b>June 1-30</b>	Mission Servant Month activities
<b>June 2</b>	Graduate Recognition

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## Attendance & Offering

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Attendance at worship last weekend:	Sat: 42
	Sun: 152

Received in May to date:

General Fund Pledged	\$ 19,920
General Fund Unpledged	\$ 1,616
Mission of the Month	\$ 212
Building Fund	\$ 86

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## Contact Information

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

**Office Hours**  
**Monday through Friday**  
**8 a.m. – Noon**

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# This Week at Calvary

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## **Monday May 20, 2019**

- 9:00a Monday Morning Movie
- 6:00p Men's Softball Game at Elm Grove Village Park

## **Tuesday May 21, 2019 Crossroads Deadline**

- 9:30a Staff Meeting
- 1:00p Rebekah Circle
- 7:00p Council Meeting
- 7:00p Families Anon
- 7:30p Non Smoking AA

## **Wednesday May 22, 2019**

- 7:00a Men's Breakfast
- 12:30p Pastor's Bible Study

## **Thursday May 23, 2019**

- 9:00a Calvary Knitting Group
- 6:00p Men's Ministry Gathering
- 6:30p DivorceCare

## **Friday May 24, 2019**

- 12:00p Al Anon

## **Saturday May 25, 2019**

- 5:00p Worship

## **Sunday May 26, 2019**

- 9:00a Worship - Confirmation and Teacher Recognition
- 10:30a Contemporary Musicians
- 10:30a Adult, HS, Confirmation, & Sunday School Christian Ed.
- 5:00p Middle School Youth Night

**Monday, May 27, 2019 MEMORIAL DAY** (office is closed)

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## This Weekend at Calvary

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**Saturday May 18, 2019**

5:00p    Worship

**Sunday May 19, 2019**

9:00a    Worship/Confirmation/Teacher Recognition  
10:30a    Adult, HS, Confirmation, & Sunday School Christian Ed.  
10:30a    COFFEE at the Cross Rehearsal

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## Serving at Worship

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**Presiding Minister:** Pastor Ken Nelson

**Assisting Minister:** Pastor Jerry Wittmus

**Organist:** Gene Traas

**Lector:** Tina Baumgartner

**Acolytes:** Preston Meyer and Jacklyn Warber

**Altar Guild:** Tom and Sue Sadowsky

**Children's Sermon:** Megan Schatz

**Deacons:** Saturday - Jim Kalupa

Sunday - Rich Baumgartner, Judy Sayas, Glori Kurth

**Greeters:** Saturday – Tom and Sue Sadowsky

Sunday - Ruth Young

**PowerPoint Tech:** Saturday - Lydia Trudell

Sunday - Johanna Nelson

**Ushers:** Rich Baumgartner, Jim Brostowitz, Scott and Lisa Grossman

**Mug'Bearer:** Alex Baumgarten

**Flowers:** Scott & Lisa Grossman in celebration of their 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary

**Hospitality:** Pat and Carol Corcoran and Confirmation

