

IN CHRIST'S NAME
WELCOME TO CALVARY



Baptized in the Christian faith and into the life of the Church is **Jackson James Kampa**, son of Matthew Kampa and Jennifer Proehl. Jackson's sponsors are Luke Anderson and Melissa Hamacher.

The Bulletins today are sponsored in loving memory of Don Holmgren given by Jean & Family.

KNOWN HOSPITALIZED:

Brett Aamot, St. John's, Maplewood;
Bill Bannon, UMN Hope Lodge;
LuVern Tvete, St. Cloud Hospital.

Adult Education Hour

9:05-10:00 AM in the Chapel.
Pick up coffee in the Friendship Room and join us! *By Heart – Conversations with Luther's Small Catechism.*

Cemetery Announcement

Please remove all decorations at the Calvary cemetery by Oct. 1. Thank you!

Jr. High Youth Gathering

November 17-18
Willmar Conference Center
Grades 6-9
Cost: \$55/person

Registration deadline- Oct. 1

More information/forms available online or by Ashley's office.

Service Squad- THIS WEEK!

For grades 6 and up
Thursday, Sept. 28 from 3:15-5:15 PM
This month we will be helping some Calvary members with yard clean up!
Questions?
Contact Ashley Gilbertson: 320-235-2508
or ashley@calvarywillmar.org

Film School

NEW this year! Grades 7-12 will meet weekly on Sunday mornings in the Sr. High Room during the Education Hour (9:05-10:05 AM) to watch films and connect them with scripture and faith in daily living! Our first film from Sept. 17-Oct. 15 is *Captain America: Civil War.*

Children's Calendar

TODAY, Sunday, September 24

-9:05-10:05 AM – Faith Steps class with 3 year olds and their parents. Meet in the Koinonia room (2nd floor, education wing). Kaylee Jahraus will be leading this class.
-10:15 AM – ALL 3 year olds receive *The Beginner's Bible* during the Foundation & Praise worship service.

Sunday/Wednesday School

Attendance

- Sunday, September 17: 80
- Wednesday, September 20: 26

Early Childhood Family Sunday school – Sunday, October 1

Meets from 9:05-10:05 AM in the Youth room (1st floor education room).
This month's lesson is on "Creation."
ALL children, birth – pre-Sunday school age and their parents are invited to attend!

NTY: Not Through Yet

When: Friday, October 6 from 12-2 PM in Bethany Hall

Program: "Out Scamming the Scammers"

Presenting: Doug Kveene and Jeanne Ashburn

*Please sign up at the church office!

Boy Scout Fundraiser

What: Pizza Ranch Fundraiser

When: Monday, October 2

From: 4:30-8:00 PM

Who: Boy Scouts attending Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico, June 2018.

Take a night off from cooking and help support scouts attending the high adventure backpacking base at Philmont in Cimarron, NM
We would appreciate your support!

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

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.



To highlight our Reformation 500 Celebration, Calvary is hosting next weekend, **Sat, Sept. 30 & Sun, Oct. 1**, guest preacher, Dr. Chris Croghan, Director & Founder, Luther House of Studies, Sioux Falls, SD.

Family Promise

Thank you to all who helped with our September hosting at Calvary!

Calvary will be hosting Family Promise the week of December 17. As we prepare to host this week please consider stepping forward to help, it is a very SMALL commitment but it makes a BIG difference in the lives of our Family Promise guests. There will be opportunities to serve as a van driver in the evening or morning, to serve as an evening host, to provide an evening meal or portion of a meal, to provide food articles for lunches and snacks, or to spend a quiet evening as an overnight host. Watch your e-mail and sign up to help, or call 320-894-2614 to let us know how you would like to assist in this Outreach Ministry at Calvary. We also want to update you on both the families we hosted in August: each of them have moved into permanent housing.

Thank you for making this ministry work

-Calvary Family Promise Committee

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 Executive Committee

President: Dion Warne; Vice President: 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 Finance

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

Board of Outreach

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

Board of Stewardship

Keith Neumann (15-18)
Corey Nelson (16-19)
Brett Aamot (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 Youth & Family

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

Serving Today

Preaching:	Pastor Dean E. Johnson
Presiding:	Pastor Timothy P. Larson
Assisting:	Pastor Naomi Mahler
Acolytes:	8:00- Katelyn Hultgren Abigail Mathiasen 10:15- Isaac Nichols Eli Jorgenson
Greeters:	8:00- Andy & Jean Berg Allan & Elaine Simon Bruce & Linda Laffen Danny Elling 10:15- Dave & Connie Niemeyer Olive Beck Trinity Trooien Rebecca Laurence
Lector:	5:30-Julie Neumann 8:00-Nancy Hultgren 10:15- Shane Baker
Office Volunteer:	7:45-Nancy Fritz 9:45- Alvina Henrickson
Sound:	8:00- Gerald Thorpe 10:15- Caleb Hanson
Video:	Jason Hultgren
September Altar Guild:	Muriel Scholla, Lynette Emberland, Margaret Gravgaard, and Janet Koosman

A Measure of our Faithfulness

Worship - Attendance
Saturday, September 16, 2017
5:30 PM - 52
Sunday, September 17, 2017
8:00 AM - 129
10:15 AM - 307

Next Sunday – October 1

17th Sunday after Pentecost
Ezekiel 18: 1-4, 25-32
Psalm 25: 1-9
Philippians 2:1-3
Matthew 21: 23-32

Our Week at Calvary

Sunday 24	8:00 AM	First Word Worship
	9:05 AM	Education for All ages
	9:05 AM	Faith Steps (3 year olds and parents)
	10:15 AM	Foundation & Praise Worship
	10:15 AM	3 year olds receive their Beginners Bibles
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Monday 25	10:00 AM	Prayer Time
	5:15 PM	Grief Care
	6:30 PM	Cub Scouts
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts
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Tuesday 26	9:15 AM	Men's Bible Study
	10:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	11:00 AM	Program Staff Meeting
	6:15 PM	Christ Care (Danielson)
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Wednesday 27	7:30 AM	High School Breakfast Club (The Goodness)
	9:00 AM	Beliveau Women's Bible Study
	3:00 PM	After School Program
	5:15 PM	Wednesday School
	5:45 PM	Bell Choir
	6:00 PM	Confirmation
	6:15 PM	Cherub Choir
	6:45 PM	Calvary Choir
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Thursday 28	9:30 AM	Bible Study
	1:00 PM	Doing Days/Quilting
	3:15 PM	Service Squad
	7:00 PM	Alter Guild Meeting
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Friday 29	11:00 AM	Women's Circle Bible Leaders – Friendship Room
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Saturday 30	9:00 AM	Foundation and Praise Rehearsal
	5:30 PM	Chapel Worship/HC, Dr. Chris Croghan, preaching
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Sunday 1	8:00 AM	First Word Worship/HC, Dr. Chris Croghan, preaching
	9:05 AM	Education for All ages
	10:15 AM	Foundation and Praise Worship/HC, Dr. Chris Croghan
	7:00 PM	Youth Group

