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Core Values

- Christ-Centered Ministry:** John 17:3; Colossians 1:18
- Authority of Scripture:** 2 Timothy 3:16, 17; 1 Peter 1:25; Matthew 4:4; Hebrews 4:12; Psalm 119
- Lost People Matter:** Luke 15; Matthew 28:18-20; Revelation 5; Matthew 25:31-46; Acts 10
- Foundation of Prayer:** Psalm 127; Philippians 4:4-7; 1 Thessalonians 5:17; James 5
- Ministry Team Approach:** Ecclesiastes 4:12; Proverbs 27:17; Romans 12:1; 1 Corinthians 12
- Leader as Role Model, Recruiter, Equipper:** Ephesians 4:11-13; Luke 10; 1 Timothy 3; Titus 1

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Calvary

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

Thank you for worshipping here today!

January 21, 2018

Calvary cares about **you** because **you matter to God!**

Our desire is to be a Christ-centered, family-oriented, word-sharing, life-changing, need-meeting, world-touching body of believers.

We exist to **KNOW CHRIST** and **TO MAKE HIM KNOWN** through:

EVANGELIZING the Lost of the Community,

EXPERIENCING the Lord in Worship,

ENCOURAGING the Fellowship of Believers,

EDUCATING the Faithful in Christ, and

EQUIPPING our Leaders for Ministry.



The Harvest

- To Know Christ and To Make Him Known -

Service Schedule

Our nursery is staffed and available during Sunday services for children ages birth through 3 years. Please remember that children must be dropped off and picked up by an adult in the south Childcare wing. The Cry Room in the back of the Sanctuary is a quiet place for a parent to take an infant or toddler (through age two) and still be able to listen to the service.

Order of Worship

Praise Team	"Come, Now is the Time to Worship"	Screen
	"Hope of the Nations"	Screen
	"How Deep the Father's Love"	Screen

Lyrics for all songs and hymns will be projected on the screen. You may also use the black "Praise Songs" binder or the Hymnal—both are located in the pew racks along with Bibles for your reference.

Welcome

Scripture John 4:30-38

Message "The Harvest" ~ *Pastor Dave Motta*

Offering "Bringing in the Sheaves" *Hymn*

Benediction

Outreach

OUTREACH OF THE MONTH FOR JANUARY NEGROS ISLAND ACADEMY

Negros Island Academy is God's answered prayer to those who cannot read and write in the province of Negros in Guihulngan City, Philippines. The literacy school started its root in educating the less-privileged and less fortunate people in Hermie's heart back in 2013 and opened for the first time its door to the community in June 2016. Hermie is raised by a father who is illiterate which makes him passionate and challenging him to reach those kind of people out not just in education but also in the Lord! The school was blessed with 22 students (ages 7-72 years old) as the first batch and for this year we have 19 enrolled students for the second batch. Due to its lack of facilities and staff, we can no longer accept and cater for more than what we have but we are just so grateful for this opportunity to minister to the students with the Gospel of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ while teaching them how to read and write. For the past year, we were able to plugged some of the in our local church activities such as youth fellowships, Bible studies, camps and as well as attending church service on Sundays! For the coming school year, we would like to hire for at least one or two volunteer teachers to help the students, not just in educating them but really in discipling them for the Lord! Once again, I would like to say a huge thank you to my Calvary Family in Fargo for your unwavering support since from the very beginning both financially and prayerfully. In behalf of the Negros Island Academy, thank you so much for being there and for responding God's call in doing His ministry abroad!

In his service,

Hermie, Jana & Ethan

Weekly Events

Sunday, January 21 *Blood Pressure Checks*

- 9:00 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*
- 9:00 AM Children's Ministry ~ 114
- 9:00 AM Youth Ministry ~ *Upper Room (208)*
- 9:00 AM Discipleship Opportunities ~ *See Information Center*
- 10:30 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*
- 12:30 PM First African Church Service ~ *Upper Room (208)*
- 5:00 PM First African MLK, Jr. / Induction Program ~ *Sanctuary*

Monday, January 22

- 6:45 PM Men's Bible Study Fellowship ~ *Church Building*

Tuesday, January 23

- 10:00 AM Men's Bible Study Fellowship Satellite ~ 102, 105
- 12:00 PM Prayer ~ 105
- 1:00 PM Staff Meeting ~ 101
- 5:30 PM Upward Basketball Practice ~ *Gym, Foyer*
- 5:30 PM Upward Cheerleading Practice ~ 114, *Foyer*

Wednesday, January 24

- 10:00 AM First African UMC Prayer ~ 105
- 6:00 PM Financial Peace ~ *Balcony*
- 6:30 PM Women's Bible Study ~ 102
- 6:30 PM AWANA ~ 110, 101, 113, 114, 115, *Gym, Cry Room*
- 6:30 PM Youth Ministry ~ 200, 201, 202, 203
- 7:30 PM Choir & Men's Chorus ~ 106

Thursday, January 25

- 5:30 PM Upward Practice ~ *Foyer, Gym*
- 6:30 PM Church Security Meeting ~ 101

Friday, January 26

- 6:00 AM Men's Group ~ *Foyer, 101*
- 9:00 AM Women's Bible Study ~ *Foyer, 101*
- 5:30 PM Upward Basketball Practice ~ *Gym, Foyer*

Saturday, January 27

- 6:30 AM BSF Leaders Meeting ~ 114, 115, *Kitchen*
- 8:00 AM Prayer ~ *Prayer Room 105*
- 8:00 AM Upward Basketball Games ~ *Gym & Foyer*
- 9:30 AM GriefShare ~ 101
- 10:00 AM African Church Music ~ *Upper Room*

Sunday, January 28

- 9:00 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*
- 9:00 AM Children's Ministry ~ 114
- 9:00 AM Youth Ministry ~ 208
- 9:00 AM Discipleship Opportunities ~ *See Information Center*
- 10:30 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*
- 12:30 PM First African Church Service ~ *Upper Room (208)*
- 6:30 PM Israel Team Meeting ~ 102

Sermon Notes

THE HARVEST

JOHN 4:30-38

3 Truths that will trigger our hearts to be part of the Harvest:

Truth #1 The food that should activate us. John 4:32-34

The appetizer = the Word of God. Matt 4:4

The main course = The Will of God.

John 4:34; 5:30; 6:38; Matthew 26:39

The dessert = The Work of God. John 17:4

Truth #2 The Fields that should motivate us. John 4:35

Harvest Time is always NOW !

The problem was not the ripeness of the fields
but the blindness of the farmers .

** Open your eyes!

Truth #3 The fruit that should stimulate us. John 4:36

Psalm 126:3-6 John 15:16

Sowing and/or reaping ... it's all good ! John 4:37, 38

** No witness is wasted - no worker is worthless .

The fields white (ripe) for Harvest.

Announcements

TODAY AND LOOKING AHEAD

Ushers for January 28, 9:00 - Mel & Marcella VanBeek, Nathan & Sarah Cvancara **10:30** - Wayne & Patti Hegseth, Roger & Diana Hoyt

A New Member Class will be held on Sunday, January 28 from 11:45 AM to 2:00 PM for those individuals who have been attending services for 3 months. Lunch will be served. Please sign up at the Information Center or contact Pastor Dave for more information.



Please check the Lost and Found table near the gym doors. Any clothing items not claimed will be donated on February 5th.

We pray weekly for your requests! If you have a prayer request or know anyone needing prayer, please fill out the ivory colored prayer request on the Calvary Connection card found in your bulletin.

Upward Sports has started! We need lots of volunteers to make this another successful year. There are opportunities to bring treats, work concessions, or be a greeter - sign up at the Information Center or contact Clarence Mittleider.



Did you know...that Calvary's website has been updated? Take a look at the new features such as a direct link to our online giving vendor! Find us at www.calvaryfargo.com. We are on Facebook as well—Like us!

Announcements

LOOKING AHEAD

Youth Ski Trip : Andes Tower Hills Feb 3-4 Attention all 6-12 graders; Join us for this overnight ski outing. Cost =\$50. Fee covers lift ticket, ski rental, lodging, transportation and two meals. Saturday lunch is on your own. If you prefer to snowboard or tube, registration fee may vary a bit. Families that would like to join us for the day on Saturday are welcome to join as well (Cost for skiing only is \$35/person). Sign up by submitting your registration fee and release form to the office or youth mailbox. We plan to leave church at 8am on Saturday and return by noon on Sunday. Be sure to pack all winter-related gear as well as toiletries and a change of clothes.

The Night to Shine Event, sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation, will be on Friday, February 9, 2018 from 6:00pm-9:00pm. This is best described as a prom for those with special needs while also pouring out the love of Jesus! There are still many opportunities for volunteers.

To sign up as a volunteer, please go online to : <http://www.fargohope.org/specialneeds/> (scroll down and click on the link listed under "Volunteer At Night to Shine"). Explore the many ways you can be involved in this unforgettable night!

If you have any questions feel free to contact Zach Leibel at zachleibel@hotmail.com or text at 605-228-4515.

CPR and AED Training Thursday March 8, 2018 6:30-9:00pm at the Church. This is a 2-year certification American Heart Association Adult and Infant Basic Life Support Course. The course also includes instruction on choking and using an AED. **Cost is \$30.00 per person** Sign-up at the Welcome Center. **The Class is limited to 18 people.** For questions or further information contact Karen Fleming, 232-0596

Health Concerns: Ted Dockter, Idella Wilson, Wayne Schumacher, Jacque Ulstad, Luella Carlson, Emma Streyle, Benadene Snyder, Barbara Olson, Roger Kalinowski, Joan Meidinger, and Al & Ruth Tollefson.