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Paul's Letter to the ROMANS

What's Happening at Calvary

NEXT STEPS

Discover Calvary: For those exploring Calvary Church . . . join us Sunday, December 5, 9:30am, in the Chapel. Senior Pastor Beau Eckert will provide insight into who we are, where we're going and how we all fit together. Register at calvarychurch.org/discover.

Kid's Church: In the 11:00am service, kids in K-4 will be dismissed prior to the message.

Thanksgiving Service: Join us Thanksgiving Day, November 25, 10:00-11:00am, in the Auditorium, for a time of thanksgiving and sharing of God's faithfulness and goodness.

Annual Giving Tree 2021: Calvary Church seeks to provide Christmas gifts to 750 "at-risk" children through cooperation with Lancaster County Children and Youth. Tags are available beginning TODAY in the Courtyard Overlook. All gifts must be returned by Sunday, December 5. For more information, visit <u>calvarychurch.org/givingtree</u>.

GriefShare Surviving the Holidays: This special session for anyone who has lost a loved one will meet on Sunday, November 21, 2:00pm, in Rooms 318 & 320. Please contact Karen Hammel at 717-940-7186 with any questions.

New Quarterly Global Prayer Guide: Read stories of the lives and ministries of our Global Partners serving right here and around the globe. Pick up the newest edition in the lobby or request one by mail at <u>calvarychurch.org/prayerguide</u>.

I'm In! We have serving opportunities available during the Sunday 11:00 hour to teach or assist in Nursery and Early Childhood. Don't miss the wonder of helping these little ones learn about our great God! Stop by a Connection Center to get more information, email Sharon ssmith@calvarychurch.org, or visit calvarychurch.org, or visit <a href="mailto:ca

Weddings at Calvary: Please note that we need a minimum of 6 months to complete pre-marital counseling which is required for couples who are married at Calvary Church. For information please read the material at <u>calvarychurch.org/weddings</u>. We look forward to partnering with you through pre-marital counseling, as God prepares you for a strong, life-long marriage.

Pastoral & Chaplain Team Visits: Because of HIPAA privacy regulations, we may not be informed of your hospitalization (especially if admitted through the ER). Please inform the church office of any hospitalization, so we can arrange a visit by the hospital visitation team at Calvary.

The Resource Page is a Central Hub of activities, content, and where to go for more information during this time. Visit <u>calvarychurch.org/resources</u>.

"rightnow MEDIA": Receive free access to 10,000+ video resources from over 150 Christian publishers and ministries, as you *Pursue Life in Christ* in your parenting, marriage, discipleship and more. Flyers are available at the Connection Centers.

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.

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

LGH: William Ellsoos

Ephrata: Jennie Loump, Luke Sterling Glick, Fred Umble

Carol Ferris and family as her husband, Richard Ferris, was called home to heaven on November 9.

The family in the homegoing of Thomas Meyers on November 16.

THIS WEEK

Sunday

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

Tuesday

6:00pm—Worship Ministries Rehearsals

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

Wednesday

No family meal or programs this evening. Have a blessed Thanksgiving and join us again December 1 when all activities will resume.

Thursday

10-11:00am—Thanksgiving Service

Thursday & Friday—Church office will be closed

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

| (Week 20, November 14) | General | Global | Building | Combined |
|------------------------|-----------|---------|----------|-----------|
| Weekly Goal | 103,850 | 40,850 | 13,150 | 157,850 |
| Received | 76,699 | 21,360 | 4,739 | 102,798 |
| Received YTD | 2,126,611 | 657,362 | 166,870 | 2,950,843 |
| Budget YTD | 2,077,000 | 817,000 | 263,000 | 3,157,000 |

Financial summaries through Oct 31 are available at the Connection Centers.

Did You Know? Our Thanksgiving Offering allows us to provide funding for Global Partner projects as well as Christmas gifts for our Global Partner families. It also enables us to assist a number of local partnerships and ministries to transform lives and champion the good news of the gospel. Please see the insert in today's bulletin for more specific details on this year's list of ministry recipients. Thank you for prayerfully considering how the Lord would have you and your family respond to both our Thanksgiving Offering and end-of-year giving opportunities.

Selfless: Paul's Letter to the Romans

Romans 15:14-33 (page 949)

Paul has made some bold challenges and reminders throughout the letter. Today, Paul begins to draw his letter to a close with some personal challenges of how to live in response to the gospel.

In response to the Gospel:

Pursue a Transformed Life to bring Transformation (15:14-16)

Invest in God's Work (15:17-21)

Full of Goodness Without Filled with Knowledge Without Goodness

Pursue Generosity (15:22-29)

Strive Together in Prayer (15:30-33)

Reflection and Action:

- 1. Set a point on the transformation grid for yourself. Where would others set your point?
- 2. How are you actively participating in God's transforming work in the world?

November 21 – Romans 15:14-33 | November 28 – Romans 16:1-27

Thanks for joining us! To get connected, text "newhere" to **717-528-2341** or scan the OR code.









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