

Hope for the Hurting

Angel Tree Gifts

Angel Tree gifts are due back to CBC by Sunday, December 4. They may be brought to the Info Center or church office. Also, volunteers are needed for gift sorting on Monday, December 12 from 9:00 am to noon in the Worship Center, and to help deliver the gifts to the children on Saturday, December 17. Please contact Gayle Simpson at 204-4201.

4th Friday Flood Ministry

Join us on Friday, December 23 for an evening of ministry to the formerly homeless residents of Green Gardens, 2300 S. Union Avenue, at 5:30 pm. For more information, contact Pastor Steve at 327-5921.

Celebrate Recovery

Thursdays at 6:00 pm in the Chapel ~ A biblical and balanced program designed to help people overcome their hurts, habits and hang-ups. Join us early for dinner at 5:00 pm.

Food 4 FLOOD

You can help feed the hungry by providing the following items and placing them inside the middle check-in window on the patio: boxed cereal bars (not granola), peanut butter, Top Ramen, boxed crackers, and Cup O Noodles; canned pop top items: Vienna Sausage, Spam, ravioli, chili, and fruit.

WOMEN OF WISDOM
WOW

Christmas Gathering

An informal open house for all women high school age and up!
Monday, December 12
6:30 - 8:30 pm
5105 Cattani Avenue

Enjoy the delights of the season with friends old and new!

WOMEN OF WISDOM WINTER BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday Mornings at 9:00 beginning January 18 (childcare available)
Monday Evenings at 6:00 beginning January 16 Both meet in the CBC Chapel

11-week study Cost: \$20 Registration begins December 18

Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World
JOANNA WEAVER

our mission at calvary

Calvary Exists to Glorify God through Transforming Ordinary People into Fully-Equipped Followers of Christ.

GENERAL FUND
Year-to-Date through 11/22/16

Actual contributions received to date: \$1,638,133

2016 planned budget: \$1,811,342

BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS:
8:00am - 5:00pm
(closed for lunch from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm)
Friday from 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

PASTORS

Matt Berg - Youth
Don Bertrand - Pastoral Care
Ted Duncan - Associate
Rob Tompkins - Worship
Steve Truitt - Outreach/Missions

MINISTRY LEADERS

JulieAnne Callahan-Brown
- Facilities Coordinator
Michelle DeRamus - Bookkeeper
Vince Eagle - Facilities Manager
Elaine Fidler - Children's Outreach
Mark Given - Men
Karen Harvey - Nursery
Krista McCoy - Children & Music
Jessica Michal - Children
Sue Sabaloni - Women
Dan Vaughn - Business Manager

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December 2016



For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger. Luke 2:11-12

Calvary Bible
CHRISTMAS Celebration!

Adult and Kids Choirs
Orchestra and Drama

**Saturday & Sunday
December 10 & 11
6:30 pm**

Both programs are free
Childcare provided for
children 5 and under

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CRAFT DAY

A fun time for kids to create Christmas gifts for the ones they love!

**Saturday, December 3
9 AM to 12 PM**

1st - 6th grades \$8 per child includes snack
Please register your children at the Information Center.

WEDNESDAY
ANCHOR JR. HIGH DECEMBER 7
JR HIGH YOUTH ROOM

TUESDAY
THE HARBOR SR. HIGH DECEMBER 13 AT THE HIGHFILL'S

CBC YOUTH Christmas Parties

Christmas Eve
COMMUNION SERVICE

Saturday, December 24 at 9:00 pm
Child care for children 5 and under

Christmas Day Happy Birthday **JESUS**
WE ♥ YOU!

**Combined
Worship Service 10-11 am**

♦No morning classes
♦No childcare for this service - kids are welcome!

SUMMIT 60+ (SENIORS) ACTIVITIES
December Luncheon - Wednesday, December 7 at 11:45 am
Activities Center \$3 donation

Lunch Trip to Black Bear Diner
Thursday, December 15 The bus will leave CBC at 11:30 am.
Sign up at the Information Center.

MISSION BELLES ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER
Tuesday, December 13, 6:00 - 8:00 pm Few Chapel. All women are welcome. Tickets available at the Information Center.

FLOOD CHRISTMAS TREE LOT NOW OPEN!
Get your Christmas tree from FLOOD and help the homeless. Their lot is open daily from 9:00 AM to 9:00 PM at 12225 Stockdale Highway.

BUSINESS OFFICE CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S
The church office will be closed from December 24 through January 2.

YEAR-END GIVING
Just a reminder that for 2016 tax purposes, please submit any year-end giving by Sunday, December 25, or mail it in by December 31.

MEN'S MONDAY NIGHT MEAT'N
Meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays from 5:00 - 8:00 PM in the Men's Building. Food, fellowship and games for men and their sons.

Life in the Word

Connecting Biblically

Sermon Series "Contagious!" The Book of Acts
Making disciples of Jesus is the greatest cause on earth. Christ mandates that we invest in another person's soul. God has designed us to make disciples and in so doing, we will be radically transformed. It's a journey that involves relationships. The Book of Acts demonstrates this journey.

Sunday Morning LifeStage Classes (9:30 am)
Currently we offer 7 different classes for adults. Please pick up a detailed class listing at the Information Center in the lobby.

Calvary Bible Institute (CBI)
Wednesdays at 6:30 pm beginning January 11. Flyers with class details will be available soon at the Information Center in the lobby.

Annual Week of Bible Reading
January 1 - 8 ~ Join us in this CBC tradition of reading the Word aloud. Sign ups begin soon!

Sunrise Studies
Fridays at 6:30 am
Men's Study (room 601)
Women's Study (room 316)
Breakfast together at 7:25 am
in the Activities Center

Summit 60+ Bible Study
Tuesdays at 10:00 am
Studying the Book of Romans
Taught by Pastor Ted
Meets at the Manor
Everyone welcome!

NEW YEARS' DAY - ONE COMBINED SERVICE!
Sunday, January 1 10 - 11 AM No classes, no child care.

GRIEFSHARE - NEW SESSION BEGINS SOON
Your journey from mourning to joy. Begins Sunday, January 8 from 4:00 to 5:30 pm in the Men's Building. Call the church office for details.

A current calendar of our special events and weekly ministries is available in the foyer display racks, in HeBrews Coffee House, and in the church office.

Thank you for joining us today. We're so thankful you're here worshipping with us. If you're new to Calvary Bible, here are a few important bits of information:

- ◆ Restrooms are located off the foyer. (men - north / women - south)
- ◆ Our mother's room, (with comfortable seating and live-streaming video of the services) is located off the foyer just past the ladies' restroom.
- ◆ We don't "pass the plate" at CBC. Offering boxes are located at all exits if you wish to give.
- ◆ We ask that you please silence your cell phone during the service.

Thank you!