

CALVARY LUTHERAN

CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL AND WITH ALL
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AS YOURSELF.'"
MATTHEW
22:37-
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February 2021 Monthly Newsletter

From the Pastors

2020-21 Ministry Year Focus: "Connected in Faith"

For 2020-2021, our ministry year theme is "Connected in Faith." November through March, we'll explore a different aspect of this theme each month.

1. **Connecting with God - Draw near with a true heart.**
2. **Connecting with our Church Family - Hold fast the confession of our hope.**
3. **Connecting with our Community - Stir up one another to love & good works.**

This month, we'll discuss: **Connecting with our Church Family**

Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful (Hebrews 10:23).

What are you most looking forward to when you finally get your vaccine? I have so many answers! I'm looking forward to worshipping without a mask. I look forward to starting back up with our choir, the Calvary Chorale. I'm especially looking forward to restarting Calvary's Board Game Night!

Note that each one of these things can be done alone, even board games! But each one is better in a group which is united in purpose. Note that I didn't only say each one is better in a group! For any group to work well together, they need to be *united, on the same team, walking in the same direction.*

In our world today, divided as it is, how do we go about being "united?" Our Bible verse gives us a clue. *"Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful (Hebrews 10:23)."*

If we want to connect with one another, we need to connect with God and unite together in holding fast to what we believe! Not because we are so great, or even because our church is so great, but because He—Jesus—is so great, because He is faithful.

I so look forward to the opportunity to welcome our entire Calvary family into our doors at once, to worship together in the sanctuary soon. If the pandemic has taught us anything, it's an appreciation for what we had! But if we want to unite together when we do come back together, we can begin that process *today.*

Hold fast to your confession of hope. Read your scriptures. Trust in Him. If we can do that, then we will come out of the pandemic stronger than when we began it.

— *Pastor Josh Reifsteck*

Staff Spotlight / Volunteer Focus

Kyle Allen



What is your role at Calvary?

Assistant Executive Director

What motivates you to give of your time and talent in this way?

Enjoy working with the pastors and congregational leadership to grow His flock

What is your favorite thing about serving at Calvary?

Getting to know our pastors better and enjoying how well-suited they are for their calls here at Calvary

Favorite Book/Verse of the Bible?

Romans 8:38

Favorite Dessert?

Fresh strawberries and homemade shortcake

What is the one thing that the people of Calvary can keep in their prayers for your area of ministry?

That our ministry at Calvary remains focused on bringing people into a deep(er) relationship with Jesus Christ, our Savior.

Kirsten Springer



What is your role at Calvary?

I'm blessed to be the second grade teacher!

What is your favorite thing about serving at Calvary?

I love that I can teach children about Jesus, and watch them grow academically and spiritually.

Who has been the biggest influence on your faith? Why?

My mother, because she really expressed how she felt the presence of Jesus in her life.

Favorite Book/Verse of the Bible?

I love to read from the book of Psalms.

Favorite Dessert?

Anything without nuts!

What is the one thing that the people of Calvary can keep in their prayers for your area of ministry?

Please pray that the children would feel the love of Christ in their lives and that they would be a witness for Christ.

General

“Places of the Passion” Midweek Lent Series

The upper room, the garden of Gethsemane, the halls of Pontius Pilate, and the hills of Golgotha. The scenes are familiar, but when Jesus enters a place, He never leaves it as He found it. The most troubling places of our lives become the most amazing places of God's grace when Jesus visits them.

This year in our Lenten worship we will revisit the Places of the Passion. Our focus will not be on the physical locations of our Lord's passion, but on the spiritual wonders of His work: the places where He demonstrates His strength in the midst of our weakness. Join us onsite or online.

Wed, Feb 17 (3:45 & 7:00 p.m.) - Ash Wednesday

“A Place at the Table for You” (Luke 22:1-13)

Wed, Feb 24 (7:00 p.m.) - “The Upper Room: A Place of Service”
(Luke 22:14-38)

Wed, Mar 3 (7:00 p.m.) - “Gethsemane: A Place of Strength”
(Luke 22:39-46)

Wed, Mar 10 (7:00 p.m.) - “The Betrayal: A Place of Eternal Love”
(Luke 22:47-53)

Wed, Mar 17 (7:00 p.m.) - “The Courtyard: A Place of Renewal”
(Luke 22:54-62)

Wed, Mar 24 (7:00 p.m.) - “The Trial: A Place of God's Will”
(Luke 22:63-23:25)

Zoom Bible Study, Mondays 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Faith Talks: Discussing the way our culture interacts with our faith. Starts Feb 1: We will examine a Christian song and how it relates to scripture as well as our relationship with others. To join, contact Rhonda Hansen hansenmrma@gmail.com.

Online Puppet Ministry Sing-Along Update

Our puppets will be back each Tuesday on Facebook and YouTube starting Feb 2. Thanks for watching! Visit clcs.org/videos for the needed links.

Sunday Morning Contemporary Worship

We are excited to offer live contemporary worship as a part our 10:45 a.m. worship rotation. Our February contemporary services will be on **February 14 & 28**. This new service will combine the best aspects of our Calvary Connect and Celebrations services. Join us onsite or online as we sing a new song of praise to the Lord.

General (cont'd)

Save the Date for Vacation Bible School

Mon., June 21st through Fri., June 25th
9:00-11:30 a.m.



Electrifying Bible adventures, catchy songs, fun games, and memorable crafts are all part of the VBS experience! While many questions will need to be answered in the coming months for the specific format and plans of VBS, we want to invite you to save these dates on your calendar.

Look for more information in the coming months.

Attention Thrivent Members—"2020 Choice Dollars"

If you have not directed your 2020 Thrivent Choice Dollars, please consider directing them to "Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church" or "Calvary Lutheran School." Visit thrivent.com/thriventchoice or call 800-847-4836 to find out if you have Choice Dollars to direct. The deadline for 2020 Choice dollars is Mar 31.

Collecting for St. Thomas Clinic—Meds and Medical Supplies

During February Calvary will be collecting meds and medical supplies for Franklin's St. Thomas Free Clinic. If you have changed prescriptions and still own medications you can no longer use, St. Thomas clinic will distribute them to needy individuals. Please note:

1. Prescription medications need to be less than 1 year old
2. Please leave medication name and "use by" date on containers
3. Narcotic painkillers cannot be accepted
4. Over-the-counter unopened, valid date items are accepted:
 antacids, ointments, vitamins, nutritional supplements, incontinence supplies
5. Used orthopedic braces and splints are also accepted.

For safety reasons, please drop these items off at Calvary's church office, not the donation bins. Thank you for helping others to be healthy.

Questions? Contact Nancy Brandt, 317-787-5950, for more info.



Memorials

February Memorials

In Memory of Suann Handschy:

*Margie Leive, Harmon Family, Verna Schultz, Pauline Miller,
Cindy & Josh Vandivier, Eric & Julie Miller*

In Memory of Mike Arnold:

*Bill & Beverly Riffle, Bill Wittlief, Joe & Georgia Pietro, Karen Meyer, Doris Dressler,
Doug & Melissa Bade, Skip & Colleen Glander, Ann Arnold & Family,
John & Ruth Remetta, Grace Wolf, Elise Wolf, Tom & Dawn Schultz,
Barbara Stiegemeier, Greg & Judy Kiel, Stephen & Laura Currier, Larry & Sara Jupin,
Gerald Kiesling, Susan Drattlo, Janet Grube, Jim & Carol Keenan, Mel Wessler,
Ernie & Paula Huber, Gary & Linda Bugher, Pete & Marge Krampe,
Tim & Karen Findley, Jake & Kyle Allen, Jim & Phyllis Birdwell, Margie Leive,
Jim & Kristen Schwark, Kurt & Karen Kuehr, Paula Fisk, Charles & Betty Bardonner,
Paul & Kathy Brakke, Ken & Marcia Kehlbeck, Rhonda & Marvin Hansen,
Larry & Mary Jane Trueblood, Phil & Jill Borst, Celeste Allen, Wayne Van Fassen,
Jim & Janet Dunaway*

In Memory of Bill Grube:

*Charles & Betty Bardonner, Carol Wendt, David & Christopher Gick, Alberta Krampe,
Robert & Beverly Salyers, Margaret Kauer, James & Janet Lowes, Karen Burwell,
John & Donna Allman, Ann Arnold, Don & Susan Daniels, Jim & Phyllis Birdwell,
Pete & Marge Krampe, Gary & Linda Bugher, Philip & Suzanne Campbell*

In Memory of Wayne Riley:

John & Donna Happersberger

In Memory of Edward Karl Steinbeck:

Bill & Chrissi Laut

In Memory of Ruth Fuhrmann:

Pete & Marge Krampe

In Memory of Jay & Mary Lou Romack:

Bob Romack

In Memory of Charles Finke:

Patricia Finke

In Memory of Mary & Art Kasting:

Jan Meiners



Women in Mission

Ladies' Bible Study, Saturday, February 6 8:30 a.m.

This month's study will be "More Than Conquerors" from page 22 of the Lutheran Women's Winter 2020 Quarterly and will be shared by everyone. Join us in the EPIC Library on **Saturday, February 6** at 8:30 a.m.

BLANKETS FOR BABIES

Blankets for Babies will **NOT** meet in February.

Our March date will be Thursday, March 4. (6:00-8:00 p.m.) We will meet in the mailbox area (north narthex). This will give us plenty of room to spread out. Please wear a mask. We can sew on our labels as well as work on our blankets. There is lots of yarn available. It will be wonderful to see each other. Questions? Call Susan Daniels 317-882-3691.

Extravagant Sharing

Thanks to everyone who shared canned and dry pasta and/or canned pork and beans throughout the month of January. In **February** please purchase and place on the Extravagant Sharing shelves in the **narthex canned or instant potatoes and/or ramen noodles**. Having warm, filling food will be appreciated by many hungry families. Thanks to all who share with the JOY of the Lord.



LWML Mite Box Donations

The Lutheran Women's Missionary League, LWML, continues to reach many in our world through their Mission Grants funded by your Mite Box donations. This is another way you can support the needs of others with your love of Jesus. Through a \$40,000 LWML Mission Grant a vehicle was purchased so the children of the Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming can attend Sunday School and "Monday" school to learn of Jesus.

Outreach Ministry

Calvary's Community Garden to Open

Calvary Lutheran Church and School opens up its Community Garden to all the members of the congregation and residents of the south side. 12 Raised-bed plots are currently available and measure 4x10 feet. Garden plots cost \$20.00 each. Applications will be available March 1 in the church office at 6111 Shelby Street, Indianapolis. Water is available on site for the raised-bed plots. Sites are accessed from the south parking lot of the church. Gardening for recreational fun is available with all garden produce designated for Hunger, Inc., who received hundreds of pounds of produce from Calvary's Community Garden in 2020. The Garden Committee stands ready to teach you how to begin if you think that would help you get started. Questions? Contact the church office, 317-783-2000 or a member of the Garden Committee. (Jake Allen, Mark Jung, Wayne Mayo, Joe Pluckebaum, Jim Richert, Art Wehrmeister)

Calvary Lutheran School News from Principal Rensner

What was the BEST Christmas gift that you ever GAVE?

We usually are asked what was the best Christmas gift received. What gift could you not wait for someone else to receive and open? You may have even had a difficult time keeping it a secret until the appropriate time. What made that the BEST Christmas gift given?

The answer to the last question is that you were invested. You had invested yourself for the person receiving that gift. You were focused on the needs and wants of the receiver. You invested your time, talents, and treasures. What did the giving of this gift mean to the recipient?

One Christmas 20 years ago, I spent hours in the garage and basement making a wooden quilt rack for my mother and father. After the careful selection of the wood, cutting, routing, sanding, staining, steel wool finishing, and assembly I was pleased with the final product. It was somewhat difficult to wrap, yet even that was done carefully. I couldn't wait for them to open this gift. I still remember their expression and response as it was opened. Since their passing we have that quilt rack in our home now.

In 1st Corinthians 15, Paul writes that he has passed on the Gospel message that he received as of first importance. Christ died for our sins, He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day. Salvation found in Christ is the best gift that we have ever received through God's investment of love in and to us. We are so blessed to have opened this gift through faith. It is now our gift to share with others.

Consider the parable of the Lost Coin or Lost Sheep. When the lost item is found much rejoicing occurs. As God's gift is shared there is much rejoicing in Heaven. Through the power of the Holy Spirit the lost are now found. God prepared His special gift for the redemption of the world. How do we receive this precious gift? How do we respond to the Giver of this gift? We walk fully committed in the Lord. We first respond with praise and thanksgiving. We then offer our time, talent, and treasures as acts of worship. We are blessed to have this opportunity each day as students and staff open and study God's Word. Our prayer is that we seek the Lord as of first importance and never forsake His precious gift.

Early Registration / Open Enrollment for 2021-22

New Applications and Re-enrollment are being accepted beginning on February 1 for the 2021-22 school year for all Preschool sessions as well as Kindergarten – 8th Grades. As Calvary's school has continued to grow, space available in the classrooms has become limited. Be sure to re-enroll your children early to ensure they maintain their placement! Early Registration enables Calvary to plan and prepare staffing and facility needs for the upcoming school year. Early Registration goes through March 15th. Enrollment on March 16 or later for returning students will be assessed a late fee of \$100 per student.

If you know someone looking for a school home for their family, you can refer them to Jennifer Skojac, Calvary's Director of Admissions. She can be reached at 317-783-2305, admissions@thecalvaryschool.org, or online at www.choosecalvary.com. We are excited to plan for another year of Christian Education for our students!

2021-22 First through Eighth Grade Registration Procedures

Returning families may register on line through FACTS SIS/ RenWeb. Our intent is to streamline this process as we utilized Premier Billing which is part of the FACTS suite. Registration applications will be accepted beginning on February 1. We praise and thank God for the opportunity to share His love with the students of Calvary Lutheran School. Our prayer is that the doors to Calvary include your school-aged children.



Calvary Lutheran School News from Principal Rensner

President's Day observed

School will not be in session on Friday-Monday, February 12th-15th in observance of President's Day. God indeed grants to people the needed abilities to complete the tasks and service that they have been elected to do and accomplish. We thank God for the gifts that He has and continues to give to this country in our presidents.

Scholarship Grant Fund

We thank and praise God for the gift of love shared by over 26 individuals/ families who contributed \$73,250.00 in 2020 towards our SGO goal of \$73,100.00. 44 students received scholarship grants and will now be eligible for a Indiana CHOICE voucher for the 2021-22 school year. These gifts also eliminated over \$40,000.00 in waived tuition which is annually budgeted for families unable to fully finance school costs. All donations to this fund receive an Indiana state 50% tax credit. Thank you.

Shared Ministry

We thank our Facilities Ministry team for the daily cleaning and other preparation enabling the school doors to be opened each day. From lawn maintenance to snow removal to classrooms vacuumed and rest rooms cleaned, we are blessed to be able open each day with the lights shining and heat radiating. Thank you for this shared ministry.

NEWS FROM LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL OF INDIANAPOLIS

Chili and Cinnamon Roll Virtual Cook-Off

Everyone knows winter is a good time to cozy up with some good chili and/or a delicious cinnamon roll! Join LHS for a **VIRTUAL Chili and Cinnamon Roll Cook-Off Challenge!**

Virtual?? Yes! Record yourself making your best chili or cinnamon roll recipe. Register for the Cook-Off and upload your video or pictures and recipe at LHSI.org between Friday, February 19 and Sunday, February 21. We can't wait to see your recipes!!

Winners will be determined by the number of Likes, Shares, and Comments posted on a particular video/picture entry on the @LutheranSaints Facebook page **plus three times** the dollars donated at LHSI.org to the particular chili or cinnamon roll between Monday, February 22, 12:00 am and Sunday, February 28, 11:59 pm. Visit LHSI.org to donate and make **your vote count X 3!** View all information at LHSI.org.

All proceeds will be used to upgrade the LHS streaming capabilities.

LuFest – April 16, 2021

Please join us at **LuFest 2021**, LHS' annual dinner-auction at The Nest Event Center on Friday, April 16, 2021. Reserve your table or individual place today. Tables (up to 10 people) are \$1,000; individual tickets are just \$100; there are also tickets for a virtual place at the LuFest live auction for \$25. We are looking for donations of new, high-quality items, services, or experiences to include in the live and silent auctions. Drop them off before April 2 at the LHS office weekdays 7:30 am – 4:00 pm. Please contact Julie, 317-224-1108 or jpflug@lhsi.org, with any questions. Tickets and info at LuFest.org.

LHS Applications and Enrollment is now open! All students in 8th - 11th grades who are interested in enrolling at LHS can contact Deidre Barnett, Admissions Director at admissions@lhsi.org, 317-787-5474 or visit www.lhsi.org.



Sunday School Ministry

God Speaks to His People - Sunday School With different activities and songs each week, we know your kids, grandkids, friends, etc. will enjoy hearing God speak to them, too, and have fun while growing in their faith! Lessons are adapted to best suit preschool through 6th grade, but age 2 and under are welcome with an adult who stays, and older students are invited, too.

5th/6th Grade Only! We are excited to begin a Sunday School program designed just for our 5th and 6th graders! We will meet once a month Sunday mornings for fun activities, socialization, and a discussion-based Bible study, "Your Unshakable Identity in Christ." The first three sessions are February 7, March 7, and April 11. Date(s) in May are TBD.

Volunteers We are still in need of volunteers of all capacities for our Sunday School programs: in person or virtual, high school or retired, every week or once a month, we'll work with you to fit your schedule! Give it a try and see how the children in our congregation can touch your heart just as much as you touch theirs when we share God's Word together!

Sunday School Attendance Awards Fall 2020

Faithful

Damon Honebrink
Matthew Naing

Leyla Honebrink
Cindy Shen

Tyson Honebrink



Youth Ministry

FLIGHT (High School Youth Group)

FLIGHT is changing things up! We have now begun meeting on **Sunday afternoons from 2:00-3:30 p.m.** Additionally, we have split our time to connect with more kids. "Talk Time," a time for faith based discussion, takes place from 2:00-2:30 p.m. and is followed by open gym from 2:30-3:30 p.m. Your child is welcome to attend one or the other or both.



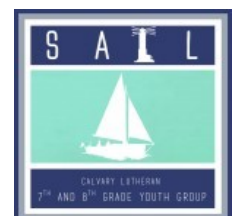
LAUNCH (5th & 6th)

LAUNCH will meet again on **Wednesday, February 10th from 5:30-7:00 pm.** This event will include snack and a Bible study. Youth are encouraged to bring a mask and water bottle.



SAIL (7th & 8th)

SAIL will meet again on **Wednesday, February 24th from 5:30-7:00 pm.** This event will include snack and a Bible study. Youth are encouraged to bring a mask and water bottle.



Adult Ministry

No Lunch, Still Learn

Wednesday, February 17, 2021. 11:00 am

Games and Puzzles: You WIN!

Help Your Brain Stay Sharp, Playful and Productive

Our February presenter, Michael Brown, Manager of *The Game Preserve* in Greenwood, enjoys teaching and sharing info about the popular new games and puzzles. Play can help alleviate boredom and depression; studies also show playing board games, card games and puzzles can increase brain function, stimulating brain areas that are responsible for memory and complex thinking. Come join us for an hour of learning and connecting, by video or by phone.

To join with video:

<https://meet.google.com/enb-mbyz-swo>
and then click on the green "Ask to Join" box.

To join by phone only:

dial 302-505-1227 and enter this PIN: 683 443 795#

For more information on connecting, contact Emily Spelde,
espelde@clcs.org, 317-695-9366

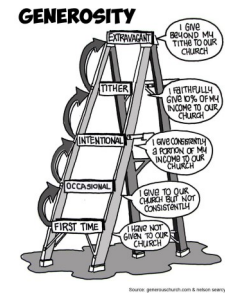


Stewardship Emphasis

Stewardship Update *By Rachel Daeger, Stewardship Ministry Team Acting Dir.*

Returning your 2021 commitment card

If you were unable to attend services on Jan 16 or 17 and wish to return your generosity commitment card, please put it in an envelope and leave at the church office or place in the offering plate. Cards are not read or reviewed, they are placed before the altar as a commitment between you and the Lord.



Calvary's Good Samaritan Fund

If you are moved to help fellow Calvary members or families in our community, Calvary has a Good Samaritan fund that accepts donations. Requests for help are evaluated by the pastors. Make contributions by noting Good Samaritan Fund when writing a check or making an online contribution.

Thank you for supporting the Scholarship Fund during Advent

Over \$1,300 was collected during Advent offerings. These funds supported Calvary's student assistance fund. This fund is available to Calvary members who are studying for full-time ministry in the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. Students interested in applying for support should send a letter to stewardship@clcs.org listing their area of study, degree to be obtained, and break-down of their education costs and how those costs are being met. The fund is currently supporting Calvary's Youth & Family Director Sam Troemel who is attending Concordia Seminary's Specific Ministry Pastor (SMP) Program. We congratulate on his recent ordination at Calvary which marks the half way point of his studies. Calvary is also supporting Aaron Levenhagen. Aaron's updates from St. Louis Seminary are posted to Calvary's website. You can find those online at <https://www.clcs.org/resources/news/>.

Schumacher Mission Sends Cloth Face Masks as Thank You

Rev. Dr. Steven and Cynthia Schumacher serve the Lord through The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod as missionaries in Ghana, West Africa. Steven teaches courses in Lutheran theology and serves as the dean of academics and student activities at the seminary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Ghana (ELCG) in Accra, Ghana. He also assists the ELCG with their deaf ministry efforts. Cynthia assists the ELCG as an English as a Second Language teacher at their seminary. Their home congregation is Zion Lutheran Church, Fort Wayne, Ind. Calvary has supported the Schumacher's for several years.

As a thank you for Calvary's support and prayers, the Schumacher's sent cloth masks made from fabric woven in Ghana. Feel free to pick one up when worshipping in person at Calvary.

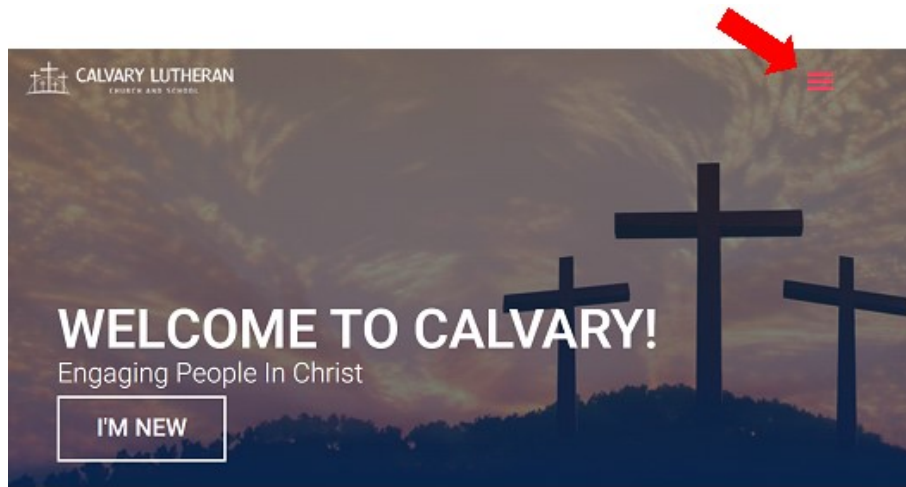
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Calvary's Website

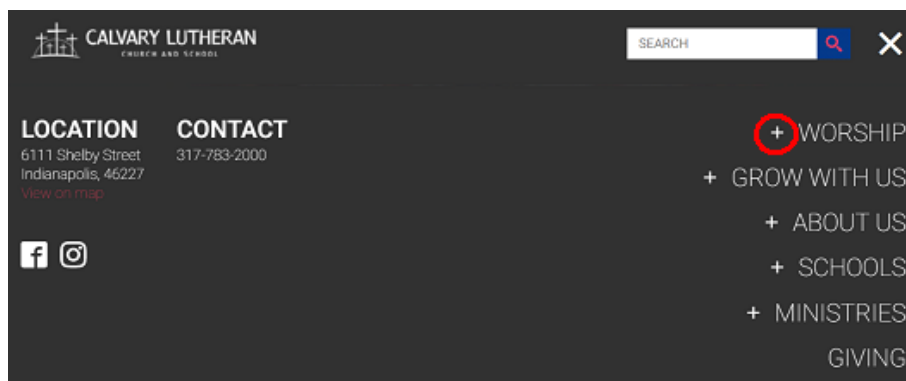
Calvary's website is full of useful information about our mission, ministries and events. You can access it at www.clcs.org on your computers, laptops, and mobile devices (tablets and phones).

The first screen you see is the front door into Calvary's website, also known as the **homepage**. You can scroll down the homepage to see a Welcome Statement, @Calvary links to popular pages, Featured News, Latest Sermons, Upcoming Events, Blogs from the Pastors, Publications, and the Latest News.

In the upper right-hand corner of the homepage (and every page) is a menu icon, also referred to as the 'sandwich'. Clicking on the menu icon will display a drop-down menu.

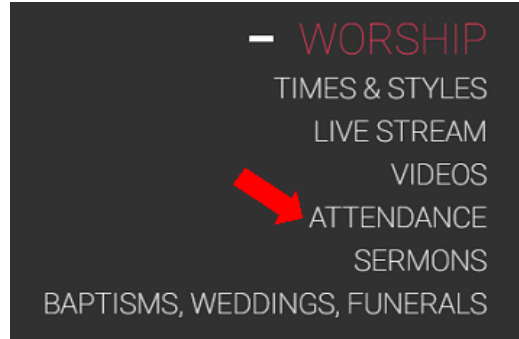


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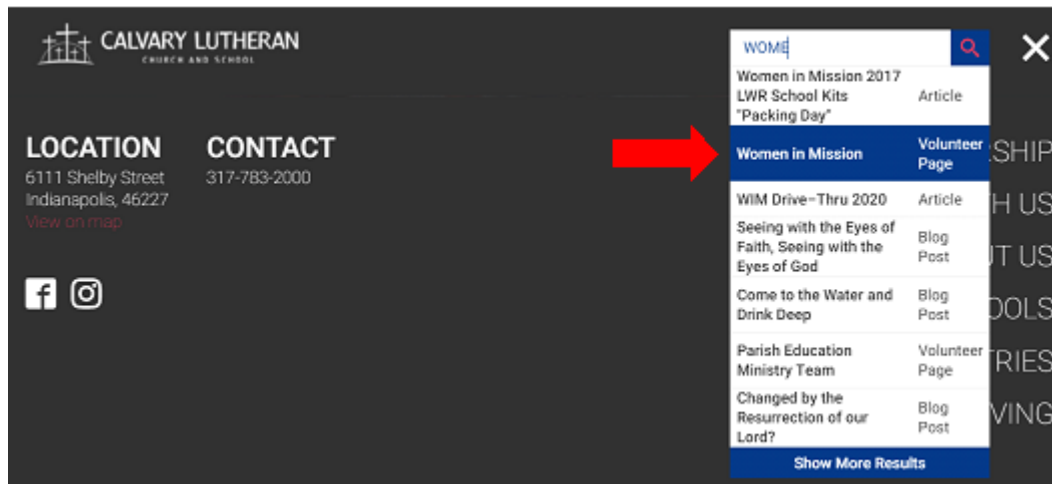


For example, after clicking the plus sign in front of the Worship heading, a list of topics related to worship is displayed. You can then click on a sub-topic to be taken to another page with details about that topic. In this example, clicking on the word ATTENDANCE will take you to the webpage for recording your attendance at a worship service (either in person or online).

Communications (cont'd)



If you're not sure where to find something, use the **SEARCH** bar by typing in what you're looking for. In this example, I'm looking for the WOMEN IN MISSION page. As soon as I start typing, options begin displaying beneath the search bar. I then click on the item I'm interested in to be taken to that page.



Clicking on our church name icon from any page will return you to the homepage.



We pray our website is a useful tool for sharing information that helps keep us connected. Please take some time to explore our website. It is constantly being updated. You never know what you might find!

If you have any questions, comments or issues related to the Calvary website, you can email the web master at webmaster@clcs.org

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February 2021

February 7, 2021 – Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Psalm 147:1-11; 1 Corinthians 9:16-27; Mark 1:29-39

“Preaching and Healing” - Sermon Text: **Mark 1:29-39** - Rev. Paul Shoemaker

Jesus came preaching the Good News of our salvation to establish His authority and the truth of His proclamation. He fulfilled Old Testament prophecy by healing and casting out demons.

February 14, 2021 – The Transfiguration of Our Lord

Psalm 50:1-6; 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:6; Mark 9:2-9

“Lift the Veil!” - Sermon Text: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:6 - Rev. William Mueller

When you look at the central figure on the Mountain of Transfiguration, whom do you see? The Word of God by the Apostle Paul reminds us of the constant need to repent and remove the “veils” that prevent us from seeing and believing who this person is...the Son of God, Jesus Christ, our Savior!

February 21, 2021 – First Sunday in Lent

Psalm 25:1-10; Genesis 22:1-18; **Mark 1:9-15**

“The Lord Will Provide” - Sermon Text: Genesis 22:14 - Rev. Dr. Thomas Ahlersmeyer

Whatever challenge you face today – in body or soul – know that *The Lord Will Provide!* He provides for and sustains your life. He provides the Way to everlasting life in Jesus Christ. And He provides the faith to receive and respond to His many gifts to us. The Lord “knows my needs and well provides me.”

February 28, 2021 – Second Sunday in Lent

Psalm 22:23-31; Romans 5:6-11; Mark 8:34-38

“True Discipleship” - Sermon Text: Mark 8:34-38 - Rev. Dr. Walter Maier III

We want to be disciples of Jesus. He tells us what true discipleship means. We are to deny ourselves, take up our cross, and follow him. Is there any good news here? Yes, absolutely!

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Return Service Requested

CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

Worship: Saturdays 6:30 PM Sundays 8:00 & 10:45 AM
Family Education Hour (Bible Study & Sunday School) 9:25 AM

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