

CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
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*a future with*  
**HOPE**



JULY 6, 2025  
10:00 A.M. WORSHIP

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*Your presence is an offering to God. Please take a moment to record your participation in worship on the welcome pad located at the end of the pew and pass to your neighbor. This is a great place to leave prayer joys, concerns or notes for the pastoral staff as they are reviewed each week in the office.*

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**GATHERING HYMN** "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" UMH #400

**WELCOME** David Cline, Worship Leader

**PRELUDE & BRINGING IN THE LIGHT**

"Amazing Grace"

Maren Lyon, violinist, Morgann Lyon, violist, granddaughters of Helen Sheppard

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

*Leader: We gather today in a spirit of anticipation and trust—*

**People: For God has brought us to this place, for such a time as this.**

*Leader: In a world that longs for quick fixes,*

**People: We turn to the God who plants, nurtures, and grows hope over time.**

*Leader: Though the future is not always clear,*

**People: We believe in the One who promises, "I know the plans I have for you."**

*Leader: So let us worship with joy, with courage, and with open hearts—*

**People: For we are being rooted and built up in love, together.**

**\*OPENING HYMN** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" UMH #140

**INSTALLATION & WELCOME OF REV. DR. HUTTON**

**MINISTRY INVITATIONS & CELEBRATIONS**

**FAMILY TIME**

## OFFERING PRAYER

*Leader: Generous God, you plant seeds of hope in the most unexpected places. You invite us to build, to bless, and to believe in futures not yet seen. As we offer these gifts, may they be used to grow your kingdom, here in our community, and far beyond our reach. Make us faithful stewards of your vision, and partners in the work of love and justice. In the name of Christ, our Cornerstone, we pray. Amen.*

## OFFERTORY

"Fantasia on 'Old 100<sup>th</sup>'"

by Allen James

## \*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!**

## UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of the long journey, we confess that we often grow impatient. We want quick results, clear answers, and instant solutions. When change feels uncomfortable or unfamiliar, we are tempted to retreat or resist. Forgive us for doubting your presence in the waiting. Forgive us when we try to rush what you are carefully growing. Teach us to trust your timing, to remain rooted in your love, and to walk forward—faithful and hopeful—into the future you are shaping.**

## PRAYER HYMN

"Hymn of Promise"

UMH #707

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & 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.**

## SPECIAL MUSIC

"Wondrous Love"

Maren Lyon, violinist, Morgann Lyon, violist, granddaughters of Helen Sheppard

## SCRIPTURE

Jeremiah 29:4-14

David Cline

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION**

\*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.**

...and so in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ... as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again**

...all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

**COMMUNION HYMN**

"Let Us Break Bread Together"

UMH #618

**PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING**

**\*CLOSING HYMN**

"Blessed Assurance"

UMH #369

**CARRYING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD**

**POSTLUDE**

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

by Lani Smith

*\*Congregation stands, in body, heart or spirit.*

*Please join us following the service in the fellowship hall for refreshments and  
a further welcome of Dr. Hutton and her family.*

Ushers: Dave Mills, Richard Delauter, Judy Wilson, Paul Muehl, Linda Watson-Higgins  
Coffee Host: No Donuts for Sunday, July 6 – Come to the picnic in Parish Hall!  
Acolyte: Savannah Muehl  
Guest Organist: Daniel Catalano

The altar flowers are placed in joyful celebration as we welcome Rev. Dr. Beth Hutton to our church family. With open hearts and great hope, we look forward to the journey of faith ahead, trusting that God has brought us together for a purpose. May her ministry among us be richly blessed and guided by the Spirit.

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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.

*Acolytes Needed:* Please contact Stefanie Harris at [jujubee820@yahoo.com](mailto:jujubee820@yahoo.com) to sign up.

### **The Beat Goes On.....**

Calvary's robust music program will continue this fall while the search for a new organist/music director is in process. Beginning in September and going thru December, Brenda Weiser, a well-known area musician, will lead the Sanctuary Choir and be our organist. Calvary members Janet Fox will lead the Children's Choir, and Will Davy will lead the Joyful Noise Handbell Choir. Rehearsal times remain the same: Joyful Noise Handbells at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesdays, Sanctuary Choir 7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays, and Children's Choir 11:15 a.m. on Sundays. As always, all are welcome to join and be part of praising God through music!

**Henderson Settlement Diaper Drive:** The Youth Group would like to take LOTS of diapers to Henderson on their mission trip. Diapers of ALL sizes are needed – infant to adult sizes and wipes. Please put them in the basket in the foyer of the cradle in the Parish Hall. The little ones and their parents will be very thankful.

### **The Grateful Hearts**

We are in need of a new Lead Teacher for the Grateful Hearts class, beginning this fall on Sunday, September 7. This teacher would volunteer to plan and implement weekly lessons with the help of the assistants. Calvary has been able to continue this wonderful ministry for over 40 years because of the help and support of so many amazing and compassionate volunteers. We would be devastated to have to discontinue this program due to lack of support. Please contact Margie Wilde for more information at [skywilde@comcast.net](mailto:skywilde@comcast.net)



**Help save a life.**

Schedule your  
blood donation  
appointment today.

Blood Drive Details: Wednesday, July 16, 8:30 AM to 6:00 PM. Calvary UMC

**We'd love to have you sign to donate on July 16<sup>th</sup>!** You can do that by emailing me at [RevSteve@calvaryumc.org](mailto:RevSteve@calvaryumc.org), or call/text me at (301) 848-8216. Give me a time that works for you and I will do our best to accommodate. If you have the Red Cross Blood Donor app, you can also schedule your donation through the app. Enter Zip Code 21701, and search for: **Calvary UMC-Frederick** on July 16.

If you cannot make it, consider inviting a family member or friend to donate instead – it really does make a difference. You can also promote our drive on Facebook by sharing this event.

**This Week at Calvary July 6~July 13, 2025**

Today, Sunday, July 6

10:00 a.m. Worship

11:00 a.m. Rev. Dr. Hutton Welcome Picnic

Wednesday, July 9

6:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study

Saturday, July 12

7:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast

Sunday, July 13

9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Worship



## **Prayer Concerns:**

**Members of Calvary:** John Mitchell, Nancy Slovikosky, Ginger Ward, Isam Ballenger, Jim Dobbs, Patricia Pettingall, Mike Isaacs, Helen Alysmeier, Nancy Huffman, Gracie Heller, Jack Heller, Lois Pacheco, Rita Sharpe, Ann Crum, Marilyn Moyers, Peggy Griffiee, Nancy Dobbs, John Stenner, Bob Bennett

**Friends of Calvary:** Charlotte Woodward (Friend of Betsy Bryant), Charles LeMaster (Father of Didi Willard), Thomas Crone (Brother-in-Law to Patsy Eavey), Chris Cubby (Friend of Paul Nelson), 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), Angela Gorens (Friend of Stephanie Felton), 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), 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)



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