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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



Calvary

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

Thank you for worshipping here today!
August 19, 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.



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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	“Love Come Down”	Screen
	“I Could Sing of Your Love Forever”	Screen
	“The Way”	Screen

Lyrics for all songs and hymns will be projected on the screen.

Welcome

Scripture Matthew 22:37-40; Ephesians 3:14-17a; Col 3:23

Message Following Your Heart

~ Pastor Dave Motta

Offering Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

~ Hymnal # 400

Benediction

Outreach

PINK HOUSE Outreach of the Month for August

Over the summer months, we take a pause with meals at the house and seek to take advantage of the beautiful warm weather outside. While many American students go home for the summer, most international students stick around which allows for many opportunities to gather, to strengthen community, and have great conversations about God! Some of our highlights include:

*Tubing down the Ottetail River. Although 70-80% of rain and thunderstorms was predicted for both days we took groups, God had other ideas and we enjoyed two beautiful days of sunshine!

*Thunder Road Adventures. Most students have never experienced mini-golfing, go-karting or batting cages before.

*Watching fireworks on the 4th of July at Detroit Lakes over the water.

*Hosting a World Cup Soccer Final party, the French student who came was very excited his team won!

*LAKE TIME! Through the generosity of a local church family, we were able to take a group of students to a lake house for a weekend. There the students were very excited to eat lunch on a pontoon and try out tubing and skiing for the first time! We have also taken other students on several day trips to another lake house for tubing and Jet Ski fun.

*Pickle Ball. This summer we have introduced the sport of pickle ball to quite a few graduate and PhD students.

*Camping Excursions. There have been several small groups who have camped in Duluth and Medora.

*Farm Trip. Some Indian students took a tour of a local church member's farm.

*This summer there have been more students visiting church. Some students' parent(s) who were in town visiting have also come!

*One Iranian couple is eagerly reading the Bible on a weekly basis with two American friends. Recently the wife called her mom in Iran and asked what her mom would do if she became a Christian. Please pray for peace as contact with their families may be cut off if they decide to follow Jesus.

As college starts up again we will resume meals at the Pink House. **Please pray for the dates for fall semester:** Aug 24th, Sept 7th, Sept 21st, Oct 5th, Oct 19th, Nov 2nd, Nov 16th, Nov 30th, and Dec 7th. **INTERESTED IN HELPING WITH A MEAL?** *Underlined dates are Fridays that a group from Calvary is serving, connect with them & come join us for a Friday night!*

Upcoming Pink House Events: Group camping excursion to Maplewood State Park and a Pink House paintballing event .

Weekly Events

Sunday, August 19 Blood Pressure Checks

9:30 AM Worship Service ~ *Sanctuary*

10:45 AM New Member Class ~ 101

12:30 PM First African Church Service ~ *Upper Room*

Monday, August 20

4:30 PM YMCA Preschool Graduation ~ *Foyer & Sanctuary*

Tuesday, August 21

12:00 PM Prayer ~ 105

1:00 PM Staff Meeting ~ 101

5:00 PM Upward Flag Football Practice ~ *North Side of building*

5:30 PM Garden Group ~ *Garden behind church building*

6:30 PM Church Council ~ 101

Wednesday, August 22

10:00 AM First African Prayer ~ 105

Thursday, August 23

5:00 PM Upward Flag Football Practice ~ *North Side of building*

Friday, August 24

6:00 AM Men's Group ~ *Foyer & 101*

Saturday, August 25

8:00 AM Prayer ~ *Prayer Room 105*

10:00 AM African Church Music ~ *Upper Room*

12:00 PM FAUMC Children's Ministry ~ 200, 202

Sunday, August 26

9:30 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*

12:00 PM First African Church Service ~ *Upper Room*

Sermon Notes

FOLLOWING YOUR HEART

Matthew 22:37-40; Ephesians 3:14-17a; Col 3:23

Heart = your interests , passions , desires .

◇ What Keeps me from following my heart?

~ Disappointment . Prov 13:12

~ Fear . Prov 12:25

~ Guilt . Psalm 40:12

~ Bitterness . Psalm 73:21, 22

~ Rejection . Psalm 64:3; Col 3:23

◇ How do I follow my Heart?

1. Open . Rev 3:20

2. Let Him heal it. Psalm 34:18; Psalm 119:32

3. Listen to it. Romans 12:3

4. Look at my options. Prov 19:2; Hebrews 10:25

5. Launch out in Faith. Psalm 37:4; Psalm 4:7

Announcements

TODAY AND LOOKING AHEAD

Ushers for August 26, 9:30 AM: Rick Vernon, Don & Carol Geigel

WE WILL RETURN TO 2 SERVICES

beginning Sunday, September 9th.
Worship services will be at 9:00 and 10:30 AM.



Visitation Team will not meet in August. We will resume our regular schedule in September. Thank you!

Wednesday evenings 6:30-7:40: Our 3rd-5th graders are learning the truth of God's Word learning how to follow Him, and practicing His grace. Our K-2nd graders are learning about the people and events of the Bible and building a foundation of wisdom for knowing Christ. God has called all of us to make disciples. Are you willing to answer the Call? Contact Greta Burck at greta@calvaryfargo.com.



Health Concerns: Mark Forkner, Ruth Tollefson, Benadene Snyder, Joan Meidinger, Idella Wilson, Wayne Schumacher, Luella Carlson, Barbara Olson, and Roger Kalinowski.

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.

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Youth Fall Retreat: September 15/16

Save the date for our always amazing fall retreat! We're switching things up this time by going to Beautiful Camp Joy (Near Dent, MN). As usual, we'll enjoy the perfect amount FUN, WORSHIP, FOOD, AND RELAXING, as we seek God and take a step deeper in our faith. Cost is ONLY \$20.

No Experience Necessary - Scripture reading is an important part of every worship service. If you want to read Scripture for the congregation, sign up at the Information Center.

Your Family Can Help Serve Both the 9:00 and 10:30 services need volunteer ushers to be on a rotation list. The rotation will be about once every six weeks. Ushers arrive early to hand out bulletins with a welcoming smile and help pass the tithes/offering baskets during worship. If you are interested in this ministry, please talk today with one of our Usher Coordinators, Kevin Eastlund, Steve Johnson and Bob Baumann.

Are you going to miss church one week? Sermons and bulletins are available online at www.calvaryfargo.com!

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