

WELCOME!!

Welcome to this Worship Service! Our vision at Calvary is “**To See Lives Transformed by Christ**”. We pray that the service today will encourage you to **go deep in your walk with Him** as He is the one constant in our lives; to **live out authentic faith** as we navigate these uncertain times; and to **make disciples** - to step out in faith to tell others about our awesome God!

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP Sunday, September 11th, 2022

Welcome & Announcements.....*Alyssa LaRocque*

Testimonies (11 a.m. service)

Worship in Song

Scripture: Various texts

Message: “Living With Dual Citizenship”...*Don McNiven (EFC)*

Closing

A WARM WELCOME TO OUR GUEST SPEAKER!

We want to welcome our Guest Speaker this morning, Don McNiven, who is the Regional Director, Central Canada, for the Evangelical Fellowship of Canada (EFC). Don will be at the back after the service with more information about the EFC.

BAPTISMAL SERVICE

Following the 11 a.m. worship service this morning, we are planning to have a Baptismal service in Gull Lake at the Church Street Parkette! If you would like to witness this special event, please listen for details during the announcements this morning.

SERVICE INFORMATION

After both services, parents are asked to go downstairs **as soon as possible** to pick up their children, to relieve the volunteers. If you would like to visit with your church family (and we encourage you to do so!!), please plan to visit **before the 9 a.m. service, or after the 11 a.m. service**. Between the services, staff and volunteers need time to clean and set up for the second service. We also need to have vehicles removed from the parking lot before 10:45 so there is room for those who are coming to the second service! Thank you for your understanding!

SERMON NOTES

“Living With Dual Citizenship”
Various Texts

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY September 12th – 18th, 2022

Thurs All are encouraged to join us from **9-10 a.m.** for a powerful time of **Prayer** for our church, and our world.
Sun **Sunday Morning Worship Services** start at 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. There will be Children’s Programming available at both services.

CHRISTINE’S PLACE INFO NIGHT

Christine’s Place is working towards opening a satellite location in Gravenhurst to provide pregnancy care options in South Muskoka. If you are interested in helping them work towards this vision, you are invited to come to the Opera House on **Tuesday, September 27th** from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. to ask questions and find out more about the process. They are looking for volunteers to help with set-up, AV, greeting, refreshment preparation, and/or clean-up for the Info Night. Contact Alyssa LaRocque at: alyssa@calvarygravenhurst.com to find out more or to volunteer.

CALVARY WOMEN’S MINISTRY

Our Calvary Women’s Ministry will be gathering on **Friday, September 30th** from 6:30-8:30 p.m. All women age 16+ are invited to gather to gather for dinner, teaching, and community. Registration is necessary so we know how many there will be for dinner. For more information, or to register, please go to: <https://www.calvarygravenhurst.com/womens-ministry> If you do not have access to the internet, please call the church office and Jeanette will be able to register you.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – WOMEN’S MINISTRY

We are so excited to be launching monthly women's events at Calvary! In order to make these events happen we are looking for volunteers in the following areas:
1) Set Up (arriving 1 hour early)
2) Tear Down (staying 30min -1 hour late)
3) Greeters (arriving 30 minutes before)
4) AV (email from team on song selection/microphones required + arriving 30 minutes before to turn on everything and test it)
If you are interested in serving in any of these areas please email Madeline Hockley: hockleymadeline@gmail.com or text/call 519-588-9675. Thank you!



This fall at Calvary we are starting **Prayer Groups** as a way to emphasize the role of prayer in our Christian walk, and to encourage each of us to foster a vibrant and healthy prayer life in our own personal and family life. Our hope for these groups is that we would widen and deepen our understanding of all of the different aspects of prayer that God has called us to in His Word.

THESE GROUPS ARE FOR EVERYONE, whether you already have a strong and vibrant prayer life, or you know very little about prayer outside of praying at meals and bedtimes, and may even feel intimidated to pray out loud.. There is a place for everyone.

In addition to prayer, we also want to use the first half hour of our nights together to **DIVE DEEPER INTO THE SERMON** from the previous Sunday. Together as a group we will practice and model what it looks like to unpack a sermon. We'll look at how to actively listen and engage with sermons. We'll practice testing what we hear against God's Word and we'll also practice applying the text to our lives. And finally we'll practice how to pray about what we have heard.

TIME COMMITMENT

These groups will meet once a month in the second full week of every month from October 2022 – March 2023.

There will be groups meeting on Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday Nights, from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. For more information and to register for one of these groups, please look on the website under PROGRAMS. If you do not have internet access, you can call the church office and Jeanette will help you to register.

PLEASE NOTE: REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN, AND WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH

CHILDREN

Children are not only welcomed but encouraged to attend the Prayer Groups with their parents. Babies are welcome to join the parents in prayer and the younger children will be provided a space to play in another room such as a basement with the other children who will be attending. Parents, please don't worry if the kids make noise or need you, they are just as important to Calvary as any other age group and your group will have plenty of grace for them.

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PASTOR BEN'S SABBATICAL

Pastor Benjamin is on a time of sabbatical which will continue into the fall - the exact length of time will be determined by the elders in consultation with Pastor Ben. During this time, all of Pastor Ben's responsibilities in ministry will temporarily become the responsibility of the elders.

If you are a member at Calvary and have any urgent needs, please contact your care elder directly, and if you are not a member, please contact the church office and Jeanette will direct your call.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Our online calendar is now live! You can access it through the Calendar tab at the top of any page on the church website, or by scrolling down on the Home Page of the website. There is also a printed copy of the calendar for the month available on the table at the back of the sanctuary.



Average weekly givings for August: \$7,699.12

