IN CHRIST'S NAME WELCOME TO CALVARY



Baptized in the Christian faith and into the life of the Church is **Grace Mae Pantekoek,** daughter of Brandon and Mariah Pantekoek. Grace's sponsors are Paige Goosmann and Levi Goosmann.

The Altar flowers are given today in honor of John & Sharon Davis' 50th Wedding Anniversary, August 25.

Today's KWLM Radio Broadcast is sponsored by Marlow & Carol Norum in honor of their 60th Wedding Anniversary.

KNOWN HOSPITALIZED:

Rosalie Johnson, Dorothy Freese, Rice; Bill Bannon, UMN Hope Lodge.

WE REMEMBER in our prayers the families of Joan Van Buren and Kevin Hemish whose funerals were held this past week at Calvary.

New! Wednesday After-School Program

Confirmation age youth are welcome from 3-6 PM on Wednesday during the school year. We will have an after school snack, hangout/fellowship time, a quiet space to work on homework, the pool room open, and the movie room will rotate between movies/Wii.

Registration forms - Calvary's website and Church office.

HOW COULD YOU HELP WITH THE AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM?

- 1. Donate some healthy snacks
- 2. Hang out with the youth after school (we need 2 adults each Wed.)
- 3. Pray for these youth, volunteers and the ministry of this place!
- 4. Contact Ashley for ways to sign up! 320-235-2508 or ashley@calvarywillmar.org

Registration for 2017-2018 Sunday/Wednesday School

If you haven't registered your child(ren) for Sunday School, please do so. Registrations help us get accurate classroom size numbers and updates your contact information. The 2017-2108 Registration forms are available at the church's Welcome Center and online at Calvary's website (www.calvarywillmar.org).

- -The first day of Sunday School is September 10!
- -The first day of Wednesday School is September 20!

Rally Sunday-Sept 10

Dad's Belgian Waffles Bethany Hall - 8:30-11:30 AM

Want to make a lasting impact on a child's life? Consider being a teacher for Sunday or Wednesday school this year! We continue to search for teachers for the following programming areas.

Sunday Mornings (9:05-10:05 AM),

- Teachers for our 3 year olds who would like to team teach.
- Teacher for a 4 year old class.

Wednesday Afternoons (5:15-6:15 PM)

- Teachers for 3rd 4th graders.
- Teachers for 5th -6th graders.

TUESDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Beginning Tuesday, Sept. 5 7:00 & 8:00 AM – Bethany Hall

CONFIRMATION KICKOFF

Wed, Sept 6, 6-8 PM Bethany Hall

Our Confirmation Kick-off event will be held on the first day of class for *youth* in grades 7-10, *parents* & *small group leaders*.

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.

Personal Needs Drive

September brings the Personal Needs Drive which helps provide personal needs items for donation to the Salvation Army. Items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, paper products, shampoo, soap, diapers, lotions, socks(new), underwear (new), and other items needed for personal care. Please donate new regular size items during the month of September. Look for the donation site across from the Welcome Center.

-Social Concerns Committee

Fall Worship Schedule Begins Rally Sunday, Sept. 10.

Cub Scout Pack / Boy Scout Troop Beginning September

Meetings are Monday evenings. All school age boys are welcome to experience the adventures of scouting! Questions? Want to learn more about scouting? Contact Heidi Olson 320-905-1418 or heidi.olson@ridgewater.edu

BETH MOORE BIBLE STUDY Led by Sue Danielson

"THE QUEST" – a challenge to accept the invitation to intimacy with God's Word. The 6 week study will meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month from 6:15 – 8:00 PM in the Theatre (Sept 26, Oct. 10 & 24, Nov 14 & 28, Dec 12) Join us! Call Sue 235-4461 by August 28 so she can order a study guide for you.

Are You Creative and Searching for an opportunity to use your gifts?

We are looking for someone to redo 3 large education bulletin boards in the church. Interested? Contact Janel.

ALSO SEEKING...

Someone willing to clean the nursery toys biweekly (every two weeks) for the month of **September** and **October**. Interested? Contact Janel.

The Office Needs Your Help!

Would you like to receive Calvary notifications by email? Please stop by the Welcome center and sign-up or email us your information.

calvary Staff

Pastors Timothy P. Larson

Naomi Mahler, Dean E. Johnson

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Librarian Sandi Bennett

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Dianne Plahn

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Dr. Stephen & Jodi Swanson (Tanzania)

Tessa Moon & Jon Leiseth (Republic Of South Africa

2017 Executive Committee

President: Dion Warne; Vice President: Bill Fenske;

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Church Council

Bd of Children & Family Board of Stewardship

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Erica Mathews (17-20) Brett Aamot (17-20)

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Valerie Amberg (17-20)

Heather Bonnema (15-18)

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(16-19)

Shawn Swenson (17-20)

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Shirley Ringness (15-18) Amy Arnold (15-18)
Dennis Eastman (16-19) Scott Nichols (17-20)
Bridget Pederson (16-19) Kenzie Bennett (17-18)

Aleisha Sweep (17-20)

Peter Johnson (17-20)

Serving Today

Preaching: Pastor Dean E. Johnson
Presiding: Pastor Naomi Mahler

Acolytes: 8:00-Trinity Trooien 9:45- Kaydie Cloutier

Peyton Rodelius

Greeters: 8:00-Craig & Sue Roepke

Dave & Nancy Fritz

Elard & Donna Gilbertson Dale & Judy Johnson 9:45-Butch & Caryl Haug Duane & Kay Scholten

Dave & Connie Niemeyer
Elaine Carlson

Lector: 5:30-Paul Steigerwald

8:00-Jeff Danielson 9:45-Shane Baker

Office Volunteer: 8:00-Evelyn Aalfs

9:45-Paulette Tvete

Sound: 8:00 & 9:45-Gerald Thorpe
Video: Jason Hultgren

August Altar Guild: Marie Fett, Nancy Fritz

Marie Staley, Carol Heck

A Measure of our Faithfulness

Worship - Attendance Saturday, August 19, 2017 5:30 PM 65 Sunday, August 20, 2017

8:00 AM 124 9:45 AM 273

Our Week at Calvary		
Sunday 27	8:00 AM	First Word Worship
•	9:00 AM	Foundation & praise Rehearsal
	9:05 AM	Coffee/Fellowship. Cake provided by John & Sharon Davis for their 50th Wedding Anniversary
Monday 28	10:00 AM	Prayer Time
Tuesday 29	9:15 AM	Splash
	10: 00 AM	Staff Meeting
	11:00 AM	Program Staff Meeting
	6:30 PM	Stewardship For All Season's (Paynesville Lutheran)
Wednesday 30	9:00 AM	Beliveau Women's Bible Study
Thursday 21	9:30 AM	Bible Study
Thursday 31	1:00 PM	Doing Days/Quilting
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Friday 1	7:00 AM	Board of Stewardship Meeting (McMillan's)
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Saturday 2	5:30 PM	Chapel Worship with Holy Communion
Sunday 3	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
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Next Sunday – September 3 13th Sunday after Pentecost Jeremiah 15:15-21 Psalm 26:1-8 Romans 12:9-21 Matthew 16:21-28