



Unity. Liberty. Love. Serve.



Calvary Moravian Church (Sean McNamara)

PROPER TWENTY
SEPTEMBER 22ND, 2024



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We welcome all members and guests to our service today, and we are glad that you have joined us for worship at Calvary!

SERVING IN WORSHIP

The Rev. Chaz Snider, *Preaching*
Amanda Schumpert, *Director of Music*
Helen Pelkey, *Director of Children, Youth, & Families*
Mary Louise Kapp Peeples, *Organist*
Adrienne Polychron, *Reader*
Brian Lott, *Band Director*
The Calvary Band
The Calvary Chancel Choir
Samantha Cheek & Josephine Rose, *Nursery Attendants*
Bill Seippel, Felix Stultz, & Chese Trivette, *Ushers*

The flowers placed in the Narthex are to the Glory of God and in celebration of Reverend Madi Guthrie and Will Guthrie's wedding by Spencer Cox and Zach Routh.

Nursery is available for all children infant through Pre-K.

Children Kindergarten through 2nd grade may leave for Godly Play after the children's moment. For those children remaining in the sanctuary, New to the Pew bags can be found up front filled with fun activities to help them in worship. All children are welcome!

463 God Is Love, Let Heav'n Adore Him

1 God is love, let heav'n a - dore him; God is love, let
 2 God is love; and love en - folds us, all the world in
 3 God is love; and though with blind-ness sin af - flicts all

earth re - joice; let cre - a - tion sing be - fore him and ex -
 one em - brace; with un - fail - ing grasp God holds us, ev - 'ry
 hu - man life, God's e - ter - nal lov - ing - kind - ness guides us

alt him with one voice. God who laid the earth's foun -
 child of ev - 'ry race. And when hu - man hearts are
 through our earth - ly strife. Sin and death and hell shall

da - tion, God who spread the heav'ns a - bove, God who breathes through
 break - ing un - der sor - row's i - ron rod, then we find that
 nev - er o'er us fi - nal tri - umph gain: God is love, so

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 ABBOT'S LEIGH

all cre - a - tion: God is love, e - ter - nal love.
 self - same ach - ing deep with - in the heart of God.
 love for - ev - er o'er the u - ni - verse must reign.

Lord of All Being, Throned Afar 464

1 Lord of all be - ing, throned a - far, your glo - ry
 2 Lord of all life, be - low, a - bove, whose light is
 3 Grant us your truth, your free - dom give, that hearts for

flames from sun and star; cen - ter and soul of
 truth, whose warmth is love, be - fore your ev - er -
 you might sole - ly live till all your liv - ing

ev - 'ry sphere, yet to each lov - ing heart how near!
 blaz - ing throne we ask no lus - ter of our own.
 al - tars claim one ho - ly light, one heav'n - ly flame!

STEWARDSHIP

(Standing)

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God, creator of all things visible and invisible, powerful beyond measure, good beyond all understanding.

God's steadfast love endures forever.

DUKE STREET (22 Q)

Join hearts and voices as we lift our gratitude for every gift, and multiply each gift with praise to God who gives us all our days.

The musical score consists of three systems of music. Each system has a vocal line (treble clef) and a piano accompaniment line (bass clef). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is common time (C). The lyrics are: "Join hearts and voices as we lift our gratitude for every gift, and multiply each gift with praise to God who gives us all our days." The piano accompaniment features chords and moving lines that support the vocal melody.

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Lord, our God, you bring forth and nourish every living being.

We lift up our hearts to you.

We assemble here celebrating the joys of human life, shared one with the other. We recall the ministry of Jesus, crucified and raised up for our salvation, still present among us through the mystery of the Holy Spirit.

We praise you for new life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Confessing that we have strayed from your holy will, we humbly acknowledge our sins before you.

(Kneeling or sitting)

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned in many ways, times, and places. We have mishandled this good earth entrusted to our care, and we have misused our personal gifts, hurting both ourselves and others. Forgive our false pride which hides our negligence, and forgive our careless acts which destroy your handiwork. In your mercy correct our faults and restore us to responsible, compassionate living.

SILENT CONFESSION

Hear and know that the Lord is good. God forgives those who are contrite in heart. Live in peace, for God's steadfast love endures forever.

(Sitting)

WELWYN

O ho - ly God, whose gra - cious pow'r re - deems us,
 make us, by faith, true stew - ards of your grace;
 help us to hear and heed Christ's great com - mis - sion,
 shar - ing good news in this our time and place.

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STEWARDSHIP

Let us taste and see that the Lord is good. Let us be grateful for all that God has provided.

Inspire us, God of mercy, to be thankful for what we have received.

Let our lives resound with the wonder and beauty of all that God has been creating from the beginning. As caretakers of creation, may we learn anew to enjoy the land, preserve the water, respect all living creatures, and meditate upon the grandeur of open sky and sea.

Teach us, God of creation, to walk the earth with gratitude and wisdom.

Let our eyes be opened to the needs of all people, especially the poor.

Move us, God of justice, to share what we have and to be just and merciful in our nation and the world.

Let us hear God's call to the urgent tasks of our time: studies to pursue, projects to begin, communities to build, individuals to support, damages to restore.

Use us, God of the covenant — use our time, our talent, our treasure.

BUNESSAN

Bless, Lord, the la - bor we bring to serve you, that with our
neigh - bor we may be fed. Sow - ing or till - ing, we would work

The image shows a musical score for a hymn. It consists of two systems of staves. The first system has a vocal line on a single treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The lyrics are written below the vocal line. The second system continues the piano accompaniment. The music is in a simple, hymn-like style with a clear melody and accompaniment.

with you, har-vest-ing, mill-ing for dai-ly bread.

TEXT: Albert F. Bayly (1901-1984). ©1988 by Oxford University Press (from hymn "Praise and Thanksgiving")
 TUNE: Setting © by Brian Henkelmann

Our Creator God calls us to become the servant body of Christ, ministering to the world, and grants us the blessings of membership in the holy, universal church.

We thank you for our place in the church.

The Spirit of the Lord fills this house. God delights in its beauty, and sings through the music of the faithful. God speaks by the reading and proclamation of the word, stirs in the waters of baptism, nourishes through the gifts of bread and wine. God hears the prayers of the people and rejoices in our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving.

We thank you for your presence and power among us.

The Lord gathers us into the fellowship of this congregation. Here we share our spiritual gifts and employ them to build up the body. Some of us teach and proclaim, some shepherd and heal, some lead and administer, some serve, prophesy, and evangelize. All of us dwell in God's love, and all pray for one another in the peace of Jesus Christ our Lord.

We offer our gifts to honor your holy name and to strengthen one another in faith.

God calls us to commit our financial resources to the building of the kingdom, to tithe, and to give generously of our wealth in proportion to the blessings we have received.

Search our hearts and try our ways that we might give to your glory, O God.

Jesus leads us onward in the high mission of the church. We proclaim the gospel to all nations by word and deed, that people everywhere may find new life in God.

We hear your call. We pledge the best of our labors that your glory may be known in all the earth.

STEWARDSHIP

Let us now rise to serve God. Let us renew our commitment to Christ's call for servanthood, obedience, and sacrifice to establish a world of justice, prosperity, and peace.

We rise as one to love and serve the Lord!

(Standing)

TOULON

The musical score is written for voice and piano. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano accompaniment on a bass clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 2/2. The lyrics are: 'Lord of all good, our gifts we bring to you, use them your ho - ly pur - pose to ful - fill, to - kens of love and pledg - es brought a - new, that our whole life is of - fered to your will.'

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May the words of our lips and the meditations of our hearts —

May the deeds of our hands and the action of our lives —

Be pleasing in your sight, O God our Creator.

Through Christ our Lord, and the Holy Spirit,

One God of all, world without end.

Amen!

If You But Trust in God to Guide You 712

1 If you but trust in God to guide you and place your
 2 On - ly be still and wait his pleas - ure in cheer - ful
 3 Sing, pray, and keep his ways un - swerv - ing, of - fer your

con - fi - dence in him, you'll find him al - ways there be -
 hope with heart con - tent. He fills your needs to full - est
 ser - vice faith - ful - ly, and trust his word; though un - de -

side you to give you hope and strength with - in; for those who
 meas - ure with what dis - cern - ing love has sent; doubt not our
 serv - ing, you'll find his prom - ise true to be. God nev - er

trust God's change - less love build on the rock that will not move.
 in - most wants are known to him who chose us for his own.
 will for - sake in need the soul that trusts in him in - deed.

How Firm a Foundation

1 How firm a foundation, you saints of the
 2 "Fear not, I am with you; O be not dis-
 3 "When through the deep waters I call you to
 4 "When through fier-y tri-als your path-way shall

Lord, is laid for your faith in his ex-cel-lent
 mayed, for I am your God and will still give you
 go, the riv-ers of sor-row shall not o-ver-
 lie, my grace, all-suf-fi-cient, shall be your sup-

word! What more can he say than to you he has
 aid; I'll strength-en you, help you and cause you to
 flow; for I will be with you in trou-ble to
 ply. The flame shall not hurt you; I on-ly de-

said, to you who for ref-uge to Je-sus have fled?
 stand up-held by my right-eous, om-nip-o-tent hand.
 bless, and sanc-ti-fy to you your deep-est dis-tress.
 sign your dross to con-sume and your gold to re-fine.

- 5 "The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose,
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake,
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake!"

Peace, Perfect Peace

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1 Peace, per - fect peace, in this dark world of sin?
2 Peace, per - fect peace, by throng - ing du - ties pressed?
3 Peace, per - fect peace, with sor - rows surg - ing round?
4 Peace, per - fect peace, our fu - ture all un - known?

The blood of Je - sus whis - pers peace with - in.
To do the will of Je - sus, this is rest.
On Je - sus' bos - om naught but calm is found.
Je - sus we know, and he is on the throne.

The musical score consists of two systems. Each system has a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature is two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The first system contains four lines of lyrics. The second system contains three lines of lyrics. The music is written in a simple, hymn-like style with block chords and moving lines.

- 5 Peace, perfect peace, death shadowing us and ours?
Jesus has vanquished death and all its powers.
- 6 It is enough: earth's struggles soon shall cease
and Jesus call us to heaven's perfect peace.

GATHERING IN UNITY

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK (MARK 9:35)

Jesus said, "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all."

** Please stand as you are able.*

BAND PRELUDE

TRINITY CHIME

ORGAN PRELUDE *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending* — Rebecca te Velde

WELCOME

PROCLAIMING GOD'S LOVE

***HYMN #463** *God Is Love, Let Heav'n Adore Him* — ABBOT'S LEIGH

***LITURGY OF STEWARDSHIP** Pg. 154, The Moravian Book of Worship

OFFERTORY *I Will Arise* — Arr. Parker/Shaw

***DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER** 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!

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

EPISTLE: JAMES 3:13-4:3, 7-8A

*GOSPEL: MARK 9:30-37

The Word of God for the People of God
Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Jesus Loves Me — JESUS LOVES ME

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.

QUIET MEDITATION AND PRAYER

HYMN #712

If You But Trust in God to Guide You — BREMEN

SERMON

THE GOOD LIFE

SENDING TO SERVE

***HYMN #709**

How Firm a Foundation — FOUNDATION

***BENEDICTION**

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling — Wade Peeples

TRINITY CHIME

REMEMBER CALVARY MEMBERS IN PRAYER

Eddie Johnson; Camilla Williams; Bernard Williams; Patricia Poindexter Garr; Earline Pryor; Misty Hayes and family; Noelle Nichols; Rameth McKnight; Ursula Pierce; Steven Nixa; Gary Willis; Lily Shaw; Patsy Lineback; Patrick Biggam; Dallas & Ramona Prestwood; Lynn Biggam; Tommy & Nancy McKoon; Stephanie Nixa; Jack Messick; Brooks Lott; Bill & Mary Hampton; Scott & Elaine Peddycord; Harold & Joeann Settle; the Swing family; Pat George; Charlie Miller; Betty Troutman; J. Frank & Jan Trivette

REMEMBER FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN PRAYER

Holly & Barry Broadstreet; Denise Williams; Mike & Carole Farris; Beverly Streicker; Lisa Hampton; the family of Jane Sofley

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

Amanda will be out of the office September 24th through October 5th.

Pastor Chaz will be out of the office September 26th through October 6th.

STEWARDSHIP PLEDGES

You may place your stewardship pledge cards in the offering plate during today's offertory. Thank you for your continued support of Calvary Moravian!

HOLLYWEEN

Plans are underway for our Second Annual Hollyween community event with our friends from Bookmarks and Salem Pres. On October 26th from 10am-12pm we'll be back on our front lawn for a fun, safe, Halloween inspired morning. There will be lots of activities, crafts, pumpkin painting, a book reading, face-painting and a Trunk-or-Treat! That's where we need your help. We need 10 to 15 cars decked out in your best Halloween decor to give out candy to all the kids that come enjoy the morning! If you can help, please use the following link to sign up or email Amanda Schumpert at amanda@calvarymoravian.org. Thank you for helping us give our kiddos and those of our community a safe way to have some Halloween fun!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090448AEAF28AAFE3-51529158-hollyween>

LAY READERS

We are currently looking for people to serve in worship by reading scripture on Sunday mornings. If you would like to sign up for a Sunday to read, please use the Signup Genius link below. We would love to have you share your gifts with the congregation!

www.signupgenius.com/go/4090448AEAF28AAFE3-51175677-2024#/

DIRECTORY UPDATES

With the addition of Pastor Nola and Helen to the Calvary staff, we would like to remind you to make sure you submit any changes in addresses or phone numbers to the church directory or to Jacob who can update it for you. In addition, we invite you to add a photo of your family to your listing or send it to Jacob to be submitted. This is a huge help to our new staff members!

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Our adult Bible study with Pastor Chaz is on Wednesdays from 6-7 PM in the Burke Room. This semester we will be using the book Our Moravian Treasures. It is available for purchase for \$13 each. We will meet in person and via Zoom so all are welcome! The Zoom meeting link is us02web.zoom.us/j/84879938980

BREAKFAST BUNCH

October 1st, 9 AM at Carriage House. Please contact Pat George (336)971-3429 or Linda Seippel (336) 406-1747 to RSVP.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Churchwide Retreat

October 11th-13th - Laurel Ridge

Let's go back to the mountain! We can't wait to spend a beautiful fall weekend together in fellowship as we enjoy the fall colors together. More information is coming soon on how to register and the weekend schedule. We hope you'll plan to join us!

2024 Crop Walk

October 20th - 1:30-4 PM

Walk together for hunger/awareness and support in Winston Salem. We'll have lunch after worship, walk to Corpening Plaza for the opening info at 1:30pm, & walk together at 2:30pm.

Hollyween!

October 26th - 10 AM-12 PM

Our second-annual, fun filled, safe, Halloween inspired morning collaborating with our friends from Bookmarks and Salem Presbyterian. We'll start off with an author reading, followed by a Trunk-or-Treat, and some face-painting, pumpkin painting, picture taking, community loving, Halloween fun. Everything will happen on and around our front lawn, so plan your costume and decorate your trunk!

Walk with Us

November 3rd - 1:30 PM at The Hub: City w/Dwellings

Our Youth and Catechism Age kiddos will join together with Augsburg Lutheran's Youth group and others from around our community to walk a 3.5 mile route around downtown while we hear stories of people who are unhoused who walk these paths everyday. There will be stops along the way with opportunities to listen, learn, and see for ourselves the effort it takes to access needed resources. More info to come as we get closer.

Fall Fun at the Farm

November 17th, 3-5 PM at the Howard's Farm

Hot Dogs, s'mores, fellowship, fun, and a hayride! Join us for this favorite fall festivity as Barbara and Bill Howard open their farm for us once again this year. Make sure to bring your lawn chair, and a side or dessert to share! We will confirm the date as soon as possible!

Sunday Mornings at Calvary Moravian

9 AM	Handbell Choir Rehearsal
9:45 AM	Nursery (Infant-PreK) — 2nd floor Children's Wing Early Elementary (K-2nd) — 2nd floor Children's Wing Elementary (3rd-5th) — 2nd floor Children's Wing Catechism Class — Room 124 (Across from Fellowship Hall) Youth (6th-12th grades) — 3rd floor youth room New Life Adult Class — 2nd floor parlor Friendship Adult Class — Burke Conference Room
10:30 AM	Adult Chancel Choir Rehearsal
11AM	Worship

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