

CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

131 West Second Street, Frederick, Maryland 21701

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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.

June 30, 2024

The Lord's Day

10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Prelude

“He Leadeth Me”

setting by Lisa Hoekstra
Dr. Adela Peeva, organist

*Passing the Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Welcome, announcements

David Cline

*Call to Worship (read responsively)

In turbulent times, when the knot of fear tightens,

Take heart, trust God and step out.

When doubt needles us and despair encircles us,

Take heart, trust God, follow Jesus and walk on.

As depression threatens to sink us and grief tries to bury us,

Take heart, trust God, follow Jesus.

Receive the gospel and sing your song of praise.

*Hymn

“My Hope Is Built”

UMH #368

Opening Prayer (unison)

Awesome and amazing God,

you go to the depths of love

and the heights of caring for us.

You sing to us in the beauty of each dawn.

You walk with us each day.

You bless us each evening and you hide us under the shadow of your wings each night.

Awesome and amazing God, we sing praise to you and tell of your love to all creation. Amen.

Scripture Lesson

Romans 12: 1-2, 9-13

Rick Miller

Special Music

“Better Than a Hallelujah”

words and music by Chapin Hartford and Sarah Hart
Kaitlyn Quigley, soloist and Joyce Summers, pianist

*Gospel Lesson

Mark 5: 1-20 (Selected verses)

Rick Miller

*Response

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Time With the Children

Amy Stone

Following the Time with the Children, all children in K-3rd grade are invited to Children's Church in the Chapel. Parents are asked to walk their children to narthex/lobby where they will find the children's church leader.

*Hymn

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

UMH #381

Sermon

“Grace to Cleanse and Power to Free”

Rev. Ken Humbert

Time for Reflection and Commitment

Joys and Concerns

Please share birthdays, anniversaries, and moments of joy as well as prayer concerns that are weighing on your heart. If you don't feel comfortable sharing these out loud, feel free to write a note in the red attendance pad.

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

We Offer Our Gifts and Tithes

Our giving is a joyful and prayerful response to God's gifts to us.

Checks can also be sent to the church office at 131 West 2nd St, Frederick, MD 21701.

Online payments can be made easily and securely by going to www.Calvaryumc.org/give/.

(See QR code on the back of this bulletin) You can make a one-time gift or set up ongoing electronic payments. Please use this time to register your attendance here today in the red folders found in the pews.

Offertory

“In the Garden”

Words and Music by C. Austin Miles

Kaitlyn Quigley, soloist and Joyce Summers, pianist

*Doxology

UMH #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God all creatures here below:

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn

“God of Grace and God of Glory”

UMH #577

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Postlude

“March” from the Occasional Oratorio

By Handel

*Going Forth

The Rev. Ken Humbert is proclaiming the word today while Rev. Steve Larsen is on vacation. He and his wife will be back later this week. Thanks goes to David Cline for leading us in worship.

Ushers: Rick Miller, Andy Radcliffe, Drew Irving, Paul Muehl, Dave Mills

Acolyte: Savannah Muehl

Coffee Time: Tom and Kathy Woodall

Greeter: Fran Haller

***Attention**—The Nursery will temporarily meet in the Education Building from **10 – 11 a.m.** during the worship service.

Acolytes Needed: Dates have been added to the sign-up list! Please use this link to sign up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b4aa9a82aa4ff2-acolyte/18827003#/> If you have any questions please contact Stefanie Harris at jujubee820@yahoo.com

Children's Church is for children in grades K-3, and takes place in our chapel during the worship service, immediately following the *Time with the Children*.

GREETERS: We are looking for smiling faces to greet people when they come through our doors on Sunday mornings to welcome the congregation. There are two places, one at the wooden Narthex doors on Bentz Street and the other is at the Bentz Street double glass doors outside of the Parish Hall from **9:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.** Please use the link to sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080D4FAAA72FA75-49534701-greeters#/>

If you have any questions, please contact Fran Haller, United Women in Faith, fehaller@outlook.com or 301-785-5058.

Calvary Gardeners: Looking for volunteers to water and weed the flower beds on Bentz Street, just once a week. Questions, please contact Helen Sheppard at brucehelenshep@msn.com
Sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080D4FAAA72FA75-49881158-calvary#/>

DIAPER DRIVE The Mission teams going to the Henderson Settlement in July and want to deliver diapers. ALL sizes are needed, from infant to nighttime pull-ups and wipes. Please see the basket in the foyer and the cradle in Parish Hall. The Mission teams and Henderson Settlement, thank you! All donations must be in by June 30, 2024.



Soles of Love - New Children's Shoe Donations Needed by 7/21

CUMC is proud to support the wonderful work done through the Soles of Love non-profit event and the leadership of Julie Gaver. This year the goal is to collect over 6,000 pairs of new shoes for school-age children in need in the Frederick County area.

In addition to giving new shoes, also consider writing short notes of encouragement that will be tucked into every pair of shoes given to a child. Let's exceed expectations with our congregation's generous gift of new children's shoes. Drop off shoes and notes in the bin on the stage in the Parish Hall until Sunday, July 21.

Thank you to everyone who supports this important Mission Outreach project.

Would You Like to Help Select Bedding for Kiddos Receiving New SHP Beds?

Did you know that Calvary UMC stores all the Frederick County bedding donations received for Sleep In Heavenly Peace (SHP)? We use a room on the lower level of the Education Building. To see these donations is a beautiful testament to the generosity and skills (many handmade items) of our community.

Pat Herber is looking for a few folks who would be willing to help prepare “bedding bundles.” Each bundle includes a quilt/bedspread, sheets, and a throw blanket the delivery teams put on the bed when it is assembled. The plan is to make a number of bundles in advance. We deliver about 50 beds each month.

If you are interested in learning more, contact Pat, pkherber@gmail.com.

Learn to play violin!

Youth Violin Program at Calvary United Methodist Church

A New Program is being offered to students ages 5 – 12 who wish to learn to play and perform violin or viola, develop an appreciation for music, and perform for events. The group classes will be taught by experienced violinist/teacher Stephen Arnold of the Frederick Symphony. Classes will begin in July and be held in Calvary’s Library, twice a week, on Wednesdays from 5:00 to 5:45 p.m. and Sundays from 11:15 a.m.-noon.



Tuition is \$180.00 per month and instruments and music are both available. Contact Stephen Arnold at 540-323-0560 or email vamusicmakers@gmail.com for more information and to register. Classes will be small, so register as soon as possible.

Week of June 30~July 7

Today, Sunday, June 30

9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Worship

Wednesday, July 3

6:30 p.m. Men’s Bible Study

Thursday, July 4

Church Office Closed

Next Sunday, July 7

Henderson Mission Trip Departure
9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Worship

Prayer Concerns:

Members of Calvary: Joyce Dixon, Lois Pacheco, Eric Anderson, Paul Metcalf, Bobbie Parsons, Janie Hahn, Rev. Glenn Griffith, Joyce Van Sant, Ann Crum, Marilyn Moyers, Peggy Griffie, Dick Alsmeyer, Ramona Yanike, Nancy Dobbs, Judy Allen, Eleanor Bowersox, Reed Keirn

Friends of Calvary: Eileen Morrow (Cousin of Karen Gebhart), Angela Gorens (Friend of Stephanie Felton), Jerry Black (Son-in-law of Betsy Bryant), Drew Wilson, Marie Slovikosky (Sister-in-law of Nancy Slovikosky), Sarah Jenkins (Sister of Mary Crum), Cheryl Christine (Chris) Irving (Wife of Drew Irving), Allan Huffman (Son of Nancy Huffman), Brian Jones (Friend of the Linda & Scott English), Scott Berry, Janet Stone (Mother of Jeff Stone), Hope Patterson and Cathy Short (Sisters of Charlotte Pasquerette), Ken Kessel (Brother of Susan Baggette), Audrey Cash (Friend of Helen Sheppard), Kitty and Jack Cooley (Sister and brother-in-law of Connie Scoggins), Suzanne Simpson and Adam Shake (Sister & brother-in-law to Christy Mossburg), Alice and Becky Woodward (Family of Rita Sharpe), Virginia Painter Floyd, Jill and Tracy Sizemore, Gil Crippen, Jim Clark, Ida Durden, and Janella Walls, Louise Brieto (Family Members and Friends of Rita Sharpe)



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