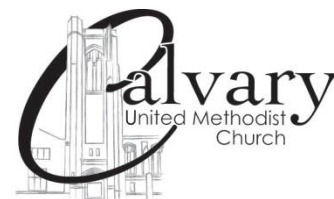


CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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*Calvary United Methodist Church seeks and invites all to become disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of our community and our world.*

Sunday, September 9, 2018

8:30 and 11 a.m. Worship Services

The following abbreviations are used in this bulletin:

UMH = *United Methodist Hymnal* (blue hardcover); TFWS = *The Faith We Sing* (black soft cover).

GATHERING

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Julie Wilson

We invite you to let us know you're here today. Please record your attendance in the friendship pad and pass the book to those next to you. You can also indicate that you wish to receive our weekly e-newsletter.

VOLUNTARY 8:30

"Air"

Gordon Young

11:00 "Introduction, from Concerto for Oboe" Dominico Cimarosa
Mark Runkles, oboist

(Please use this time to prepare to worship)

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Read responsively)

Friends, let's come together in worship today and not let public opinion influence how we live out our faith.

**God lives by different rules. God lifts up and honors the poor while
sending the rich away empty.**

Friends, we come together in worship remembering that God's favor is promised to those who love God.

**Love is more than saying the right words; it is doing the right thing
for others.**

Friends, we come together in worship asking God to be good to us!

**In prayer, song, reflection, giving, and sending forth, make our
hearts right!**

*HYMN

"God, Whose Love Is Reigning O'er Us"

UMH #100

OPENING PRAYER (said together)

Gracious God, we come before your word this day and are reminded of the strong commands of the author of James. We are humbled knowing there have been times when we've given preferential treatment to those for whom it is easier to do so. As your people, we have long struggled to give the same love to a stranger as to the person who we've known for so long. Help us, as a congregation, through our worship today, speak and act as ones for whom hospitality is the priority. Beloved God, awaken our faith and guide our hearts. Amen.

PROCLAMATION

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Angela Mayer

At the 8:30 Worship Service, Children's Church is available for children ages 5 years old through 3rd grade. This involves worship related activities for children. Parents are asked to escort their children to the narthex (lobby) at the back of the sanctuary to meet the Children's Church leader for the morning. Children are also welcome to stay in the worship service.

ANTHEM

8:30

“Make Me a Servant, Lord”
Cathedral and Gospel Choirs

Ray McCutcheon
& Lloyd Larson

11:00

“Sicilian, from Concerto for Oboe”
Mark Runkles

Dominico Cimarosa

*SCRIPTURE LESSON

James 2: 1-17

This is the word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God!

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

“The Servant Song”

FWS #2222

SERMON

Body and Soul

Rev. Shannon Sullivan

Sermon Series: A Faith that Works

MOMENT FOR REFLECTION AND COMMITMENT

OUR RESPONSE

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Julie Wilson

WE OFFER OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

8:30

“Voluntary in G Major”

John Stanley

11:00

“Adagio, from Solo de Concert”
Mark Runkles

Gustave Vogt

*DOXOLOGY

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

UMH #94

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT “Give Me the Faith Which Can Remove” UMH #650

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

*VOLUNTARY “Fuge in C Major” Dietrich Buxtehude
(Jig Fuge)

*GOING FORTH

The liturgy today is from Ministry Matters and LiturgyLink.

God gives us many gifts, the flowers on the altar are one of them. God’s greatest gifts are his son and the Holy Spirit. One of God’s unique gift is the opportunity for each of us to show care for one another. By Rita Sharpe.

The flowers by the lectern are placed by Paulette, Lydia and Andy in loving memory of and in gratitude for the love, message and song of Jack Shockey.

Serving Schedule

Ushers:	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>11:00 a.m.</u>
	Dave Mills, Randy McClement Paul Nelson, Frank Strakonsky, Bret Slovikosky, Mark MacDonald	Elaine Childs, Donald Orrison, Gloria Orrison, Greg Gray, Rob Summers

<u>Today, Sunday, September 9</u>	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>11:00 a.m.</u>
Greeter	Beth and Frank Strakonsky	Carol and Art Fennington
Acolyte	Sophia Bostian	Ben Moked
Lay Reader	Bob Jacobs	Zan Fleming
Coffee Host	Beth and Frank Strakonsky	Sue Krause

<u>Next, Sunday, September 16</u>	<u>8:30 a.m.</u>	<u>11:00 a.m.</u>
Greeter	Rev. Dr. Ray Moreland	Anne Mossburg
Acolyte	Kendel Wickline	Ellie Boston
Lay Reader	Helen Sheppard	
Coffee Host/Tea Time	Randy and Maryjane McClement	

Ushers Needed

If you are interested in becoming an usher for the 8:30 a.m. service, please contact Dave Mills at 301-662-9269 or email him at dacmills@hughes.net

Tea Time Help if you are interested in taking a turn as a Tea Time host, please contact the church office. This is such a great way to enjoy fellowship with your fellow members.

Community Conversation-Race

Thursday, Sept. 13 beginning at 7:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. in the Ladies Parlor, this presentation and conversation about race relations and how we can overcome the divide in our community. Rev. Larsen will give presentation.

New Beginnings Class will be starting a study based on the Book: *Forebearance – A Theological Ethic for a Disagreeable Church* by James Calvin Davis. Sunday we will introduce the book and outline and plan our study. Newcomers Welcome!

Children's Church is available for children ages 5 years old through 3rd grade. It is held in the Chapel. Parents are asked to escort their children to sign them in and then pick them up after the Service. Children are also welcome to stay in the worship service.

Disciple Fast Track is a 24-week in-depth Bible study. We will meet on Sunday evenings, beginning **September 9, from 6:00 - 7:30 pm**. Disciple Fast Track will be led by Rev. Shannon Sullivan. For questions, please contact Rev. Sullivan, Rev. Larsen, or Christy Mossburg, register at: <https://calvaryfrederick.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/59/responses/new>



Mark your calendar for **Saturday, September 22**. Calvary will once again be working with Habitat for Humanity on a Brush with Kindness project. Look for a sign up soon. For more information, contact Andrew Wilde at wildeservices@gmail.com or 301-514-1665.



Calvary Apparel Now Available!! Check out the link on our www.calvaryumc.org website for a new line of Calvary apparel, T-shirts, sweatshirts, hats and bags with the Calvary logo are now available. Ordering is easy, pay on-line and have it shipped to your home. If you have any questions, please contact Cathy in the church office.

Crafters Needed

Crafting times are Tuesdays at 1:00 a.m. and Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. beginning September 4 & 5.



Calvary United Methodist Holiday Bazaar
November 10th
9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

This Week at Calvary September 9-September 16

Sunday, September 9

8:30 a.m. Worship
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all Ages
11:00 a.m. Worship
12:30 p.m. Genesis Choir/Bells of Jesus
1:00 p.m. Sonshine Choir
4:30 p.m. Voices of Praise
5:30 p.m. Youth Group Kick-Off
6:00 p.m. Disciple Fast Track

Monday, September 10

6:30 p.m. Trustees
7:00 p.m. SPRC

Tuesday, September 11

10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study
6:00 p.m. Yoga
6:30 p.m. Joyful Noise Handbells
7:30 p.m. Gospel/Cathedral Choirs

Wednesday, September 12

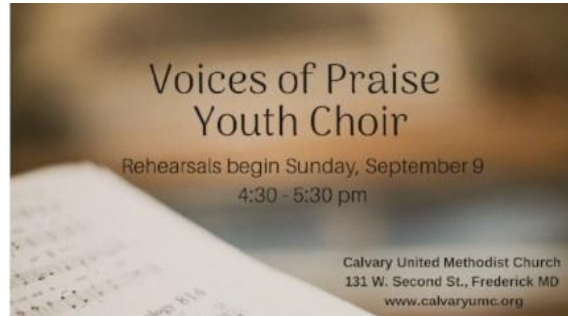
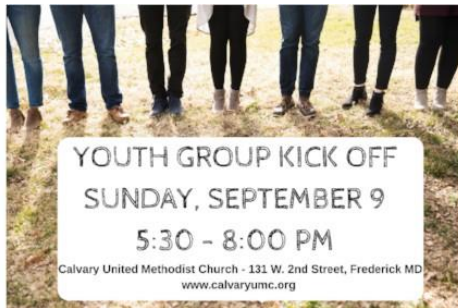
6:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Open Prayer

Thursday, September 13

1:00 p.m. Mary Martha Circle
7:00 p.m. Community Conversation
6:30 p.m. Agape

Next Sunday, September 16

8:30 a.m. Worship
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all Ages
11:00 a.m. Worship
12:00 p.m. WRS Peal Bell
12:30 p.m. Genesis Choir/Bells for Jesus
1:00 p.m. Sonshine Choir
4:30 p.m. Voices of Praise
5:30 p.m. Youth Group
6:00 p.m. Disciple Fast Track



September Date to Remember:

Tuesday, Sept. 11~ Pastor's Bible Study, held in the Church Library, 10:00 a.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 11 ~ Joyful Noise Handbells 6:30 p.m. / Gospel & Cathedral Choirs at 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 13 ~ Agape at 6:30 p.m.// Community Conversation in the Parlor
Tuesday, Sept. 18~ Wesleyan Circle Meeting at Betsy Bryant's home at 12:00 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 20 ~ Organ Funding Committee, 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 22 ~ Organ Funding Committee, 9:00 a.m.
Friday, Sept. 21~ Kid's Fun Night- VBS Fall Fest, 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 23 ~ Mission Possible Kids, 5:30 p.m.
Sunday, Sept. 23~ Calvary Concert Series presents Christopher Schmitt, pianist
Friday, Sept. 28-30~ Youth Retreat
Saturday, Sept. 29~ Church Conference at Walkersville UMC, 10:15 a.m.



Special “Weekend of Caring” event, October 12-14

Imagine the difference we can make as volunteers in our community. Come participate in a weekend, volunteer-service blitz in the greater Frederick area over a particular weekend. The goal is to engage all sort of people in giving 200 plus hours of community service during a 72-hour period, from Friday, October 12 through Sunday October 14. The effort is set up and organized by Calvary United Methodist Church.

Projects include: a massive meal assembly project in our Fellowship Hall on Saturday, “We Care” packages for hospitalized children, letters of care for inmates in Kairos prison ministry. Activities for children and youth as well as adults of all ages. We will have special t-shirts for the volunteers and a time to celebrate all that is accomplished that weekend.



WHERE KIDS CAN CHANGE THE WORLD

Calling All Agents, Grade 1-5!

Are you ready to go on missions that can change the world?

Join **MISSION POSSIBLE KIDS!** Our first Special Agent Training happens in September. Sign up online at Calvaryumc.org or contact Christy Mossburg.

Friday, September 21

6:30 – 8:30 pm



Kids and families who visit Treasure Hunt will move through a variety of stations that reveal the amazing treasure we receive when we’re friends with Jesus. Each station helps kids and their families find all they need in Jesus—friendship, comfort, help, do-overs, and power!

If you loved our Shipwrecked VBS, you won’t want to miss Treasure Hunt!!

Sign up at www.calvaryumc.org.

VISTING WITH US?

Welcome! We are glad that you chose to worship with us this morning. More information about Calvary UMC is available in our welcome packets, or by speaking with a pastor or with someone at the Welcome Center in the Parish Hall.

- We invite you to sign in using the registration pads that are located in each pew. You can also use these pads to see who is sitting with you today!
- Please join us in the Parish Hall for fellowship following worship today!
- Nursery care available Sundays for children who are newborn – 4yrs. old.
- An audio recording of today's sermon will be available online on Monday, or you can request a CD by contacting the church office.
- Large print bulletins and hymnals, as well as hearing assistance devices are available from the ushers.

Children's Bulletins are available for children ages 3-6 and 7-12 that connect to the weekly sermon. These can be found in the coloring center in the Narthex or ask a ushers for guidance.

Want to keep up to date with what's happening? You can find the pastor's blog, find upcoming events, link to volunteer opportunities, recent pictures and more with our weekly email "What's Happening". Subscribe by sending a request: office@calvaryumc.org

Prayers Concerns Names are added to this list by request. Please do your best to keep the office apprised of any changes in status. The list will be reviewed monthly and names removed unless you request otherwise when you call or email. Email to office@calvaryumc.org. For all pastoral care concerns, please contact Pastor Steve at revsteve@calvaryumc.org at the office: 301-662-1464 or via cell phone: 301-848-8216.

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Virginia Floyd
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Waskey and Becky Bostian)

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Five Strategic Priorities

To guide our life and ministry as a congregation over the next three years.

1. Become great at seeking, inviting and welcoming people
2. Foster growth, variety, and vitality of smaller groups to help every person belong
3. Leverage facility and our location to seek and promote community
4. Help people grow in discipleship through clear pathways
5. Make strategic planning an ongoing process at Calvary Church

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