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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; Philippians 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

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- To Know Christ and To Make Him Known -



Calvary

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Thank you for worshipping here today!

May 8, 2016

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.

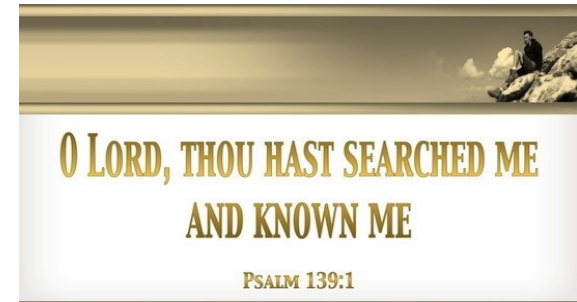
Get Connected!

Sunday Worship - 9:00 AM

Sunday School and Youth Ministry - 9:00 AM

Growth Groups - 9:00, 9:15 & 10:30 AM

Sunday Worship - 10:30 AM



Service Schedule

Our nursery is staffed and available during Sunday services for children ages birth to 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

Hymns "I Could Sing of Your Love" ~ Praise Songs #34
"Better Is One Day" ~ Praise Songs #8
"Stronger" ~ 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 Pastor Joel Winckler

Nicaragua Report

Scripture Psalm 139:1-7

Message "The Presence of God" ~ Pastor Dave Motta

Offering "I Stand Amazed in The Presence" ~ Hymnal #371

Benediction



Welcome Guests

Welcome New Guests to Calvary UMC. Please complete the Connection Card and **drop it off at the Information Center for a free gift and information packet.** We welcome you to join us again.

Do you have a concern and need prayer?

Caring individuals will be available at the back of the Sanctuary at the beginning of the service and also at the pillars at the end of the service.

Outreach Prayer



Child Evangelism Fellowship of Fargo "exists to evangelize children with the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and establish them in a local church and the Word of God for Christian growth."

They do this through Good News Clubs during the school year as well as 5-Day Clubs and fair ministry during the summer.

Good News Clubs is a weekly Bible club for elementary school children. Clubs, which meet after school for about 8 sessions from October to December and about 8 sessions from January to March, provide children with the opportunity to gather with friends to sing, play games, memorize Bible verses and hear a visualized Bible lesson that applies God's Word directly to their lives.

5-Day Club is like a mini Vacation Bible School (for children ages four to twelve) in your own backyard or living room. The benefit is that children who would not otherwise attend a church VBS will attend a neighbor's or friend's 5-Day Club. 5-Day Club is an exciting, fun-filled hour held each day for five consecutive days. It includes dynamic Bible lessons, creative learning activities, inspiring missionary story, meaningful songs, life-changing Scripture memory and much more. Trained teens and young adults with Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF) facilitate and lead the 5-Day Clubs.

Please pray that CEF volunteers continue to find fulfillment and joy in what they do and for schools and families to be open to the clubs and excited for kids to attend.

For daily prayer requests go to:
<http://www.ceffm.org/prayer-requests/>

Weekly Events

Sunday, May 8 Happy Mother's Day

9:00 & 10:30 AM Worship ~ Sanctuary

9:00 AM Sunday School & Youth Ministries ~ last Sunday until Fall

9:00 & 10:30 AM Adult Growth Groups

11:30 AM-3:30 PM Ray of Hope Ministries-Worship ~ 102

6:30 PM Adult Growth Group ~ 101

6:30-8:00 PM Crossover ~ 102

Monday, May 9

3:00 PM Childcare Chapel ~ 114

6:45 PM BSF Evening Class for Men ~ Sanctuary & Multiple Classrooms

Tuesday, May 10

NOON Prayer ~ Sanctuary

1:00 PM Staff Meeting ~ 101

6:30 PM Church Council ~ 101

7:00 PM UMW Dorcas Circle ~ 115

7:30 PM Trustees ~ 101

Wednesday, May 11

Thursday, May 12

Friday, May 13 Men's Retreat

6:00-7:30 AM Men's Advance ~ Foyer, Kitchen, Rooms

8:30-11:00 AM Women's Bible Study ~ 101, 102, 115

11:30 AM Silver and Gold ~ The Fryin' Pan on Main

6:00 PM Cianci Event ~ Foyer, Kitchen

8:00 PM Men's Retreat ~ Freier Cabin on Lake Lizzie

Saturday, May 14 Men's Retreat continues until Noon

6:00-9:30 AM BSF Leaders ~ 114 & 115

8:00 AM Prayer ~ 105

9:00 AM Quilts of Comfort ~ Quilt Room 2nd Floor

6:30-8:30 PM Wayne Eastman Graduation ~ Foyer, Kitchen, Gym

Sunday, May 15 Outreach of the Month and Blood Pressure Checks

9:00 AM Worship ~ Sanctuary

9:00-10:30 AM Blood Pressure Checks ~ Library

10:30 AM Worship with Senior Graduate Recognition Service ~ Sanctuary

11:30 AM-3:30 PM Ray of Hope Ministries-Worship ~ 102

2:00-3:00 PM Piano Recital ~ Foyer, Sanctuary

4:00-6:00 PM Outreach Team ~ 101

6:30 PM Adult Growth Group ~ 101

Would you like to post a Calvary announcement in the Sunday Bulletin? E-mail your brief, print-ready announcement to Rosie at office@calvaryfargo.com before 4 pm Wednesday. Thanks!

Sermon Notes

The Presence of God Psalm 139:1-7

Introduction: Jehovah Shammah = The Lord ever present

Jude 24,25; Psalm 100:2; Psalm 51:11; Genesis 28:16,17;
John 1:51; Luke 24:31; Psalm 133:1,3; Matthew 18:20
John 17:21b-23; 2 Corinthians 4:17

3 Dimensions of God's Presence

Dimension No. 1: God's Awesome Presence (Objective Reality)

- ~ **Awful** = **Full of Awe** ~ Psalm 139:7; Hebrews 4:13
- ~ **Our Response** = **Reverence & Repentance** ~ Hosea 10:12

Dimension No. 2: God's Abiding Presence (Subjective Reality) ~ John 14:21; Hebrews 13:5; Matthew 28:20

Dimension No. 3: God's Amazing Presence (Supernatural Reality)

- ~ **Elijah** ~ I Kings 19
- ~ **Moses** ~ Exodus 3; Exodus 33
- ~ **Jesus** ~ John 1:14; Colossians 2:19; Luke 5:17
- ~ **120 Disciples** ~ Acts 2
- ~ **Saul** ~ Acts 9

***Bill Bright describes Revival as a Sovereign work of God in answer to sincere prevailing prayer in which he:**

1. **Grips** His people with deep conviction, repentance, forgiveness and deliverance from personal sins.
2. **Fills** His people with the Holy Spirit and Manifests in them the fruit and graces of the Holy Spirit
3. **Fills** the Church and Community with His Presence & Power
4. **Causes** non-Christians to earnestly seek Him.
5. **Ignites** in His people, young and old, a passion to bring the lost to Christ at home and around the world.

Announcements

LOOKING AHEAD

Men's Retreat ~ May 13-14 at the Freier's Cabin. Please sign up at the Information Center and pick up a slip with more information and directions. Our time is spent around faith, food and fellowship!

Silver and Gold ~ May 13th at 11:30 AM

Silver and Gold will meet at the Fryin' Pan Restaurant on East Main in Fargo at **11:30 AM, Friday, May 13th.** Please join us if you can!

Class of 2016 Graduation Seniors! We want to celebrate with you! **May 15, 9:00am,** come for a light breakfast in the youth room as well as prayer time during the 10:30 worship service. RSVP requested.

USHERS



CALVARY'S USHERS ~ The following are scheduled for ushering on Sunday, **May 15: 9:00am** ~ *Duane & Trudy Wanner; Wilfred & Mary Showers; Myron Loberg; **10:30am** ~ *Lyle & Joyce Janke; Kyle & Matt Freier.
Thank you for serving as an usher!

Decision America ~ Wednesday, May 25 ~ Noon to 1:00 PM Make your reservation by May 10th.

Join Franklin Graham's 50 state tour in this historic prayer meeting as he is calling and challenging Christians to pray fervently and live out their faith at home, in public, and at the ballot box! I would like to fill a BIG BUS to leave from Calvary...**Calvary folks can sign up from now till May 10...then it will be open to other churches.** Mary and I are go'in...who will come with us? Sign up at the Information Center or call the Church office to secure your reservation. ~ Pastor Dave

Calvary Community Garden

No previous gardening experience required. Join us in the Garden behind the Church at **5:30 pm, Tuesday** evenings through September 27, weather permitting. Contact: Lori Baumann or Karen Fleming.



We pray weekly for your requests!

If you have a prayer request or know anyone needing prayer, please fill out a prayer request in the Calvary Connection card found in your bulletin.



Health Concerns: Luella Carlson, Morgan Fraase, Roger Kalinowski, Nicole Keisacker, Wilma Kracke, Joan Meidinger, Nestor Sandy, Wayne Schumacher & Pam Wentz.

Proverbs 31 Woman of Virtue



- ~ Virtue Proverbs 31:10
- ~ Faithfulness Proverbs 31:11
- ~ Reverence Proverbs 31:12
- ~ Goodness Proverbs 31:12
- ~ Willing Worker Proverbs 31:13
- ~ Good Manager Proverbs 31:14,15
- ~ Industrious Proverbs 31:16
- ~ Strength Proverbs 31:17
- ~ Endurance Proverbs 31:18
- ~ Well Rounded Proverbs 31:19
- ~ Charitable Proverbs 31:20
- ~ Provider Proverbs 31:21
- ~ Well Dressed Proverbs 31:22
- ~ Wife of a Good Husband Proverbs 31:23
- ~ Good Business Woman Proverbs 31:24
- ~ Honorable Proverbs 31:25
- ~ Wise Proverbs 31:26a
- ~ Kind Proverbs 31:26b
- ~ Good Mother Proverbs 31:27a
- ~ Busy Proverbs 31:27b
- ~ Praiseworthy Proverbs 31:28
- ~ Attains or Excels Proverbs 31:29
- ~ Fear of the Lord Proverbs 31:30
- ~ Fruit bearing Proverbs 31:31