

**IN CHRIST'S NAME
WELCOME TO CALVARY**

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).

KNOWN HOSPITALIZED

Robbie Hjelle, Lisa Carlson, St. Mary's, Rochester; Kathy Strom, St. Cloud; Danny Elling, Earl Larson, Rice.

WE EXPRESS OUR SYMPATHY and remember in our prayers the family of Harold Ekren, Rosalie Johnson, Loren Mackedanz, brother of Kirk & Vicki Mackedanz and Douglas Drakenberg, son of Delores Drakenberg.

ADULT FORUM

TODAY 9:05-10:00 AM...

"Everything you wanted to know about an interim, but were too afraid to ask."

CALVARY CALL COMMITTEE:

Shane Baker, Mike Haugsby, Jaime Hultgren, Meghan Knott, Debbie Larson, Michael Newberg, Abby Teisinger and Charles Ulrich.



CALL ME SOMETIME – CAUGHT IN TRAFFIC

**Wednesday, February 28, 2018
Worship time is 5:30 PM**

Offering – Green Lake Lutheran Ministry

Join us at 6:15 PM in Bethany Hall for
BBQ Sandwiches.

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 Today, 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.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES



The Girl Scouts of America Troop #3516, will be having their annual cookie booth set up this weekend! On Saturday, they will be set up outside of the Chapel and Sunday, in the Narthex. Thank you for your support!

Children & Family Calendar:

Today, 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).

Wednesday, March 7

-6:30-7:00 PM – First Communion Class! Paint Paten and Chalice. Second graders and Parents meet in the Koinonia room.

Sunday, March 11

-9:05 AM – Faith Steps Class. First grade children and their parents learn together about the “Ten Commandments”. Meet in the Koinonia room.

VBS/Day Camp 2018



Summer 2018
"Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it." Matthew 10:39

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.

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.

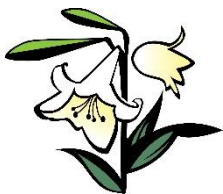
Noisy Offering

Beginning March 4, we will be taking a Noisy offering on the first Sunday of every month during our 10:15 AM Worship Service. Children will pass a bucket during the closing worship song and worshipers are encouraged to share their coin money. The Noisy Offering will be in addition to our regular offering. Funds collected through May will support the “Shining Up Shores” project at Shores of St. Andrew Bible Camp as they continue a much needed remodel of the youth cabins. Thank you for your support!

Film School

We are taking a break this week to attend Family Sunday School! Join us NEXT Sunday to watch and discuss “Wonder Woman.” Meet in the Movie Room (1st floor of the education wing) from 9:05-10:05 AM. 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!

CWELCA

Calvary Women's ELCA mission project for 2018 will be donations of money and items to the Eagles Healing Nest in Sauk Centre, MN. Many of our Military Veterans are returning home and struggling with PTSD, broken family units and suicide and they need our help. Eagles Healing Nest provides room and board with special services to our Veterans. The nest is completely ran by volunteers and is a worthy place for our donations. A donation basket and a list of items needed is located next to the Welcome Center.

Radio & Bulletin Sponsorships Available

Each Sunday of the month Calvary's worship service is broadcast over KWLM radio station (AM 1340).



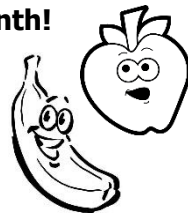
If you wish to reserve a date for a sponsorship, please contact the church office at 235-2508. \$75

Bulletin sponsorships are also available by contacting the church office. \$50

"I Like to Eat Apples and Bananas" Food Shelf Weekend Drive

March is Food Share Month!

Every year we like to put a special emphasis on the need for the food given out by the food shelf in Kandiyohi County and the surrounding area during Food Share Month. This year, **Saturday, March 10 and Sunday, March 11** is scheduled for our Food Shelf Weekend.



We will have a grocery cart and a representative from the Social Concerns Committee at the Saturday Chapel service. We accept either non-perishable food products or monetary donations. On Sunday, we will have a processional offering at each service for both the donations of food or money for the food shelf plus your regular offering. We will stack the food up in front of the altar, so we can all see the growth of the donated food products.

Please help us reach our combined pounds and money goal of "a ton" or 2000 combined total. "God loves a cheerful giver."

Next Sunday – March 4

3rd Sunday in Lent

Exodus 20:1-17

Psalm 19

1 Corinthians 1:18-25

John 2:13-22

Calvary Staff

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| Pastors | David S. Wall 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) Reverend Alex LaChapelle (Republic Of South Africa) |

2017 Executive Committee

President: Bill Fenske Vice President: Brett Aamot;
Secretary: Amanda Newberg; Pastors

Church Council

Bd of Children & Family

Amanda Newberg (16-19)
Erica Mathews (17-20)
Kaylee Jahraus (18-21)

Board of Finance

Bill Fenske (16-19)
Valerie Amberg (17-20)
Peter Johnson (17-20)
Craig Holmgren (18-21)

Board of Outreach

Dennis Eastman (16-19)
Bridget Pederson (16-19)
Aleisha Sweep (17-20)
John Kappers (18-21)

Board of Stewardship

Corey Nelson (16-19)
Brett Aamot (17-20)
Mike Haugsby (18-21)

Board of Worship

Mary Jo de Cathelineau
(16-19)
Shawn Swenson (17-20)
Jeremy Schmidt (18-21)
Britta Willenbring (18-21)

Board of Youth & Family

Scott Nichols (17-20)
Megan Johns (18-21)
Kirsten Zumwalt (18-21)

Serving Today

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| Preaching | Pastor Naomi Mahler |
| Presiding | Pastor David S. Wall |
| Acolytes | 8:00- Savana Eckhoff Madison Garberding 10:15- Kaitlin Delfosse Chase Dirksen |
| Greeters | 8:00- Roger & Barb Baker Don & Sandy Kemnitz Arlan & Margaret Irwin Peter & Carla Fostervold 10:15- Vern & Linda Broberg Janet Koozman Nick & Jena Hillenbrand Alex Larsen |
| Lectors | 5:30- Nancy Holt 8:00- Holly Ulrich 10:15- Britta Willenbring |
| Office Volunteer | 8:00- Marie Fett 10:15- Debra Johnson |
| Sound | 8:00- Victoria Larson 10:15- Dean Hanson Jason Hultgren |
| Video | |
| February Altar Guild | Susan Roepke, Sandi Bennett, Becky Behm, Julie Olson and Cheryl Ruter |

A Measure of our Faithfulness

Worship – Attendance

Saturday, February 17, 2018

5:30 PM - 52

Sunday, February 18, 2018

8:00 AM - 96

10:15 AM - 224

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

5:30 PM - 186

Our Week at Calvary

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| Sunday 25 | 8:00 AM | First Word Worship |
| | 9:05 AM | Adult Forum |
| | 9:05 AM | Family Sunday School |
| | 10:15 AM | Foundation & Praise Worship |
| | 2:00 PM | ELCA Lakeland Conference Annual Meeting at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Clara City, MN |
| | 5:00 PM | Boy Scout Trailblazer District Awards |
| Monday 26 | 10:00 AM | Prayer Time |
| | 12:00 PM | Visitation – Harold Ekren |
| | 1:00 PM | Funeral – Harold Ekren |
| | 2:00 PM | WELCA Lakeland Conference Board Meeting |
| | 5:15 PM | Grief Care |
| | 5:45 PM | Calvary Bells |
| | 6:30 PM | Cub Scouts |
| | 7:00 PM | Boy Scouts |
| Tuesday 27 | 7:00 & 8:00 AM | Men's Bible Study |
| | 9:15 AM | Splash |
| | 10:00 AM | Staff Meeting |
| | 11:00 AM | Program Staff Meeting |
| Wednesday 28 | 9:00 AM | Beliveau Women's Bible Study |
| | 3:00 PM | Wednesday After School Program |
| | 5:30 PM | Lenten Worship |
| | 6:15 PM | Lenten Meal |
| | 6:45 PM | Calvary Choir |
| Thursday 1 | 9:30 AM | Bible Study |
| | 1:00 PM | Doing Days/Quilting |
| | 7:00 PM | Building, Grounds and Maintenance Committee |
| Friday 2 | 6:30 AM | Board of Stewardship at McMillan's |
| Saturday 3 | 9:00 AM | Foundation & Praise Rehearsal |
| | 5:30 PM | Chapel Worship with Holy Communion |
| Sunday 4 | 8:00 AM | First Word Worship with Holy Communion |
| | 9:05 AM | Adult Forum |
| | 9:05 AM | Early Childhood Family Sunday School |
| | 10:15 AM | Foundation and Praise Worship with Holy Communion |

