



Calvary Lutheran CROSSWAYS

July 2025



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Join Us for Worship
Sundays in person at 10am

or on Zoom:
Meeting ID: 840 5961 8157
Passcode: C@lvary876



Updates from the Council

A big thank you to the congregation for unanimously approving the use of our Long-Term Building Use Fund to paint the exterior of the church. The fund has \$26,000 and the painting will cost about \$11,000. If you would like to donate to help offset some of the cost, that would be great! Be sure to designate "Exterior Painting" on your offering.

The Council voted on paint colors and we've narrowed it down to three. The final decision will be made soon! (*Jenn's note: The final decision has been made, we went with the green!*)

We're looking forward to a special ecumenical worship here at Calvary on August 31st. Potluck will follow of course. More information to come.

The council officially approved the new logo that was presented in worship a couple weeks ago. I am looking forward to seeing it on our website and publications. Thank you to Jenn for her artistry and hard work!

We recently upgraded our Ziply phone service to an internet phone plan (VoIP). Because of that, we will now need to upgrade our fire alarm system.

Thank you to all of you for being a part of this wonderful church family. You are a blessing to me!

Kayse Durgan



DIETRICH BONHOEFFER

**BOOK STUDY AND
DOCUMENTARY SHOWING**

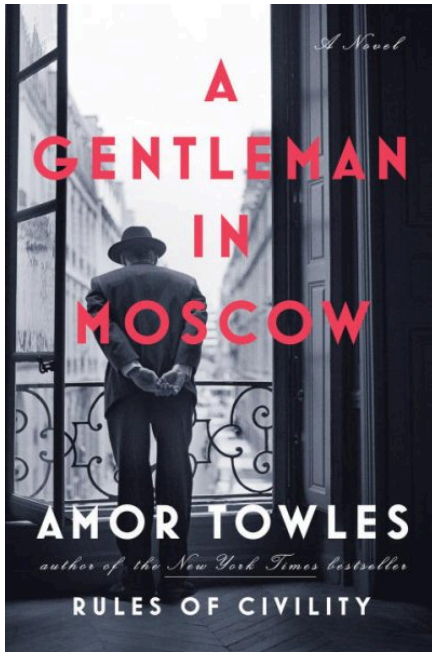
BOOK STUDY: LIFE TOGETHER

- **6 SESSIONS**
 - **JULY 25**
 - **AUGUST 15 & 29**
 - **SEPTEMBER 12 & 26**
 - **OCTOBER 10**
- 2 pm at Calvary
- If you do not have a copy of the book, we will have a couple copies of the book available to borrow

DOCUMENTARY: BONHOEFFER

- **OCTOBER 11 AT NOON**
- Released in 2003
- Directed by Martin Dolbmeier

Book Club Gathering



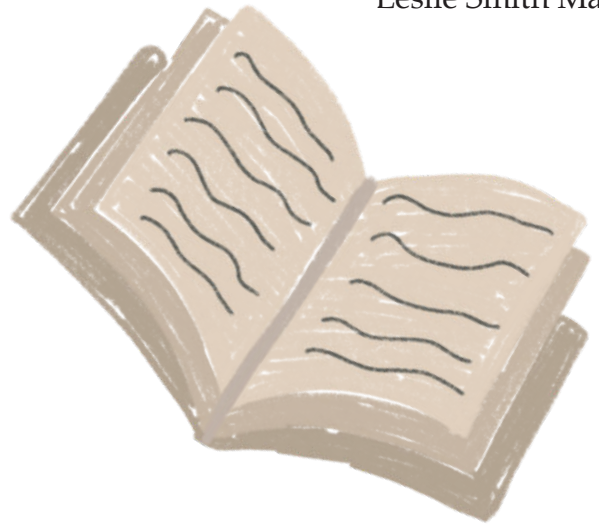
Everyone is welcome to join book club discussions. Our next meeting is July 22 at 1:30 pm at Margaret Deveraux Jefferies' house (262 NE 18th Ave, Hillsboro). You do not need to have finished the book to join the discussion. Just be aware that often the questions have spoilers. Please feel free to join us for fellowship if you haven't read the book.

For July, we are reading *A Gentleman in Moscow* by Amor Towles, 2016. This historical fiction selection follows a Russian aristocrat who is sentenced to house arrest in a luxurious hotel after the Bolshevik Revolution in 1922. He spends three decades in the hotel, navigating the tumultuous political and social changes of Stalinist Russia while also developing friendships, relationships, and a sense of purpose within his confined environment. The public library has 32 books, 9 large print books, 26 eBooks, 11 audiobook CD sets, and 24 downloadable audiobooks.

Coming August 26—*Madam President: The Secret Presidency of Edith Wilson* by William Hazelgrove, 2016 (The public library does not have copies at this time.)

This biography is the engaging portrait of the woman who secretly became the acting President of the United States in 1919 while her husband was bedridden. This was months before women officially won the right to vote. Her legacy as "first woman President" is now largely forgotten.

Peace,
Leslie Smith Mayfield



Summer Send off

Thank you to our wonderful preschool teachers for another great year, and we wish Christe a fantastic retirement!



Ways to Participate

THIRD PLACE

Dinner and Games when you need a **break** from **adulting**

1st & 3rd Wednesdays

6pm

All Are Welcome!

**DROP IN!
IT'S FREE**



**GIVE BLOOD. CATCH A
FILM ON US!**

All donors are eligible to receive a
Fandango Movie Ticket by email
(up to \$15 ticket price and fees).

**Tuesday, 07/22
1:30pm**

[Online readers: click here to register!](#)

Or scan the QR code



Type O donors can receive an additional
\$20 gift card to a merchant of their
choice. Or make a Power Red donation
(if eligible) and receive \$25.

In Our Prayers

For the World

Pray for lasting peace between nations and for the healing of people who suffer conflict, war and violence, especially in Ukraine, Russia, Gaza, Israel, Syria, Haiti, Myanmar and regions of Africa.

For Our Nation

Prayers for those of us, our siblings, and our neighbors who are experiencing uncertainty and fear due to the recent actions of our new federal administration.

Pray for the Spirit to stir our wisdom, skills, creativity and commitment so that we might work together to address the vexing problems of our society, including hunger, poverty, racism, gun violence, mental illness, inaccessible health care and inadequate care for older adults.

For the Oregon Synod

For the family and friends of Pr. Don Parsons, who died on June 14.
Cards may be sent to Claudia Parsons, 3437 Lavina Drive, Forest Grove, OR 97116.

For Pr. Aaron Couch following surgery on June 4.
The procedure went well and a good recovery is on the horizon.

For Jemae McCanna, our synod administrator, who is recovering from surgery.

For the Calvary Lutheran Family

Cathie Carlisle	Betty Shannon
Carol Dougall	Edie & John Pyle
Karen Tiegs	Gail Eilmes
Gail Nagel Erickson	Harold Britton
Jann Patton	Jill Bjerke
Jim Bany	Julie Steward
Kourtney Peterson	Merle Kind
Rik Mayfield	Daniel Dougall
Shelley Kubik	Laveta Hinkle

The Family and Friends of Michael Outcalt



July Birthdays

01 Anita Hiebel	03 Uriah Johnson
07 Nathan Parker	09 Marta Bassett
10 Dave Moore	10 Nicola Young
12 Kim McLaury	12 Ryan Parker
13 Anita Oberhelman	13 Michelle Parker
19 Jessica McLaury	21 Dianne Pratt
27 Natalie Allen	28 Paul Gennrich
29 Sumit Suryawanshi	

HAPPY 
Anniversary!

The Mayfields - 07/25
32 years

The Whites - 07/27
51 years



July Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 10:00am Calvary Worship In person & Zoom 2:00pm Life Center Worship; Sanctuary 4:30pm Nueva Vida Worship-Sanctuary	30 10:00am Quilting; Fellowship Hall 7:00pm Life Center Rehearsal; Sanctuary	1	2 9:00am Preschool Music and Movement 6:00pm Third Place Meetup - Dinner and Games 7:00pm Life Center Prayers; Sanctuary	3 6:00pm Nueva Vida 6:30pm Women AA; Fellowship Hall	4 7:00pm TGIF AA Group	5 9:00am Quilting and Knitting
6 10:00am Calvary Worship In person & Zoom 2:00pm Life Center Worship; Sanctuary 4:30pm Nueva Vida Worship-Sanctuary	7 1:30pm Red Cross Blood Drive 7:00pm Life Center Rehearsal; Sanctuary	8 7:00pm AA Meeting - 2nd Tuesday	9 9:00am Preschool Music and Movement 7:00pm Life Center Prayers; Sanctuary	10 6:00pm Nueva Vida 6:30pm Women AA; Fellowship Hall	11 7:00pm TGIF AA Group	12 3:30pm Nueva Vida Music Practice
13 Pastor on Vacation 10:00am Calvary Worship In person & Zoom 2:00pm Life Center Worship; Sanctuary 4:30pm Nueva Vida Worship-Sanctuary	14 Pastor on Vacation 7:00pm Life Center Rehearsal; Sanctuary	15 Pastor on Vacation	16 Pastor on Vacation 9:00am Preschool Music and Movement 6:00pm Third Place Meetup - Dinner and Games 7:00pm Life Center Prayers; Sanctuary	17 6:00pm Nueva Vida 6:30pm Women AA; Fellowship Hall	18 7:00pm TGIF AA Group	19 3:30pm Nueva Vida Music Practice
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27 10:00am Calvary Worship In person & Zoom 11:15am Council Meeting 2:00pm Life Center Worship; Sanctuary 4:30pm Nueva Vida Worship-Sanctuary	28 7:00pm Life Center Rehearsal; Sanctuary	29	30 9:00am Preschool Music and Movement 7:00pm Life Center Prayers; Sanctuary	31 6:00pm Nueva Vida 6:30pm Women AA; Fellowship Hall	1 7:00pm TGIF AA Group	2 9:00am Quilting and Knitting

