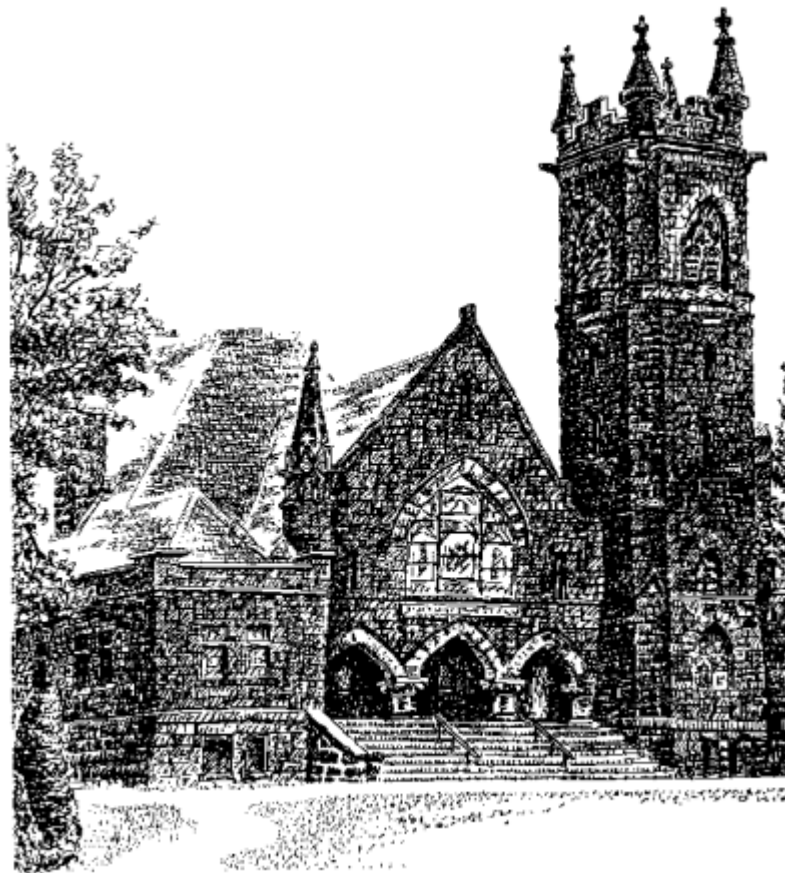


**CALVARY
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**



THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT CALVARY!

Wherever you may be on your journey of faith, Calvary Presbyterian Church, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), welcomes you. We are a community where questions are valued and where faith is experienced as a loving relationship with God and with all people.

Affirming that every person is a unique creation and a child of God, we believe discrimination is incompatible with the Gospel message of Jesus Christ. We believe there is room at the table for people of different views and understandings. We are enriched by many voices and united in one Spirit, the spirit of a God who loves each one of us abundantly and unconditionally.

If you are passing through: we extend God's blessings to you as you continue on your way. If you are seeking a home: we invite you to join with us as we grow in faith and serve Jesus Christ.

DURING TODAY'S WORSHIP

Large-print bulletins are available at the entrances.

Individual listening devices for improved sound are also available from ushers.

If your infant or child needs care or extra attention during the worship service you may leave the Sanctuary and return as you wish. Rocking chairs are available at the back of the Sanctuary. Our Church Nursery is staffed during worship and fellowship time.

Children's packets containing quiet activities are available in baskets located at the back of the Sanctuary.

Burgundy fellowship registers are passed for you to sign, so that we might know you are here; all worshipers have an opportunity to provide updated information and to greet one another by name following the service.

Please silence all electronic devices when in the Sanctuary.

IF YOU ARE NEW TO CALVARY

Parking, several professional offices make their parking lots available to church members on Sunday mornings. Feel free to take an available space at the following locations, and thank these neighbors when you have the chance: Rose Medical Associates – the lot runs between Klondyke Avenue and School Street, parallel to South Seventh; Northwood Realty – near the corner of South Seventh and School (please do not park in their reserved spaces); Bonya, Gazza & DeGory – lot on the left on School, near the light at South Sixth. (That office was once Calvary's manse.) The Indiana Borough Parking Garage is located at 650 Water Street.

THE ORDER OF SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

April 15, 2018 ♦ 11:00 A.M.

We ask that you take this time to prepare your hearts and minds for worship.

THE PRELUDE – Suite No. 1 in G Major: J.S.Bach

Sarabande, Allemande & Courante

Mr. Brad Holuta, cellist

THE STRIKING OF THE BELL

THE WELCOME

(Please sign and pass the burgundy fellowship register at this time.)

THE CHORAL INTROIT – Easter Fanfare David Ashley White

(The congregation stands at the beginning of the Hymn.)

* THE HYMN 113 – Christ the Lord Is Risen Today! Llanfair

* THE PRAYER OF ADORATION

(All be seated.)

THE CALL TO CONFESSION Dr. Ken Hershman

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION, *responsively*

**People: Lord God, in the light of your glory we see the evil we have done,
the suffering we have caused, the good we have refused,
and the truth we have denied.**

We call out to you, O God, heal our brokenness, we pray.

(A time of silence for personal confession.)

Leader: Lord God, heal us of our sin, wash us in your mercy,
and feed us with your grace, so that we may follow your way
and tell the good news of the gospel. Amen.

THE KYRIE ELEISON – Easter Kyrie Joseph Baunoch

THE ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

Leader: Friends, believe the good news!

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

(Stand with the Chancel Choir for the singing of The Gloria Patri followed by The Passing of The Peace.)

* Congregation standing, as able

* THE GLORIA PATRI, *sung in unison*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, Amen.**

* THE PASSING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST, *responsively* Student Pastor Ben Fitzgerald-Fye

Leader: May the Peace of Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

(All be seated.)

THE TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Dr. Tim Runge

(Following this time together, young children through kindergarten age may leave for the nursery.)

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON (Pew Bible, OT, page 710)

Psalms 139:1-10

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE ANTHEM – Fairest Lord Jesus

arr. Charles Maggs

Handbell Choir

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON (Pew Bible, NT, page 99)

Luke 18:1-8

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON – Unpopular Parables: Unjust Judge

Rev. David J. Hanna

(Stand with the Chancel Choir for the singing of The Hymn and The Affirmation of Faith.)

* THE HYMN 379 – My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Solid Rock

* THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, *in unison*

**Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,
and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled,
and unfading, kept in heaven for you,
who are being protected by the power of God through faith
for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. Amen.**

- 1 Peter 1:3-5

(All be seated.)

THE CALL TO OFFERING

*Our giving is an offering to God. All offerings, whether made in the worship service or outside of it,
are part of our worship of God and are used to support Calvary's ministry.*

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM – Prelude from Suite No. 1 in G Major

J.S. Bach

(Stand with the Chancel Choir for the singing of The Doxology and The Prayer of Dedication.)

* THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND DOXOLOGY, *sung in unison*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him, above ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

* THE PRAYER QUILT DEDICATION

* THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(All be seated.)

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER, *in unison*

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors;

and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

(Stand with the Chancel Choir for the singing of The Hymn followed by The Benediction.)

* THE HYMN 263 – Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

St. Denio

* THE BENEDICTION

* THE CHORAL RESPONSE – Voices of Praise

Craig Courtney

* THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

TODAY'S PRAYER QUILT DEDICATIONS are for Shirley Shemo, wife of Conrad Shemo, and Katelyn Hanna-Wortley, wife of John Gilpatrick, and daughter of David and Brenda Hanna. Shirley and Katelyn are both going through a difficult time with their health but they are still smiling! Please pray for both Shirley and Katelyn, as well as their families, for God's healing touch, comfort, and peace. Be sure and stop by the Chalice Room following the service to tie prayer knots for both Shirley and Katelyn. May our prayers help each one of them as they face their challenges.

THIS MORNING AT CALVARY CHURCH

We are glad to have you with us today for worship. Please stop by our Welcome Table in the Chalice Room for more information about our church family and involvement opportunities in our ministry. The restrooms and nursery are located in the Christian Education wing through the sanctuary doors to your right. Just follow the signage.

GREETING YOU THIS MORNING was Tom Crumm

TEAM 1 is ushering this morning.

THE BEADLE AND ACOLYTE this morning are Brenna Nutter and Connor McQuaide.

THE FLOWERS are to the glory of God in loving memory of Ethel Guard's birthday, by daughters, Nancy and Barbara, and family.

CHILDCARE (Nursery) – Our Church Nursery is staffed during worship and fellowship time by Norma Sherry.

FELLOWSHIP TIME – Following worship, join us in the Chalice Room, through the doors to your right, for beverages and snacks - hosts: Prayers and Squares group

DEACON OF THE WEEK – (April 16 – April 22) Joan Rittenberger

COUNTING TEAM – (April 16) Team 2 – Mark Staszkiwicz, captain

ST. ANDREW'S VILLAGE CHURCH SERVICE – 7:00 p.m. Sunday, May 13 – Charles Cashdollar, sermon; Roberta Jones, liturgy; Roberta Jones and Charles Cashdollar, piano.

DEACON'S CORNER – **Remember to visit the Deacons' Corner in the Chalice Room** to add your name and a note to our Get Well, Sympathy and Congratulatory letters. These are provided weekly by the Deacons and mailed to members of our church family.

WE WELCOME CELLIST, BRAD HOLUTA, and thank him for sharing his talents in worship. Brad is an attorney with the Indiana law firm of Supinka & Supinka. He has been a member of the Johnstown Symphony since 2004 and teaches "Legal Aspects of Healthcare" at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown. At Calvary he is an elder and chair of the Human Resources Committee.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A **CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** has been called by the Session following the 11:00 a.m. worship service on Sunday, April 29, for the purpose of electing new officers.

In accordance with Calvary Presbyterian Church's corporate bylaws, the Session has called for a meeting of the congregation on Sunday, April 29 following the worship service for the purpose of electing ruling elders and deacons; and electing the three at-large congregational members of the nominating committee.

The Slate of Nominees for Ruling Elders,
Class of 2021:

Charles Cashdollar (1st Term)
Susan Drummond (2nd Term)
Bob Shoup (2nd Term)
Kay Smith (2nd Term)
Mark Staszkievicz (1st Term)
Earl Winsheimer (1st Term)

The Slate of Nominees for Deacons,
Class of 2021:

Abigail Adams (2nd Term)
Jayne Allshouse (2nd Term)
Cate D'Amico (1st Term)
Clyde Brown (2nd Term)
Marge Goldstrohm (2nd Term)
Patty Streams Warman (1st Term)
Becky Wilson (1st Term)

The Slates of Nominees for Three At-large Members, One-year Term:

Dee Garrettson (2nd Term), Dorothy Phoebus (2nd Term), Judy Vuckovich (2nd Term)

TAKE-OUT VEGETABLE BEEF SOUP – The Mission Committee will be distributing delicious homemade vegetable beef soup and bread following today's service. Monetary donations will be split between Pathway Homeless Shelter and Family Promise.

SYRIAN UPDATE – Dr. Ezz Eldin Moukama of the Pittsburgh SAMS Chapter will provide an update on the situation in Syria on April 17, 6:30 p.m. here in the dining room. Please bring a simple dessert to share and learn more about life in Syria, today and how we can make a difference. Monetary donations are optional.

HELPERS ARE NEEDED! If you are available to give some of your time to God's Kids in Action this summer from June 11-15 from 9:00 – 11:30 a.m., please do so. We need station leaders, group guides, decorators, actors and kitchen help. If you are available, please see Tracee Denlinger following the service today. Or, call the church office (724) 463-9197 x15.

KINDNESS KITS – A sample Kindness Kit is on display on the Mission Table. Some of the items will be purchased in bulk, but we are requesting donations of the following items: single tooth brushes, toothpaste (2-3 ounces), shampoo (3-5 ounces), bar soap (please avoid highly fragrant soaps) and washcloths. Containers for these donations are on the Mission Table beginning today. We are trying to avoid any very large sizes on these items, but they generally should be a little larger than sample sizes given at hotels. Our goal is to prepare 50 Kindness Kits by early June. More details will be shared on this project as summer nears.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (continued)

SATURDAY NITE CLUB (SNC) meets on Saturday, April 21 for lunch at noon at St. Andrew's Village. The program is Heather Reed, Executive Director of Indiana Health Care Foundation. Cost of the delicious buffet lunch is \$10 and reservations are requested. Today a representative of SNC will be in the Chalice Room after the service to make your reservation and take payment. Cash is preferred, but a check may be made payable to Bruce Jenkins. If you are unable to make your reservation today, submit it to the church office by Tuesday, April 17. You'll be glad you came!

WOMEN'S RETREAT – This Spring, the women of Calvary are invited to an **on-site** retreat that will include a series of short personal reflections and some group exercises aimed at exploring the topic of Christian simplicity. The cost to attend is \$10 and registrations (due by Friday, April 27) can be found in the Chalice Room. Please plan to join us on Saturday, May 5, 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided for all attendees.

ICCAP FOOD OF THE MONTH – The food items being collected in April generally include all kinds of canned and boxed soup, broth, soda and oyster crackers, meal-in-a box items.

STRESS WORKSHOP – Come learn ways to lessen and cope with the stress of everyday life while growing in your faith! This two-session workshop will cover several strategies for reducing and coping with stress, with an emphasis on relevant Christian teachings and practices. It is being conducted by Emily Jackson, a graduate student at IUP, as part of a research study she is completing toward her doctoral degree in clinical psychology. The workshop will be held on Tuesdays April 24 and May 1 from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Please sign up in the Chalice Room if you plan to attend.

SERRV MISSION TRIP – Information is available on the Mission Table regarding the SERRV mission trip to New Windsor, MD, which is scheduled for September 10, 11 and 12. Please sign the clip board if you are interested in receiving additional information. This trip is open to anyone in the congregation age 18 and over.

SAVE THE DATE – The New Wilmington Mission Conference comes highly recommended by the Presbyterian Mission and we are fortunate to have it located at Westminster College. We will experience a sample of the conference with a one-day trip (open to any member) July 25. We are currently gauging interest to plan the transportation. The tentative cost to participate is \$50 per person which covers three on-site meals and conference fees. There are worship services, break-out sessions and times of relaxation throughout the day. We will leave Indiana at 6:00 a.m. and return to Indiana between 10:30 and 11:00 p.m. Please check the Mission Table for additional information. The trip is targeted for youth through adult levels. Please consider signing up for this wonderful opportunity. Details will follow.

MEMBERS OF SESSION

Moderator, David Hanna

Clerk, Tom Crumm

Class of 2018

Claudia Brown

Susan Drummond

Dorothy Palmer

Esther Shane

Bob Shoup

Kay Smith

Class of 2019

Brad Holuta

Betsy DeGory

Fred Dills

Linda Double

Heidi Earhart

Ken Hershman

Class of 2020

Dave Allshouse

Barkley Butler

Sara Crumm

John Lydic

Craig Miller

Susan Shopland

BOARD OF DEACONS

Moderator, Melanie Wardrop

Class of 2018

Abigail Adams

Jayne Allshouse

Clyde Brown

Marge Goldstrohm

Cindy Holuta

Judy Stewart

Melanie Wardrop

Class of 2019

Mary Angelo

Dora Burkett

Holly Miller

Elaine Myers

Lauri Shoup

Thelma Smith

Nancy Walker

Class of 2020

Stacy Bussell

Helen Edwards

Peggy Eyer

Becky Lydic

Joan Rittenberger

Nancy Westburg

Donna Winsheimer

Committee Chairs

Church Treasurer: Dick Clawson

Memorial Flowers: Peggy Eyer

Chair, Christian Education Committee: Cindy Holuta

Chair, Communication/Growth Committee: Susan Drummond

Chair, Hospitality/Grace Committee: Heidi Earhart

Bereavement Teams Coordinator: Deanna Garrettson

Prayers & Squares Coordinator: Marcia Buriok

Women's Bible Study Coordinator: Marge Henry

Chair, Human Resources Committee: Brad Holuta

Chair, Investment & Financial Policy: Bruce Jenkins

Chair, Mission & Outreach Committee: Kay Smith

Chair, Nominating Committee: Esther Shane

Chair, Property and Management Committee: Earl Winsheimer

Vice Chair: Property and Management Committee: Dave Allshouse

Chair, Stewardship Committee: Betsy DeGory

Chair, Worship Committee: Barkley Butler

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY CHURCH

Weekly events:

Sundays, 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. – Child Care (Infants – Kindergarten, Nursery Room)
Sundays, 9:30 a.m. – Adult Class (Prayers and Squares Room)
Sundays, 9:30 a.m. – Calvary Kids (East Classroom)
Sundays, 9:30 a.m. – Growing Together: A Class for Parents (Heritage Room)
Sundays, 9:30 a.m. – Toddler Class (Nursery)
Sundays, 9:30 a.m. – Youth Study Group (Youth Room)
Sundays, 10:15 a.m. – Youth Choir Rehearsal (East Classroom)
Sundays, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. – Youth Group (Youth Room)
Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. – Handbell Rehearsal (Naomi Room)
Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. – Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 11:00 a.m. – Prayers and Squares (Prayers and Squares Room)

Monthly events:

1st Tuesday, 6:30 p.m. – Property Management Committee (Prayers and Squares Room)
1st Thursday, 6:00 p.m. – Worship Committee (Chalice Room)
2nd Monday, 7:00 p.m. – Circle 6 (Library)
2nd Tuesday, 4:00 p.m. – Communications Committee (Prayers and Squares Room)
2nd Wednesday, 11:30 a.m. – Finance and Investment Committee
2nd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Hospitality Committee (Prayers and Squares Room)
2nd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Mission & Outreach Committee (Library)
2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. – Christian Education Committee (Heritage Room)
2nd Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. – Deacons (Heritage Room)
3rd Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. – Session (Heritage Room)

Upcoming events:

Sunday, April 29, after the worship service – Congregational Meeting (Sanctuary)

Reminders for next week:

Greeters: **Volunteers needed**
Fellowship Hour: Prayers and Squares group
Liturgist: Janet Treacy
Beadle and Acolyte: Joey and Maize Baunoch
Ushers: Team 2
Deacon of the Week: (April 23 – April 29) Holly Miller
Counting Team: (April 23) Team 1 – Linda Double, captain

Church Staff:

Pastor: David Hanna
Parish Associate: Richard Cassel
Student Pastor: Ben Fitzgerald-Fye
Director of Community Assistance/ Mission: Becky Becker
Director of Christian Education: Tracee Denlinger
Office Manager: Brenda Brock
Bookkeeper: Kimberly Blackgrove
Nursery Caregiver: Norma Sherry

Director of Music: Joseph Baunoch
Associate Director of Music: Roberta Jones
Director of Children's Choir: Ellen Werner
Handbell Choir Director: Becky Driscoll
Handbell Choir Director Interim: Stacy Bussell
Head Sexton: Richard Smith
Sexton: Kenneth Leasure
Counselor: Christine Butler



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