

### Interested in finding out more about Calvary?

Save the date for our next Foundations of Faith class. We will begin **Sun., Aug 24** during the Bible study hour. This six-week opportunity allows you to find out more about our Christian faith, our congregation's ministries, and opportunities to get connected. Look for more details to come. For more information, contact Kara Hiatt ([connections@clcs.org](mailto:connections@clcs.org)).

### Student Assistance Scholarships

Calvary has funds available to provide scholarships for the education of church workers. These funds are available largely as a result of the generosity of the Wessler family through the endowed Wessler Scholarship Fund. For the coming school year Calvary is providing support to five students that are alums of Lutheran High School and currently enrolled in LCMS universities. Paige Taylor (Education), Paige Mielke & Rachel Murphy (Dir. Of Church Ministries) are enrolled at Concordia University Wisconsin. Grace King (Education) is enrolled at Concordia University Chicago and Jacob Reid (Parish Pastor Ministry) is enrolled at Concordia Theological Seminary. Rachel Murphy is a first year scholarship recipient. The other four received scholarships from Calvary in the prior school year. We are also providing scholarship support to Ryan Rosenau – Calvary's new Music Director – who is finishing up his degree in Church Music at Concordia Ann Arbor. Anyone who is considering pursuing an education in church work and would like more information on scholarship opportunities please reach out to the Stewardship Ministry Team at [stewardship@clcs.org](mailto:stewardship@clcs.org).

### El Salvador Mission Trip

Mission trip dates for El Salvador have been set for next year. The first trip is scheduled for Sat., Jan 24, - Sun., Feb 1, 2026. The summer trip is planned for Sat., July 4, - Sun., July 12, 2026. There will also be an option to extend both trips by one week. Trips consist of medical clinics, construction projects supporting the church, helping Hope for Children families, as well as educational and evangelism opportunities. If these dates do not work for you and you feel called to serve, set your own dates. Questions? Contact Ken, (317-600-5274, [praisingdaddy@aol.com](mailto:praisingdaddy@aol.com)) or Diane Robinson, (317-513-9969 or [dwilliamson43@gmail.com](mailto:dwilliamson43@gmail.com)).

### Produce Table

If you have extra produce from your garden that you'd like to share, place it on the table in the narthex. The produce is available to everyone, and free-will donations benefit the Good Samaritan Fund that supports Calvary church and school families in need.

### Touch-A-Truck (Sat., Sept 6, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.)

Calvary is planning our second annual Touch-A-Truck event, a community outreach opportunity where attendees can get in the driver's seat or have an up-close experience. We plan to have vehicles/equipment such as a police car, firetruck, ambulance, school bus, dump truck, farm equipment, construction/service vehicles, etc., and career awareness demos. Good News – we have enough trucks! WE NEED YOUR HELP – We are recruiting volunteers for the welcome tables, parking, food prep, face painting and bounce houses. Please contact Marv Hansen at [marvin.m.hansen@gmail.com](mailto:marvin.m.hansen@gmail.com) or 317.358.7733.

### Prayer Partners Wanted

What an encouragement it is to have someone regularly pray for you and keep in touch when you are navigating a cancer journey! As our cancer support group is about to begin this fall, we are looking for persons who are willing to support just one person in their cancer walk. Not sure if this is for you? Come see what it involves and how you can support someone with cancer. Join us in the Conf Rm on **Aug 17 at 9:25 a.m.** Contact Diane Gibson, 317 741-9686, with questions.

### Lutheran World Relief Promise Project – School Kits

Shop now for school supplies when prices are low! Grab a supply tag off the quilted School House displayed in the narthex. Each tag describes what is needed and how many to purchase. Please return supplies by **Sun., Aug 17** to the donation box. Questions? Karen Hand, [spots8105@aol.com](mailto:spots8105@aol.com).

### Interested in Helping our Worship 'Sound' Amazing?

We are seeking additional volunteers to help with our sound needs at our traditional services (Sat 5:30 p.m. & Sun. 8:00 a.m.). Whether you have previous experience or are brand new, we are happy to provide the training needed for the role. Contact Pastor Kurt Ebert to find out more information or express interest ([kebert@clcs.org](mailto:kebert@clcs.org)).

### GriefShare (Wednesdays Aug 20 – Nov 12)

Faith-based grief support, help & encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, friend. **Wednesdays, Aug 20 – Nov 12, 6:00-8:00 p.m.** Led by trained facilitators Mike Loudon and Roxanne Deardurff. Sessions include videos by experts in grieving, support group discussion, personal study/reflection. Open to everyone. Begin attending at any time; sessions are not sequential. Contact Mike Loudon ([mfloudon@yahoo.com](mailto:mfloudon@yahoo.com)) or Roxanne Deardurff ([rdeardurff@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rdeardurff@sbcglobal.net)) for more information.

## ADULT MINISTRY

### Lunch Out! Wed., Aug 6 11:00 a.m.

For our "First Wednesday" in August outing, we're meeting at Yokohama Japanese Restaurant, 67 N. Madison, Greenwood. Tables will be saved for Calvary Lutheran, no reservation needed. Adults of all ages are welcome – come join us for good food and some fun Christian fellowship. Questions? Contact Barb Sorgius, 317-783-2000.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

### Children's Ministry Kick-Off (Fri., Aug 22)

Join us on **Fri., Aug 22** from 5:00 p.m.—7:00 p.m. in the south parking lot for the Children's Ministry Kick-Off, carnival style!! There will be carnival games, hot dogs and popcorn and a few fun surprises! This event is for all ages and will be rain or shine.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

### Extravagant Sharing

During **August**, please fill our shelves with **boxes or packages of pasta and/or pasta sauces**. Boxes of cereal are always needed. Many families in need will greatly appreciate your donations. God bless all your giving hearts.

## SCHOOL MINISTRY

### SGO News

The Lutheran Scholarship Grant Organization will offer a 1:1 match for all donations given from NEW donors, up to \$1,000 per donor, up to \$5,000 per school. This will be retroactive to Jan 1, 2025. All new donor gifts given after June 30 will be matched monthly. Another awesome way to support the needs of our church and school. Please see Mr. Rensner for additional information and to send in your donation.

### Final Registration

2025-26 final registration for Preschool–8th grade is scheduled for Mon. and Tues., Aug 4 & 5 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. in the gym. Please enter through door #2.

### Preschool and Kindergarten Orientations

Preschool - Mon., Aug 4 from 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Kindergarten – Mon., Aug 4 from 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and Tues., Aug 5 from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Select a time that fits your schedule.

PRAYER SUPPORT (AUG 2 & 3)

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

RECOVERING FROM SURGERY

Ray Ford; Patty Rothkopf; Kathy Lamin; Scott Severyn, son-in-law of Dick Weiss

STRENGTH & HEALING

Bob Wurster; Bob Blazek; Scott, friend of Paul & Nancy McMichael; Erma Rebber, sister of Bill Rebber and aunt of Julie Sessions; David Webb, friend of Amber Young; Don Amt, friend of Bob Polk

ONGOING CARE—CALVARY

Glory Van Arsdel; Keith Corban; Sherri Terry; Larry Jupin; Mary Ann Knaus; Ellen Vance; Jim Vance; Gene Redding; Pastor Bill Yates; Dan Weeden; Bonnie Brink; Art Messer; Connor Miles

ONGOING CARE—COMMUNITY

Michael Schaefer, friend of Jake Allen & Tim Finke; Jane Vandivier, mother of Steve Vandivier; Jerry Plummer, brother-in-law of Steve Bardonner; Tyler Spenny, grandson of Marilyn Rothkopf; Joanna Ault, friend of Ray & Kathy Ford; Lauren Rich, niece of Sherri Lytle; Bella Beltran, great-granddaughter of Pauline Miller; Vera Monroe, mother of Gloria Vandivier; Judy Webb, friend of Amber Young; Connie Menke, friend of Karen Davis; Tracy Finke, daughter-in-law of Pat Finke; Jiraiya Marqua, great-grandson of Sandra Marqua Staten; Shirley Wehmeier, sister of Bill Wittlief; Rev. Harold & Joy Kallio; Evan Stephan, friend of James & Melissa Mayo; Darrell Shaw, friend of Becky Leslie; Steve Bruner, brother of Patty Rothkopf; Ella Kay Bardonner, sister-in-law of Steve Bardonner; Jane Weeks; Jim Foster, Kelly Fromer & Paula Spears, friends of Jim & Kristen Schwark

FOR THOSE WHO MOURN

Family and friends of Jared Hall, grandson of Jim & Jan Dunaway, nephew of Don & Joanna Dearth (July 27)

FOR CALVARY LUTHERAN SCHOOL, LUTHERAN HIGH, & AREA SCHOOLS

For students, teachers, and administrators as we begin a new school year

FOR CHRISTIAN CARE & OUTREACH

Calvary's Community Garden

GOD'S PROTECTION

Riley Bauer (US); Taylor Sessions (FL); Abigail (Leslie) Tipton (US); Nate Moore (deployed); Corey Langhammer (OK); Grant Behning (WA); Carsyn Stanford, grandson of Judy Stanford (US); Austin & Laurel McClure, grandson & his wife of Judy Stanford; Addison Utterback, granddaughter of Judy Stanford (US); 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); Caleb Hougese, grandson 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 – August 3 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: Pretzels – Salt and Light  
Matthew 5:13-16

INTO THE WORD:

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

Today's Topic: "Minor Prophets" (July 13—Aug 10)

Join us as we study the Minor Prophets, such as Jonah, Nahum, Hosea, and others. (Rm 125—Pastor Mark)

FAITH TALKS:

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

Today's Topic: No Faith Talks this weekend.



August 2 & 3, 2025

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Engaging People in Christ through  
Connecting, Learning, Caring, and Serving

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

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

SUNDAY, AUG 3

8:00a Traditional Worship (Sanc)  
9:25a Sunday School (Cafeteria)  
9:25a Into the Word (125)  
10:45a Contemporary Worship (Sanc)  
5:30p Flight (Youth)

MONDAY, AUG 4

9:00a CLS Final Registration (Gym)  
4:00p CLS Final Registration (Gym)  
6:30p Parish Ed (125)  
7:00p Compassion MT (Conf)  
7:00p Children's MT (Ch Lib)

TUESDAY, AUG 5

9:00a CLS Final Registration (Gym)  
10:00a Prayer Team (Conf)  
4:00p CLS Final Registration (Gym)

WEDNESDAY, AUG 6

11:00a Lunch Out!

THURSDAY, AUG 7

9:00a Quilters (Narthex)  
12:00p Stretching Souls (Narthex)

SATURDAY, AUG 9

7:30a Men's Bible Study (Conf)  
5:30p Traditional Worship (Sanc)

SUNDAY, AUG 10

8:00a Traditional Worship (Sanc)  
9:25a Sunday School (Cafeteria)  
9:25a Into the Word (125)  
10:45a Contemporary Worship (Sanc)  
5:30p Flight (Youth)

SERVING TODAY

Worship Leader

(5:30) Steve Currier

Communion Assistants

(5:30) Bob Romack  
(8:00) Matt Francis  
Phil Hendershott  
(10:45) Dave Leim  
Pastor Kurt Ebert

Vtech

(5:30) Debbie Shaw  
(8:00) Jim Richert  
(10:45) Brad Driver

NEXT WEEK (AUG 9/10)

Worship Leader

(5:30) Ellwyn Parks

Communion Assistants

(5:30) Dave Leim  
(8:00) Tim Benzinger  
Pastor Kurt Ebert  
(10:45) TBD  
Pastor Kurt Ebert

Vtech

(5:30) Janet Knobloch  
(8:00) Kyle Huntington  
(10:45) Bella Reese

MINISTRY YEAR THEME

"Faith in Action"

- 1. Connecting to a life in Christ.
- 2. Learning to follow Christ's call.
- 3. Caring for others in His name.

ALTAR FLOWERS

Given in praise to God for the gift  
of our daughters, by  
Marv & Rhonda Hansen

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](mailto:pastors@clcs.org).