IN CHRIST'S NAME WELCOME TO CALVARY



BAPTIZED TODAY in the Christian faith and into the life of the Church is **Harper Reed Chouanard**, daughter of Brianna Woltjer and Justin

Chouanard. Harper's sponsors are Brittany Schow and Jordan Chouanard.

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

Robbie Hjelle, Lisa Carlson, St. Mary's, Rochester; Danny Elling, Rice.

WE EXPRESS OUR SYMPATHY and remember in our prayers the family of Rosalie Johnson.

COFFEE HOUR & ADULT EDUCATION 9:05-10:00 AM... "Who is My Neighbor?"
Today, Feb. 18 in the Chapel.

FEBRUARY COMMUNITY MEAL TODAY, Sunday, February 18 at

6:00 PM in Bethany Hall. The meal will be served by the Halbritter's, Glup's, Holmgren's and members of Kerkhoven Lutheran.

Menu: Spaghetti, garlic toast, lettuce salad, and iced cream sandwich.



CALL ME SOMETIME — AVOCADO GO-GO

In this week's skit, a grandfather receives a call from his very modern granddaughter to thank him for a large financial gift. During the call, the conversation is of course interrupted by "call waiting" and other things. In this humorous play, her grandfather pushes her and the audience is to consider what it truly means to be thankful for all that God gives us without any strings attached.

Wednesday, February 21, 2018 New Worship time is 5:30 PM

Offering – Calvary Family Promise

Join us at 6:15 PM in Bethany Hall for
Chili and Combread.

Bus service will be available to the 5:30 PM Lenten service. Please call the church office at 235-2508 by 11:00 AM each Wednesday to sign up for a ride.

ELCA LAKELAND CONFERENCE ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Lakeland Conference (ELCA Congregations from this area) will meet Sunday, February 25, at 2:00 PM at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Clara City, MN. In addition to pastors, each congregation may have 6 voting members, 2 from the church council and 4 members at large. If you are able to go, please contact Pastor Dave, Pastor Naomi or the Church Office.

Children & Family Calendar:

Saturday, February 24

-9:00-11:00 AM - First Communion Instruction and make Paten and Chalice keepsakes for 2nd Graders and their parents. Meet in Bethany Hall.

Sunday, February 25

-9:05 AM – Family Sunday school! Children and their families learn together about "Lent". Meet in Bethany Hall.

-10:15 AM — Children Ages 3 years through Kindergarten sing in Worship.

Sunday, March 4

-9:05 AM — Early Childhood Family Sunday school! Our story this month is "Jesus Dies and Rises". All pre-Sunday school age children and parents are welcome! We meet in the Youth Room (1st floor education wing).

Holy Communion Instruction

If your child is older than 2nd grade and has not had an opportunity to receive instruction, please contact Janel at 235-2508 or email at janel@calvarywillmar.org.

VBS/Day Camp 2018

Come join us for an exciting week of Vacation Bible School! Calvary is teaming up with GLLM to bring you a Day Camp, **June 11-14 (Monday-Thursday, 8 AM - 12 Noon)!** Day Camp is for kids who have completed the 3 year old class through completion of 5th grade. Sixth graders are encouraged to be helpers. Join us for this super fun week with Camp counselors! If you have questions, please contact Janel.

Sunday/Wednesday School Attendance

- -Sunday, February 11: 49
- -Wednesday, February 14: No Wednesday school during Lent.

2018 Summer Bible Camp



Join us for a week at camp! Green Lake Bible Camp summer schedules are available in the Welcome Center. Calvary's Camp

Week (at GLLM) this year will be **June 24-29!** Join Janel and other Calvary kids for this exciting week of camp! For more information check out the GLLM website www.gllm.org or talk to Janel.

Bible Camp Scholarships for 2018

Calvary will help pay for the cost of camp (\$110 for a half week and \$225 for a full week) for any Calvary youth who attends a Lutheran Bible Camp.

Additional scholarships are also available. Questions? Talk to Janel.

Film School

Join us to watch and discuss "The Good Dinosaur" from 9:05-10:05 AM this Sunday in the movie room (1st floor of the education wing). Anyone in grade 7 and up is welcome to join us. Adults too!

Easter Plants

If you would like to purchase an Easter plant in memory or in honor of a loved one for Easter, please do so by **Sunday**, **March 18.** Order forms are available at the Welcome Center and the cost is \$10.00. Thank you!

Calvary Staff

Pastors David S. Wall 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

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Dr. Stephen & Jodi Swanson (Tanzania)

Reverend Alex LaChapelle (Republic Of South Africa)

2017 Executive Committee

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Serving Today

Preaching Pastor David S. Wall Acolytes 8:00- Isaiah Bennett Jenna Blackwell

10:15- Jaidon Bredesen Tayva Carruthers

Communion Assistants 8:00- Cody Lange

Victoria Larsen

10:15- Caleb Laurence Thomas Bonnema

Greeters 8:00- Jeff & Linda Weitzel
Ron & Bonnie Keith

Duane & Nancy Hultgren
Marvin & Marian Gilbertson
10:15- Jon & Sue Grabow
Stacy & Heather Bonnema

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Lectors 5:30- Paul Steigerwald 8:00- Wayne Nelson

10:15- Nate Hultgren

Office Volunteer 8:00- Olive Beck 10:15- Gen Halvorson

Sound 8:00- Doug Sawatzky 10:15- Shawn Swenson

Video Gary Wyffels

February Altar Guild Susan Roepke, Sandi Bennett, Becky Behm, Julie Olson and Cheryl Ruter

A Measure of our Faithfulness Worship - Attendance

Saturday, February 10, 2018 5:30 PM - 26

Sunday, February 11, 2018

8:00 AM - 102 10:15 AM - 186

Wednesday, February 14, 2018 Ash Wednesday, 5:30 PM - 256

Next Sunday - February 25

2nd Sunday in Lent

Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16 Psalm 22:23-31 Romans 4:13-25 Mark 8:31-38

Our Week at Calvary

Sunday 18	8:00 AM 9:05 AM 10:15 AM 4:00 PM 6:00 PM	First Word Worship with Holy Communion Education for All Ages Foundation & Praise Worship with Holy Communion Christ Care (Berg) Community Meal
Monday 19		Presidents' Day
Worlday 19	10:00 AM	Prayer Time
	5:15 PM	Grief Care
	5:45 PM	
	5.45 PM 5:00 PM	Calvary Bells
		Boy Scouts Cub Scouts
-	6:30 PM	Cub Scouts
Tuesday 20	7:00 & 8:00 AM	Men's Bible Study
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	11:00 AM	Program Staff Meeting
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Wednesday 21	9:00 AM	Beliveau Women's Bible Study
•	1:00 PM	Address Newsletter
	3:00 PM	Wednesday After School Program
	5:30 PM	Lenten Worship
	6:15 PM	Lenten Meal
	6:45 PM	Calvary Choir
	7:00 PM	ELCA Youth Gathering Fund Raising Meeting
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Thursday 22	9:30 AM	Bible Study
	10:30 AM	Assemble Newsletter
	1:00 PM	Doing Days/Quilting
Friday 23	11:00 AM	Funeral – Rosalie Johnson
Saturday 24	10:00 AM	Baby Shower
	9:00 AM	Foundation & Praise Rehearsal
	9:00 AM	First Communion (2 nd Graders & Parents)
	5:30 PM	Chapel Worship
Sunday 25	8:00 AM	First Word Worship
	9:05 AM	Education for All Ages
	9:05 AM	Family Sunday school
	10:15 AM	Foundation and Praise Worship
	2:00 PM	Boy Scout Trailblazer District Awards