

WELCOME!!

Welcome to Calvary! 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**; to **live out authentic faith**; and to **make disciples** - to step out in faith to tell others about our awesome God!

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP Sunday, December 18th, 2022

Welcome & Announcements.....*Pastor Mark*

Advent Candle

Worship in Song

Scripture: Luke 2:1-20

Message: “The Gentle and Lowly King”.....*Pastor Mark*

Communion

Closing

SERVICE INFORMATION

We are pleased to have all ages worshipping together this morning at both services! There are activity sheets on the table at the back, as well as sermon notes pages to help children engage with the message.

If you are at the first service, please remember that we need to have vehicles removed from the parking lot before 10:45 a.m. so there is room for those who are coming to the second service! Thank you for your understanding!

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE: The Change Table is now in the Nursery.

BIBLE READING PLAN

For 2023 we will be following a Chronological Bible Reading Plan as a congregation. This is a wonderful way to Go Deeper in our walk with Christ together. There are printed copies of this Bible Reading Plan on the table at the back, and it will also be available on the website, and in the Weekly Newsletter.

SERMON MAIN POINTS

“The Gentle and Lowly King”

Luke 2:1-20

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY December 19th - 25th, 2022

- Mon** Calvary’s Ready Men meet from 6:30-8:30 p.m. See below for more information.
- Wed** The **Wednesday Afternoon Bible Study** meets at the church from 2:00 – 3:30 p.m.
- Thurs** All are encouraged to join us from 9:00-10:00 a.m. for a powerful time of **Prayer** for our church and our world.
- Sat** **Christmas Eve services – 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. All are welcome!**
- Sun** **Christmas Day** – there will be no services to enable our staff and volunteers to enjoy Christmas Day with their families.

UPCOMING AT CALVARY

Monday, December 19th, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Men aged 16 and up are invited to join Pastor Benjamin and other Calvary men as we come together to build each other up to “be ready” - to become men who are ready for the challenges we meet in life. There will be man-focussed Bible teaching, discussion, and fellowship over a great meal.

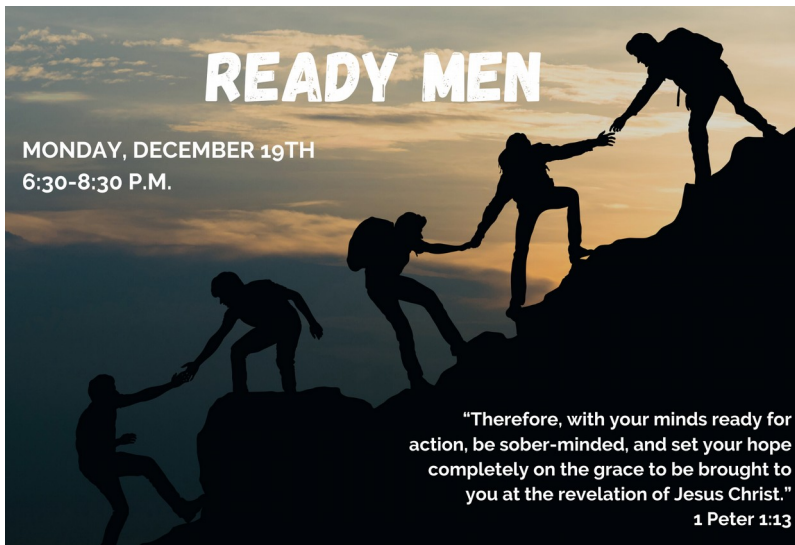
Monday, January 9th, 6:30-8:30 p.m., all women are invited to a **Women’s Ministry** evening here at the church. Information will be available soon on the website.

Monday, January 16th, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. All seniors are invited to New Horizons. There will be teaching, singing, and fellowship over a meal. This will be a potluck meal, so bring a first course, or salad, or dessert to share. Tickets are available at the Welcome Desk after the service or by calling the church office. The colour theme for this month is blue and white - you are encouraged to wear those colours!

CHURCH ENVELOPES

One of the ways to support the ministries at Calvary financially is through church offering envelopes, which you can place in the offering box on Sunday mornings. If you are not already using envelopes, and would like to; or if you have had envelopes, but no longer need them, please speak to our Envelope Steward, Calvin Everitt, or call or email the church office.

Envelopes for 2023 are available at the back.



READY MEN

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19TH
6:30-8:30 P.M.

"Therefore, with your minds ready for action, be sober-minded, and set your hope completely on the grace to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ."
1 Peter 1:13



CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

4:00PM and 6:00PM

Celebrate the coming of the Promise!




CALVARY SENIORS
NEW HORIZONS

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 2023
11:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

THIS WILL BE A POTLUCK MEAL
SO BRING A FIRST COURSE OR SALAD
OR DESSERT TO SHARE

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

If you would like to know more about our church ministries, you can find information on our website, or by calling or emailing the church office (see Contact Information above). On the website you can access a variety of resources, including the sermons in audio or video format, links for the worship songs, resources for children, the bible reading plan, and links to sign up for online giving and RightNow Media.

CHRISTMAS CARDS

If you would like to give Christmas cards to some of our church family, you can put the cards in the mail files that are in the coat room. And if you have been attending Calvary for a few weeks, there should be a file for you, so you might want to check it! (If you can't find your file, please speak to Jeanette Leach, or call the church office.)



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and Lowly King"**

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