

## February 12, 2017

#### **PRAISE & ADORATION**

Call to Worship/Scripture	Minister	
II Peter 1: 5-15		
Prayer	Deacon	
Praise & WorshipF	CBC Praise Team	
The Word in Song	.Tots of Praise (2) (10:45 a.m.)	
Drama Presentation		
The Litany	See Insert	
Hymn	#537	
	"Oh, Freedom"	
CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP		
The Church News (10:45 a.m.)	Paige Montana	

The Greeting (10:45 a.m.).....Jekiyah Lyons Pastoral Concerns Offertory/ Scholarship Appeal......Sister Elnora Shields Sister Brenda Carter Offertory Prayer......Minister \*Offertory Response.....#652 "You Can't Beat God Giving"

Offertory Music

#### **CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER**

Recognition of Returning Sick/Prayer Concerns

\*Hymn of Dedication.....#389 "Jesus is All the World to Me"

Altar Call & Prayer......Minister

The Word in Song

#### **WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION**

\*\*The Sermon......Pastor Fredrick A. Davis

"THE EXCELLENCE OF FAITH (Brotherly Kindness & Love)" II Peter 1

\*Invitation to Christian Discipleship/ Invitational Selection

If you would like to unite with our Church Family, you can do so during the Hymn of Invitation following the sermon. You may join by Baptism, Christian Experience, Letter, or as an Associate Member.

### **CHURCH NEWS**

FROM PASTOR DAVIS: JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY, WEDNESDAYS AT 7:00 P.M. Deacon Families this week: Davenport, Gadson, & Langley.

YOUNG ADULTS: Be at the Young Adult Conference WORDshop on Saturday, 8:30 a.m. and join the Young Adult Choir. We will be looking for you in the number on Young Adult Sunday next week! ALSO...Join us NEXT Sunday afternoon (2/19) at 4:00 p.m. as we celebrate the Service of Ordination for Minister Terrill M. Lloyd.

New disciples (12 & up) are urged and invited to attend the **NEW DISCIPLES CLASS** at 9:30 a.m. The lesson on February 19<sup>th</sup> is Lesson 6, "What Baptists Believe (Part 1)"

SHARING SOME LOVE: The Hospitality Ministry would like to wish our church family and friends a Happy Valentine's Day. We have a special token for you after service today in the vestibule.

**POP:** The next Pearls of Praise fellowship will be Saturday, February 18th, 9:30 a.m. We will be discussing "Strategy Two:—Against Your Focus" from the book Fervent: A Woman's Battle Plan for Serious, Specific, and Strategic Prayer by Priscilla Shirer. Sister Avera White of Cedar Rock Missionary Baptist Church, New Hill, NC, will lead our discussion. The book is available at any Christian bookstore, or online resource. Hope to see you there!

YAM CONFERENCE 2017: "iThrive": Young Adults (ages 18-38), plan to attend the YAM WORDshop on Saturday, February 16th, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and Young Adult Sunday, February 19<sup>th</sup>. We also need your voice in the Young Adult Choir! We want your input and participation not just for the YAM Conference, but for the Ministry as a whole....GET INVOLVED!

WOMANHOOD MONTH: Come share your ideas! The Womanhood Month Committee will meet on the following dates: 2/16, 3/2, 3/16, 3/30, 4/6, 4/20, & 4/27. All meetings will begin at 6:30 p.m., and all ladies are invited to join us.

SILC: SINGLES IN LOVE WITH CHRIST: Single persons are all invited to our Singles Meetings with a Purpose - Mini-Inspirational Check-Ups and monthly meeting on February 23rd, 6:30 p.m. "Untold Stories in Black History - Even Though I..." presented by Sister Carolyn Brown. WORDshops are on the 4th Thursday of each month.

**GRADUATING SENIORS:** Schedule your one-on-one with our Youth Minister, Minister Emily Carroll. She is waiting on your call. In order to obtain your graduation stipend, this meeting must take place prior to May 21, 2017. She can be reached at (919)489-4184 or carroll@firstcalvary.org.

PHOTOGRAPHY REQUESTS: All ministry leaders, when planning events, please remember to submit your photography request at least 2 weeks prior to your event via the Photography Request form found on the FCBC website, under the "Inside FCBC" menu. Once the form is received and reviewed, a member of the photography ministry will be in contact to confirm if the ministry will be available to serve.

**PURSE PROJECT:** The Womanhood Committee invites all ladies to participate in our 2017 "Purses with a Purpose" outreach project. From February 19<sup>th</sup>-April 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will be collecting gently used purses, along with toiletry and other feminine items to donate to ladies in the community. Look for bins around the church to place your donations.

**HIDDEN FIGURES MOVIE OUTING:** For those going to see the movie this afternoon, please meet in the fellowship hall immediately after each service to get your tickets. Tickets will be available for those who signed up to attend-the cost is \$7. For those in need of a ticket, please see Sister Melissa Newsome (919-219-4021) as there may be a few extra tickets available. We will arrive at Northgate by 1:15 p.m. and the movies starts at 1:20 p.m.

CHILDREN'S TRIP: Children Ages 4-11-Travel with us to Rocky Mount to the Imperial Center for the Arts and Science. We will have interactive hands on experience at the Outdoor Adventure exhibit and then celebrate Black History with a Laser Motown Show at the Cummins Planetarium. Departure Time: 9:30 a.m. Sign up with Minister Carroll at <a href="mailto:carroll@firstcalvary.org">carroll@firstcalvary.org</a>. Seats are limited. Parents are welcome! www.imperialcentre.org.

EMERGENCY RESPONSE: We are forming a Response Team for Church emergencies! The ERT will be a Ministry of trained church members that will respond to an array of emergent/urgent occurrences in the church. If you have a medical background or skills, or are interested in serving, please join the Team! For more information, contact Trustee Doug Lyons at (919) 358-3298 or dlyons89323@aol.com.

If you are having a medical procedure, or are sick at home for over a week, please contact the church office so that Pastoral contact can occur as soon as possible or at your request.

#### **HEALING AND RECOVERY**

Remember our sick & shut-in members with prayers, cards, visits, & calls and share this information with the Pastor and Deacons. Contact the church office with sick & shut in information.

**HOSPITAL & CARE FACILITY** 

Bro. Thomas Adams	Hillcrest Rehabilitation Center
	1417 W. Pettigrew Street 27705
Sis. Mary Lee Elliott	Eno Assisted Living
	5600 N. Roxboro Road 27712
Sis. Gussie Langley	Carver Living Center
	303 E. Carver Street 27704
Sis. Delphine Lemon	<b>Durham Nursing &amp; Rehabilitation Center</b>
	411 S. LaSalle Street 27705
	AT HOME CARE

AT HOWE CARE		
Sis. Anne Adams	2017 Holly Hill Drive	27713
Sis. Mary Bolling	2330 Taylor Street	27703
Sis. Ruthie Crisp	609 Shannon Road, Chapel Hill	27516
Sis. Wilhemenia Foster-Long	309 Pearson Drive	27713
Bro. Charles Joyner	1023 Rosedale Rd.	27707
Sis. Shawn McClain	500 Pickwick Trl, #310	27704
Sis. Eliza McCrimmon	901 Chalk Level Rd., Apt. B-4	27707
Sis. Rachelle Nelums	723 Melanie Street	27704
Dea. John Smith	1405 Timber Wolf Drive	27713
Sis. Mary Strayhorn	1205 Moreland Avenue	27707
Sis. Gale Thompson	1024 Kent Street	27707
Deacns. Addye Townsend	1214 Holloway Street	27703
Sis. Joyce Wall	2330 Taylor Street	27703

**MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSAL SCHEDULE** MONDAY & THURSDAY- February 13th & 16th Young Adult Choir - 7:00pm

#### MINISTRY MEETING SCHEDULE

CFLR -Community Family Life Center at Lyon Park CFR - Conference Room CRM - Choir Room CR I -Classroom 1 CR II -Classroom 2 CR III -Classroom 3 **FH** – Fellowship Hall **LIB** – Library **Sanct**-Sanctuary

#### SUNDAY

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7:00 am Intercessory Prayer Service (4<sup>th</sup> Sun)

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9:30 pm	Discipleship Orientation Class
1:15pm	Health & Wellness Ministry (2nd Sun)
1:15 pm	Evangelism Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
1:15 pm	Daughters of Calvary (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)
1:15 pm	Computer Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
4:00 pm	Associate Ministers (each 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
5:00 pm	Deacons & Trustee Ministry Mtg. (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
6:30 pm	Official Leadership Team (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
	MONDAY
6:00 pm	Tots of Praise Rehearsal (after 1st & 4th Sun)
6:15 pm	Video Ministry (4 <sup>th</sup> Mon)
6:30 pm	Psalm 150 (after 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sun)
6:30 pm	Young Adult Choir (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
6:30pm	Children's Church Committee (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)
6:30 pm	Sunday School Teachers (1st Mon)
6:30 pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise
7:00pm	Entrepreneur Ministry (1st Mon)
7:00pm	Visionary Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday)
7:30pm	Male Chorus (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)
7:30pm	Young Adult Choir (before 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday)
	TUESDAY
6:00pm	Scouting Ministry (every other Tuesday)
6:30pm	Hospitality Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)
6:30pm	Praise Team
6:30pm	Circle of Care (COC) (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday-Quarterly)
7:00pm	Male Summit (Tuesday after 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)
7:30pm	Music Council (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday)
7:30pm	The Encouragers (1st Tuesday)
	WEDNESDAY
12:00pm	Noon Day Prayer
6:30pm	Prayer and Praise Service
7:00pm	Bible Study
	THURSDAY
6:00pm	Nursery Ministry (1st Thursdays)
6:30pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise
6:30pm	Beautification Committee (2nd Thursday)
6:30pm	Couples' Ministry (4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday)
6:30pm	Youth Council (4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday)
6:30pm	ACT Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday)
6:30pm	Young Adult Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday)
7:00pm	Singles in Love with Christ (4th Thursday)
7:00pm	Sunday Service Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm	Drama Ministry
	SATURDAY
9:30am	Pearls of Praise (2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday)
10:00am	Scholarship Ministry (before the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday
10:00am	PROJECT F.I.N.E.
10:00am	Onesiphorous Prison Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday)
10:30am	Deaconess Ministry (1st Saturday)

Senior Missionary Ministry (3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday)

Senior Usher & First Aid Ministry (2<sup>nd</sup> Sat)

11:30am Culinary Arts Ministry (4<sup>th</sup> Saturday)

11:00am

11:00am

<sup>\*</sup> Benediction

<sup>\*</sup>PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE and remain standing \*\*Please refrain from walking during The Sermon

#### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Today we celebrate Scholarship Sunday. It is a blessing to be a part of a congregation that recognizes the importance of encouraging and financially supporting youth who have made a conscious decision to better themselves. Our young people must recognize the value in attaining a good education. Education has the ability to open the doors to many opportunities and new experiences. If you haven't done so, please set aside a \$100.00 contribution (or whatever God leads you to give...just give SOMETHING) for our Scholarship Endowment Fund. God has truly blessed us at First Calvary. We have been able to support so many of our young people in their pursuit of higher education. Your giving makes a difference and we thank you! Special thanks to the Scholarship Ministry for their efforts on today.

Parents, it is our responsibility to train our children spiritually, socially and educationally. Proverbs 22:6 states, "Train a child in the way he/she should go and when they are old they will not depart from it." The truth of the matter is the best thing a parent can give to their child/children is Jesus and secondly a good education. Designer clothes, expensive tennis shoes and cell phones are great gifts but they don't build character. We must encourage our children to watch television less and read more. We must encourage our children to play video games less and explore their surroundings more.

I once read in a devotional that we must "TAKE AN INTEREST IN PEOPLE"! I believe we as a people have become too self-centered...too many of us are only concerned about ME, MYSELF AND I and still find something missing at the end of day. So, let's forget about ourselves and see if there is somebody or anybody that can use our help this week, this month or this year. Our culture and history are FULL of folks that were working to do something that would help someone else. We should emulate the likes of Booker T. Washington...Coretta Scott King...Ida B. Wells...former President Barack and First Lady Michelle Obama...and Dr. James E. Shepherd (Do you know who they all are? If not...find out!). Remember the words of the song..... "IF I CAN HELP SOMEBODY....THEN MY LIVING SHALL NOT BE IN VAIN"! We are celebrating our History this month by "going to the movies". Take some time with your family to go on a trip down black movie memory lane.

Young Adults, get ready for the Young Adult Conference this week! Plan to be there and invite someone. Be a Young Adult that can say, "In Christ....and at First Calvary... 'iThrive'"! On next Sunday, we will celebrate both Young Adult Sunday and the Service of Ordination of Minister Terrill Lloyd. February is almost half over and ministry is truly going on at First Calvary! Remember always we are, "AN EXCITING CHURCH EXCITED ABOUT ITS MISSION!"

Show the FCBC Food Pantry some LOVE... donate non-perishable food items ANYTIME: peanut butter, rice, jelly, pasta, cereal, canned veggies, pasta sauce, etc.

#### THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

We live in a world of justification. We feel like we have to justify everything we do. Think about the prevalence of updates that occur on FaceBook, Instagram, Google+, Pinterest, Tumblr or any other tools that we use for Social Media. We want people to know who we are, and why we are who we say we are... justification. It goes a little beyond that. If you walk into a room and you are absolutely beaming, and joyful, what happens? The first thing people want to know is, "What's going on with you?" "Did you hit the lottery?" "Do you have a new man? "Do you have a new woman?" "Why are you so happy?" Do we really need to justify why we are happy? Well, we shouldn't have to, but we feel like we do. Sadly, we try to plug everything we can in the happiness socket to get our lives to light up. Does it really take all that? Actually, no it doesn't. Not if you have a thriving relationship with the Lord. Psalms 5:11-12 NLT, says this, "But let all who take refuge in you rejoice; let them sing joyful praises forever. Spread your protection over them, that all who love your name may be filled with joy." If you take refuge in God, there is a reason to be happy. Last time I checked, joy and happiness were related. They are first cousins of praise. Are you happy?

#### **TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE**

Music: Tots of Praise/Voices of Calvary Minister Michael Dotson **Director of Music Ministries:** Senior Church Musician: **Brother David Cannady** Percussionist: **Brother Andre Sanders** Saxophonist: **Brother Lynwood Jones** First Aide Ministry: Sister Kelly Foster **Encouragers: Brother Lonnie Forte/ Sister Kendra Adams Audio Technician: Deacon Darryll Gadson Nursery Volunteers:** Minnie Russell/Dorothy Tate/ DeMya Oakley/Danyell Hinton Videographers: **Brother Reginald Taylor/** Sister Anita Hill **Next Sunday Van Drivers:** Deacon Jeff Forde/

#### STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

Our <u>Tithes & Offerings</u> must be \$32,288.46 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!

January 29, 2017

Bible Study <u>83</u> Sunday School <u>151</u> New Members <u>6</u> Early Worship <u>231</u> Worship Service <u>282</u>

Tithes and Offering	\$28,823.04
Sacrificial Offering	\$1,882.56
Children's Church	\$12.05
Food Pantry	\$315.00
Special Project	\$250.00
Scholarship	\$100.00
Sunday School	\$133.29
Online Giving	\$ 7,237.00
Total Giving	\$38,788.94

**Deacon Shedrick Poole** 

First Calvary is accepting applications for the position of Church Business Administrator (CBA). Requirements: Bachelor's degree in business, management, facilities management or related field; Masters of Divinity degree or Church Administration certification or degree is highly preferred. Must have a minimum of three years of experience in management, personnel supervision and in facilities management; and excellent oral and written communication skills. Background as a Minister is highly preferred from an accredited Seminary or Biblical Institution. MUST have a strong knowledge in Finance with experience working with a minimal budget of \$2M. Please submit resume to: personnel@firstcalvary.org.

#### AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

#### February 2017

1	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00PM	Bible Study
4	2:00 PM	DIACONATE MINISTRY
		"HONORING OUR ELDERS" LUNCHEON
SUN 5	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship Service
		Holy Communion
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Service of Baptism
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
		Holy Communion
	1:15 PM	YOUNG ADULT KICKOFF SOCIAL
8	12:00 <i>noon</i>	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00PM	Bible Study
10-11	6:00 PM	COUPLES' MINISTRY MARRIAGE
	8:00 AM	SIMULCAST
<b>SUN 12</b>		"LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES"
		CELEBRATING AFRICAN AMERICAN
		HISTORY (2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday)
		SCHOLARSHIP SUNDAY
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship Service
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
45	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
15	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45 PM 7:00PM	Prayer & Praise Bible Study
15-19	7.009101	YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE
SUN 19	7:45 AM	YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY
	9:30 AM	Early Morning Worship Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
	4:00 PM	SERVICE OF ORDINATION:
	4.001101	MINISTER TERRILL LLOYD
22	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
SUN 26	7:00 AM	Intercessory Prayer
30.1120	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service
NO FOOD, DRINK OR GUM IN THE SANCTUARY.		

## HELP KEEP THE BUILDING CLEAN BY DISPOSING OF TRASH.

\*Please remain standing

\*\*Please refrain from walking during The Sermon
Use the rear exit unless there is an emergency
THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

You are invited to join us for Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.! <u>LIKE US ON FACEBOOK:</u> First Calvary Baptist Church, Durham, NC

The Abbreviated FC Mission Statement:

E<sup>3</sup>: Empower spiritual lives, Enhance quality of life,
& Evangelize the lost



"An Exciting Church Excited About Its Mission"

## SCHOLARSHIP SUNDAY



# AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

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Fredrick A. Davis, M.DIV., D.D. Pastor February 12, 2017

**SUNDAY** 

Worship- 7:45am & 10:45am Children's Church-10:45am Sunday School-9:30am

#### WEDNESDAY

Noon Day Prayer- 12:00pm Prayer & Praise- 6:45pm Bible Study-7:00pm

"DEVELOPING AND LEADING DISCIPLES INTO SPIRITUAL EXCELLENCE"