



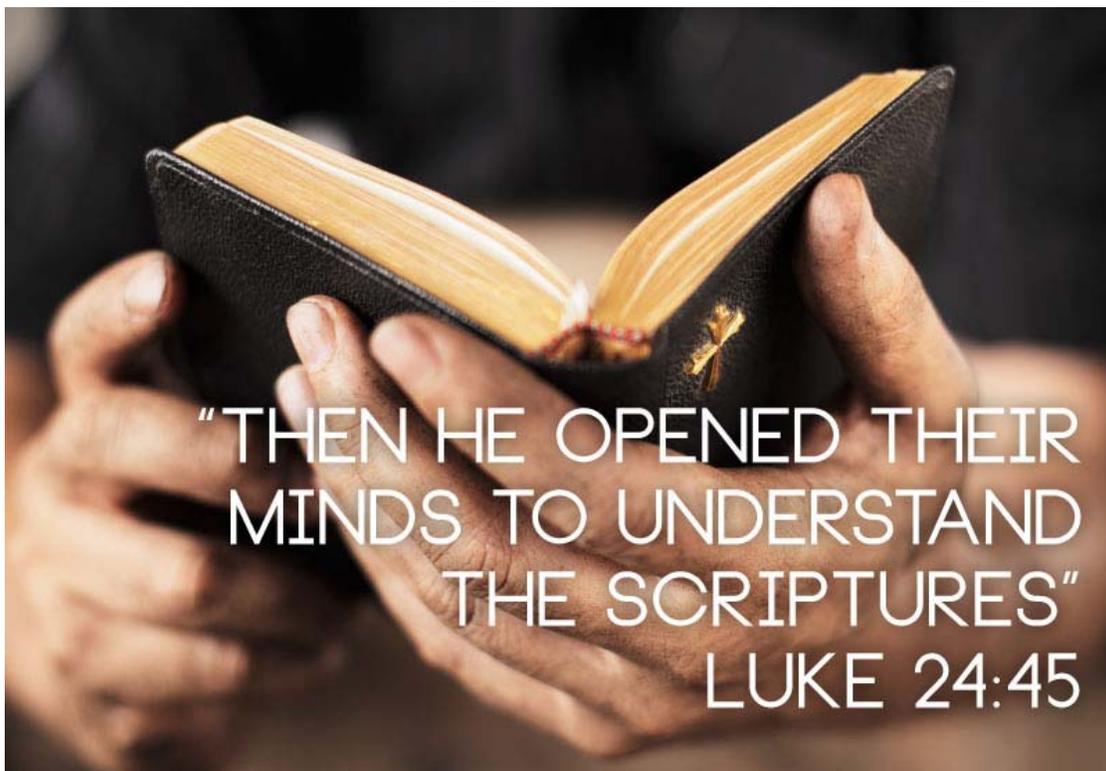
CALVARY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN
CHURCH OF DOVER, PA



THE REV. JOHN M. WOODS, PASTOR

April 19, 2015

8:30 A.M.



The gospel for the third Sunday of Easter is always one in which the risen Christ shares food with the disciples, meals that are the Easter template for the meal we share each Lord's day. In today's gospel, Jesus both shares the disciples' food and shows them the meaning of his suffering, death, and resurrection through the scriptures: the two main elements of our Sunday worship.

CALVARY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH of DOVER, PA

THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD - EASTER SUNDAY

Please sign the red books located by the center aisle in each pew.

ELW is Red Hymnal WOV is Blue Hymnal

**Please Stand if you are able to do so.*

WE PREPARE OURSELVES

Prelude

“Scherzo”

Mary Bair, Piano

Dedicated to the Memory of Concert Pianist-Vladimir Horowitz

***Confession and Forgiveness**

Pastor and Congregation

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who calls us beloved children,
who gathers us into one flock, who guides us into all truth.

Amen.

Let us confess our sins, trusting that God will forgive us and
cleanse us from all unrighteousness. Faithful and just God,
**we confess that we are captive to doubt and fear,
bound by the ways that lead to death.**

**We have not loved our sisters and brothers as you have first loved us.
Forgive us, God of mercy.**

**Let your Holy Spirit work in us to change our lives and make us new,
that we may know the abundant life given in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.
Amen.**

In this is love, not that we loved God but that God loved us and sent the Son to atone for our
sins. In the name of + Jesus Christ, I announce to you that your sins are forgiven.
Let the perfect love of God cast out fear, fill you with joy, and inspire you to live for others.

Amen.

***Gathering Hymn**

“That Easter Day With Joy Was Bright”

ELW #646

***Apostolic Greeting**

Pastor

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

***Kyrie**

WOV PG. 28

***Hymn of Praise**

“Glory To God”

WOV PG. 29

***Prayer Of The Day**

Let us pray. O God, by the humiliation of your Son you lifted up this fallen world, rescuing us from the hopelessness of death. Grant your faithful people a share in the joys that are eternal; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever . **Amen**

Choir Anthem:

“Crown Him The Risen King”

Larson

WE HEAR HIS WORD

First Reading

Acts 3:12–19

Lay Reader

A reading from Acts.

After healing a crippled man, Peter preaches to the people how God's promises to Israel have been fulfilled in Jesus. Through the proclamation of Christ's death and resurrection, God is offering them forgiveness and restoration in Jesus' name.

¹²When Peter saw it, he addressed the people, "You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? ¹³The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. ¹⁴But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, ¹⁵and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. ¹⁶And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you.

¹⁷And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. ¹⁸In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. ¹⁹Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

The Psalm

Psalm 4

Choir and Congregation, Responsively



Psalm 4:3

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Answer me when I call, O God, defender¹ of my cause;*
you set me free when I am hard-pressed; have mercy on me and¹ hear my prayer.

² **"You mortals, how long will you dishon-¹ or my glory;*
how long will you worship dumb idols and run af-¹ ter false gods?"**

³ Know that the LORD does wonders¹ for the faithful;*
when I call upon the LORD, ¹ he will hear me.

⁴ **Tremble, then, and¹ do not sin;*
speak to your heart in silence up-¹ on your bed. R**

⁵ Offer the appointed¹ sacrifices*
and put your trust¹ in the LORD.

⁶ **Many are saying, "Oh, that we might see¹ better times!"*
Lift up the light of your countenance upon¹ us, O LORD.**

⁷ You have put gladness¹ in my heart,*
more than when grain and wine and¹ oil increase.

⁸ **I lie down in peace; at once I¹ fall asleep;*
for only you, LORD, make me¹ dwell in safety. R**

Second Reading

1 John 3:1-7

Lay Reader

A reading from John.

*God has loved us in order to make us children of God. Though we do not yet know
the full details of our future existence, we trust that God will reveal it
just as God revealed Jesus to take away our sins.*

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ²Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is

this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

⁴Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. ⁵You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. ⁶No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. ⁷Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

***Verse** “*Alleluia*”

WOV PG. 31

***Gospel** **Luke 24:36b–48**

Pastor

The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-fourth chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

In this account of an appearance after his resurrection, Jesus opens the minds of the disciples to understand him as Messiah. Jesus convinces them that he has been raised and sends them on a mission to proclaim the message of repentance and forgiveness.

^{36b}"Peace be with you." ³⁷They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. ³⁸He said to them, "Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? ³⁹Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." ⁴⁰And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. ⁴¹While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" ⁴²They gave him a piece of broiled fish, ⁴³and he took it and ate in their presence.

⁴⁴Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you — that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." ⁴⁵Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, ⁴⁶and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, ⁴⁷and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. ⁴⁸You are witnesses of these things.

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Children's Message:

Pastor

After the Children's Message, if someone has signed up lead the program, Children are invited to participate in "Children's Church" . Children will return to their families in time to commune with them.

Hymn of the Day

"The Peace Of The Lord"

ELW #646

Message

Pastor

***The Nicene Creed**

WOV PG. 32

***The Prayers**

Worship Assistant, Congregation, Pastor

Confident that the resurrection of Christ has defeated sin and death, we offer our prayers for the church, the world, and all people in need.

For the church and its leaders, for those who witness to the risen Christ through speech or action, and for all children of God, that all be led to joy in the resurrection, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For stewards of creation, for farmers planting and ranchers tending to livestock, that the bounty of the earth provide for all who hunger or thirst, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For those who work to keep us safe: police officers and firefighters, military and international peacekeepers, local and national leaders; that God's peace and compassion come to us, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For the distressed, rejected, bereaved, sick, and frightened (*especially*), that support for them be close at hand, and that all experience the gift of healing, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

For this assembly, where the scriptures have been opened in our midst, that with boldness of heart we proclaim the joy we have in our new life in Christ, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

In thanksgiving for the witnesses of the faith who have died and are now at rest (*especially Olavus and Laurentius Petri, who led the Reformation in Sweden*), that with them we have hope in the promises of the Author of life, let us pray.

Have mercy, O God.

Holy God, by the death and resurrection of your Son, you have granted new life, abundant renewal, and salvation. Hear our prayers for the sake of the one who has set us free, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

***The Peace**

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

THE MEAL

Offertory Hymn *“For The Beauty Of The Earth”*

Arr. By Jay Althouse

***The Offertory**

“Let the Vineyards”

WOV Pg. 35

***The Offertory Prayer**

Worship Assistant and Congregation

Blessed are you, O God, ruler of heaven and earth. Day by day you shower us with blessings. As you have raised us to new life in Christ, give us glad and generous hearts, ready to praise you and to respond to those in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

***The Great Thanksgiving**

WOV Pg. 36

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Proper Preface

Pastor

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, for the glorious resurrection of our Savior Jesus Christ, the true Paschal Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin, who in dying has destroyed death, and in rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

***Sanctus**

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

WOV Pg. 36

***Eucharistic Prayer**

Leader’s Guide

***The Lord’s Prayer**

WOV Pg. 39

***Invitation to Communion**

Jesus said: I am the true vine. Abide in me as I abide in you.

Communion

*“Lamb of God”
“Abide With Me”*

**WOV Pg. 39
ELW # 629**

The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you
and keep you in his grace. **Amen**

***Post Communion Canticle**

WOV Pg. 40

***Post Communion Prayer**

Life giving God, we give you thanks for nourishing us with the bread of heaven and the wine of love, Jesus our risen Savior. As you send us into the world, guard us from the power of evil, keep us in unity with all your people, and by your Spirit move us to testify to your grace in our words and actions; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

***Blessing**

Almighty God, who raised our Lord Jesus from death,
lift you up and restore you to wholeness. **Amen.**
Jesus Christ, the Word of Life, bless you and send you to be His witnesses. **Amen.**
God the Holy Spirit, who renews the whole earth,
refresh you in the gift of baptism this day and always. **Amen.**

***Sending Hymn**

“We Praise You, O God”

ELW #870

***Dismissal**

Worship Assistant and Congregation
Go in peace. Share the good news. Alleluia.
Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

Postlude

“Thine Is The Glory”

Music by G. F. Handel

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WELCOME! A warm and loving welcome to all who enter this worship space. We especially welcome those who are visitors for the first time here at Calvary Lutheran! We hope and trust that your visit will be filled with God's Holy Spirit, giving you cause to know Jesus the Christ better than you did before we all gathered here today. Please join us before worship for refreshments and fellowship. And, you are invited to join us for Christian Education at 10:00am every Sunday, which is held for all ages in various classrooms. We are glad you are here today, and we look forward to the next time we are called and gathered by the Holy Spirit to share worship together. This is most certainly true.

<u>Attendance for April</u>		
April 5	147	92
April 12	76	73
April 19		
April 26		

*Gluten free communion wafers are available.
Please make sure an usher is aware if you require this product.*

April's Special Offering will go to: World Hunger

ONE WORSHIP SERVICE: May 3, 2015 10:00 AM

**GRIEF SHARE
Program
Thursdays
In the Parish House
10:00 AM & 6:30 PM
Open to the
Community**

- April 70+ Birthdays
- 3 Ralph Slothower
 - 5 Ken Gentzler
 - 7 John Rodgers
 - 14 Ruthanna Heiner
 - 17 Shirley Crone
 - 25 Richard Dietz
 - 30 June Fickes

- April Anniversaries
- 4 Timothy & Dena Bresnahan
 - 7 Terence & Marcia Feehan
 - 7 Wayne & Deb Latchaw
 - 10 Craig & Lauren Hoffheins
 - 14 Wesley & Ann Bridge
 - 20 Ralph & Sue Goodwin
 - 25 Scott & Jill Reiter

You are invited to our...

Book Fair *There will be something for everyone!*

Sundays, April 19 & 26
9:30-10:30 am
Or Visit scholastic.com/fair
Benefits Church and Preschool

THANKS to all who supported this event!

PIE SALE ... a variety of homemade pies will be available for sale in conjunction with the Pancake Breakfast.

Pancake Breakfast
April 25
8am-11am
Social Hall

To benefit Kitchen hood/fan fund.

Buttermilk and Buckwheat Pancakes, Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Beverages

Adults \$6.00
Children Age 5-12 \$3.00
Under Age 5 Free

Announcements...Welcome To Calvary!

Coffee/Tea/Cold Beverages and Cookies are available for your enjoyment in the room off the Sanctuary area between our 8:30 and 11:00 Worship Services. There are some tables and chairs in the Narthex if you would care to sit down and visit with your fellow church friends.

Annual Mothers Day Geranium Sale to benefit the Auxiliary to Lutheran Social Services: **Today is the last day** to order through Roberta Downs. Colors are Red or Salmon, Cost is \$3.00 each.

If you have any questions on obtaining your Child Protection Clearances as now required by state law and by our synod please contact Diane Brosius or Pastor John. If you do not have a computer or are not comfortable on doing this on your own, please contact Diane Brosius, Aaron Laird, Deanna Laird or Sharon Spangler and they will help you. **If we do not have your clearances on file in our church office by June 30, you will not be allowed BY LAW to volunteer to work with any of our events with children present.** PLEASE don't wait until the last minute to do this. Our Goal is to have every adult member of Calvary with clearances by MAY 1.

VBS MUSIC CD'S ARE HERE! If you would like a CD (\$5.00 each) contact Diane or Deanna. Having them early will help your children learn the music before the event.

New Hope Ministries is in urgent need of: toilet paper, paper towels, shampoo, body soap, toothpaste, deodorant, dish detergent, cleaning supplies, baby wipes and diapers in sizes 4 and 5. Please place you donations in the shopping cart in the hallway downstairs.

Prospective Lutheran Summer Campers: Just wanted to let you know I completed the Camp Person training so anyone who registers for Lutheran Camping would be eligible for the Camp Person discount of \$10. Don Dusich Want to learn more about church camp? Contact Don!

Attention Parents of Infants: The nursery is downstairs in Room #1, that is the classroom closest to Main Street, across from the flower room. Please, if you change diapers in there, place the soiled diapers in the trash cans in one of the rest rooms, do not let them in Room #1.

Grief Share support group will meet at Calvary on Thursdays at 10 AM or 6:30 PM. This course is designed to help you through your grief at the loss of a loved one, be it spouse, child, parent, sibling, friend.

Memberships to the Auxiliary to Lutheran Social Services can now be obtained through our representative Ann Bridge. Any donation amount for your membership will be gratefully received. Ann will also accept your honorary or memorial ads for the booklet for the Auxiliary's Founders Day celebration.

If you are graduating or have graduated since last time we honored graduates last May, please notify the church office with the following information so that we may celebrate your accomplishments with you: Name, Date and Place of Graduation, Future Plans.

**ONE WORSHIP SERVICE ON MAY 3 AT 10 AM FOLLOWED BY
A SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING AT 11 AM.**

Book Fair to benefit Calvary and Preschool Sundays April 19 and 26 from 9:30-10:30 am in the Social Hall.

Preschool News: They are now accepting fall class registrations-they are already at more than half capacity-don't wait until the last minute!

Outreach Project: Comfy toes!!! We are collecting new socks of all sizes and colors to distribute to those in need. Please place your donations in the box in the coffee area. Thanks so much! Marcia Feehan

The 2015 Flower and Bulletin Sponsor sign up papers are on the bulletin board in the hallway downstairs. Sign up today before your "special dates" are taken! **If you are a flower sponsor** please remember to pick up your flowers by Tuesday morning. If you do not care to take them home, you may gift them to someone who could use some "cheering up" by contacting LeeAnn Marsden (495-1976).

Prayer Chain/List: if you have a loved one who is in need of prayer, please contact Zina Compton at 586-2718 or call the church office at 298-3891 or email your request to calvarydover@verizon.net . Also, please check the list on page 13 of this bulletin and let us know if any of your friends are now better and we can take those names off that list. Zina will start an immediate prayer chain by calling those who have signed up for our Prayer Chain.

No Children's Chimes Rehearsals until Miss Marcia returns to us.

The Hand Bells are packed up and on their way for refurbishment! Thanks Everyone!

Get your Weis and Giant Gift Cards! If you make purchases at Weis and Giant, pick up gift cards here on Sunday mornings and help support this significant Calvary fund raiser! ***They make wonderful gifts all year around!*** You can even use these cards to also purchase gas at Giant and postage stamps at both stores. ***DID YOU KNOW...any profit from Gift Card Sales-over the budget amount will go to benefit Calvary's Children.***

The Simply Giving Program: Enjoy the convenience of electronic giving, which allows you to make donations on a scheduled, automatic basis. If you are writing checks and preparing envelopes every week, you will especially appreciate electronic giving. It is convenient for you and provides much-needed donation consistency for our church. ***How to get started:*** To set up electronic donations, simply complete an authorization form located in the narthex and return to the church office. Donations can be debited automatically from either a checking or savings account.



Calvary Youth Group

Open to People in Grades 5-12
Join in *anytime* and bring a friend!

Youth Director: Aaron Laird 717-577-9594

calvaryoveryouth@yahoo.com

[Facebook.com/calvaryoveryouth](https://www.facebook.com/calvaryoveryouth)

Instagram - [calvaryoveryouth](https://www.instagram.com/calvaryoveryouth)

Twitter - [@CalvaryDvrYouth](https://twitter.com/CalvaryDvrYouth)

Please consider signing up to help serve during
Coffee Fellowship or help sell Giant or Weis Gift Cards.

ANGELS AND POCKET CROSSES! On the white stand in the corner of the Narthex you will find these beautiful items from wonderfully talented ladies Helen Weigel and Carolyn Baumgardner which will benefit the Youth Group through your donations. (Thanks Helen and Carolyn!!) They make wonderful little gifts to someone who has done something nice for you, or “just because” you value a friendship. **Everyone NEEDS an angel, a cross and a prayer!**

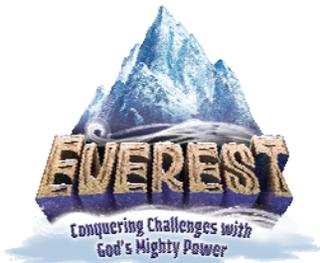
Teens Sunday School Classes at 10:00 AM in Room #3

Upcoming Events:

YOUTH MEETING: April 26 following 11:00 worship service

July 2015: NATIONAL YOUTH GATHERING & VBS

Thanks to our Calvary Family & Friends for everything!



Vacation bible school - 2015

July 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31

6:00 PM—8:30 PM

Crew Leaders Needed

Contact Diane Brosius or Church Office for Information

Children Programming for Ages 3– 12

Adult Programming for Ages 13 and Up

Meals served 5 PM—5:45 PM, Monday-Thursday

6:00 PM Friday– Closing Extravaganza for the ENTIRE FAMILY with Pot Luck Meal

PICK UP A REGISTRATION FORM AND REGISTER TODAY!

Or Go Online at: <https://www.groupvbspro.com/vbs/ez/calvarydover>



Our Church Family:

Jan and Pastor Ambrose
 Ron Bair[§]
 Sherry Baldwin
 Irv Baumgardner
 Doris Beitzel[§]
 Russ Blank [§]
 Althea Crone [§]
 Norma Diehl
 Connie Dravk[§]
 Floyd Drawbaugh
 Miriam Ehrhart
 Jane English
 Charlotte Escobar
 Scott Evans
 Marcia Feehan
 Helen Fischer[§]
 Mildred Frey [§]
 Carl Gross
 Carroll Hake[§]
 Maxine Klunk
 Janet Laughman[§]
 Nancy Little
 Tom Luchka
 Don Marsden
 Cheryl Reese
 John and Pat Rodgers
 Owen Ryan
 Donna Senft[§]
 Kim Shaw
 Ralph Slothower [§]
 Wayne Slothower[§] & Family
 Ruth Smeltzer
 Lee & Charlotte Snyder
 Arthur Weigel[§] Helen Weigel
 Louise Yingling
 Bill Zech
 Barbara and Clair Zinn
 Rev. John Woods, (*Our Pastor*)
 Aaron Laird, (*Our Youth Director*)
 Bishop James Dunlop
 (*Lower Susquehanna Synod*)

Bishop Elizabeth Eaton (*ELCA*)

Derrick Matthews & Family
 (*Missionary*)

§ Shut-In

From the Community:

John Allen
 Barbara Alley
 Sarah Alley
 Ryan Arevalo and Family
 Rev. Christine Babey
 Betty & Family (sister of Sue Goodwin)
 Ben Black
 Jessica Borsa
 Jake Calhoun
 Jayden Coval
 Robyn Cox
 Stephanie Cox
 Sheila Crist
 Shirley Crider [§]
 Louella Deardorff
 Natalie Dentler
 Jacinda Frigm
 Gilbert (*our sponsored child*)
 Amy & Blake Gross
 Charlene Gross
 Mary Lou Gross
 Marlene Heede
 Rita Heilmann
 Janice Heisey
 The Family of Clint Hess
 Ashlie Hilbert
 Maddie Hill and Family
 Jon Huss
 Pastor Gregory Lindsey
 Paula Little
 Laura Little Livingston
 Cindy Marco
 Michael Martin
 Donald Miller
 Brian Mitsdarfer
 Nancy Moser

Ashlyn Poff & Family

Barbara Poulin
 Kandis T. Prato
 Kevin T. Prato
 Don Reed & Family
 John Rockafello
 The Family of Harry Rodgers
 Taiven Schopf
 Sandy Shellenberger
 Kim Shelley
 Bill Stamm
 Carol Stauffer
 Cori Strathmeyer
 Kathy Tolbert
 Brad Trimmer
 Shirley Weaver
 Megan Zuviich
 New Hope Ministries

Military:

Brody Black ☼
 Mike Blaszczyk ☼
 Jason Kelly ☼
 MAJ Clair Kling ☼
 Brandon Krantz
 Ryan Kules ☼
 LTC Jimmy Matthews ☼
 1LT Seth Reed
 Joshua Shearer ☼
 ☼ **Military Overseas**

Please take a few moments to look over the PRAYER LIST...

and if you know of any changes that need to be made, please contact Zina Compton 586-2718 or call the church office at 292-3891.

This week at Calvary. . . .

Sunday, April 19 **Acts 3:12-19, Psalm 4, 1John 3:1-7, Luke 24:36b-48**

8:30 AM Traditional Worship Service-Holy Communion
9:40 AM Youth Choir Rehearsal in Room 5 unless otherwise advised by director, Jennifer McCleary
10:00 AM Sunday School for All Ages
11:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service with Praise Band, Crossroads-Holy Communion
PM Social Hall Reserved

Monday, April 20 **Psalm 95, 1Samuel 16:1-13, 1Peter 5:1-5**

7:00 PM Social Ministries Committee Meeting, Room #8

Tuesday, April 21 **Psalm 95, 1Chronicles 11:1-9, Revelation 7:13-17**

6:30 PM Fellowship Committee Meeting, Social Hall

Wednesday, April 22 **Psalm 95, Micah 7:8-20, Mark 14:26-31**

6:30 PM Bible Study with Pastor John, Youth Room

Thursday, April 23 **Psalm 22:25-31, Amos 8:1-7, Acts 8:1b-8**

10:00 AM or 6:30 PM Grief Share Support Group in Parlor of Parish House
8:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal, unless otherwise notified by director Jennifer McCleary

Friday, April 24 **Psalm 22:25-31, Amos 8:11-13, Acts 8:9-25**

Social Hall Reserved for Fellowship set up/pie baking

Saturday, April 25 **Psalm 22:25-31, Amos 8:7-15, Mark 4:30-32**

8 AM—11 AM Pancake Breakfast and Pie Sale
10:00 AM Crossroads Praise Band Rehearsal unless otherwise advised by director,

Sunday, April 26 **Acts 8:26-40, Psalm 22:25-31, 2John 4:7-21, John 15:1-8**

April 27 marks Pastor John's 15th year at Calvary!

8:30 AM Traditional Worship Service-Holy Communion
9:40 AM Youth Choir Rehearsal in Room 5 unless otherwise advised by director, Jennifer McCleary
10:00 AM Sunday School for All Ages
11:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service with Praise Band, Crossroads-Holy Communion
6 PM Social Hall Reserved

Commemorations for this week. . . .

Sunday, April 19, 2015 Olavus Petri, priest, died 1552; Laurentius Petri, Bishop of Uppsala, died 1573; renewers of the church These two brothers studied with Luther at the University of Wittenberg and then returned to their native Sweden to introduce the Lutheran reforms. Olavus published a catechism and hymnal; Laurentius was a professor who defended the office of bishop and later became one.

Tuesday, April 21 Anselm, Bishop of Canterbury, died 1109 This eleventh-century monk was one of the greatest theologians of the Middle Ages. He is remembered for emphasizing the maternal aspects of God, and for the theory that the Son of God became human in order to make the necessary payment for our sin.

Wednesday, April 22 Day of the Creation (Día de la Creación) (LLC) This observance invites us to notice and give God thanks for the wonders of the created universe. As stewards of that creation, we are also challenged to be careful in our use of it.

Thursday, April 23 Toyohiko Kagawa, renewer of society, died 1960 Born in Kobe, Japan, Kagawa was orphaned as a young child. Later, when he became Christian, he was disowned by the rest of his family. Wishing to bring Christian principles into society, he worked among poor people, established schools and hospitals, and worked for peace.

Saturday, April 25 Mark, Evangelist He was not numbered among the twelve apostles, yet Mark was probably a member of the early church community. The gospel that bears his name is the shortest and most direct, and many scholars think it was the first to be written.

APRIL 19 8:30 AM	APRIL 19 11:00 AM	<u>Worship Volunteers</u>	APRIL 26 8:30 AM	APRIL 26 11:00 AM
Josh & Jamie Brandstadter	Joe & Zina Compton	<u>Greeters</u>	Emma Woods Helen Weigel	Ann Ferguson Helen Weigel
Sharon Spangler Karena Strain Madison Strain Carl Gross	Alex Harlacher Deb Harlacher Bob Snelbecker Marlene Zech	<u>Ushers</u>	Eden Dusich Noah Dusich Lindsey Markle Karen Latshaw	Lauren Hoffheins Abe Evans Alyssa Girouard Jacob Iavarone
Jeff Byers	Jeanine Tschopp	<u>Worship Asst.</u>	Cheryl Reigart	Jason Gross
Kelsey Kraft	Rebekah Tschopp	<u>Acolyte</u>	LeeAnn Marsden	Dodie Menard
Noah Dusich	Zina Compton	<u>Lay Reader</u>	Rena Strain	Jason Gross
Ken Gentzler Pat Gentzler Jenni Melhorn	Kim Harlacher Chris Harlacher	<u>Offering Tellers</u>	Cheryl Reigart Lauren Hoffheins Bill Zech	Dave Quickel Janet Quickel
		<u>Nursery Attendant</u>		
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Karen Myers		<u>Comm. Elements</u>	Lois Slothower	
Steph Hake		<u>Bulletin Folders</u>	Carl & Shirley Gross	
The Kistner Family		<u>Coffee Fellowship</u>	The Marsden Family, Kelsey Kraft	
The Strain Family		<u>Gift Card Table</u>	Jane English Shirley Gross	
In Honor of Eden Smith's 7th Birthday By Mom, Dad, Kaidence, Willow, Grandma & Grandpa		<u>Altar Flowers Sponsor</u>	Sponsorship Available	
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COMMUNION

We invite all baptized believers in
and Savior

Jesus Christ as Lord
to commune with us this morning.

*Those unable to come forward for the sacrament,
please bring this to the attention of an usher and communion will be brought to you.*

MISSION STATEMENT

**We at Calvary believe God wants our congregation to exist in order to reflect
God's love through our actions, programs and image; to reach out to our family,
the community and the world; to provide moral and spiritual leadership.
called to grow and adjust with the times to make
relevant for contemporary society.**

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