

# WAGING PEACE



May 2, 2021

## ***What's Happening at Calvary***

### **NEXT STEPS**

**Baptism Class:** For those interested in being baptized . . . a class will be held Sunday, May 9, 9:30am, Room 359. Register at [calvarychurch.org/baptism](https://calvarychurch.org/baptism).

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

**National Day of Prayer:** "Lord, Pour out Your Love, Life, and Liberty (2 Corinthians 3:17). To be held at Calvary Church on Thursday, May 6, 6:30-8:00pm. Kevin Eshleman, Lead Pastor at Ephrata Community Church, will be the prayer leader and speaker. Worship will be led by our own Pastor Dave Ross and worship band. Info at [lancasterndp.com](https://lancasterndp.com).

**New Global Prayer Guide:** Our latest prayer guide is now available! This third issue focuses on the least-reached people around the world, specifically the Baka of Cameroon and the Garhwali of India. Pick up a copy in the lobby or request one at [calvarychurch.org/prayerguide](https://calvarychurch.org/prayerguide). Thank you for partnering with us in prayer for our global partners!

**Global Partner Family Housing:** COVID has created unique housing situations in Lancaster for our Global families. Current housing is full due to families unable to leave because of COVID border closings. If you are aware of any cost-effective housing options, contact Terri at [tsherman@calvarychurch.org](mailto:tsherman@calvarychurch.org). Please pray these needs can be met.

**The Nominating Committee** is identifying candidates for the role of elders and deacons. Learn more about the process and submit your suggestions online at [calvarychurch.org/nominating](https://calvarychurch.org/nominating).

**Internet Safety Technology for Parents:** Sunday, May 16, 9:30am, Room 320. We will discuss practical technology to protect your home as a help in your overall goal of discipling your children's hearts. Register at [calvarychurch.org/internetsafety](https://calvarychurch.org/internetsafety).

**Marriage Enrichment Elective:** Whether you've been married for many years or it's just the beginning of your journey together, there is always room to grow. This elective is a great next step to strengthening your marriage! Sunday mornings September 2021 thru May 2022. Registration is limited. Visit [calvarychurch.org/MarriageEnrichment](https://calvarychurch.org/MarriageEnrichment).

**Children's Ministries:** Fall in love with children and be a part of the work God is doing in their lives! Join us NOW as we are opening additional classrooms and small groups to welcome back more families returning to church. Contact Sharon at [ssmith@calvarychurch.org](mailto:ssmith@calvarychurch.org) or visit a Connection Center for more info about serving.

**Food Service Workers Needed:** As we look forward to hosting events this Fall, there are opportunities for work as servers (setting tables, serving, clean-up). Part-time, as needed basis, evenings and Saturdays. Must be able to be on your feet for 5+ hours and able to lift 25 pounds. Experience helpful, but training provided. If interested, contact Jon Deitz at [jdeitz@calvarychurch.org](mailto:jdeitz@calvarychurch.org).

## ***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  
*PURSUIING LIFE IN CHRIST!*  
If there is any way we can serve you, please let us know.

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### **PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER**

LGH: Bob Mellinger | Ephrata: Pauline Cota  
Children's Seashore House (Pediatric Rehab): Matthew Denlinger

Ken & Brenda Jackson in the homegoing of Ken's father, Art Jackson, on April 28.

Connecting through Prayer: Do you have a prayer need you would like to share with others? Please visit [calvarychurch.org](http://calvarychurch.org) and select the Prayer tab at the top of the page, fill out the form and someone will pray for your need. If you request someone to reach out to you, someone will respond in a timely manner.

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### **THIS WEEK**

#### **Sunday**

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

#### **Tuesday**

6:30pm—Grace & Hope, visit [calvarychurch.org/graceandhope](http://calvarychurch.org/graceandhope) for information

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

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

#### **Wednesday**

6:30pm—Weekday Worship (online)

6:30pm—Family & Global Prayer, Chapel

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### **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

(Week 43, April 25)	General	Global	Building
Weekly Goal	95,000	44,000	19,000
Received	85,487	20,739	4,932
Received YTD	4,458,367	1,458,690	471,111
Budget YTD	4,085,000	1,892,000	817,000

Financial summaries thru March 31 available at Connection Centers.

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**Did You Know?** Renew 2020, our Fellowship Hall renovation project, is completed with the exception of some furniture that was back-ordered during the pandemic. We are pleased to report that due to the diligence of church staff and leadership, this sizable project came in under budget! As promised, and because of your faithful stewardship, we were able to complete the project debt-free! Praise the Lord! We pray that these new facilities will be used to glorify God and to increase our discipleship efforts as a church family.

## Waging Peace

One of the biggest sources of conflict is money. But when we understand that life is about stewardship not ownership, we begin taking steps towards financial peace.

**Review: The Source of Conflict** - *"I'm just not getting what I want."*

### The Myth of Ownership

"In the beginning, God . . ." (Gen. 1:1)

"The earth is the Lord's and everything in it." (Psalm 24:1)

### The Reality of Stewardship

"and entrusted to them his property." (Matt. 25:14)

Give, Save, Live

For Discussion:

*What does your spending reveal about your values?*

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### **Framework: What is a Godly Worldview?**

We all have a worldview, a framework that shapes how we live. It is the lens through which we see, understand and interpret the world and our place within it. It answers the big questions of life. Do you know what has shaped your worldview? Do you know why another's worldview differs from yours? What is a godly worldview and how do we live from it? Join us, starting next week, as we begin a brand new series entitled **Framework**.



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\*Sign language, Spanish translation and WDAC FM 94.5 broadcast at 11:00am