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Core Values

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

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Calvary

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known

Thank you for worshipping here today!

April 16, 2017



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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

Praise Team “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” ~Screen
“Easter Apology” ~Jason Medders
“Hallelujah to the Lamb” ~Screen
“10,000 Reasons” ~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

“Salome at the Tomb” ~ Jana Banico

Scripture Matthew 28:1-10

Message “It’s a New Day!” ~ Pastor Dave Motta
(Mercy Sermon Series, Week 1)

Offering “Thine be the Glory” ~ Hymn #308

Benediction

Outreach

AWANA BHUTAN

We’re grateful for the prayers and support from the congregation of Calvary United Methodist Church for Awana in Bhutan. There are nearly 200,000 children in Bhutan under the age of 15, the time of life when people are most open and receptive to the message of the gospel. Our hope and prayer is that together we can reach as many of these boys and girls as possible with the gospel.

Children Reached

The Leader Based Model was launched in Bhutan in 2010. Churches may choose to use either the TruthSeeker curriculum or the Building Healthy Families curriculum.

As of March 31, 2017:

Churches using TruthSeekers: 95 churches reaching 4,442 children

Churches using Building Healthy Families: 80 churches reaching 2,918 children (Note: Several BHF churches purchased TruthSeeker curriculum which is why the number of churches in this category is less than what is shown on the January 2017 report.)

There are a total of 175 active churches reaching 6,647 children.

Prayer Requests

Please join us in praying for the following items:

1. Training events for the remainder of the year.
2. The need for more committed volunteers to support training.
3. Good health and safe travel for our missionary families.
4. Pray for all the uncertain challenges Awana leaders face now and in the future.

Weekly Events

Sunday, April 16 ~ Resurrection Sunday!

- 6:30 AM SONrise Service ~ 102
- 7:30-10:30 AM Easter Breakfast Youth Fundraiser ~ Foyer
- 9:00 AM Worship ~ Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM Children's Ministry ~ 114
- 10:30 AM Worship ~ Sanctuary
- 12:30 PM First African Church Service ~ Upper Room (208)

Monday, April 17 ~ CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED~

- 6:45 PM Bible Study Fellowship for Men ~ Various Rooms

Tuesday, April 18

- NOON Prayer ~ Sanctuary
- 1:00 PM Staff Meeting ~ 101
- 7:00 PM Church Council ~ 101

Wednesday, April 19

- 10:00 AM First African UMC Prayer ~ 105
- 6:30 PM Believing Jesus Women's Study ~ 102
- 6:30 PM Children's Ministry ~ Various Rooms
- 6:30 PM Youth ~ Upper Room (208)
- 7:30 PM Choir ~ 106

Thursday, April 20

- 8:30 AM Website Meeting ~ 101

Friday, April 21

- 6:00 AM Men's Advance ~ Foyer
- 9:00 AM 1 Peter - Women's Study ~ 101, 102, 115, Foyer
- 4:30 PM First African Church Children's Meal ~ Foyer, Kitchen
- 5:30 PM First African Church Children's Program ~ Upper Room
- 6:00 PM Staying Connected Potluck ~ Foyer

Saturday, April 22

- 6:00 AM Bible Study Fellowship Leaders Meeting ~ 114, 115
- 8:00 AM Prayer ~ 105
- 10:00 AM First African Church Music ~ Upper Room (208)

Sunday, April 23

- 9:00 AM Worship ~ Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM Children's Ministry ~ 114
- 9:00 AM Youth Ministry ~ Upper Room (208)
- 9:00 AM Adult Studies ~
- 10:30 AM Worship ~ Sanctuary
- 12:30 PM First African Church Service ~ Upper Room (208)
- 6:30 PM First Peter Study ~ 101

Sermon Notes

IT'S A NEW DAY OF MERCY

MATTHEW 28:1-10

Mercy: underserved forgiveness; unearned kindness

Two examples of God's Mercy.

Example Number 1: A humiliated woman. John 8:2-11

* Ashamed : I need God's Mercy when I've
messed up.

* God's Mercy forgives me and frees me.
Isaiah 61:1, John 12:47, Psalm 86:5,
Hebrews 4:15,16

Example Number 2: A dying man. Luke 23:39-43

* Afraid : I needed God's Mercy when facing death.
* God's Mercy will saver me for eternity .
John 11:25, Acts 2:21, Isaiah 30:18

A Prayer to receive God's Mercy

Announcements

TODAY AND LOOKING AHEAD

Ushers for April 23, 2017 are ~ 9:00: Kebaugh Family, Kpeenu Family
10:30: Steve & Diane Johnson, Roger & Diana Hoyt

Our Nursery Care givers will be spending Easter Sunday with their families; therefore, there will be
NO nursery care today, Easter Sunday.

TODAY: Easter Breakfast ~ 7:30-10:30 AM

The Calvary Men & Youth will be serving a Breakfast of pancakes, sausage, juice, gooey caramel rolls, fruit and coffee. A free will offering will be received. The offering will go towards the Youth Mission Trip and Camps this summer. **Join us!**

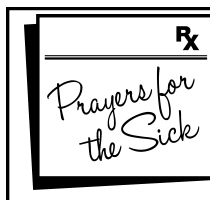
Obedience & Disobedience Study begins April 23rd,
9:00 AM, Room 115, Books are \$5.00 each
Sign up at Information Center, John Blair ~ Leader.

First African Prayer & Fasting

April 26, 27, 28 ~ 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM
Everyone welcome to pray and fast.
Come anytime between 6:00 AM & 6:00 PM
Use North Doors

First African United Methodist Church 6th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, April 30, 2:00 PM, Sanctuary
Everyone invited to join the celebration!



Health Concerns: Wayne Schumacher, Morgan Fraase, Barbara Olson, Ruth Tollefson, Roger Kalinowski, Joan Meidinger, Al Tollefson, and Benadene Snyder. Please pray for healing.

Announcements

LOOKING AHEAD

The Church Office will be closed on Monday, April 17 for the Easter holiday. We will open at 8:30 AM Tuesday, April 18.

Visitation Team will not meet this month.
We will resume next month.

Mark your calendars for the Farewell Potluck for the Kerr family on Wednesday, May 3rd, at 5:30 PM.
Details to come.



National Day of Prayer is Thursday, May 4, 2017
Holiday Inn, Fargo, from 6:30-7:30 PM. Contact Kathy Spriggs at 701-239-4621 with questions.

No Choir Rehearsal April 19th.

Please note: our LAST choir rehearsal will be April 26th.

Staying Connected Potluck

Friday, April 21, 6:00 PM
We will do some sharing with a couple who went to Nicaragua.
Please sign up at the Information Center.
Call Sandy at 232-4349 or Jacque at 232-3681.

Softball Season is almost here!

If you are interested in playing on the co-ed Calvary Team - sign up at the Information Center.

First Quarter Giving Statements will be mailed in the middle of April. If you have moved or changed your phone number in the last six months please contact the church office at 701-232-5650 with the previous and new information. Thank you!