

# First Calvary Baptist Church

**February 24, 2019**

**7:45 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Worship**

## PRAISE & ADORATION

Call to Worship/Scripture.....Minister  
Philippians 4: 4-7

Prayer.....Deacon

Praise & Worship.....FCBC Praise Team

The Word in Song

## CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

The Health Tip (10:45 a.m.).....Sister Carolyn Boone

The Church News (10:45 a.m.)

The Greeting (10:45 a.m.).....Brother Arthur Martin

The Time of Fellowship

Hymn.....#258  
"Victory in Jesus"

Pastoral Concerns

Offertory Appeal

Offertory Prayer.....Minister

\*Offertory Response.....#652  
"You Can't Beat God Giving"

Offertory Music

## CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER

The Recognition of Returning Sick/Prayer Concerns

\*Hymn of Dedication.....#538  
"We Shall Overcome"

Altar Call & Prayer.....Minister

The Word in Song

## WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION

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

**"PRAYER & PRAISE IN GOD'S HEARING"**

**Philippians 4: 4-7**

\*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.*

\*Benediction

**\*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE and remain standing**

**\*\*Please refrain from walking during The Sermon**

# CHURCH NEWS

**FROM PASTOR DAVIS: CENSUS CARDS.....** We are still needing Census Cards! WE NEED ALL HEADS OF HOUSEHOLDS TO FILL OUT A CARD AND TURN IT IN TO THE CHURCH OFFICE. Why? The Cards help update our database, help us know who is a part of our Church Family, help us know how to budget for Ministry activity, and help us know how to pray for increase. **THE CARDS ARE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND ARE FOR CHURCH OFFICE AND DIACONATE USE ONLY.** Cards can be found in the Vestibule, in the Atrium Area at the Magazine Rack, and can be obtained from an Usher. **PLEASE fill out and submit a card TODAY and no later than February 28<sup>th</sup>.** Thank you to those who have been obedient and filled out a card already.

**DEACON FAMILIES THIS WEEK: Poole, Privette, & Forde.**

**TO ENSURE YOU RECEIVE CREDIT FOR ALL FINANCIAL GIVING, PLEASE, PLEASE WRITE LEGIBLY ON YOUR TITHING ENVELOPES.**

**Please contact the Church Office or your Deacon DIRECTLY when you have medical procedures or bereavement. Please help us to know of your life moments so that we can offer support and prayers as a Church Family. Remember...we are not able to follow everyone on Facebook!**

New disciples (12 & up) are urged and invited to attend the **NEW DISCIPLES CLASS** at 9:30 a.m. The lesson on March 3<sup>rd</sup> is Lesson 8, "An Overview of the Ministries of First Calvary".

**SMILE FOR US!!** The Hospitality Ministry is looking to take pictures of new members who have joined with us since November 2018. Please plan to meet a Hospitality Ministry member in the downstairs foyer after each service for picture taking the month of February. These pictures will be placed on the bulletin board for the FCBC family to view, encourage greeting and get to know one another.

**VIDEO VOLUNTEERS & AUDIO VOLUNTEERS: SERVING OPPORTUNITY-**Come volunteer with the Video AND/OR Audio Ministry! We need folks behind the scenes! No experience necessary....we will train you! Everyone is welcome! Contact [video@firstcalvary.org](mailto:video@firstcalvary.org) or [audio@firstcalvary.org](mailto:audio@firstcalvary.org) for details and needs.

**CPR TRAINING:** A CPR workshop will be held on March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Sign up after both services in Atrium downstairs to receive a study packet.

**CLOSET CLEANUP: FROM THE USHERS MINISTRY-**Any Ministries or anyone having items stored in the closet in the Vestibule marked "Ushers" are asked to please identify those items to be "saved" and those which can be "discarded". This closet is being cleaned out, and any items not labeled are subject for tossing.

**COUPLES' SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS:** "God can do ANYTHING, you know – far more than you could ever imagine or guess or request in your wildest dreams." –Eph. 3:20 Escape Your Ordinary....Wash your relationship with the Word of God and access the tools to transform your marriage into a reflection of God's extraordinary love. Join us today and the coming weeks as we revisit the XO19 Marriage Conference sessions at 9:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall. A lite breakfast is served at 9:15 a.m. FOR ALL SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDEES.

**2019 SPRING LOVE OFFERING:** Attention all College Students: Please complete the Spring Love Offering form listed on the Scholarship ministry page ([scholarship@firstcalvary.org](mailto:scholarship@firstcalvary.org) by 1:00 p.m. on March 2, 2019 if you wish to receive the Spring Love Offering. Please do not place the form in the Ministry mailbox as we will only accept online requests. Please contact Sister Brenda Carter ([brenda\\_6470404@yahoo.com](mailto:brenda_6470404@yahoo.com)) or Deaconess Sharyn Davis ([sharynsue@bellsouth.net](mailto:sharynsue@bellsouth.net)) if you have any questions.

**TIME FOR PRAISE AND WORSHIP:** Join us for the FCBC Music Workshop, March 26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>, with Special Guest Clinician: Minister Patrick Lundy. Registration is going on NOW on the Church Website. Get ready for great teaching and blessed rehearsals on March 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>, and an anointed Concert on Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>. All nights begin at 7:00 p.m. Mark your calendars and plan to be there!

## 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

Sis. Mildred Gerald	<b>Brian Center</b> 6000 Fayetteville Road 27713
Sis. Gussie Langley	<b>Carver Living Center</b> 303 E. Carver Street 27704

### AT HOME CARE

Sis. Mary Bolling	1010 Hemlock Avenue	27707
Sis. Teresa Brown	1110 Nichols Farm Drive	27703
Bro. Sherman Duffie	4815 Hoppers Drive	27704
Sis. Wilhemenia Foster-Long	309 Pearson Drive	27713
Sis. Naomi Grier	517 Grammy Place	27704
Sis. Shirley Jackson	2420 Glenbrook Drive	27707
Sis. Delphine Lemon	2200 N. Oakridge Blvd	27707
Bro. Frank Lloyd	7 Gwendolyn Circle	27703
Sis. Eliza McCrimmon	1207 Gilbert Street	27701
Sis. Rachelle Nelums	723 Melanie Street	27704
Sis. Rebecca Oats	1622 Alcott Street	27701
Sis. Minnie Russell	810 Waring Street	27704
Sis. Gwen Smith	1326 Elmset Lane	27713
Dea. John Smith	1405 Timber Wolf Drive	27713
Sis. Mary Strayhorn	1205 Moreland Avenue	27707
Sis. LaConya Thorpe	2801 Ross Road	27703
Sis. Joyce Wall	1010 Hemlock Avenue	27707
Sis. Dorothy Waller	1027 Moreland Avenue	27707

**MONDAY & THURSDAY, February 25<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>** Psalms 150-7:00pm  
**TUESDAY, February 26<sup>th</sup>** Praise Team-6:30pm

# 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

7:00 am	Intercessory Prayer Service (4 <sup>th</sup> Sun)	Sanct
9:30 pm	Discipleship Orientation Class	LIB
1:15pm	Health & Wellness Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR I
1:15 pm	Evangelism Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR II
1:15 pm	Daughters of Calvary (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	CR II
1:15 pm	Computer Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR III
4:00 pm	Associate Ministers (each 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR II
5:00 pm	Deacons & Trustee Ministry Mtg. (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR III/LIB
6:30 pm	Official Leadership Team (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	FH

## MONDAY

6:00 pm	Tots of Praise Rehearsal (after 1 <sup>st</sup> )	CRM
6:30 pm	Psalms 150 (after 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sun)	CRM
6:30 pm	Young Adult Choir (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CRM
6:30pm	Children's Church Committee (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	LIB
6:30 pm	Sunday School Teachers (1 <sup>st</sup> Mon)	CR I
6:30 pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
7:00pm	Entrepreneur Ministry (1 <sup>st</sup> Mon)	CR III
7:00pm	Visionary Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon)	LIB
7:30pm	Male Chorus (after 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	CRM
7:30pm	Young Adult Choir (before 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	CRM

## TUESDAY

6:00pm	Scouting Ministry (every other Tues)	ALL AREAS
6:30pm	Hospitality Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues)	CR I
6:30pm	Praise Team	CRM
6:30pm	Circle of Care (COC) (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues-Quarterly)	LIB
6:30pm	Beauty for Ashes	LIB
7:00pm	Male Summit (Tuesday after 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sun)	LIB
7:30pm	Music Council (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues)	CR II
7:30pm	The Encouragers (1 <sup>st</sup> Tues)	CR III

## WEDNESDAY

12:00pm	Noon Day Prayer	LIB
6:45pm	Prayer and Praise Service	FH
7:00pm	Bible Study	FH & CR

## THURSDAY

6:00pm	Nursery Ministry (1 <sup>st</sup> Thurs)	Nursery
6:30pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
6:30pm	Beautification Committee (2 <sup>nd</sup> Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	Couples' Ministry (4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs)	CR II
6:30pm	Youth Council (4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	ACT Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	Young Adult Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Thurs)	CR II
7:00pm	Singles in Love with Christ (4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs)	LIB
7:00pm	Sunday Service Choir Rehearsal	CRM
7:30pm	Drama Ministry	CR III

## SATURDAY

9:30am	Pearls of Praise (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat)	CRM
10:00am	Scholarship Ministry (before the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sun)	CR II
	PROJECT F.I.N.E.	CFLR
	Onesiphorous Prison Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat)	CR I
10:30am	Deaconess Ministry (1 <sup>st</sup> Sat)	LIB/Sanct
11:00am	Senior Missionary Ministry (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat)	LIB
11:00am	Senior Usher & First Aid Ministry (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat)	CRM/ Sanct
11:30am	Culinary Arts Ministry (4 <sup>th</sup> Sat)	LIB

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

I am grateful for the ministry work that goes on in the life of First Calvary. It is a blessing to see the service you give for the success of the Kingdom of God at First Calvary. Thanks to the Young Adult Ministry for an invigorating Young Adult Conference. Young Adults....we are looking for you....come join this active ministry! The ministries of First Calvary are truly doing exciting things! There is much to do! Coming soon, we will have CPR Training, Scouting Sunday, our Annual Music Workshop and we will celebrate our first Sacrificial Sunday all in the month of March. Get ready for even more exciting events and ministry efforts as the year moves on. Speaking of March Madness... oh yeah! I need all of us to go and visit our Website and tell us what you think about it... send your thoughts to [info@firstcalvary.org](mailto:info@firstcalvary.org).... Also don't forget that we are on Cable Channel 18 on Friday Mornings at 10:00 a.m. and now Sunday Nights 8:00 p.m.

March is marching toward us and there will be much going on in the life of FCBC as spring springs up! As we celebrate Stewardship Month, let's not forget "All Tithers/ Prove Me Sunday" on next Sunday. One day I pray that on that First Sunday in March we will have 100% participation of the adult members over the age of 18 in being consistent tithers. We invite and encourage those that are not tithers to try it and watch God work in your lives.

Calling all golfers...join us on March 16<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 a.m. on the green at Hillandale Golf Course for the 20<sup>th</sup> George C. Smith Golf Tournament, sponsored by West End Community Foundation, Inc....get those clubs ready! We hope to see you there. We also need volunteers to help, so if you are available to lend a hand, please contact Sister Catherine Prince at (919)536-0083 or Pastor Davis.

As we come to the close of our celebration of African American History Month, I encourage each of us to recognize where we come from, not just in February, but every month of the year. Who says we can't celebrate our history everyday? With that in mind, let me challenge us to do something this coming month that will make someone happy instead of sad, empowered instead of embarrassed, affirmed instead of alienated and blessed instead of burdened. Make a difference! Like many of our elders would say, "PUT YOUR BEST FOOT FORWARD, BABY", and walk with dignity and pride. Let us all remember that we are AN EXCITING CHURCH EXCITED ABOUT ITS MISSION!

**LET US PRAY:** Join in the Prayer Conference Call, Wednesdays at 7:00 a.m. (712)432-1001, code "494132935#", Noon Day Prayer (Wednesdays), and Intercessory Prayer (4<sup>th</sup> Sundays, 7:00 a.m.).

## THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

What is the driving force behind the decisions you make? Could it be pride, vengeance, fear or doubt? Does love play a part in navigating you toward your solutions? How we see the world plays a big part in our decision-making. If we view the world from a heart of love, many of the difficult decisions we face probably wouldn't be so difficult. This is what 1 Corinthians 16:14 (NASB) has to say: "Let all you do be done in love." Sounds pretty simple doesn't it? It is simple, unless you have a hard time defining love. In case you do, here is an explanation: "Love is patient, love is kind and is not jealous; love does not brag and is not arrogant, does not act unbecomingly; it does not seek its own, is not provoked, does not take into account wrong suffered, does not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoices with truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things." 1 Corinthians 13:4-7 (NASB) What is the motivation for the things you do? Is love anywhere nearby?

### TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE

**Music:** Male Chorus  
**Director of Music Ministries:** Minister Michael Dotson  
**Church Musician:** Brother David Cannady  
**Percussionist:** Brother Andre Sanders  
**Saxophonist:** Brother Lynwood Jones  
**First Aide Ministry:** Sister Melinda Cozart/  
 Deaconess Yvette Barrow  
**Encouragers:** Sister Rochelle Jackson/  
 Sister Sharon Crisp  
**Audio Technicians:** Brother Ronald Bethea/  
 Brother Robert Vance  
**Videographers:** Sister Jackie Fountain/  
 Sister Toni McIntosh  
**Van Drivers Next Sunday:** Brother James Simms/  
 Brother Ralph Mack

## STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

Our **Tithes & Offerings** must be \$30,621.16 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!  
 Our attendance goals: Bible Study-100, Sunday School-200

**February 17, 2019**

Bible Study **60** Sunday School **121** New Members **N/A**  
 Early Worship **159** Worship Service **195**

Tithes and Offering	\$18,083.03
Sacrificial Offering	\$622.00
Scholarship	\$630.00
Food Pantry	\$107.00
Sunday School	\$172.30
Children's Church	\$4.00
Special Offering	\$5.00
Weekly Online Giving	\$ 4,966.00
<b>Total Giving</b>	<b>\$24,589.33</b>



**THE FCBC FOOD PANTRY IS ALWAYS ACCEPTING DONATIONS OF NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS, to include: jelly, peanut butter, pasta, pasta sauce, canned fruit and veggies, ramen noodles, cereal, rice, dry beans, oatmeal, and tuna.**

## AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH

FEBRUARY 2019

<b>2</b>	2:00 PM	<b>DIACONATE MINISTRY</b> <b>"HONORING OUR ELDERS" LUNCHEON</b>
<b>SUN 3</b>	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/CC Holy Communion
<b>6</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00PM	Bible Study
<b>8-9</b>	9:00 AM-Fri 8:00 AM-Sat	<b>COUPLES' MINISTRY</b> <b>XO MARRIAGE SIMULCAST</b>
<b>SUN 10</b>		<b>SCHOLARSHIP SUNDAY</b>
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship Service
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
<b>13</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
<b>15-16</b>		<b>YOUNG ADULT CONFERENCE</b>
<b>15</b>	7:30 PM	<b>Gospel Explosion Concert</b>
<b>16</b>	8:30 AM	<b>Young Adult WORDshop</b>
<b>SUN 17</b>		<b>YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY</b>
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
<b>20</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study
<b>SUN 24</b>		<b>YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY</b>
	7:00 AM	Intercessory Prayer
	7:45 AM	Early Morning Worship
	9:30 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Morning Worship Service/CC
<b>27</b>	12:00 noon	Noon Day Prayer
	6:45 PM	Prayer & Praise
	7:00 PM	Bible Study

**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**

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.

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

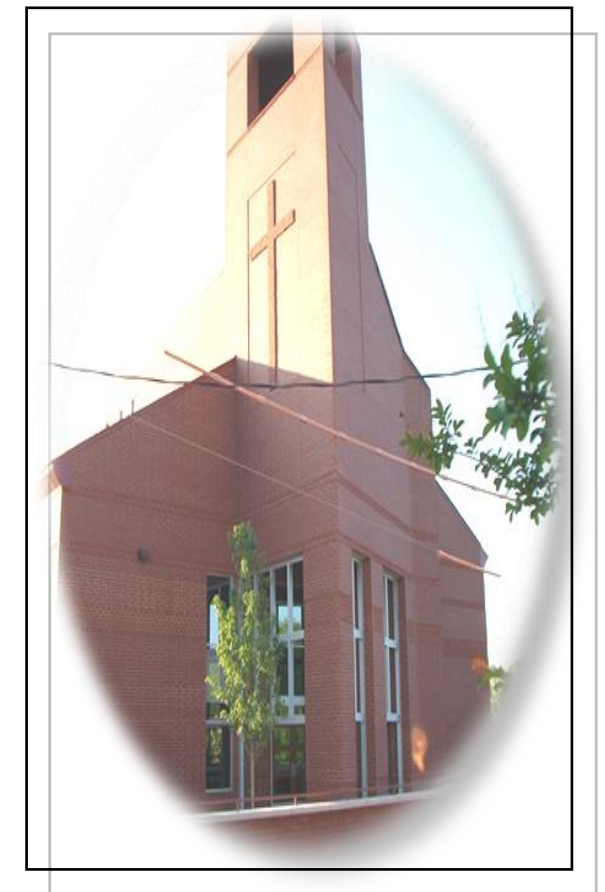
**The Abbreviated FC Mission Statement:**

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



"An Exciting Church Excited About Its Mission"

## African American History Month



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**February 24, 2018**

**SUNDAY**

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

**WEDNESDAY**

Noon Day Prayer- 12:00pm  
 Prayer & Praise- 6:30pm ♦ Bible Study-7:00pm

**"EMPOWERING DISCIPLES  
 THROUGH PRAYER & PRAISE"**