

WELCOME THIS
FESTIVAL DAY. Please
sign the friendship
registers located at the end
of each pew.

The **Festival of All Saints** draws us to the presence and power of God's grace active and at work among

God's people. Through baptism we enter into the communion of saints (the church militant) on earth until, through death, we are brought into the fellowship of saints in heaven (church triumphant) forever. So, with gratitude, we remember today those baptized and those buried through Calvary this past year.

#### **Deaths**

Frank Chapin 11/4/16 Helen Pederson 12/14/16 June Jacobson 1/1/17 Dennis DeJong 1/9/17 Richard "Dick" Larson 2/12/17 LeeAnn Nelson 2/19/17 Thelma Madsen 3/3/17 Alton Carlson 3/6/17 Ruth Jones 3/22/17 Arlene Rice 4/7/17 Mitchell Gripentrog 4/4/17 Elaine Awe 4/7/17 Leona Madson 4/26/17 Darlene Gerdes 5/4/17 Bruce Chapin 5/12/17 John Brinkman 5/29/17 Melanie Schueler 6/18/17 Bonnie Gimple 7/6/17 Judith Johnson 7/17/17 Harriet Feuchtenberger 7/18/17 Ruth Holmgren 7/18/17

Evonce Loch 7/30/17 Kevin Hemish 8/19/17 Joan Van Buren 8/12/17 Hanley Carlson 9/9/17 Verna Wright 9/11/17 Harlan Johnson 10/15/17

## **Baptisms**

Brecken Issac Schuerman 10/22/16 Soren Peter Larson 10/30/17 Marek Miles Ashburn 11/6/16 Trev Nolan Miller 12/4/16 Willow Grace Dowdell 12/4/16 Josephine Pear Johnson 12/18/16 Wyatt Jon Flatten 2/26/17 Jackson Bradlev Pawelk 3/18/17 Jack Ronald Dahlman 3/26/17 Shep Ronald Gilbertson 3/26/17 Zoey Helen Mach 6/3/17 Grady Scott Bormann 6/11/17 Abigail Ann Stiles 6/25/17 Laney Rose Harval 6/25/17 Lakelyn Mara Caven 7/2/17 Samantha Everly Schultz 7/9/17 Oliver Dean Price Rosenthal 7/9/17 Blake Michael Lee Nurmi 7/15/17 Bailey Marie Steinbeisser 7/16/17 Sutton Ross Helgeson 7/23/17 Everly Lynn Hinrichs 8/19/17 Owen Daniel Stomberg 8/20/17 Harper Kristine Gilhoi 8/20/17 Penny Lucille Meyer 8/26/17 Grace Mae Pantekoek 8/27/17 Jackson James Kampa 9/24/17 Elsie Olga Hagstand 10/1/17 Norma Lorraine Zumwalt 10/22/17 Hayden Andrew Krueger 10/29/17 Caen Mychael Anderson 10/29/17 Logan Henry Anderson 10/29/17



BAPTIZED TODAY in the Christian faith and into the life of the Church is Arnold Timothy Workman, son of Vince and Andrea Workman. Arnold's sponsors are Craig and Elizabeth Lachowitzer, Jonathan

and Margaret Larson and Victoria
Workman

#### 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.

#### **KNOWN HOSPITALIZED**

Bill Bannon, UMN Hope Lodge; Charlie Oaks, St. Cloud; Robbie Hjelle, St. Mary's, Rochester; Merland Holmgren, Rice.

**WE EXPRESS OUR SYMPATHY** and remember in our prayers the family of Clarice Enerson, mother of Cathie Helland and Loren Novak, brother of Randy Novak.

**THE BULLETINS** today are sponsored by Kelly and Maxine Welch and Family, in memory of Tim O. Welch who passed away November 6, 2007.

Coffee Hour & Adult Education 9:05-10:00 AM, by heart... Conversations with Small Catechism. Friendship Room & Chapel. Thanks to all who shared in the Service of Common Prayer last Sunday hosted by Church of St. Mary & Our Lady of the Lakes. The offering received (designated to Lutheran Social Services and Catholic Relief Services), totaled \$3355.50. The following link is the YouTube video of the liturgy: https://youtu.be/ciziJa88aBs.

#### CHILDREN'S CALENDAR

**TODAY - Sunday, November 5 9:05-10:05 AM** Early Childhood Family Sunday school! For Parents and children who are pre-Sunday school age. We gather once a month to learn and grow in faith together with an early childhood curriculum.

This month's story is "Noah's Ark." Kaylee Jahraus leads this class in the Youth room. (Located on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the education wing). **ALL** are welcome to join!

# Sunday, November 12

**9:05-10:05 AM** Faith Steps class with Pre-K (4 yr. old) kids and their parents. Meet in the Koinonia room (2<sup>nd</sup> floor, ed. wing) to learn together about *worship*. Pastor Naomi will be leading this class.

**10:15 AM** Sunday and Wednesday school children Ages 3 yrs. - Kindergarten sing during worship.

#### Sunday/Wednesday School Attendance

-Sunday, October 29: 75+ (Family Sunday school) -Wednesday, November 1: 23

#### **Sunday/Wednesday School Offering**

Offering through December is designated to support the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) at the Selian Lutheran Hospital in Arusha, Tanzania, served by our missionaries, Dr. Stephen and Jodi Swanson.

Thank you in advance for helping us support this ministry of care in Tanzania for severely ill and preterm newborn children with malnutrition. Offering envelopes are available in your child's classroom or at Kids' Corner. Please send an offering each week with your child. Thank you!

**The High School Youth Group** will meet this evening 7-9 PM in the Calvary Youth Room (Grades 9-12).

#### **High School Breakfast Club**

Time change this week due to 2 hour late school start. **Wed., Nov. 8** from **8:30-9:30 AM** at the Goodness Coffee House.

Start your day with great conversation and prayer!

#### **POINSETTIAS**

If you would like to order a poinsettia plant in memory or in honor of a loved one for the Advent and Christmas

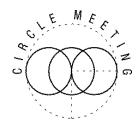


seasons, please do so by **November 19**. Order forms are available at the Welcome Center and the cost is \$10.00.

## Calvary Women's Circle Bible Studies - Tuesday, November 7

Hope – 7:00 AM @ McMillan's Humility – 8:30 AM in the Friendship Room Joy – 9:30 AM in Bethany Hall Peace – 9:30 AM @

McMillan's



**Good Faith** – 1 PM in Bethany Hall **Charity** – 7:30 PM @ Nancy Hultgren's-11942 15<sup>th</sup> Ave. S.W. Raymond, MN 56282.

### **Beliveau Women's Bible Study**

Wednesday's at 9:00 AM in the Friendship Room

### **Worship Text Bible Study**

Thursday's at 9:30 AM in the Friendship Room

# Food Shelf Sunday at Calvary is the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month!

Please remember to bring items for the Willmar Food Shelf on the first Sunday of each month. Your gifts are greatly appreciated.



-Social Concerns Committee

### **COMMITMENT SUNDAY**

**YOU ARE INVITED** next Sunday, Nov 13, 8:45-10:00 AM to the annual

**Commitment Sunday Congregational Brunch** in Bethany Hall.

-Board of Stewardship

#### **Advent Festival 2017**

Did you know there are only 3 weeks until we start decorating for the Advent Festival? Please stop at the registration table after church to find



out ways you can help! The following people are contacts for the different ways you can help:

Kitchen help and donating food - Enola Dowdell 235-1815

Coffee Pourers and Dining Room Workers-Pam Jacobson 212-7648

Host/Hostess (Greeters at Doors)-Linda Broberg 235-9382

Registration Table -

Jeanine Kopitzke 235-5578

Punch Pourers/Clean Tables in Friendship Room - Connie Dickerson 354-4272 Craft Room - Help guest making crafts -Clarice Novak 235-5464

#### **NAME TAGS - CALVARY MEMBERS**

As the Advent Festival approaches please sign up at the church office for your own personalized name tag.

**SEEKING** ... Sound System Operators for the 8:00 AM Worship Service! Contact Randy Novak or the church office.

Mackenzie Moist's **Senior Piano Recital** is Friday, Nov 17, 7:00 PM in the Calvary Sanctuary. You are welcome!

#### **Calvary Leadership Transition Team**

The first step in filling the Administrative Pastor position is the appointing of a transition team. The Calvary Leadership Transition Team was appointed in October by the Calvary Church Council and given the task of assembling a congregational Ministry Site Profile (MSP).

The Ministry Site Profile (MSP) is an important tool used in the pastoral call process. With congregational input, the MSP will be completed and presented to the Church Council for approval.

The members of our Calvary Transition Team are: Jena Hillenbrand, Shane Baker, Karen Rinke, Stephen Wentzell, Troy Pederson, Kenzie Bennett, Shawn Swenson, Mike Haugsby, Jeanne Ashburn, and myself. Our first meeting was held Tuesday, October 17.

We are working with an outside facilitator to map out a strategy for congregational input, and your voice is needed! More information about meeting dates will be announced soon.

Once this step is completed, a Calvary Call Committee will be appointed by the Calvary Church Council.

Amanda Newberg, Chair

#### Next Sunday - November 12

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Amos 5:18-24 Psalm 70 1Thessalonians 4:13-18 Matthew 25:1-13

# Calvary Staff

**Pastors** Timothy P. Larson Naomi Mahler, Dean E. Johnson

**Director of Music Ministry** David Severtson **Faith Formation Coordinators** Janel Skindelien

Ashlev Gilbertson

**Organist David Severtson** Dawn Fisch Office Manager

**Communication Specialist** Rachel Gilbertson Treasurer Keith Neumann Custodians Mike Swanson & Bruce Laffen

**Head Usher** Randy Novak Librarian Sandi Bennett

**Prayer Ministry** Sandi Bennett, Julie Neumann Dianne Plahn

Enola Dowdell Kitchen Coordinator

**Calvary Cemetery Sexton** Ron Keith

Missionaries 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)

Brett Aamot (17-20) **Board of Worship** 

Board of Stewardship

Keith Neumann (15-18)

Corey Nelson (16-19)

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) Kenzie Bennett (17-18)

# Serving Today

Preaching Pastor Dean E. Johnson Presidina Pastor Timothy P. Larson Pastor Naomi Mahler **Assisting** 8:00- Matthew Paulson **Acolytes** Peyton Rodelius

> 10:15- Brooke Rowan Trinity Trooien

Communion Assistants 8:00- Brett Aamot Shirley Ringness

> 10:15- Amy Arnold Amanda Newberg

**Greeters** 8:00- Rob & Linda Anderson

Roger & Barb Baker

Mark & Colleen Thompson Duaine & Ann Amundson 10:15- Brett & Kathy Aamot Craig & Lori Holmgren

Mitch & Kjerstin Baker Mike & Mindi Fagerlie

5:30- Marilyn Gjerde Lectors 8:00- Jim Swenson

Office Volunteers 7:45- Marie Fett 9:45- Carol Toutge

Sound: 8:00- Randy Novak

10:15- Mark Bloomquist

Video Gary Wyffels November Altar Guild: Lois Shaw, Sharon Eastman, Sue Martin, Connie Thompson and Stacy Hillerud

### A Measure of our Faithfulness

Worship - Attendance

Saturday, October 28, 2017 5:30 PM - 44 Sunday, October 29, 2017 8:00 AM - 94 10:15 AM - 288

# Our Week at Calvary

Sunday 5		All Saints Sunday
	8:00 AM	First Word Worship with Holy Communion
	9:05 AM	Education for All Ages
	9:05 AM	Early Childhood Family Sunday School
	10:15 AM	Foundation & Praise Worship with Holy Communion
	7:00 PM	Youth Group
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Monday 6		Newsletter Articles Due
	10:00 AM	Prayer Time
	5:15 PM	Grief Care
	5:45 PM	Calvary Bells
	6:30 PM	Cub Scouts
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts
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Tuesday 7		Women's Bible Study Circles Meet
	7:00 & 8:00 AM	Men's Bible Study
	9:15 AM	Splash
	10:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	11:00 AM	Program Staff Meeting
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Wednesday 8	8:30 AM	High School Breakfast Club (The Goodness)
	9:00 AM	Beliveau Women's Bible Study
	10:00 AM	Christ Care at Sunrise Village (Kopitzke)
	3:00 PM	Wednesday After School Program
	4:00 PM	Executive Committee
	5:15 PM	Wednesday School
	6:00 PM	Confirmation
	6:15 PM	Cherub Choir
	6:45 PM	Calvary Choir
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Thursday 9	9:30 AM	Bible Study
	1:00 PM	Doing Days/Quilting
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts
Saturday 11	9:00 AM	Foundation and Praise Rehearsal
	5:30 PM	Chapel Worship
	5:30 PM	Chaper worship

# Sunday 12

# **Commitment Sunday**

8:00 AM First Word Worship
8:30-10:30 AM Stewardship Brunch
9:05 AM Education for All Ages
9:05 AM Faith Steps (Pre-K Parents)
10:15 AM Foundation and Praise Worship
3:00-5:00 PM Girl Scouts
7:00 PM Youth Group