

# Calvary Presbyterian Church

## Announcements for Week of September 12, 2021

### **2021 - 2022 Christian Education Class Schedule & Music Ministry Rehearsals**

The new schedule for Christian Education Classes, which begin Sunday, September 19, 2021, and Music Ministry rehearsals are now available including some new additions to our programs. All the details are included on Calvary's website and at the entrance to the Sanctuary.

### **Picnic on the Farm September 18 at 4:00 p.m.**

This picnic season is coming to an end -- so come one, come all! Gather with friends for an outing in the country and share a good time with good folk and good food. The picnic will be held at Roberta Jones Farm on Saturday, September 18 at 4:00 p.m. Bring a chair and a covered dish. Meat and beverages will be furnished. RSVP requested but not required by calling the church office. The event is sponsored by the Saturday Club.

### **Sign-Up for Spirited Calvary book discussion groups**

Do you enjoy reading? Would you like to share conversations about books while you socialize with other Calvary people? Consider joining a Spirited Calvary book discussion group! More information about this opportunity and applications are available at the entrance to the Sanctuary and on our [website](#). You also may sign-up online by visiting <https://tinyurl.com/spirited-book-group>.

### **Mini-Olympic Parent Night Out**

Children of Calvary ages 3 to 11. Bring home the GOLD! from our mini-Olympic Parent Night Out event on Saturday, September 25 from 5:30 - 9:00 p.m. Come dressed as your favorite Olympic athlete and come ready to compete in a variety of events. Register on the PNO sign-up sheet at the entrance to the Sanctuary.

### **Save the Date - Online Retreat for Men and Women**

Waiting on God: Online Retreat for Men and Women, Saturday, October 23 from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Registration information will be posted mid-September. Jeremy Stefano, Director of Emmaus, Selah Faculty at-Large, & Minister of Spiritual Formation with Leadership Transformations, Inc. will be facilitating our time together. Come and receive the rest only Jesus can give.

## **Calvary Connect – Young Adult Fellowship**

College-aged? Looking for a place to connect with peers? Please join us for Calvary Connect Sunday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Dining Room. Contact Chaya Matos (724) 388-7927 or Tracee Denlinger (724) 463-9197 ext. 15 for more information.

## **Blankets for Arcadia**

Please continue to place your new or gently-used blankets, bedspreads, quilts, Afghans, and sleeping bags in the plastic bin placed beneath the table at the entrance to the Sanctuary. They will be distributed with the October Arcadia Presbyterian food distribution.

## **CROP Hunger Walk**

Crop Hunger Walks are community-led interfaith events that raise funds to end hunger locally AND around the world. This year CROP Hunger Walk will again be sponsored by Calvary Presbyterian and Trinity United Methodist Churches and will be self-guided and/or by donation. If you want to walk, there is a container of “CROP Props” located at the entrance to the Sanctuary. Monetary gifts may take the form of checks made out to CWS with CROP on the remittance line. Collection envelopes may be placed with your offering any Sunday in October or mailed to the church office.

## **Outdoor Free Food Pantry**

Donations of food, household and hygiene products are always welcome. Please place items in the red bin at the School Street entrance. Summer suggestions include: packaged meal kits for individuals or families, pasta, jarred pasta sauce and applesauce, crackers, cereal, peanut butter, jelly, coffee, tea, dried drink mixes, packaged snacks, toilet paper, toothpaste, hand soap, dish and laundry detergent.

## **Thank you from the Beckers**

We wish to thank the congregation for the Retirement Send-off, flowers and gift. The Calvary congregation has been at the center of any successes attributed to myself here at Calvary during the last eleven years. Even though it takes leadership, the hands and feet of Calvary make our church what it is – truly a Matthew 25 Congregation.

## **Stay Informed and Get Involved**

Visit our website, [calvarychurchpa.com](http://calvarychurchpa.com), follow us on Facebook and Instagram or contact the church office at (724) 463-9197 for information related to any of our ministries or if you are interested in participating in any of our ongoing activities. You are always welcome here.