

# What's Happening at Calvary December 13, 2020

# We're so glad you've joined us today!

We hope you have been warmly welcomed by the Calvary family. We pray God uses this service to inspire and equip you on your journey of *PURSUING LIFE IN CHRIST!* 

If there is any way we can serve you, please let us know.

**Children's Church:** During our 11:00am service, children in grades K-4 will be dismissed prior to the message.

**Christmas Services:** Join us December 23 at 7:00pm, or December 24 at 4:00, 5:30 or 7:00pm, either in-person or online, as we light candles, sing, and open God's Word together in celebration of Christ's birth! In order to provide a safe, socially-distanced worship environment, we are asking all in-person attendees to RSVP. Should seating in the auditorium become full, overflow seating will be available. Childcare will be provided for children born after September 1, 2017. RSVP at <u>calvarychurch.org/Christmas</u>.

**A Calvary Christmas Special:** Don't miss our first ever Christmas Special! This 30-minute ONLINE video will premiere this Sunday, December 13 at 7:00pm. As you watch and listen, we hope it encourages, uplifts, and challenges you to fix your attention on Jesus and the reason we celebrate His birth! Click on the link on the Life@Calvary email (Dec 8 or 15) or visit <u>calvarychurch.org/special</u>.

**Sunday, December 27:** On the Sunday following Christmas, there will be no 8:00am worship service, ABFs, Student or Elementary Children's ministries. Classes will be offered for children born on or after September 1, 2016 (Nursery through Changers).

**Thank You to Peggy Huber**, one of Calvary's staff members, who will be retiring at the end of December after 20 years of faithful service to the Lord. She has been on the Adult Discipleship team serving in many different roles, including Director of Women's Ministry, and teaching in ABFs and elective classes. Every year, she has faithfully inspired hundreds of women, men, and young adults in their faith journeys. She is a trusted advisor, leader, and teacher and will certainly be missed!

**We Welcome Liz Rodriguez to** the Calvary staff and the Adult Discipleship Team as the new Director of Women's Ministry. Liz grew up in Texas and has served in churches in Washington and Oklahoma in a variety of different roles. Her experience, heart, and passion are a great fit for our church and especially this important role in the discipleship of women at Calvary.

**Offering Envelopes for 2021** are available across from the Chapel during services or on weekdays during normal office hours. If you do not have or no longer need envelopes, please let us know at a Connection Center or call the Church Office.

**Financial Peace University:** Begins Monday, January 11, at 7:00pm, online only. This Bible-based curriculum teaches you how to handle money through video teaching, class discussions, and interactive small group activities. For information and to register, visit <u>calvarychurch.org/financialpeace</u>.

**Heat & Eat Meals—Black Rock Retreat** is utilizing Calvary Church as a pickup location for a heat and eat meal fundraiser to support and sustain their camp ministry. For details and to order visit <u>blackrockretreat.com/meals</u>.

#### PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

LGH: Marilyn Whitacre, Dan Plack

Ephrata: Émily Bechtel

Hersey Rehab: Patty Hauber

Paul & Kathy Fleetman, Chuck & Linda Piper, Torrey & Debbie Fleetman and families in the homegoing of their mother, Esther Fleetman, on December 8. Esther was also the grandmother of Heidi Patterson.

## THIS WEEK/LOOKING AHEAD

### Sunday

8:00, 9:30 & 11:00am—Worship Services, Main Auditorium (Live Stream 9:30 & 11:00)

#### Tuesday

7:00pm—Faithful & True Meeting (call Randy to connect, 717-314-9114)

7:30pm—C4 Young Adult Gathering, Main Auditorium

### Wednesday

3:00pm—Loss of Spouse GriefShare

6:30pm—Weekday Worship (online)

6:30pm—Family & Global Prayer, Chapel

6:30pm—GriefShare

**December 23**—\*Christmas Service: 7:00pm, in-person and online

**December 24**—\*Christmas Services: 4:00, 5:30 & 7:00pm, in-person and online
\*Please RSVP to <u>calvarychurch.org/Christmas</u> for seating purposes

#### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

General	Global	Building
95,000	44,000	19,000
134,491	36,922	9,821
2,008,258	685,930	230,372
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**Did You Know?** We rejoice in the Lord for your wonderful response to our 2020 Thanksgiving Offering. The total received to date is \$127,617. As a result, all of our specified goals have been met! These include 7 local partnerships and ministries, two global partner projects and Global Partner Christmas Gifts. Thank you for your continued faithful stewardship. "O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!" Psalm 118:1.



"The life was made manifest, and we have seen it, and testify to it and proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and was made manifest to us." The life that is found in Jesus has been revealed to us. That is why we celebrate the wonder of Christmas.

# Seen, Testify and Proclaim

#### **Made Manifest**

His Glory (John 2:1-11)

His Work (John 9)

His Purpose (John 21:1-14)

How can we be sure to connect the baby in the manger to the reasons for His coming?

Pursuing Life in Christ

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Watch Live on the My Calvary App, Facebook or live.calvarychurch.org
\*Sign language, Spanish translation and WDAC FM 94.5 broadcast at 11:00am

Calvary Guest WiFi Password: Pursuing Life