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Calvary

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

Thank you for worshipping here today!

May 13, 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.

Core Values

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

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	“Victory in Jesus”	Screen
	“Once Again”	Screen
	“10,000 Reasons - Bless the Lord”	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 13:34, 35

Message “Learning to Love”

~ Pastor Dave Motta

Offering “Love Lifted Me”

~ Insert

Benediction

Outreach

Project 1:17

Outreach of the Month for November

Project 1:17 (P117) is a local ministry focused on serving and advocating for orphans locally and internationally. Locally by recruiting foster and adoptive families and then providing support and resources through the process and going forward. Internationally, through partnering with and serving alongside brothers and sisters in Christ devoted to orphan care and prevention in Ethiopia.

P117 primarily teams with Covenant Church/Covenant Development Association and Our Father’s Shelters as they operate two orphan homes and two street shelters in Ethiopia. They would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Calvary for all the prayers, support and hands on service provided over the years.

Since 2011, the Freiers and now P117 have been teaming with Covenant and Adera in supporting and serving at orphan homes in Addis Ababa (Kebebe Tsehai) and Holeta and Shone (Covenant). Kebebe Tsehai is the largest orphanage in the capital city, housing children up to age 10, including special needs children. P117 provides financial support to fund additional caregivers in the special needs area, along with providing donations of clothes, shoes and toys. This June we will be serving along side the nannies for a week as we play, love and change some dirty pants.

Covenant’s Shone and Holeta Orphan homes are designed to be like large families with a house mom and up to 12 children of various ages. They provide great love in these homes along with caring for the children’s needs and giving them a better than most educational opportunity. The homes are partnered with a church plant and become part of a greater ministry to the towns.

Want to Go? June 11-22 is coming soon, but it’s not too late. We’d love to have you join the team. Contact Kyle Freier at kyle.freier@gmail.com or 701-361-2241 for more information.

Weekly Events

Sunday, May 13 *Happy Mother's Day!!*

9:00 & 10:30 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*

9:00 AM Youth Ministry ~ *Upper Room (208) Last One*

9:00 AM Discipleship Opportunities ~ *See Information Center*

10:00 AM Financial Peace University ~ *102*

12:30 PM First African Church Service ~ *Upper Room (208)*

4:00 PM Outreach Team ~ *101*

Monday, May 14

Tuesday, May 15

12:00 PM Prayer ~ *105*

1:00 PM Staff Meeting ~ *101*

2:30 PM Visitation Team Meeting ~ *Shortridge Home*

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

5:45 PM Church Council Meeting ~ *101*

6:00 PM YMCA Staff Meeting ~ *114*

6:30 PM MCCI Refocus All Church Event ~ *Sanctuary*

Wednesday, May 16

10:00 AM First African UMC Prayer ~ *105*

6:30 PM Calvary Softball ~ *at new complex: 6063 45th St No, Fargo*

Thursday, May 17

Friday, May 18

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

Saturday, May 19

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, May 20 *Blood Pressure Checks*

9:00 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*

10:00 AM Financial Peace University ~ *102*

10:30 AM Worship ~ *Sanctuary*

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

Sermon Notes

Learning to Love

John 13:34, 35

What kind of love are we talking about?

- 1.) It is a Selfless Love. John 13:4, 5
 - * Phil 2:5-8 - He laid aside His dignity , but not His Diety .
 - * Mark 10:45
 - * 1 Corinthians 13:4
 - Grace ~ God accepts me.
 - Faith ~ I accept that He accepts me.
 - Peace ~ I accept me.
 - Love ~ I accept you.
 - Fellowship ~ You accept me.

- 2.) It is a Steadfast Love. John 13:1
 - Not I love you if .
 - Not I love you because .
 - but I love you period .

- 3.) It is a servng Love. John 13:5
 - Do something.
 - Real Love gives what is needed .

- 4.) It is a Sanctifying Love. John 13:6-11
 - * John 13:14
 - * Ephesians 4:32

Let's wash some feet.

Announcements

Ushers for May 20 9:00 - Mel & Marcella VanBeek, Nathan & Sarah Cvancara

10:30 - Lyle & Joyce Janke, Scott & Evan Kostohryz

Summer Church Service Times will change to **ONE SERVICE** at 9:30 AM beginning Sunday, June 3rd and last through Sunday, September 2nd. We will resume two services on Sunday, September 9.

SUMMER IS



SAVE THE DATE...**Tuesday May 15th...6:30- 8:00pm** is a special ALL CHURCH MEETING!...it's called "**Resource Refocus**"...it will be a presentation as well as dialogue and brainstorming about how to reach our neighbors for Christ....this is part of the MCCI training that I have been participating in since August. Pastor Bob Rudebush will be here from Sioux Falls to lead and facilitate this meeting. I am praying for at least 100 Calvary people to come to this very important meeting in the life of our church...thanks Calvary! Spread the word! ~ *Pastor Dave*



Graduate Recognition: Calling all seniors! We want to celebrate with you and your family for a time of prayer and recognition during our 10:30 a.m. worship service. Prior to the service, please join us for an informal reception in the main foyer starting at 9:45 a.m. RSVP with the church office and tell us your plans for the near future.

Offering Counters needed. No experience necessary. Regular rotations meeting Mondays to count and deposit the weekly offering. Contact the office if interested.

Announcements

TODAY AND LOOKING AHEAD

We all enjoy feeling welcome. Help visitors and friends feel welcome at Calvary. Sign up at the Information Center to serve in this important ministry.

YOUTH SUMMER MISSION TRIP 2018

Where? Spirit Lake Ministry Center (Near Devils Lake, ND)

When? June 10-15 (departing Sunday afternoon and returning around noon on Friday)

Who? Students finishing grades 6-12 (Adults welcome too)

What will we do? This mission trip combines helping with a children's day camp as well as manual work projects (such as painting, light construction, roofing, repair)

Cost? \$150 for students involved with Calvary's Youth Ministry (\$50 deposit to reserve your spot. Balance due June 1)

How do I sign up? Submit your deposit and release form to the Church office or mailbox by May 6. **Other Questions?** Contact Blake Carlson at Youth@calvaryfargo.com or call 701-232-5650

Are you noticing kids in your neighborhood who need to hear about Jesus? Are you longing for a way to share Jesus with them? Hosting a 5 Day Club, sponsored by CEF of Fargo-Moorhead, can be great opportunity for you to meet this need. Being a 5 Day Club® host is an easy way to reach out to those kids around you. All hosts need to do is provide the place, invite the kids, and share a snack. Our team of trained CYIA™'ers will take care of the teaching and the fun. If interested or for more info, contact Shari at 701-200-4865 or shari@ceffm.org or visit our website at: <http://www.ceffm.org/5-day-club/>

Health Concerns: Glenna Henderson, Diane Pieper, Joan Meidinger, Roger Kalinowski, Idella Wilson, Wayne Schumacher, Luella Carlson, Benadene Snyder, Barbara Olson, and Ruth Tollefson.

