

THE LORD HAS RISEN INDEED.
LUKE 24:34

# EASTER SUNDAY

9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE



131 WEST 2ND STREET FREDERICK, MARYLAND 21701

## Easter Sunday

Prelude

"Psalm 19 – The Heavens Declare"

by Benedetto Marcello, arr. by William Allen Pasch Ray Strucker, trumpeter and Dr. Adela Peeva, organist

Welcome, Announcements

\*Call to Worship (read responsively)

9 a.m. Rev. Ken Humbert

My dear friends, we have known grief.

We have known loss.

We have known the long road, tired and winding.

We have whispered prayers on bended knees.

We have stared at the sky, empty of stars.

But today—

Today we know hope.

Today we know life.

Today we know the sound of Alleluias.

Today we know that death does not have the last word.

Today we know that nothing can separate us from the love of God.

It is Easter. May hope find you.

And may you know, deep in your bones,

that today is a new day.

Alleluia! Amen.

\*Processional Hymn

"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"

UMH #302

(stanzas 1-4)

Epistle Lesson

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

9 a.m. Didi Willard

11 a.m. Rev. Vicky Starnes

Anthem

"Let the Trumpet Sound"

Words and music by Natalie Sleeth, arr. by John Leavitt Sanctuary Choir, Ray Strucker, trumpeter and Joyce Summers, pianist

\*Gospel Lesson

Luke 24:1-12

9 a.m. Didi Willard

11 a.m. Rev. Vicky Starnes

\*Response

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

#### Time With the Children

Following the Time with the Children, all children in K-5th 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 "The Day of Resurrection" UMH #303

Sermon Everything In Between Rev. Dr. Steve Larsen

Grief & Hope

\*Special Music "Hallelujah Chorus" from Messiah - insert

by Handel, arr. by Hall H. Hopson

Sanctuary Choir, Joyful Noise Ringers and Congregation Ray Strucker, trumpeter and Joyce Summers, pianist

Prayer for Easter Day

We Bring our Gifts and Offerings to the Lord

Offertory "Majesty"

Words and music by Jack W. Hayford William Davy, soloist and Dr. Adela Peeva, pianist

\*The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...and so, with you people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,

heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

the pastor continues the prayer and then concludes:

With a mouth full of Alleluias, we join our voices once more to pray the prayer you taught us to pray, saying...

# 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.

# \*Sharing the Bread and Cup

The congregation is invited to come forward to will receive a piece of bread from a server. The bread is to be dipped in the communion cup and then eaten. There will be two stations up front for receiving. Please follow the direction of the ushers.

For those who require gluten free bread, there are containers for the bread and cup marked "GLUTEN FREE" on a table at the end of the middle aisle. There are also containers of bread and juice that have been prepared ahead of time for those who do not wish to receive the bread and cup in the usual way.

# Prayer After Receiving

\*Hymn

"Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise" (Stanza 1-2)

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\*Dismissal With Blessing

\*Postlude

"A King Rides Forth Today"

by John M. Rasley

\*Going Forth to Serve

#### 9 a.m. Ushers:

Mark MacDonald, Paul Muehl, Richard Delauder, Linda Watson-Higgins, Bret Slovikosky

#### 11 a.m. Ushers:

Bill Pasquerette, Judy Wilson, Drew Irving, Rick Miller, Terre Rhoderick

Coffee Host: David Cline 9 a.m. Acolyte: Kate Mills

**Ushers Needed!** Please contact Dave Mills at dacmills 78@gmail.com if you are interested in becoming an usher.

Children's Sunday School for Preschool 3-Year-Olds through 5<sup>th</sup> Graders. Join us for songs, snacks, crafts, and Bible learning! We meet in the Activities Room of the Education Building from 9:00 - 9:45 a.m. every Sunday. For more information, please contact <a href="mailto:AmyStone@calvaryumc.org">AmyStone@calvaryumc.org</a> or sign up using this link:

https://calvaryfrederick.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/113/responses/new

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

<u>The Youth/Young Adult Mission</u> team is looking for team members for their trip to Henderson Settlement from July 20 – July 26. In particular, we are looking for one or more male members with home repair skills. Please reach out to Ms. Jenn if you are interested. <u>missjenn@calvaryumc.org</u>

Calvary United Methodist Church Scholarship forms are now available at <a href="https://www.calvaryumc.org">www.calvaryumc.org</a> then click the News drop down list, then Scholarships. There are two applications available, online or printable. All forms must be submitted by May 18, 2025.





### Calvary's Reconciling Team Announces:

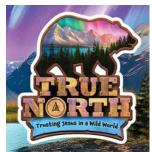
In response to some of the questions from your surveys (thank you so much for giving us over 100 responses!) we are excited to offer two showings of the movie, '1946: The Mistranslation That Shifted Culture.' This documentary follows the story of researchers who trace the origins of when the word homosexual appeared in the Bible for the first time – 1946. The movie is very interesting and tells the story of the research and biblical study and human story behind this history.

We are offering two showings – one during the day and one in the evening, with childcare provided both times:

- 2 p.m. 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 30 in Parish Hall, drinks and cookies provided
- 6 p.m. 8 p.m. Friday, May 9 in Parish Hall, drinks and dinner provided (This event will be in conjunction with a Veggie Tales Evening sponsored by Amy Stone in the Educational Building). Dinner begins promptly at 6 p.m. and movie at 6:10.

If you would like to watch the movie and cannot make either showing, it is available for rent or purchase on Amazon Prime.

This event is sponsored by Calvary's Reconciling Team: Paul Nelson, Jim Hamilton, Norma Hamilton, Marcia Rose Fuoss, Laura Hunter, Jay Pittman, Wanda Bulkowski-Larsen, Jenn Duthoy, Vicky Starnes and Amy Stone. Questions? Contact Jay Pittman at <a href="Jaypittman840@gmail.com">Jaypittman840@gmail.com</a>.



Mark your calendars for this summer's Vacation Bible School! TRUE NORTH VBS! June 23 – June 26, 2025

Online registration begins April 1 at calvaryumc.org.

If you are available to volunteer for this fun and amazing ministry, please contact <a href="mailto:AmyStone@calvaryumc.org">AmyStone@calvaryumc.org</a>.

Sign Up Today!! Use the following link to complete a registration form.

https://calvaryfrederick.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/115/responses/new

**Blessings in a Backpack** packing event will begin right after worship service next Sunday, April 27. Please stop in the parish hall and help pack food into backpacks for children of Frederick County.

The first quarter financial statements are now available to pick up in the Parish Hall. Envelopes will be in alphabetical order. If statements are not picked up by May 1<sup>st</sup>, it will be mailed.

Easter flowers are available for pick up after the conclusion of the 11:00 a.m. worship service, then they will be moved to the parish hall. All flowers must be picked up by Wednesday, April 30:

## **Prayer Concerns:**

Recent Passing: James Mackley

### Members of Calvary:

Isam Ballenger, Jim Dobbs, Patricia Pettingall, Mike Isaacs, Jackie Grimes, Helen Alysmeyer, Nancy Huffman, Gracie Heller, Jack Heller, Lois Pacheco, Rita Sharpe, Ann Crum, Marilyn Moyers, Peggy Griffee, Nancy Dobbs, John Stenner

### Friends of Calvary:

Thomas Crone (Brother-in-Law to Patsy Eavey), Family of Ken Kessel (Brother to Susan Baggette), Lillian Schwarzenberg (Mother of Roy Schwarzenberg), Carol Burnette (Sister of Judy Johnson), Wendi Cyford (Friend of Angie and Eric Anderson), Marcy (Friend of Julie Schwarzenberg), Agnes Dobson (Mother of Grace Dobson), Ruth Spring (Friend of Stephanie Felton), Dom Norris (Friend of Drew Irving), Jan Nefflen (Friend of Peggy Rhoderick), Family of Eileen Morrow (Cousin of Karen Gebhart), Angela Gorens (Friend of Stephanie Felton), Jerry Black (Son-in-law of Betsy Bryant), Drew Wilson, Marie Slovikosky Miller, and Mike Miller (Brother and 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 (Sister of Charlotte Pasquerette), Kitty Cooley (Sister of Connie Scoggins), Gil Crippen, Jim Clark, Ida Durden, and Janella Walls, Louise Brieto (Family Members and Friends of Rita Sharpe)

## April 20,2025 ~ April 27, 2025

Today, April 20, 2025

Easter Sunday

9:00 a.m. Worship

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship

Monday, April 21

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, April 22

11:00 a.m. James Mackley Funeral at

Keeney Basford

6:30 p.m. Joyful Noise Handbells

7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir

Wednesday, April 23

2:00 p.m. Miriam's Circle 6:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study Saturday, April 26

9:30 a.m. WRS

Next Sunday, April 27

9:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship

11:00 a.m. Blessings in a Backpack Event



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