



ANNOUNCEMENTS February 10, 2019

WE WELCOME YOU as honored guests or treasured members.



Before the service, speak to the Lord in prayer.

During the service, listen as the Lord speaks to you through His Holy Word. After the service, speak to one another.

(If standing or kneeling during any portion of the worship service is a problem, you may sit or remain seated.)

VISITORS & MEMBERS, please be sure to sign the **Attendance Register** in the pew so that your visit can be noted.

ORDER OF WORSHIP is a printed Divine Service. Refer to the *Worship Insert* for readings, hymns and to guide you through the service. A triangle Δ preceding a hymn stanza indicates that we stand for the verse(s).

CHANCEL PARAMENTS are green for the season of Epiphany.

PARENTS, FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE... A CRY ROOM is located at the back of the nave. Please do not leave children unattended. All the restrooms are equipped with changing tables.

SUNDAY MORNING CLASSES... meet at 9:30 a.m.

- **ADULT CLASS**...meets in Classroom A. All ages are welcome and encouraged to attend.
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL**... is meeting in the choir loft for opening each Sunday.

PLEASE LIFT UP IN PRAYER

Nathaniel Ahlemeyer

Jennifer Beatty

Harold Cox

Don Day

Elizabeth DuVall

Dusty Eckman

Mid Grolich

Trudie Hovarter

Larry Howdeshell

Angel Labra

Bjorn Luna

Eric Piazza

Ron Rasmus

Sue Shorter

Marlis Snyder

Carolyn Tanner

Jean Taylor

Joan Walter

Nancy Wentzel

Polly Wolf

Pilgrim Manor: **Jim Allen, Bill Satorius,**

Military: **Haley Hampton**

Miller's Merry Manor: **Vaneada Brettin**

PASTOR INFORMATION...Due to the cold and flu season, the Board of Elders has decided that Pastor will be greeting after the services, but not shaking hands in January, February, and March. **Our greeters** will also not be shaking hands. They will only be greeting our worshippers.

GOD'S BLESSINGS...and congratulations to **Jesse & Haley Luna** on the birth of their son, **Bjorn Namun Luna** born on January 24, 2019. Grandmother is **Julie Hampton** and Great Grandparents are **Donnie & Marlis Snyder**. May God keep **Bjorn** in His loving care until he can be brought to the living waters of Holy Baptism.

CHURCH MAILBOXES

Just a reminder to check your church mailbox. The 2018 year-end giving statements have been placed in your mailbox.

HEARTFELT THANK YOU'S

~Thank you to Pastor, Seminary Assistant James, and the congregation for your visits, prayers, phone calls, and get-well cards. Each meant so much to me. I am at home now and working on getting stronger. Blessings to each of you.

Nancy Wentzel



~To the Congregation of Calvary Lutheran Church:

Thank you for partnering with Gideons International to place God's Word around this world. Your generous offering of \$358 will allow the placement of 71 Bibles or 298 Testaments. Every penny of this offering (100%) will go for its intended use – the printing and shipping of God's Word. This is possible because all administrative costs are covered by the dues of Gideon members and placements will be carried out by 170,000 Gideon volunteers in 201 countries. Once again, thank you and that seems completely inadequate. May God richly bless you as He continues to live and work in your hearts!

In His Service,

Russ Taylor, Gideon International

~Thank you to those members who designated their 2018 Thrivent Choice Dollars to Calvary Preschool. We received \$274 for 2018. Thank you for your generosity and prayers throughout the year.

~Thank you to those members who designated their 2018 Thrivent Choice Dollars to Calvary Lutheran Church. Calvary received \$724 in charitable outreach funding through members' Choice Dollars.

WINTER WEATHER CLOSINGS

It's that time of year when the weather can force us to stay home on Sundays. **Church cancellations will be aired on WNDU Channel 16 and WSBT Channel 22.** We will do our best to make the call early enough so you won't make the trip and find church has been cancelled. Please, use your best judgement about safe travel even when services are not cancelled.

CHURCH OFFICE

Sonia will be out of the office on Monday and Tuesday. Dawn Seifer will be in the office during Preschool hours on Monday. Adam Beery will be in the office during Preschool hours on Tuesday. Thank you to both for covering so I can spend time with my grandson.

NEWSLETTER ARTICLES

Those wishing to submit articles or information for the March-May newsletter, please email your articles to the church office by Friday, February 15.

WOMEN'S GUILD 'EAT-OUT' MEETING

Calvary's Women's Guild will meet for their annual 'eat out' meeting on Saturday, February 16, at 9:30 a.m., at Christos. All women are invited to join them. If you have any questions, please speak with Barb Cole, Shirley Gut, or Sarah Rippy or call the church office. Please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board so we can reserve enough seats.



WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, & CO.



The Widows, Widowers, & Co. will meet on Saturday, February 23, at 11:30 a.m. at the Sunrise House of Pancakes Restaurant in the plaza at Pioneer Drive and Miller Drive. (Out in the Hacienda plaza, across from the LifePlex.) Bring a friend or two and join the fellowship and great meal. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

PRESCHOOL FUNDRAISER

Calvary's Preschool always does a spring fundraiser. In past years they have raised funds for Riley Children's Hospital and the Trike-A-Thon for St. Jude Children's Hospital. This year they are '*Sharing the Love*' with one of their own, Preschool Aide, Jennifer Beatty. Jennifer was diagnosed with breast cancer at the end of last school year. She has finished her chemo and will be having radiation in the spring.



In the Narthex on a table is a bowl with '*Share the Love*' buttons. The buttons are for sale for a minimum donation of \$3. All proceeds from the buttons will go to Jennifer to help with her expenses. (If you write a check, please make it out to Calvary Lutheran Preschool.)

THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS

All 2018 Choice Dollars® have been made available for Thrivent members to direct and 2018 Choice Dollars expire on March 31, 2019. Members are encouraged to make sure you have directed your Choice Dollars now. Choice Dollars can be designated to the organization of your choice. If you have any questions, call the church office or speak with Barb Cole or Gene or Linda Matzat.

FEBRUARY'S GIVING TREE

Throughout the month of February, donations from the Giving Tree will go to help the Love Thy Neighbor Fund.

Place your donation in an envelope and put it in the offering plate. Your continued support allows us to minister and help others. Thank you for your support. - - Board of Stewardship



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The Bible Challenge



Sunday School Kids, please work on listening to the Apostle's Creed and the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd articles.

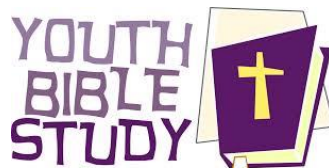
The Sunday School children will be singing on February 24th, at the beginning of the 2nd service.



DONATIONS NEEDED We are in need of donations of bags of M&M's and Skittles (fun pack size, please). You may place them on the counter in the Production Room.

YOUTH BIBLE STUDY

Pastor Ahlemeyer will lead a Youth Bible Study during the Sunday School hour, 9:30 a.m., on Sunday, February 17. It will be held up in the youth room.



YOUTH GYM DAY

On **Sunday, February 17, 1:00-2:15 p.m.**, the Youth will have a gym day. This is for the Youth Group and the Confirmation Class. Confirmation Class youth are encouraged to bring a change of clothes for the fun. You are invited to bring friends.

CONFIRMATION CLASS

Sunday, February 17

Lunch provided by: Shepherd / Whittaker

Sunday, February 24

Lunch provided by: Stuckmeyer

Sunday, March 3

Lunch provided by: Kershner

Sunday, March 10

Lunch provided by: Beery

YOUTH WINTER FUN DAY

TODAY, the Youth and others are going skiing at Swiss Valley. We will eat, get changed, and plan to leave the church at 12:15-12:30 p.m.

Our ski time will be 2:00 – 7:00 p.m. Cost is \$25 per person for a lift ticket, ski rental and a “never ever before” lesson. You may want to have extra money for snacks/dinner.

Any minor must have a permission slip signed by their parent or guardian before leaving the church.

Our plan is to return to the church by 8:30-9:00 p.m.





CONCORDIA THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
FORT WAYNE, INDIANA

Choral Vespers
with the Schola Cantorum

Sunday, February 17
4:00 p.m.

All are welcome to come worship in person,
or to watch the livestream of the service
online at www.ctsfw.edu/daily-chapel or
www.facebook.com/CTSFW.

The service will take place in
Kramer Chapel on the campus of
Concordia Theological Seminary
6600 N. Clinton St.
Fort Wayne, IN 46825

More Information
(260) 452-2224
www.ctsfw.edu



LOOKING AHEAD

- Feb. 17 Confirmation Class Noon-1:00 p.m.
Youth Gym Day 1:00-2:15 p.m.
- Feb. 18 NO Preschool
- Feb. 19 Braille 9:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m.
Deaconess Meeting 5:45-9:00 p.m.
Adult Confirmation Class 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- Feb. 20 Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.
- Feb. 24 Confirmation Class noon-1:15 p.m.
- Feb. 26 Braille 9:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m.
Adult Confirmation Class 6:00-8:00 p.m.
- Feb. 27 Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT DATES



THOSE WHO SERVE TODAY (2/10)

- ACOLYTE: Thea Shepherd (8:15)
Elsaya Bohm (10:45)
- ALTAR GUILD: Cindy Merton
- ELDER: Ray Uhlig (8:15)
Mel Sims (10:45)
- GREETERS: Cindy Pucciarelli (8:15)
Paul & Steve Skibbe (10:45)
- ORGANIST: Bev Brummett
- TELLER: Diane Kreighbaum & Brenda Meyers
- USHER: Adam Beery, Ralph Wille (8:15)
Sean Hatfield, Mike Hennessy (10:45)

THOSE WHO SERVE NEXT WEEK (2/17)

- ACOLYTE: Ben Beery (8:15)
William Kershner (10:45)
- ALTAR GUILD: Cindy Merton
- ELDER: John Ott (8:15)
Brian Piazza (10:45)
- GREETERS: Damaris Story (8:15)
Diane Kreighbaum (10:45)
- ORGANIST: Linda Matzat
- TELLER: Diane Kreighbaum & Brenda Meyers
- USHER: Paul Skibbe, Steve Skibbe (8:15)
Cody Meyer, Dan Tanner (10:45)

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE (February 10 – February 17)

- TODAY** **Divine Service, 8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.**
Installation of newly elected Board Members (both services)
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
NO Confirmation Class
Youth Winter Fun Day (after 2nd service)
- TUESDAY** Braille 9:00 a.m. / 1:00 p.m.
Adult Confirmation Class 6:00-8:00 p.m.
Board of Preschool 4:30 p.m. Board of Trustees 6:30 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY** Preschool Chapel & Valentine's Party
Choir 7:00 p.m.
- THURSDAY** Preschool Chapel & Valentine's Party
- SUNDAY** **Divine Service, 8:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.**
Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
Confirmation Class noon-1:15 p.m.