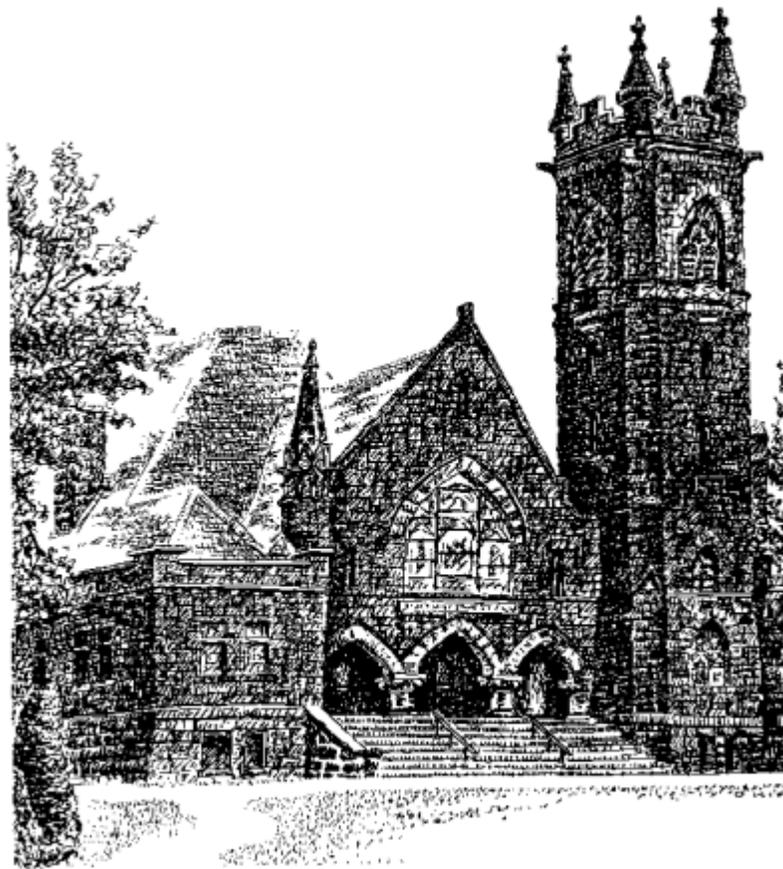


**CALVARY
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**



**THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY
IN
ORDINARY TIME**

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

Calvary's Visitor Center is located in the Chalice Room. Please stop by after the worship service. Free gift for visitors!

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; Berkshire Hathaway 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

August 18, 2019 ♦ 11:00 A.M.

The beginning of the prelude is a call to prayer, personal preparation for the worship of God.

ORGAN PRELUDES –

Elegy

George Thalben-Ball (1896-1987)

Adoration

Florence Price (1887-1953)

Charles Cashdollar, organist

STRIKING OF THE BELL

WELCOME

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

INTROIT

(Following the Introit, all stand for the singing of the Hymn followed by the Gathering Prayer.)

* HYMN 353 – My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less Solid Rock

* GATHERING PRAYER

(All be seated.)

CALL TO CONFESSION

Mrs. Thelma Smith

PRAYER OF CONFESSION, *responsively*

People: Lord of all hopefulness,

you have such dreams for us:

to be the light of the world,

to be an exhibition of the kingdom,

to be the salt of the earth.

Forgive our timidity,

for your ways are bolder than our ways.

And yet, if you will keep dreaming,

by your grace, we might do what is ours to do today.

Help us to have hope in your unseen promised day, we pray.

(A time of silence for personal confession.)

Leader: God of all goodness, may your goodness shine upon us,
your grace pardon us, your love set us free.

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

* Congregation standing, as able

KYRIE ELEISON

(Stand for the singing of the Gloria Patri followed by the Passing of the Peace.)

* GLORIA PATRI, *sung all together*

**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.**

* PASSING OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST, *responsively*

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

People: And also with you.

(Let us share the peace of Christ.)

(All be seated.)

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Dr. Tim Runge

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

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible, OT, page 647)

Psalm 62:1-8

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM – How Can I Keep From Singing

arr. R. Walters

Sam Odom

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING (Pew Bible, NT, page 247)

1 Thessalonians 1:1-3

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON – Calvarians: Steadfast Hope

Rev. David J. Hanna

(Stand for the singing of the Hymn and the Affirmation of Faith.)

* HYMN 847 – Our Hope, Our Life

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AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, *all together*

Jesus taught us to live into the hope of the coming of God's kingdom.

We believe that God is at work in our world

turning hopeless and evil situations into good.

We believe that goodness and justice will triumph in the end,

and that tyranny and oppression will cease in the end.

One day all tears will be wiped away;

the lamb will lie down with the lion,

and justice will roll down like a mighty stream.

**God's peace and reconciliation are not only desired,
they are assured and guaranteed in Christ.**

This is our faith. This is our hope. Amen.

-based on Ephesians 1:12, Revelation 21:4, Isaiah 11:6, Amos 5:24

(All be seated.)

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.)*

OFFERTORY ANTHEM – O Divine Redeemer

Gounod

(Stand for the singing of the Doxology and the Dedication.)

* PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND DOXOLOGY, *sung all together*

**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.**

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(All be seated.)

PRAYER THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

LORD'S PRAYER, *all together*

**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 for the singing of the Hymn followed by the Benediction.)

* HYMN 772 – Live into Hope

Truro

* BENEDICTION

* BENEDICTION RESPONSE

* ORGAN POSTLUDE – Postludium

Flor Peeters (1903-1986)

THE VISITOR CENTER, in the Chalice Room, is officially open. Please stop by.

ALL BULLETINS AND INSERTS left in the blue baskets by the doors are recycled.

THIS MORNING AT CALVARY CHURCH

We are glad to have you with us today for worship. There is information in the Chalice Room 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.

WE WELCOME GUEST ORGANIST, Charles Cashdollar. He is well known to Calvary folk as an active participant of music and worship activities and a leader in many church matters. Dr. Cashdollar is Professor Emeritus of History and recipient of many accolades at IUP. We thank him for sharing his talents with us today.

GREETING YOU THIS MORNING were Edna and Neil Lehman.

TEAM 4 is ushering this morning.

THE FLOWERS are to the glory of God and in loving memory of our parents, Jean and Fred Woodward, by their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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

FELLOWSHIP TIME – Following worship, join us in the Chalice Room, through the doors to your right, for beverages. Hosts: The Hospitality Committee.

DEACON OF THE WEEK – (August 19 – August 25) Donna Winsheimer

COUNTING TEAM – (August 19) Team 3 – Bill Smith

ST. ANDREW'S VILLAGE CHURCH SERVICE – 7:00 p.m. Sunday, September 8, Marcia Buriok, sermon; Dee Garrettson, liturgy; and Susan Wheatley, piano.

DEACON'S TABLE – **Remember to visit the Deacons' Table 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.

CALVARY CARES – To notify pastoral staff or Deacons of personal concerns, illnesses, hospitalizations, or deaths; to pass along a prayer request; or to arrange homebound Communion, contact the church office. Please note that under current law, medical institutions no longer automatically inform churches when a member is admitted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ABOUT THIS MORNING'S PRELUDES – Australian-born George Thalben-Ball spent his entire career in England where for sixty years he was organist and director at Temple Church in London. His much-loved *Elegy* had a curious origin in 1944 when a BBC live-broadcast church service ended too soon, and Thalben-Ball, who was at the organ, had to improvise something to fill out the hour. So many listeners telephoned the BBC to ask what the composition was that Thalben-Ball was obliged to write down and publish as much of what he had done as he could remember.

Florence Price, a prolific African-American composer whose vocal arrangements were regularly performed by her friend Marian Anderson, was a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music. She and her husband, an attorney, left her hometown of Little Rock, Arkansas, in 1927 when a series of racial incidents, especially a lynching, caused them to fear for their safety. Her career flourished in Chicago, and in 1933 the Chicago Symphony Orchestra performed her *Symphony in E Minor. Adoration*, a lovely, melodic tone poem, was written in 1951.

LIBRARY NEWS – Are you, a friend or family member unable to read standard-size print due to visual problems? If so, the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh has a huge collection of large-print materials and books on tape available for free. Our church library has a sample book reader, information on large-print titles, as well as applications to apply for this free service. (Yes, even the mail service is free.) Karen Ross will be in the library today after church if you want to discuss this program with her.

BELL CHOIR will be starting practice with a mini-social/refreshments on Thursday, August 29, 5:30 p.m. Looking forward to seeing old members and always looking for new people that are interested. You are never too young or too old to learn something new. This is the first rehearsal of the bell choir. Anyone interested in watching and/or participating in the rehearsal is encouraged to attend. Come join us for a fun and engaging time.

CHURCH OFFICE AND BUILDING will be closed Friday, August 23 at noon and will reopen Monday, August 26, 8:00 a.m.

LITTLE DRESSES FOR AFRICA – Finished dresses are due back to the church by September 1. We will have well over 120 dresses plus some shorts for boys. All garments will be on display September 8 in honor of Rwanda Partnership Sunday. We will ship the dresses to Michigan later that week and from there, they will go to Rwanda.

ALL ABOARD – Are you ready to set sail for another great season of Christian education? Then clear the deck for a special kick-off breakfast in the dining room on Sunday, September 8, 9:30 -10:30 am. Sign up in the Chalice Room to bring a dish to share.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (continued)

HOSS'S STEAK AND SEA COMMUNITY DAY – It will be Calvary Day at Hoss's Steak and Sea all day this Thursday, August 22 benefiting CROP Hunger Walk. Hoss's Cash Cow cards will be distributed today. Remember, if we have over \$1,200 in total sales at Hoss's, we will receive a 25 percent rebate. Extra cards are available on the Mission Table. Please take a few cards and invite your family, friends and neighbors.

NEW CHURCH MEMBER CLASS, 9:30 A. M. SEPTEMBER 22, 2019 – Are you interested in membership at Calvary? To join you will need to attend a membership class. There is no obligation once you have attended a class. For those who choose to join Calvary, there will be a time with Session and an admission ceremony during the worship service on September 29. Please contact the church office if interested or sign up at the Visitor Center in the Chalice Room.

PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANT (PDA) – Our PDA Clean-up Buckets and Hygiene Kits will be delivered to the New Windsor, Maryland, warehouse in readiness for immediate emergency needs identified by PDA. In all, we assembled eleven Clean-up Buckets and sixty-three Hygiene kits. Many thanks for a summer of big-heartedness.

ICCAP FOOD COLLECTION – In August we will collect food items for healthy breakfasts and packed school lunches: hot drink mixes, coffee, tea, hot chocolate, drink boxes and pouches, cereals (hot and cold), and fruit and pudding cups, packaged snack crackers, cookies, granola bars, peanut butter, and jelly. Use your imagination. Our current measure for 2019 is 1,057 pounds or over 57% of our 2,000-pound goal; therefore we only have five months remaining to come up with the other 43%.

BACK TO SCHOOL BASH (B2SB) – We wish to extend a big thank you for the enthusiastic way the Calvary congregation reacted to our needs. Your donations and willingness to freely give of your time to assist with preparations, the event itself, and clean-up as volunteers go far to make this event the success that it always is. A special thank you also goes to Rich Smith who coordinates the entire event. Highlights and details will follow in the September newsletter.

CONFIRMATION CLASS for any youth interested in confirming his/her baptismal vows will be begin Sunday, September 15, 9:30 a.m. in the church office. To receive an information packet, please contact Tracee Denlinger at calvarydce695@gmail.com or call (724) 463-9197 x15.

CHURCH NEWS ARTICLES ARE AVAILABLE ON CALVARY'S WEBSITE (calvarychurchpa.com) If you would like to receive Church News and Updates please visit the website, "Like Us" on Facebook or signup for weekly emails on the website.



You are Invited!

Church Growth

How They Do It in Rwanda



Rev. Mr. Celestin Nsengimana,
President, Gitarama Presbytery.



Rev. Mr. Samuel Baziruwiha,
Pastor, Mututu Parish.

The Presbyterian Church in Rwanda is growing quickly. Rev. Mr. Celestin Nsengimana and Rev. Mr. Samuel Baziruwiha will present ideas and methods used by the Presbyterian Church in Rwanda and Gitarama Presbytery which promote growth in church membership on Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. at Calvary Presbyterian Church, Indiana, PA, before the Presbytery meeting which will be held that evening. A light dinner will be served at 5:00 p.m. following the program. Please register to attend this important program!

To register, please complete this portion, and mail it to: Calvary Presbyterian Church
695 School St, Indiana, PA 15701 or call (724) 463-9197. Please register by August 30, 2019.
Rwanda—Church Growth Program September 10.

Name _____

E-Mail Address _____

Name of Home Church _____

Your Telephone Number _____

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)
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)
1st Monday, 4:00 p.m. – Circle 6 (Library) **September 16**
2nd Wednesday, 11:30 a.m. – Finance and Investment Committee
2nd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. – Mission and Outreach Committee
2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. – Hospitality Committee (Prayers & Square Room)
2nd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. – Christian Education Committee (Heritage Room)
2nd Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. – Deacons (Heritage Room)
2nd Thursday, 2:00 p.m. – Communications Committee (Dining Room)
3rd Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. – Session (Heritage Room)

Upcoming events:

Tuesday, September 10, 2:00 p.m. – Evangelism in Rwanda, program and dinner (Dining Room)
Sunday, September 22, 9:00 a.m. – New Membership Class (Library)

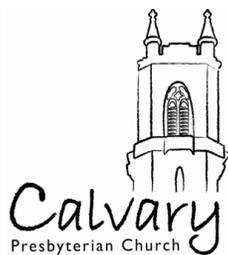
Reminders for next week:

Greeters: Jane and Fred Mitchell
Fellowship Time: Hilliary Creely and Ben Ford
Liturgist: Barkley Butler
Ushers: Team 1
Deacon of the Week: (August 26 – September 1) Jane Mitchell
Counting Team: (August 26) Team 4 – Dee Garrettson

Church Staff:

Pastor: David Hanna
Parish Associate: Richard Cassel
Director of Community Assistance/ Mission: Becky Becker
Director of Christian Education: Tracee Denlinger
Office Manager: Brenda Brock
Bookkeeper: Kimberly Blackgrove
Web Designer: Sue Grimm

Director of Music: Joseph Baunoch
Associate Director of Music: Roberta Jones
Handbell Choir Director: Sam Odom
Head Sexton: Richard Smith
Sexton: Kenneth Leasure
Counselor: Christine Butler
Nursery Caregiver: Norma Sherry



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