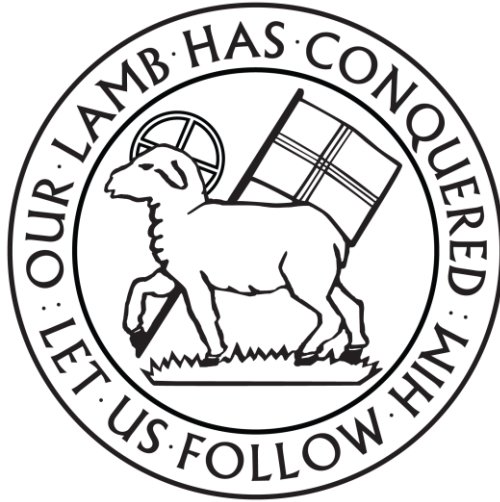


Calvary Moravian Church



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

600 Holly Avenue
Winston-Salem, NC 27101-2716
Witnessing to the love of God in the heart
of Winston-Salem since 1893.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SUNDAY

September 10, 2017

11:00 a.m.

Watchword for the Week – Give me understanding, O God, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart. Psalm 119:34

(Selections in today's service are taken from the blue Moravian Book of Worship.)

Preparation for Worship

GREETINGS AND NEWS OF THE CONGREGATION

The Reverend Lane A. Sapp

PRELUDE – *Al Post Comunio*

Dominico Zipoli

The Praise of God

+HYMN OF PRAISE 665 – *Bless All Those Who Nurture Children*

T. HYMN TO JOY

+LITURGY FOR EDUCATION

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The Worship of God with Our Tithes and Offerings

ANTHEM – *I Am Jesus' Little Lamb* *Text: Henriette Louise von Hayn*

T. WEIL ICH JESU SCHÄFLEIN BIN (82 E)

The Chancel Choir

+DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER

T. OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!

+*All who are able, please stand.*

The Proclamation of the Word of God

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

Barbara Howard, *Lay Reader*

+GOSPEL: Matthew 18:1-7

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Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

+*Ascriptions of Praise*

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

Bishop Sapp

(The children are invited to join the pastor in front of the sanctuary. Following the prayer, children ages 3 through first grade will be dismissed to Godly Play while the congregation sings the following hymn stanza:)

T. JESUS LOVES ME [*Hymn 726*]

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong; they are weak but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me, yes, Jesus loves me,
yes, Jesus loves me, the Bible tells me so.

MEDITATION

Bishop Sapp

HYMN OF DEDICATION 537 – *Sing Praise to God*

MIT FREUDEN ZART

BENEDICTION

TABLE BLESSING

The Calvary Band
Brian Lott, *director*



† PRAYER OF MEDITATION †

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Holy God, you call us to righteousness and light. Teach us the undivided law of love, that we may love your children even as you do, love you with all our will and strength, and find our freedom in this blessed service, taught to us in word and deed by Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

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*“For where two or three are gathered in my name,
I am there among them.” (Matthew 18:20)*

Where Is Peace?

In a time of conflict, dispute, animosity,
partisan bickering, irreconcilable differences
a time of Sides . . .

God is My Rock and My Salvation,

I am right	(and you are wrong),
I stand oppressed	(while you remain oppressive),
I have been maligned	(when you spread gossip),
I embrace facts	(though you create rumors),
I persevere faultless	(as you sin before God).

To your brother/sister, go;

To your sister/brother, talk;

With your sibling, listen;

In simplicity, humility, honesty, and gentleness,
the Peace of God will Be.

For you will gain back a brother, sister, friend;

For you will gain back your family;

For what you bind on each is bound in eternity;

For what you free for each is freed forever;

For when you find redemption, it is redemption for all;

For when you gather as two or three . . .

I am there among you, I am Redemption, and I am Peace.

*Andy Meckstroth, Moravian pastor serving
Ziegels Lutheran Church, Breinigsville, Pennsylvania*

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Christian Education Sunday
September 10, 2017

We welcome all members and guests to our service today on this ***Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost*** and on this day when we observe ***Christian Education Sunday***. We are glad that you have come to worship at Calvary this morning!

Please make a special effort to greet those around you in the spirit of Christian fellowship. As the red Ritual of Friendship pad is passed, kindly take a moment to write down your name, address and phone number. ***If you are our guest today***, please fill out a visitor card and place it in the offering plate and pick up one of the ***visitor's bags*** in the narthex! ***During the prelude***, you are invited to enter a spirit of reverence and quiet reflection as we prepare to worship the Lord. We kindly request that you ***silence all phones and pagers***. ***Hearing aid devices*** are available in the narthex; one of the ushers will be happy to assist you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Helen Stafford by her husband, Robert Stafford, and her daughter, Pat McGalliard.

Today is the Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost as well as ***Christian Education Sunday***. During worship, we will acknowledge the beginning of the Sunday School year and express appreciation to all those who work in our Christian Education program. After worship, a congregational luncheon will be held on the front lawn. This will be our first ***Second Sunday*** event of the 2017-2018 season!

This Wednesday, September 13, our fall ***Calvary @ The Table*** series begins with dinner at 5:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. The menu for this Wednesday evening will be H.O.P.E. meal bags. A variety of programs for all ages will be held at 6:00 p.m. The nursery will be available from 5:45-7:15 p.m. We hope you will join your fellow members for this opening event of the fall season! Be sure to see the ***enclosed bulletin insert*** for all the details of the program.

The Women's Fellowship will soon begin making those wonderful ***chicken pies***. Chicken pie "making" and "available" dates have been announced and are as follows: ***this week, September 13-14*** [available September 17]; September 27-28 [October 1]; October 25-26 [October 29]; and November 8-9 [November 12]. ***Order forms for this fall are now available.*** They are located on the Women's Fellowship bulletin board to the left of the church office, as well as on the table next to the church office door. To order your pies, please plan to use ***one individual form per person.*** You may place your completed forms in the tan manila folder on the Women's Fellowship bulletin board; deliver directly to the church office; or mail them to the church (postage required).

We express appreciation to all the Calvary members and staff who help support activities yesterday for the annual Festival of Books and Authors, sponsored by Calvary's new neighbor, Bookmarks. We were pleased for Calvary to be a part of the Festival and hope for a profitable community association with Bookmarks as we move forward. A number of programs are already scheduled with Bookmarks and will be held here at Calvary during the upcoming months.

Calvary's organist, Mary Louise Kapp Peeples, will present an organ recital ***next Sunday, September 17, at 3:00 p.m.*** at Kernersville Moravian Church. The recital is part of Kernersville's 150th Anniversary celebration. Everyone is cordially invited to attend!

Calvary's new pictorial directories have arrived! If you were not able to pick up your directory last Sunday, please contact the church office regarding arrangements to get your directory.

The closing date for the October 2017 "Calvary Connection" newsletter is this Wednesday, September 13, at 4:30 p.m.

Address for Internet Livestreaming of Calvary's services:

<http://custlogin.audiovideoweb.com/links/play/8c3flslive2171>

(Streaming begins approximately 15 minutes prior to the service. However, this may vary depending on when our volunteers arrive. If you attempt to log on before the streaming is in progress, you will get a "blank" screen after you click the play button. Please wait a few moments and reload the address in your browser.)

(Livestream audience for last Sunday, September 3: 17)

† REMEMBER IN PRAYER †

MEMBERS: Pam Goforth; Misty and John Hayes; Megan and Kayla Roser; Eddie Johnson; Fay Davis; Patrick Biggam and Felicia Shaw; Logan and Lily Shaw; Margaret Higgins; Judy Middleton; Berletta Walker; Ethel Armstrong; Amy Combs; Mary Hampton; Dee Jones; Robert Stafford; Jane Sofley; Dorothy Miller; John Peddycord; Glenna Tasedan; Jan Wikel; Cathy Smith; Dawn Martin; Haley Covert; Maryanne Lott; Doris Hansley; Harold Settle; Hannah Biggam (preparation and move to Amsterdam); and Peter Blum, III.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS: Becky Kelly (Craig Cagle's friend); Maude Booker (Sandra Davis' mother); Jeanne Underwood (Wesley Davis' sister); Evelyn Fritts (Linda Smith's mother); Blake Johnson (Vickey Pitts' cousin); Blake and Angie Johnson (Brandi Stone's friends); Dr. Tad Lowdermilk (Adrienne Polychron's friend); Maegan Simms (Ursula Pierce's granddaughter); Angie Cranor (Shannon Lineback's sister); David Taylor (Jan Bullins' brother); Mary Jo Woods (cousin of Anne Bell); Pam Stowers (cousin of Bob Snyder); Annette and Meli Novovic (friends of Mary and Bill Hampton); James and Joseph Nance (grandsons of Eldon and Beth Nance); Shirley Yountz and her daughter, Jenny (relatives of Frances Swing); Mike Lambros (friend of J and Jan Trivette and Allison and Derek Marion); Sandra Reich (friend of Vickey Pitts and Pam Goforth and a friend of Joel N. Lineback); Livia (grandchild of Bill and Mary Hampton's neighbor); LuAnn Peddycord Smith Alford (wife of Ed Alford); Rachael DeHaven (Pat George's sister); Gary Pitts (Vickey Pitts' husband); Shirley Stewart, sister of Fay Davis; Robert Cockrum (friend of Richard and Frances Swing); Greg (nephew of Brandi and Jordan Stone); Vivienne Knopp (Godaughter of Melanie and Matt Nance); Debbie Frye (friend of Judy Ludwick); Phillip Patterson (cousin of Carl McKnight); Michelle Marshall (friend of Dee Brown); Dorothy Speaks (mother of Vickey Pitts); Sherri Sheppard (sister of Donna Sharp); Debbie Moxley (friend of Meredith Boles); John Turner (father of Shannon Lineback); Paul Echols (friend of Peter Blum, III); and the victims of the Hurricane Harvey flooding in Texas and other states.

CHURCH SERVANTS: SEPTEMBER 10-17, 2017

	<i>TODAY:</i> September 10	<i>Next Sunday:</i> September 17
<i>Ushers</i>	Odell Cheek, Ron Griggs Joel C. Lineback Joel N. Lineback Nathan Lineback Larry Linville Chris Stone	Craig Cagle, Robert Caudle John Davis, Blake Ingram Joel C. Lineback Jack Messick Chese Trivette, J Trivette
<i>Greeters</i>	<i>To be announced</i>	Greg Conrad
<i>Lay Readers</i>	Barbara Howard	Kristie Pristas
<i>Nursery</i>	Stephen Baker	Jordan Wiggins
	Rachel Robinson	Rachel Robinson
<i>Godly Play</i>	<i>To be announced</i>	<i>To be announced</i>
<i>Sound</i>	Spencer Davis	Matt Kane

Church Calendar information for the current week and beyond can be found in the enclosed additional insert.



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CHURCH CALENDAR: SEPTEMBER 10-17, 2017

TODAY (September 10)

9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
After worship

**Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost/
Christian Education Sunday**
Sunday School
Worship
Congregational Luncheon (*front lawn*)

MONDAY (September 11)

6:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.

Missions Committee (*Parlor*)
Music and Worship (*Burke*)

TUESDAY (September 12)

10:00 a.m.
7:00 p.m.

125th Anniversary Committee (*Burke*)
Circle #3 (*residence of Jean Fordham*)

WEDNESDAY (September 13)

10:15 a.m.
4:30 p.m.
5:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Calvary Moravian Friends Planning
(*Burke*)
October 2017 "Calvary Connection"
Newsletter closing
Calvary @ The Table Dinner and Programs
(*Fellowship Hall*)
Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY (September 14)

6:30 p.m.

Christian Education Committee (*Burke*)

NEXT SUNDAY (Sept. 17)

9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday School
Worship

UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS

Wednesdays, September 13, 20 and 27
Calvary @ The Table Dinner and Programs – 5:00 p.m.
(Fellowship Hall)



Sunday, September 17
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Worship – 11:00 a.m.



Sunday, September 24
Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Worship – 11:00 a.m.



Sunday, October 1
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost
World Communion Sunday
Holy Communion – 11:00 a.m.

† **PRAYER OF MEDITATION** †

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Faithful God, you are the hope of all the oppressed, and the source of freedom for those held captive. Make us strong to witness to your liberating power, in generosity of life and in humility of spirit, that all the world may delight in your goodness. *Amen.*



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