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Calvary Moravian (Calvary Archives)

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

APRIL 6TH, 2025



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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. Dr. Chaz Snider, *Preaching*
Amanda Schumpert, *Director of Music*
Mary Louise Kapp Peeples, *Organist*
Dr. Barbara Howard, *Lay Reader*
Brian Lott, *Band Director*

The Calvary Band

The Calvary Chancel Choir

Josephine Rose & Autumn Gwyn, *Nursery Attendants*

Clyde George & Carter Nance, *Ushers*

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!

795 Come, Faithful Shepherd, Bind Me

1 Come, faith - ful Shep - herd, bind me with cords of love to thee,
 2 Thou, Lord, wilt not for - sake me, though I am oft to blame,
 3 Am I of my sal - va - tion as - sured through thy great love?

and ev - er - more re - mind me that thou hast died for me,
 as thy re - ward, O take me a - new, just as I am,
 May I on each oc - ca - sion to thee more faith - ful prove.

O may the Ho - ly Spir - it set this be - fore my eyes,
 grant me hence - forth, dear Sav - ior, through all my pil - grim years
 Hast thou my sins for - giv - en? Then, leav - ing things be - hind,

that I thy death and mer - it a - bove all else may prize.
 to look to thee and nev - er give way to anx - ious fears.
 may I press on to heav - en and bear the prize in mind.

Jesus' Love Unbounded

770

1 Je - sus' love un - bound - ed none can e'er ex - plain,
 2 While we your past deal - ings grate - ful - ly re - view,
 3 All our days, O Je - sus, hal - low un - to you;

yet we, his dis - ci - ples, of - ten cause him pain;
 we're as - sured your mer - cies are each morn - ing new;
 may our lives be giv - en in your ser - vice true;

e - ven they for - get him who have seen his face,
 par - don our trans - gres - sions, hear our ear - nest cry;
 let us all ex - pe - rience, to the end of days,

e - ven they still grieve him who en - joy his grace.
 us in soul and bod - y heal and sanc - ti - fy.
 your a - bid - ing pres - ence and your lov - ing grace.

Alternate setting, hymn 746

TEXT: Nicholas Ludwig von Zinzendorf (1738). Mor. tr. (1746); Recast Mor. (1788), alt.
 TUNE: Herrnhut (c. 1735); C. Gregor Choralbuch (1784)

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 BERTHELSDORF (141 A)

350 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

1 When I sur - vey the won - drous cross on which the
 2 For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the
 3 See, from his head, his hands, his feet sor - row and
 4 Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, that were an

Prince of glo - ry died, my rich - est gain I
 death of Christ, my God; all the vain things that
 love flow min - gled down; did e'er such love and
 of - f'ring far too small; love so a - maz - ing,

count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.
 charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.
 sor - row meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
 so di - vine de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

TEXT: Isaac Watts (1707)
 TUNE: Lowell Mason (1824)

L.M.
 HAMBURG [22 P]

GATHERING IN UNITY

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK (PHILIPPIANS 3:13-14)

Forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

** Please stand as you are able.*

BAND PRELUDE

TRINITY CHIME

ORGAN PRELUDE

Come, Faithful Shepherd — Margaret Vardell Sandresky

WELCOME

PROCLAIMING GOD'S LOVE

***HYMN #795**

Come, Faithful Shepherd, Bind Me — REJOICE

***LITURGY FOR LENT**

Singing from the Heart

Lord God, our Father in heaven, you have shown your great love toward us by sending your Son into the world to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins.

We give you thanks because you have made us worthy to share in the inheritance of the saints in light, having rescued us from the power of darkness, and brought us into the kingdom of your beloved Son.

Lord God, Son, the Savior of the world, though you were in the form of God, you did not consider equality with God something to cling to, but emptied yourself, taking the form of a servant, being born in human likeness. You humbled yourself and became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

We give you thanks because you, our merciful and faithful High Priest, have made reconciliation for the sins of the people. You were despised and rejected, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. You were wounded for our transgressions; you were bruised for our iniquities; upon you fell the punishment that made us whole; and by your wounds we are healed.

Lord God, Holy Spirit, one with the Father and the Son, you fill our hearts with the love of God and make our bodies your holy temple.

We give you thanks because you descended upon the Christ, anointing him to bring good news to the poor; to heal the brokenhearted; to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind; to set free those who are oppressed; and to proclaim the time of the Lord's favor.

LA TROBE

Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
One in Three, and Three in One,
as by the celestial host,
let your will on earth be done;
praise by all to you be given,
glorious Lord of earth and heav'n.

From all self-righteousness,
From ingratitude and selfishness,
From lukewarmness,
From all indifference to your meritorious life and death,

Deliver us, gracious Lord and God.

PASSION CHORALE

What language shall I borrow to thank you, dearest Friend,
for all your dying sorrow, your mercy without end?
Grant me to lean unshaken upon your faithfulness
till I from earth am taken to see you face to face.

By your holy incarnation and birth,
By your early exile,
By your pure and blameless childhood,
By your willing obedience,
By your humility, meekness, and patience,
By your faithfulness in your earthly calling,
By your fasting and temptation,
By your perfect life before God and humanity,

Bless and comfort us, gracious Lord and God.

By your tears and agony, your crown of thorns and cross,
Lead us to repentance for our sins.

By your willing sacrifice of yourself even unto death,
Make known to us the mystery of your love.

Into your open arms stretched out upon the cross,
Receive us all.

By all your sacred wounds and precious blood,
By your innocent suffering and dying,
By your rest in the grave,
By your glorious resurrection and ascension,
Bless us and save us, Christ Jesus, our Redeemer.

Fulfill in us your prayer that all who love you may be one, as you are in the Father,
and the Father in you.
Hear us and help us, gracious Savior.

You have made God known to us as Father, so that the love with which he has
loved you may be in us,
And you in us.

Christ, and him crucified,
Remain our confession of faith.

COVENANT

Lamb of God, you shall remain forever
of our songs the only theme;
for your boundless love, your grace and favor,
we will praise your saving name;
that for our transgressions you were wounded,
shall by us in nobler strains be sounded,
when we, perfected in love,
once shall join the church above.

OFFERTORY

See What Love from *St. Paul* — Felix Mendelssohn

***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: PHILIPPIANS 3:4B-14

*GOSPEL: JOHN 12:1-8

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

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

DONA NOBIS PACEM

Dona nobis pacem.
(Give us peace.)

QUIET MEDITATION AND PRAYER

HYMN #770

Jesus' Love Unbounded — BERTHELSDORF

SERMON

FAITH

SENDING TO SERVE

***HYMN #350**

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross — HAMBURG

***BENEDICTION**

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Cortège et Litanie — Marcel Dupré

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; Scott & Elaine Peddycord; Harold & Joeann Settle; Betty Troutman; J. Frank & Jan Trivette; Johnnie & Mary Anna Pearson; the Tasedan family; Judi Chandler; George Tasedan; Sandra Shugart; Bill & Mary Hampton; Haley and Zelda Covert, Richard Hughes, and their family; George Hege

REMEMBER FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN PRAYER

Denise Williams; Beverly Streicker; Lisa Hampton; the family of Lessie Mann

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES

We are once again filling shoe racks for our college students to send lots of goodies, cards, and love to them as they begin the final weeks of their semester. We have six college students we are currently supporting through this ministry. You can bring items like crackers, chips, cookies, etc. and fill up the shoe racks in the sanctuary, or place items in the box provided underneath. Our Christian Education Committee will take care of dividing everything out equally into 5 separate shoe racks. If you bring cards, please make sure they have the student's name on the outside of the envelope. We will collect from Sunday, March 30th - Wednesday, April 16th. Thank you for always keeping these children of our congregation in your prayers and close to home, even as they are away studying.

GRAVE DECORATION ON APRIL 19TH

Everyone is invited to help decorate graves at God's Acre on Saturday, April 19th, beginning at 9:30 AM. For over 100 years, the churches of the Salem Congregation have been decorating the oldest graves at God's Acre in preparation for the Easter Sunrise Service. Many of our fellow brothers and sisters buried in these graves no longer have family who can place flowers for Easter morning. We invite everyone—children, youth, young adults, and those young at heart to help us keep this tradition alive. Many hands make light work. We hope that this will take no longer than an hour with your helping hands. If you have fresh-cut flowers, flowering shrubs, or greenery that you can donate, please bring them to the church between Wednesday and Friday of Holy Week and place them in the buckets outside the church office. If you are planning to help decorate, you can bring them with you Saturday morning to God's Acre. Remember to bring your gloves and clippers to help make quick work of our decorating. If you have any questions, contact Ginni Baker at (919) 649-3808.

LENTEN HOME COMMUNION

Lent is a holy season of introspection, spiritual growth, and closeness to God and to our brothers and sisters in the family of God. In this holy time, Pastor Nola will come to you with communion at home during Lent if you wish. Please contact her directly (nola@calvarymoravian.org) or the church office, to schedule a visit!

LENTEN FOOD DRIVE FOR SUNNYSIDE

"For I was hungry and you gave me food..." – Matthew 25:35

This Lent, let's turn sacrifice into service! Instead of just giving something up, why not give back? Donate a bag of non-perishable groceries, a few items, or even a single can to help those in need. Sunnyside has requested pop-top style cans and would love cans of corn & green beans for their food pantry, but all donations are welcome! You can drop off your donations in the West lobby, first-floor stairwell, or the Narthex in the provided boxes. Let's make a difference together!

GRADUATE RECOGNITION SUNDAY

On Sunday, May 18th, we will observe our Graduate Recognition Day. On this special day of worship, we will be acknowledging all those who have completed the major milestone of graduation from high school, college, or graduate school. By May 9th, please email Jacob (jacob@calvarymoravian.org) and let us know of anyone in your family who will be graduating from high school, college, or graduate school. This will give us the opportunity to announce graduate information in our church publications, including the bulletin and our newsletters. In addition to the names of graduates, please provide school/college information, graduation date, and any future plans for the students following graduation. We look forward to acknowledging and congratulating all our graduates!

OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMUNITY & PRAYER

Virtual prayer meetings will be offered on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month, at 9:00 AM via Zoom. The next meeting will be this **Tuesday, April 8th**. We will pray for ourselves, for those on our prayer list, and for our church and world. This Zoom prayer time will last about 15 minutes, and gives us an additional opportunity to check in and share the people and things that we hold in our hearts. Confidentiality will be an essential part of these times together; when talking with someone else about the prayer time, it's OK to say what you yourself shared, but not OK to say what anyone else shared. The link to join the meeting is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81364100880>

"I AM THE RESURRECTION AND THE LIFE" - LENTEN WEDNESDAY NIGHT PROGRAM

On April 9th, we will have our final Lenten Wednesday evening program! Dinner will be served at 5 PM and is Tacos provided by the Sisters Fellowship. Then at 6, the different age groups will split off for the special programming. Youth & Children will be making palm crosses for Palm Sunday. We hope you'll join us for this Lenten journey!

BREAKFAST BUNCH

April 15th, 9 AM at Carriage House. Please contact Pat George (336) 971-3429 or Linda Smith (336) 978-6082 to RSVP.

SAVE THE DATE: COFFEE WITH THE PASTORS

Starting May 4th at 9:45 AM, we will be having a time of coffee & fellowship in the Parlor. This first month will be hosted by the board of Elders. We hope you'll join us!

CHURCH COUNCIL

Church Council will be held Sunday, May 4th, following worship. During council, the congregation will receive reports from the previous year including a financial report and reports from the Joint Board, Elders, and Trustees. All resident communicant members are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

BLOOD DRIVE RESCHEDULED

Join us at Calvary for our Annual Blood Drive, now rescheduled to **Wednesday, May 7th, from 2–6 PM** in the Fellowship Hall! Mark your calendars and roll up your sleeves—your donation can make a difference. To schedule your appointment, go to the link below and enter sponsor code "Calvary Moravian" For all questions, please email or call the church office.

www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive

SAVE THE DATE: CHURCH-WIDE RETREAT!

We have our Church-wide retreat scheduled for August 29th-31st with an option to stay until September 1st at Laurel Ridge. This is Labor Day Weekend. Make sure you mark this on your calendars!



Holy Week Services

You are invited to join Pastor Nola in the parlor from 6:30 to 6:50 PM every evening of Holy Week for a time of silent prayer and meditation.

April 13th, 11 AM, Sanctuary
Palm Sunday & Flowering of the Cross

April 13th-16th, 7 PM, Sanctuary
Holy Week Reading Services

April 17th, 7 PM, Sanctuary
Maundy Thursday Communion Service

April 18th, 2:15 PM, Sanctuary
Good Friday Crucifixion Service

April 18th, 7 PM, Sanctuary
Good Friday Lovefeast Service

April 19th, 7 PM, Home Moravian
Great Sabbath Service of Music

April 20th, 11 AM, Sanctuary
Easter Sunday



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 Friendship Adult Class — Burke Conference Room
10:30 AM	Adult Chancel Choir Rehearsal
11AM	Worship

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday 8 AM-4 PM

Lunch Hour: 12:30-1:30 PM

Closed on Fridays

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