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Calvary Moravian Church (Calvary Archives)

PROPER TWENTY-EIGHT NOVEMBER 17TH, 2024



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We welcome all members and guests to our service today, and we are glad that you have joined us for worship at Calvary!

SERVING IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Dr. Nola Reed Knouse, Preaching The Rev. Dr. Chaz Snider, Pastor Amanda Schumpert, Director of Music Helen Pelkey, Director of Children, Youth, & Family Ministries Mary Louise Kapp Peeples, Organist Greg Conrad, Lay Reader Brian Lott, Band Director The Calvary Band The Calvary Band The Calvary Ringers The Calvary Chancel Choir Josephine Rose & Samantha Cheek, Nursery Attendants Spencer Davis & Gene Sharp, Ushers

Nursery is available for all children infant through Pre-K.

Children Kindergarten through 2nd grade may leave for Godly Play after the children's moment. For those children remaining in the sanctuary, New to the Pew bags can be found up front filled with fun activities to help them in worship. All children are welcome!



TEXT: Paul Gerhardt (1656). Tr. John Christian Jacobi (1725), alt. TUNE: Melchior Teschner (1613), C. Gregor Choralbuch (1784) 7.6.7.6.D. Iambic ST. THEODULPH (151 G)

GENERAL LITURGY 5 Grace

(Standing)

We worship you, Lord God, the high and lofty one, who inhabits eternity, whose name is holy. You dwell in the high and holy place, and also with those who are contrite and humble in spirit.

Give us grace to bring you the sacrifice of a broken and contrite heart, which you, O God, will not despise.



The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple.

More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey and the honeycomb.

GENERAL 5: GRACE

God spoke these words, saying:

You shall have no other gods besides me. You shall not make for yourself an idol. You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the Lord your God. Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Honor your father and your mother. You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Our Lord Jesus Christ said: I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another. If you love me, you will keep my commandments.



(Kneeling or sitting)

Lord God, merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity, and transgression, and sin, yet by no means clearing the unrepentant: incline your ear and hear, for we do not present our supplications before you on the ground of our righteousness, but on the ground of your great mercies.

SILENT CONFESSION

Create in us a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within us. Do not cast us away from your presence and do not take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and sustain in us a willing spirit. Have mercy upon us according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy, blot out our transgressions, through Jesus Christ our Savior.

Lord, have mercy upon us. Amen.

Thus says the Lord: I will forgive your iniquity and remember your sin no more. Peace be with you.



(Standing)

In the peace of God, let us join in professing our faith:

With the whole of Christendom, we share faith in the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. We believe and confess that God has revealed himself once for all in Jesus Christ; that our Lord has redeemed us with the whole of humanity by his death and resurrection; and that there is no salvation apart from him.

We believe that Christ is present with us in the word and the sacrament; that he directs us through the Spirit and thus forms us into a church. We hear him summoning us to follow him, and ask him to use us in his service. Christ joins us together mutually, so that knowing ourselves to be members of his body, we become willing to serve each other.

In this spirit we await the appearing of Jesus Christ, go forward to meet our Lord with joy, and pray to be found ready when he comes. Amen.



(All may join in the following or other intercessions, or the service may continue as the liturgist directs.)





Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses _____OR __ as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen. Our Father in heaven,

hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.



(Prayers of thanksgiving and intercessions for church, nation, and world, the afflicted, and the coming of God's kingdom may be offered. These prayers may close with the following:)

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time to make our common intercession to you, and you have promised through your beloved Son that where two or three are gathered together in his name you will be in the midst of them. Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us, granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the world to come life everlasting.

Amen.



715 Simple Innocence, Most Holy



- 5 Every morning Jesus wakes us;eager, dutiful, we rise.By the hand our shepherd takes us,leads us, keeps us strong and wise.
- 6 Jesus is our only pleasure, source of all we need to know; all we want, our shining treasure, God in Jesus did bestow.

TEXT: Augustus Gottlieb Spangenberg (1740).
Tr. Madeleine Forell Marshall (1994). ©1994 by Madeleine Forell Marshall
TUNE: Herrnhut (c. 1735); J. Thommen (1745); C. Gregor Choralbuch (1784)

Alternate translation, hymn 717 8.7.8.7. Trochaic

BATTY (16 A)

On Your Ransomed Congregation 716

- 1 On your ransomed congregation, Lord, lift up your countenance; be our help, joy and salvation; life and health to us dispense.
- 2 In each heart, O fix your dwelling; there erect a monument of your love, all love excelling; there fulfill your blessed intent.
- 3 Take us under your protection, grant us to obey your voice, simply follow your direction, to your will resign our choice.
- 4 Thus may we, as your anointed, walk with you in truth and grace in the path you have appointed, till we reach your dwelling-place.

TEXT: Frederick William Foster (1826), alt. TUNE: Herrnhut (c. 1735); J. Thommen (1745); C. Gregor Choralbuch (1784) 8.7.8.7. Trochaic BATTY (16 A)

When Simplicity We Cherish 717

- 1 When simplicity we cherish, then the soul is full of light; but that light will quickly vanish, when of Jesus we lose sight.
- 2 Those who Christ alone desiring, those whom nothing else can cheer but the joy of his inspiring, lending to his voice an ear;
- 3 who in Christ find greatest treasure and upon his grace depend; who but want to do his pleasure, just fulfilling his commands;

- 4 who to Jesus humbly cleaving pay obedience to his word, who in closest union living with our Savior, Head, and Lord;
- 5 who in Jesus Christ abiding, and from self-dependence free, in none else but him confiding walk in true simplicity.
- 6 Those who are by Christ directed, trusting the Good Shepherd's care, from all harm will be protected, and no danger need to fear.

 TEXT: Augustus Gottlieb Spangenberg (1740). Moravian tr. (1746), alt.
TUNE: Herrnhut (c. 1735), J. Thommen (1745), C. Gregor Choralbuch (1784) Alternate translation, hymn 715 8.7.8.7. Trochaic

BATTY (16 A)

GATHERING IN UNITY

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK (HEBREWS 10:23) Let us hold fast to the confession of our hope without wavering, for God who has promised is faithful.

* Please stand as you are able.

BAND PRELUDE					
TRINITY CHIME					
ORGAN PRELUDE	Adagio from Symphony No. 5 — Ch	arles-Marie Widor			
WELCOME					
PROCLAIMING GOD'S LOVE					
*Нүм <mark>n #769</mark>	God Is My Strong Salvatior	а — St. Theodulph			
*LITURGY OF GRACE	Pg. 31-34, Moravian Book of Worship				
HANDBELL OFFERTOR	O God, Our Help In Ages Past — Arr. William Croft				
*Doxology and Offertory Prayer		Old Hundredth			
	Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!				
THE HOLY SCRIPTURES					
	Epistle: Hebrews 10:11-14, 19-25 *Gospel: Mark 13:1-8				
The Word of God for the People of God Thanks be to God.					

QUIET MEDITATION AND PRAYER

Join we all with one accord; praise we all our common Lord; for we all have heard his voice, all have made his will our choice. Join we with the saints of old, no more strangers in the fold, one the Shepherd who us sought, one the flock his blood has bought.

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Нүмм #717	When Simplicity We Cherish — BATTY
Sermon	ENOUGH TO KNOW
Sending	G TO SERVE
*LITURGY OF GRACE	Pg. 35-36, Moravian Book of Worship
*BENEDICTION	
ORGAN POSTLUDE Trum	pets and Horns — George Frideric Handel

REMEMBER CALVARY MEMBERS IN PRAYER

Eddie Johnson; Camilla Williams; Bernard Williams; Patricia Poindexter Garr; Earline Pryor; Misty Hayes and family; Noelle Nichols; Rameth McKnight; Ursula Pierce; Steven Nixa; Gary Willis; Lily Shaw; Patsy Lineback; Patrick Biggam; Dallas & Ramona Prestwood; Lynn Biggam; Tommy & Nancy McKoon; Stephanie Nixa; Jack Messick; Bill & Mary Hampton; Scott & Elaine Peddycord; Harold & Joeann Settle; Pat George; Charlie Miller; Betty Troutman; J. Frank & Jan Trivette; Johnnie & Mary Anna Pearson; the Tasedan family; the Lott Family; Judi Chandler

REMEMBER FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN PRAYER

Denise Williams; Mike & Carole Farris; Beverly Streicker; Lisa Hampton; the victims of Hurricane Helene; Rick Grubbs

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

FALL FUN AT THE FARM

Join us for Fun on the Farm today at 3 PM. Barbara and Bill Howard are once again opening their beautiful farm to us for an afternoon of great fellowship and wonderful food. Their farm is located at Southern Meadows Farm — 148 Jim Frye Rd. Advance, NC 27006. This season we will serve Chicken n' Dumplings (in memory of one of Calvary's finest chefs, our beloved Brooks Lott), desserts, and hot dogs (for the young or young at heart!) Drinks and chairs will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. We will also continue the tradition of a hayride and fun children's activities. Additionally this year, we will take up a love offering to benefit those impacted by Hurricane Helene. All offerings will go to the Moravian Board of World Mission Disaster Relief Fund. You may give cash or check (made payable to the Moravian Board of World Mission with MDR in the memo line) at the event or donate online at: <u>MoravianMission.org/Give</u> If you would like to help make or contribute to the Chicken n' Dumplings, please contact Barbara Howard at 336.254.4572 or email her at: <u>howardbb97@gmail.com</u>

2025 DAILY TEXTS ARE HERE!

If you pre-ordered copies of next year's Daily Texts, they are on a table in the West Lobby with your name sticky noted on your copies. There is a box with the price list attached where you can drop your cash or check made out to Calvary Moravian Church for the payment. We have additional copies for sale if you need extra copies. The prices are as follows: Small paperback - \$11, Hardcover - \$15, Large print - \$13, Journal edition - \$17

LOVEFEAST IN A BOX

It's that time of year again! Time to order Lovefeast in a BoxTM, that is! Calvary will be hosting lovefeasts on Christmas Eve, but for our long-distance friends and those who can't make it in person, we'll still be live-streaming and are again selling at-home lovefeast kits. From NOW until December 6th (or until we sell out), you can order a Lovefeast in a Box.TM Each box contains a dressed lovefeast candle, Moravian cookies, lovefeast coffee, and the worship bulletin (which we call an "ode"). You can order individual, double, or family boxes, shipped right to your door. Then, on Dec. 24, you can participate in a lovefeast with us via video stream! Visit www.Lovefeastinabox.com today to place your order!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

We are excited to announce a new Women's Bible Study beginning this fall led by Lisa Davis. All our Calvary Sisters and any friends are invited! We will meet at 5:30 PM on Wednesday evenings, Nov. 20, and Dec 4, take a break for the holidays, and resume in January. Our first study together is by Rachel Risner: Significant - Six Ordinary Women. One Extraordinary God. The link to order is: <u>https://a.co/d/gr45hJM</u> For the remaining 2024 dates, our gathering will take place at: 812 Osprey Ridge Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27106. Please see or email Amanda Schumpert (amanda@calvarymoravian.org) with any questions or to let us know you will be attending.

CANDLE MAKING!

In preparation for our annual Candle Trim, we need to make candles! Learn how to string the molds, melt and pour the beeswax and then pop them out of the molds! Jan Bullins, our resident candle maker will lead you through all the steps. Call Jan at 336-655-9444 for available times.

BREAKFAST BUNCH

November 19th, 9 AM at Carriage House. Please contact Pat George (336)971-3429 or Linda Seippel (336) 406-1747 to RSVP.

THANKSGIVING LOVEFEAST AND CHURCH COUNCIL

On Sunday, November 24th, we will have our annual Thanksgiving Lovefeast and we will end our time of worship with our fall Church Council. This time of reporting, questioning, nominations, budget conversation, and visioning for the future of our congregation is very important. Please plan to be with us that morning as we review the past year and look forward in hope to 2025.

The following people have been nominated for board membership in 2025.

- Salem Congregation Elder: Tres Fordham
- Board of Elders: Butch Goforth, Spencer Routh, Daniel Wiggins
- Youth Elder Representative: Carter Nance
- Board of Trustees: Nick Stone, Bill Seippel, Hanna Jackson

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE FOR SUNNYSIDE!

On Sunday, November 24th, Calvary will be collecting non perishable food items for Sunnyside Ministries. Sunnyside is a local agency of the Moravian Church, Southern Province. Sunnyside provides short term emergency assistance for families in crisis situations. Thanksgiving is a special time for many of us, so let's make this a special time for those in need. Please bring your donations to the front of the sanctuary on Sunday, November 24th when we will be observing our Thanksgiving Lovefeast. Let's fill our sanctuary with the bounty of Thanksgiving for all!

KICK OFF THE HOLIDAYS WITH AN EVENING OF DECORATING & FELLOWSHIP

We're kicking off the holiday season together, and you're invited! Join us for a festive evening of Christmas decorating, fun, and fellowship on Friday, November 29, 2024—the Friday right after Thanksgiving! First, a huge thank you to J. Frank Trivette for his many years of incredible leadership on the Christmas Decorating Committee. His efforts have brought beautiful improvements, and we're grateful for all he's done. Since the start of Advent changes each year, the timing of our decorating also shifts. With Advent beginning this year on the Sunday after Thanksgiving, we'll gather Friday evening to prepare our space for this meaningful season. Dinner will be served between 5:30 and 6:00 (menu TBD), and nursery care will be provided so everyone can join in. To help us plan food, please RSVP to Donna Cheek (336.399.0857) by Monday, November 25—but if you forget, come anyway! Come enjoy a night of holiday spirit, camaraderie, and see firsthand how we transform our space for Christmas! Mark your calendar and don't miss this memorable start to the season!

VOLUNTEERING AS A DIENER

In the Moravian tradition, dieners (derived from the German verb, dienen) serve the Lovefeast during services of worship. The lovefeast, dating to the New Testament agape meal, is not a sacrament like Holy Communion; rather, it is a fellowship meal symbolizing our unity in Christ. The meal is simple, usually consisting of a sweetened bun and a cup of coffee. After everyone is served, the congregation prays the blessing and partakes. Dieners play a very important role in the service of lovefeast. The women dressed plainly in white and the men dressed in dark coats are to convey simplicity in their dress as they represent the Christ "who came not to be served, but to serve." Our dieners are an essential part of being able to host our three services on Christmas Eve, which is a beloved tradition in downtown Winston-Salem. Training for new dieners is provided and uniforms for female dieners are available for use. If you, or someone you know, are interested in serving or learning more about this important ministry, please contact the following head dieners:

Elaine Peddycord	Tres Fordham
336.692.3236	336-403-8819
peddycj@bellsouth.net	tresfordham@gmail.com

CHRISTMAS FOR THE CITY VOLUNTEERING

Christmas for the City is a meaningful experience for the whole community. This year's event is Saturday December 21st. For over a decade, local churches, businesses and nonprofits have come together to throw a free Christmas Party. In the past, over 1200 volunteers welcomed over 10,000 guests at the Benton Convention Center. Want to be a part of this celebration? Use the following link to sign up to volunteer: volunteer.loveoutloudws.com/need/index? need_id=865262&need_init_id=9795

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, November 20th will be our last bible study until the new year. Our adult Bible study with Pastor Chaz is on Wednesdays from 6-7 PM in the Burke Room. We will meet in person and via Zoom so all are welcome! The Zoom meeting link is us02web.zoom.us/j/84879938980

BRUNSON ANGEL TREE

The holiday season is here, and it's time for our 6th annual Angel Tree supporting Brunson Elementary! Since 2019, our Angel Tree program has brightened the lives of over 280 children with holiday gifts and cozy sweatshirts.

How to Participate:

1. Choose an Angel

Starting November 17th, visit the Angel Tree in the sanctuary. Each angel ornament has a QR code—just scan to access the wish lists and SignUpGenius. No need to take the ornament! You can also find the lists at calvarymoravian.org/brunson-angel-tree/

2. Purchase a Gift

- **Online Wish List:** Buy gifts that fit your budget and have them shipped directly to the Angel Tree Committee.
- **SignUpGenius:** Select items to purchase, then bring them to the church by December 8th. Drop them in the Narthex or lobby collection boxes.
- **Donate:** Prefer to give a monetary donation? Label it "Angel Tree" and send it to the church office by December 8th. Donations will help buy sweatshirts and remaining gifts for the students.

Key Dates:

- November 17th: Angel Tree set up in the sanctuary.
- **December 8th:** Deadline to submit all gifts or donations.
- December 18th: Gifts delivered to Brunson Elementary!

Questions? Contact Hanna Jackson at 336.399.4177 or Hanna.Cheek@outlook.com.

Thank you for helping us make the holidays special for Brunson's students!

ADVENT AT CALVARY MORAVIAN

First Sunday of Advent and Singing Hosanna December 1st, 9:45 AM-12 PM

All children and youth are invited to come and sing the traditional *Hosanna* on the first Sunday of Advent. Children and youth will practice during Sunday School, sing and celebrate during worship.

Christmas Parade & Coffee December 7th, 4:30-6:30 PM

Second Sunday of Advent and Candle Trimming December 8th

Moravian Mountain Christmas at Laurel Ridge December 13th-15th

Pageant Rehearsal December 14th, Time 10-11:30 AM

Third Sunday of Advent & Christmas Pageant December 15th, 9 AM-12 PM

All children and youth will meet at 9am in Fellowship Hall to get organized and have breakfast. We'll rehearse from 9:30am-10:30 in the sanctuary and will lead worship at 11am! We hope everyone will join us for this beautiful telling of the Christmas Story told by the future of our congregation.

Fourth Sunday of Advent December 22nd, 11 AM Worship

Christmas Eve Lovefeasts & Candle Services December 24th at 11 AM, 4 PM, & 8 PM

Sunday Mornings at Calvary Moravian					
9 AM	Handbell Choir Rehearsal				
9:45 AM	Nursery (Infant-PreK) — 2nd floor Children's Wing Early Elementary (K-2nd) — 2nd floor Children's Wing Elementary (3rd-5th) — 2nd floor Children's Wing Catechism Class — Room 124 (Across from Fellowship Hall) Youth (6th-12th grades) — 3rd floor youth room New Life Adult Class — 2nd floor parlor Friendship Adult Class — Burke Conference Room				
10:30 AM	Adult Chancel Choir Rehearsal				
ПАМ	Worship				
To donate online, scan QR code with your smart device.		Сниксн Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8 AM-4 PM Lunch Hour: 12:30-1:30 PM Closed on Fridays (336) 722-3703 • <u>calvarymoravian.org</u>			
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