

PRAYER SUPPORT (JAN 27 & 28)

Submit prayer requests to 783-2000 or churchsecretary@clcs.org.

STRENGTH & HEALING

Christina Albrecht, daughter of Al & Marsha Albrecht; **Judy Webb**, friend of Amber Young

ONGOING CARE—CALVARY

Ellen Vance; **Jim Birdwell**; **Gene Redding**; **Denise Fix**; **Pastor Bill Yates**; **Dan Weeden**; **Glory Van Arsdel**; **Ron Brink**; **Bonnie Brink**; **Sherry Ritchoffe**; **Art Messer**; **Ruth Messer**; **Susie Holton**; **Jennifer Craft**; **Bob Heid**; **Janelle McCoy**; **Sherri Terry**; **Linda Heckman**; **Sandra Herald**; **Midge Clark**; **Connor Miles**

ONGOING CARE—COMMUNITY

Carol Ketter, wife of Ken Kettler; **Jerry Plummer**, brother-in-law of Steve Bardonner; **Jared Hall**, grandson of Jim & Jan Dunaway; **Sophie Wildauer**, granddaughter of Craig & Amy Wildauer; **Vera Monroe**, mother of Gloria Vandivier; **Reese Nicole**, great-granddaughter of Sue McFarland; **Layla Stockinger**, a 4th grade student at Emmaus Ft. Wayne; **Richard Parr**, father of Cheryl Rensner; **Rev. Harold & Joy Kallio**; **Jim Foster**, friend of Jim & Kristen Schark; **Madelyn Douecy**, granddaughter of Dr. & Mrs. Trigg; **Jim Strozier**, uncle of Matthew Durkee; **Bob Locke**, friend of Jim & Kristen Schwark; **Evan Stephan**, friend of James & Melissa Mayo; **Jennifer Lee**, sister of Jane Wilson; **Darrell Shaw**, friend of Becky Leslie; **Steve Bruner**, brother of Patty Rothkopf; **Ella Kay Bardonner**, sister-in-law of Steve Bardonner; **Jane Weeks**; **Kelly Fromer & Paula Spears**, friends of Kristen Schwark; **Norman Parks**, brother of Ellwyn Parks; **Jean Moeller**, mother of Leslie Huntington; **Gertrude Heiden**, mother of Judy Morrison

GOD'S PEACE

Mabel Schwark; **Byron Miner**, father of Lance Miner

FOR THOSE WHO MOURN

Family and friends of **Martha Schulteis**, mother-in-law of Dick Weiss (Jan 26)

FOR CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

National Lutheran Schools Week (Jan 21-28)

Lutheran High School of Indianapolis

FOR GOD'S GUIDANCE

Calvary's Associate Pastor Call Committee

GOD'S MISSION

For Calvary's El Salvador Mission Team as they return from their trip

GOD'S PROTECTION

Taylor Sessions (CO); **Brent Ogunmakin**, husband of Taylor Sessions (CO); **Trevor Frank** (AZ); **Abigail (Leslie) Tipton** (deployed); **Nate Moore** (FL); **Corey Langhammer** (KS); **Grant Behning** (WA); **Drew Utterback**, grandson of Judy Stanford (US); **Austin McClure**, grandson of Judy Stanford (deployed); **Michael Van Arsdel**, grandson of Glory Van Arsdel (deployed); **Tommy Austin**, friend of Erin Woempner (deployed); **Dylan Bruner**, nephew of Patty Rothkopf (US); **Joseph Fox**, grandson of Anita Fox (US); **Nicholas Haviland**, nephew of Steve & Laura Currier (NC); **Rich Hougesen**, son-in-law of Rich Wilson (US); **Caleb, Japheth, & Seth Hougesen**, grandsons of Rich Wilson (US); **Austin Turner**, nephew of Glenda Roundtree (WA); **Wayde Cochran**, great-nephew of Steve & Pattie Bardonner; **Christina Etzler**, niece of Denise Fix (deployed)

BIBLE STUDY & SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday Morning – Jan 28 9:25–10:25 a.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

Drop off preschoolers through 8th grade in the Cafeteria for snacks, fellowship, and a Bible lesson.

Today's Topic: Into the Wilderness—God Gave the Ten Commandments Exodus 19-20

FOUNDATIONS OF FAITH:

(Jan 21-Mar 3) Join us to learn more about the Lutheran faith and Calvary! Completing this class provides the opportunity to become a part of the Calvary family. (Rm 125-Pastor Ebert)

INTO THE WORD:

Youth & adults of all ages are invited to go deeper into Scripture.

Today's Topic: "Joel" (Jan 21, 28, Feb 4)

Join us for a 3-week study of the book of Joel. Is it a book about disaster and judgment, or mercy and hope? Join us as we discuss the themes in Joel's prophecy and how they apply to us today. (Rm 127-Rhonda Hansen)

FAITH TALKS:

A conversation-based bible study for those new and old to the faith, for adults, young adults, and high school youth.

Today's Topic: **No** Faith Talks today.

SERVING TODAY

Worship Leader
(5:30) Doug Wright

Communion Assistants

(5:30) Eric Eisberg
(8:00) Steve Vandivier
Gene Jend
(10:45) Ben Langhammer
Steve Bardonner

Vtech

(5:30) Phil Hendershott
(8:00) Jim Richert
(10:45) Tom Schultz

NEXT WEEK (FEB 3/4)

Worship Leader
(5:30) Steve Currier

Communion Assistants

(5:30) Dave Leim
(8:00) Gene Jend
Tim Moschell
(10:45) Brian Krohmer
Dave Honebrink

Vtech

(5:30) Debbie Shaw
(8:00) Glenda Roundtree
(10:45) Stacey Faubion



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Connecting, Learning, Caring, and Serving*

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

Church & School Office Hours Mon–Fri 8:00a–4:00p

SUNDAY, JAN 28

8:00a **Traditional Worship (Sanc)**
9:15a H2H Confirmation (Gym)
9:25a Sunday School
(Cafeteria)
9:25a Foundations of Faith (125)
9:25a Into the Word (127)
10:45a **Contemporary Worship (Sanc)**
5:00p Tamil Worship (Sanc)
5:30p Flight (Youth)

TUESDAY, JAN 30

10:00a Prayer Team (Conf)
7:00p Hansen Zoom Study

THURSDAY, FEB 1

8:15a All School Chapel (Sanc)
9:00a Quilters (Narthex)
12:00p Stretching Souls (Narthex)
1:00p Lucado Bible Study (125)
7:00p Choir (Sanc)
8:00p Handbells (Sanc)

SATURDAY, FEB 3

7:30a Men's Bible Study (Conf)
8:30a Ladies' Bible Study
(Church Library)
5:30p **Traditional Worship (Sanc)**

SUNDAY, FEB 4

8:00a **Traditional Worship (Sanc)**
9:15a H2H Confirmation
(Art Rm)
9:25a Sunday School
(Cafeteria)
9:25a Foundations of Faith (125)
9:25a Into the Word (127)
10:45a **Contemporary Worship (Sanc)**
5:30p Flight (Youth)

MINISTRY YEAR THEME

"For the Sake of Others"

1. Welcoming the guest
2. Challenging the connected
3. Serving our community

"I have become all things to all people, that by all means I might save some. I do it all for the sake of the gospel, that I may share with them in its blessings." – 1 Cor 9:22b-23

ARE YOU A GUEST TODAY? WELCOME!

We pray that God enriches your week through worship today.

Next Steps? Check out more about our ministries at clcs.org, pick up a gift bag in the narthex, or email pastors@clcs.org.

Chili and Soup Cook-Off and Dessert Auction

Get your Recipe books out because the Youth Chili Cookoff is back with a new and interesting twist! This year, in addition to chili you may enter your favorite soup recipe. This event takes place in the gym on **Sun., Feb 11** following the late service. Entry forms are available in the church office and on the information table on your way out. All money raised by this event benefits youth fundraising for their summer mission trip. The location for this year's mission trip will be announced on Sun., Jan 28 at FLIGHT.

Touch-A-Truck Event at Calvary (Sept 7)

The outreach team is planning our first Touch-A-Truck event. This is a community outreach event where attendees will have the opportunity to get in the driver's seat and touch the trucks. The plan is to have vehicles and equipment such as a police car, firetruck, ambulance, school bus, garbage truck, farm equipment, construction vehicles, service vehicles, delivery trucks, and more.

WE NEED YOUR HELP – The first order of business is to secure vehicles and equipment for this event. If you have or know someone that has this type of vehicle or equipment, contact Marv Hansen. Please help us make this new outreach event a success!

Also, mark your calendars for the event: **Sat., Sept 7, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** It will include not only the opportunity "touch a truck" but also games, face painting, the puppet ministry, bounce houses, food and much more.

Upcoming Retirement & Position Opening

Gary Bugher has announced his plan to retire from Calvary's Business Manager position later this spring. We thank Gary for his faithful service to Calvary over the years and we pray for God's blessings as he prepares for new things ahead.

To better serve our congregation and support our ministry staff, we will be reimagining the role and responsibilities of our current Business Manager position. We are seeking candidates with strong skills in the areas of finance, operations, and organizational leadership, who can help move forward the mission of Calvary. This individual would serve as the Chief Administrative Officer of the congregation supporting the work of our congregation, staff, and volunteer leaders.

Contact Bill Laut or Pastor Kurt Ebert kebert@clcs.org for more information or to express interest/submit a resume.

"Loss of a Spouse" Program (Wed., Feb 21)

Calvary will be offering the "Loss of a Spouse" program for the first time on **Wed., Feb 21**, from 6:00–8:00 p.m. This two-hour, one-day event is produced by GriefShare and focuses on the specific issues and challenges that are faced when one loses a spouse. Please contact Mike Loudon or Roxanne Deardurff with questions and to register for this event. This will help to ensure we have the appropriate materials and refreshments.

Save the Date—Vacation Bible School

Mon., Jun 24—Fri., Jun 28 9:00-11:30 a.m.

Electrifying Bible adventures, catchy songs, fun games, and memorable crafts are all part of the VBS experience! Mark it on your family calendar to join us this summer as we dive into an amazing undersea adventure where they'll experience the ever-flowing, never-ending love of God. Look for more information in the coming months.

Interested in volunteering? Email Kara Hiatt.

Call Committee Update

The Call Committee has received the list of potential candidate names from the Indiana District. There are sixteen names in total. Five names from the congregation and eleven names from the district president. The committee will now begin assessing the list of candidates, narrowing the list before conducting interviews with some of the candidates. Please pray for God to guide the committee through the selection process.

Family Bingo Night

The Children's Ministry Team is hosting a Family Bible Bingo Night, **Fri., Feb 23** from 6:00-7:00 p.m. This event is open to all ages and family types. We are also asking the wider Calvary family to consider supporting this event by donating prizes (e.g., \$3-\$15 items for kids and adults, such as puzzles, games, toys, candy). Bring donations to the church office by **Feb 19**.

First Quarter Mission Envelope Designation

Gifts received this quarter in the red-lined "Mission" offering envelopes or designated "mission" on your online giving will support Lutheran Hour Ministries (LHM). LHM passionately proclaims the Gospel around the world more than 195 million times each week. Through its North American headquarters and ministry centers on six continents, LHM reaches more than 60 countries, often bringing Christ to places where no other Christian evangelistic organizations are present. The Lutheran Hour airs weekly on more than 1,800 radio stations and the American Forces Network. <https://www.lhm.org/>

ADULT MINISTRY

Lunch Out! (Wed., Feb 7, 11:00 a.m.)

This month's Lunch Out! will be held at Happy Days Restaurant, located at Sherman & Raymond. Tables will be saved for Calvary Lutheran. Adults of all ages welcome! Check out the menu on-line! Thank you to Ray & Jan Main for hosting this month's Lunch Out!

WOMEN IN MISSION

Ladies' Bible Study (Sat., Feb 3)

This month's study will be from the Lutheran Women's Winter 2023 Quarterly and shared by everyone. Join us in the Church Library on **Sat., Feb 3** at 8:30 a.m.

SCHOOL MINISTRY

2024-25 PS – 8th Gr Calvary Sch Registration

Preschool through eighth grade registration for Calvary members, returning students and their siblings will begin Jan 8. Our early enrollment period will continue through Jan 31. New applications for enrollment will be accepted starting Feb 1. Call and schedule a tour during the school day. Help spread the word to coworkers, neighbors, friends, and family. God has blessed us to be a blessing to others.

National Lutheran Schools Week (Jan 21 - Jan 28)

We give thanks to God for our Lutheran Schools, as they share the love of Jesus with students, families, and the community in an environment of academic excellence. There are more than 1,800 Lutheran Schools within the LCMS with over 180,000 students. Learn more at lcms.org/school-ministry.

Kindergarten Teaching Position

We are seeking a Kindergarten teacher in preparation for the 2024-25 school year, but we are also open to having this teacher begin this school year if available. Perhaps you know of someone that graduated this December or is looking for a wonderful opportunity to teach. Please submit the names of candidates to the school office. We thank Mrs. Cheryl Rensner for continuing to fill our Kindergarten vacancy this year.

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

Applications for Lutheran High School

Applications for the 2024–2025 school year are now open. Visit lhsi.org for more information!

"Saints at Home" Monthly Newsletter

Would you like to receive news and information about Lutheran High School delivered right to your Inbox? Sign up for Saints@Home to help stay connected.