

IN CHRIST'S NAME
WELCOME TO CALVARY

Please sign the Friendship Registers located at the end of each pew.

KIDS CORNER

A place where you can find kid-friendly items to use during worship. Located in the Narthex next to the coat room.

CALVARY'S NURSERY

Our nursery is located on the west side of the Sanctuary and is available for your use. A nursing lounge is available in the Prayer Room located on the north end of Bethany Hall (in the basement).

WELCOME TO THE LORD'S TABLE

We practice open communion. All who believe the promise of Christ *given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins* are welcome at His table. **GRAPE JUICE** and **GLUTEN FREE WAFERS** are available. Please indicate your desire for these elements to the server. For those desiring to be served the sacrament in their seats, please talk to one of the ushers.

WE REMEMBER in our prayers the families of Judith Mary Johnson, Laura Rasmussen, Ruth Holmgren, and Evone Loch.

KNOWN HOSPITALIZED:

Bill Bannon, UMN Fairview, Hope Lodge; Kevin Hemish, UMN Fairview

**Registration for 2017-2018
Sunday/Wednesday School**

Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center and online at the Calvary website (calvarywillmar.org). All children ages 3 years (by September 1) through Grade 6 are invited to attend Sunday School and/or Wednesday School. Please register your children by **August 27!**

- The first day of Sunday School is September 10!
- The first day of Wednesday School is September 13!

SEEKING . . . We are currently seeking teachers for our Wednesday afternoon and Sunday morning programming. Prayerfully consider being a teacher for one of the following programs this fall:
- **Wednesday Afternoons . . .** (5:15-6:15pm), we need teachers for children, ages 3 years – 6 grade.
- **Sunday Mornings . . .** (9:05-10:05), we need teachers for children, 3 years – 6 grade. If you have gifts or enjoy working with children and want to teach, help with music or just help out, please call Janel @ 235-2508 or email her at janel@calvarywillmar.org.

REMINDER

Newsletter Items for the September Newsletter need to be in the office by Wednesday, August 9.

Meet Calvary's New Communication Specialist

Calvary welcomes Rachel (Grothe) Gilbertson as the newest member of our office support staff and along with office support is our new Calvary Communication & Information Technology Specialist. She is a graduate of New London/Spicer High School, attended Ridgewater College and St. Cloud State University. Rachel's parents (Loren & Jackie Grothe) were members of Calvary until they moved to the New London/Spicer area some years ago.

Rachel enjoys water sports, animals, and spending time with her family. She is married to Geoffrey Gilbertson (son of Calvary members Ron & Candy). Geoffrey and Rachel have a 7 month old son, Shep, who was baptized earlier this summer at Calvary.

Rachel is eager to share her gifts working at Calvary enabling us to grow deeper in all our congregational communication using the technology of today. Welcome Rachel to our staff!

OUR THANKS TO

Mary Ellen de Cathelineau, Julie Olson, and Marie Staley for providing office support during this summer interim. Your help has been much appreciated.

Family Promise Host Week

Calvary will host Family Promise the week of September 10-17. We are excited to have initiated electronic sign-up for volunteers. You may have already received an e-mail or you can call Roger Bengtson at 320-905-1762 to receive e-mail notices.

2017 Relay for Life Calvary Crusaders

Thanks to everyone who donated their time or money to the 2017 Relay for Life. Whether it was joining us at Pizza Ranch, help decorate luminaries, or purchasing a luminary, the Calvary Crusaders appreciated your generosity and together we raised over \$3000! We were honored that Pastor Naomi was an Honorary Captain for this year's event. Hearing her story and seeing the luminaries purchased here at Calvary in honor or memory of our loved ones reminds us how the lives of so many are impacted by cancer. The Kandiyohi County teams together raised over \$112,000.

Next Sunday – August 13th

10th Sunday after Pentecost

1 Kings 19:9-18

Psalms 85:8-13

Romans 10:5-15

Matthew 14:22-33

calvary staff

Pastors	Timothy P. Larson Naomi Mahler, Dean E. Johnson
Director of Music Ministry	David Severtson
Faith Formation Coordinators	Janel Skindeliem Ashley Gilbertson David Severtson
Organist	Dawn Fisch
Office Manager	Rachel Gilbertson
Communication Specialist	Keith Neumann
Treasurer	Mike Swanson & Bruce Laffen
Custodians	Randy Novak
Head Usher	Sandi Bennett
Librarian	Sandi Bennett, Julie Neumann Dianne Plahn
Prayer Ministry	Enola Dowdell
Kitchen Coordinator	Ron Keith
Calvary Cemetery Sexton	Philip & Lou Knutson (Southern Africa) Dr. Stephen & Jodi Swanson (Tanzania) Tessa Moon & Jon Leiseth (Republic Of South Africa)

2017 Exec Committee

President: Dion Warne; Vice Pres: Bill Fenske;
Secretary: Amanda Newberg; Pastors

Church Council

Bd of Children & Family

Jaime Hultgren (15-18)
Amanda Newberg (16-19)
Erica Mathews (17-20)

Board of Stewardship

Keith Neumann (15-18)
Corey Nelson (16-19)
Brett Aamot (17-20)

Board of Finance

Dion Warne (15-18)
Bill Fenske (16-19)
Valerie Amberg (17-20)
Peter Johnson (17-20)

Board of Worship

Heather Bonnema (15-18)
LeAnn Simonson (15-18)
Mary Jo de Cathelineau
(16-19)
Shawn Swenson (17-20)

Board of Outreach

Shirley Ringness (15-18)
Dennis Eastman (16-19)
Bridget Pederson (16-19)
Aleisha Sweep (17-20)

Board of Youth & Family

Amy Arnold (15-18)
Scott Nichols (17-20)

serving Today

Preaching	Timothy P. Larson
Acolytes:	8:00-Savana Eckhoff Madison Garberding 9:45-Derek Leuze Merron Johnson
Communion Assistants:	8:00-Shawn Swenson Scott Nichols 9:45-Corey Nelson Dennis Eastman
Greeters:	8:00-Paul & Janelle Higdem Barb & Roger Baker Donavon & Kathy Monson Jennifer Monson 9:45-Mark & Beth Bloomquist Vernon & Marilee Ashburn Mark & Lisa Larsen and Family Kevin & Sandy Hanson
Lector:	5:30-Paulette Tvete 8:00-Kasey Baker 9:45-Andrew Berg
Office Volunteer:	8:00-Linda Larson 9:45-Marcia Knutson
Sound:	8:00-Doug Sawatzky 9:45-Andrew Halbritter
Video:	Gary Wyffels
August Altar Guild:	Marie Fett, Nancy Fritz Marie Staley, Carol Heck

A Measure of our Faithfulness

Worship – Attendance
Saturday, July 29, 2017
5:30PM 56
Sunday, July 30, 2017
8:00AM 110
9:45AM 189

Our Week at Calvary

Sunday 06	8:00 AM	First Word Worship with Holy Communion
	9:00 AM	Foundation & Praise Rehearsal
	9:05 AM	Coffee/Fellowship
	9:45 AM	Foundation & Praise Worship with Holy Communion
	7:00 PM	CC (Berg)
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Monday 07	10:00 AM	Prayer Time
	1:00 PM	Kitchen Clean-up (Circle leaders)
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Tuesday 08	10:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	11:00 AM	Program Staff Meeting
	5:30 PM	Board of C&F
	6:00 PM	Board of Worship
	6:00 PM	Board of Finance
	6:00 PM	Board of Outreach
	7:00 PM	Church Council
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Wednesday 09	9:00 AM	Beliveau Women's Bible Study
	10:00 AM	CC (Kopitzke) Sunrise Village
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Thursday 10	9:30 AM	Bible Study
	1:00 PM	Doing Days/Quilting
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Saturday 12	2:00 PM	Evone Loch Funeral (Harvey Anderson Funeral Home)
	5:30 PM	Chapel
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Sunday 13	8:00 AM	First Word Worship
	9:00 AM	Foundation & Praise Rehearsal
	9:00 AM	Coffee/Fellowship
	9:45 AM	Foundation & Praise Worship