

# August 25, 2024

## 10:00 AM Service

Welcome  
 \* Call to Worship  
 \* God's Greeting  
 \* *"I Belong to Jesus"*  
*"Goodness of God"*  
 Children's Message  
 God's Will for our Lives  
 Assurance of Pardon  
 Scripture: Acts 11 (pg. 893)  
 Message: Pastor Brad  
*"LEADS TO LIFE"*  
 Congregational Prayer  
 Offering: Mission Fund  
*"O Praise the Name"*  
 God's Parting Blessing  
 Doxology  
 \* *"Glorious Day ( I Ran Out of That Grave)"*

## 6:00 PM Service

Prelude: *"Jesus Lover of My Soul/Jesus Love Me"*  
 Welcome & Announcements  
 Call to Worship  
 God's Greeting  
 Songs of Praise and Worship  
 \* *"Lord, Our Lord, Your Glorious Name"*  
 \* *"O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing"*  
 Ministry of Music: *"Jesus Calms the Storm"*  
 Prayer for the New School Year  
*"Earth & All Stars"*  
*"Talking to Your Kids About Jesus"*  
 \* *"The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear"*  
*"I Love to Tell The Story"*  
*"Our Father, Whose Creative Love"*  
 Prayer  
 Offering: Mission Fund  
 \*Our World Belongs to God #47  
 \*God's Parting Blessing  
 \*Doxology  
*"Oh For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"*

**Assisting Us in Worship:** AM: Levi Nieuwsma, Ryan Bouwkamp, Calvin Roose, Luke Nieuwsma, Zach Marsh, Andrew De Haan, Projection: Steve Theune, Sound: Andy Wood, Video: Esmira Rodriguez, Jose Melo PM: Cindy Gritters, Leah Hoksbergen Ministry of Music: Alaina, Norah, Micah & Amy Herdegen, Sound: Nathan Dockter, Projection: Steve Theune, Video: Roose Family

**About our Members:**

- Norma Nibbelink has moved, her new address is Apt 217 East Fairhaven, 607 East 3rd St. Pella
- Louisa Sandbulte was taken to Blank Children's Hospital for surgery this week.

Sunday	7:30	Prayer Meeting
	9:30	Red Rock Service @ Fifield
	10:00	Worship
	6:00	Worship

The De Haan family invites you to join them for cake after this morning's service to celebrate Fran & Sheila's anniversary on August 17. Calvary wishes you another 50 years of God's steadfast love and faithfulness!

Leah has been taking organ lessons this summer. For the prelude this evening Leah is playing arrangements of Jesus Loves Me and Jesus Lover of My Soul. The Offertory is a fun version of Joshua Fought The Battle. Leah's postlude is a classical Bach tune. We want to thank the congregation for the music scholarship.

**Volunteers Needed:** The education season is fast approaching, and we are looking for volunteers to help in the following roles: Sunday School Teachers (Adult and Elementary), GEMS Counselors and GEMS Program Coordinator, Cadet Counselors, Youth Group Leaders. If you are interested in any of these ministry opportunities, please contact the office or Pastor Nate.

**Sunday School Start Date:** All Sunday School classes begin on Sunday September 15th @ 9:00AM.

**Adult Sunday School:** We will be studying "Talking with Your Kids about Jesus" with Natasha Crain. This six-session series, offers tools and encouragement for creating low-grade, consistent efforts to clarify who Jesus is, why he matters, and how kids can live impacted by their faith in him. Homes where deep and meaningful faith conversations happen regularly are the product of intentional parents who believe nothing is more important than raising kids to know and love Jesus. Join us in learning how we can best lead these life changing conversations.

**Wednesday Night Programs (GEMS, Cadets, Youth Group):** Begins Wednesday September 4th.

**Calvary Youth Group Car Wash Fundraiser:** Help support Calvary's Youth Group by bringing your vehicle to Leighton State Bank on Washington St. August 24th from 1:00pm – 5:00pm. We will be taking donations to help support our Youth Group budget for the coming year. Thank you in advance for your support!

Please consider donating cookies for coffeetime this week. We have depleted our frozen cookie supply and our cupboards are bare!

<b>Giving</b>	
Sept 1	Chr Ed / Missions
Sept 8	Missions / Missions
Sept 15	Chr Ed / Missions
Sept 22	Missions / Missions
Sept 29	Chr Ed / Missions
<b>Greeters</b>	
<b>25th</b>	Lee & Tracey Roose: Narthex Mike & Leasa Jansen: Main Brad & Kristin Bierma: Kitchen
<b>1st</b>	Nathan & Jana Rus: Main Aaron & Alex Sandbulte: Narthex Marv & Alva De Boef: Kitchen
<b>8th</b>	Lee & Tracey Roose: Main Mike & Leasa Jansen: Narthex Matt & Becky Disselkoen
<b>Fellowship</b>	
<b>25th</b>	John & Barb Van Gorp Jay & Lisa Schelhaas
<b>1st</b>	Arvin & Brenda Van Hal Dave & Beth Van Maanen
<b>8th</b>	Casey & Esther Van Weelden Greg Jansen
<b>Ushers (August)</b>	Marv De Boef Shawn De Vries
<b>Nursery</b>	
<b>25th</b>	Dawn Wood Eric Vande Zande Noah Wood
<b>1st</b>	Andrea Vander Ark Angela Vande Zande Lucas Disselkoen
<b>8th</b>	Amy Van Wyk Angela Vande Zande Isaac Ulferts
<b>Bus (Aug) (Sept)</b>	Randy Kelderman 780-4863 Roger Van Hal 629-0438

### Calvary Daily Bible Reading

Open with a prayer:

*Holy Spirit guide me in your Word.*

Day 1: Acts 12

Day 2: Acts 12

Day 3: Acts 12

Day 4: Acts 12

Day 5: Acts 12

Close each reading with prayer:

*Holy Spirit bring your Word to life in my life that it may impact your Kingdom and the world where we live.*

Calvary Fellowship Committee appreciates all of our volunteer servers from young to old. We especially enjoy it when the whole family participates with the cheerful and industrious help of our junior members. Thanks parents, for role modelling in this aspect of inter-generational fellowship!

The Young At Heart Group will be taking a day trip to Bloomfield, IA on Friday, September 20. We will be visiting the Southeast Iowa Produce Auction, an Amish woodworker, the Bloomfield Historical Complex, the historical Bloomfield Courthouse, plus different Amish shops. For additional information please contact Christy Van Zee 641-780-0727.

### Calvary Giving Update (through August 18, 2024)

General Fund	Actual	Budget	Difference	% Diff
Last Week	\$6,921	\$10,074	(\$3,153)	
Fiscal YTD	\$312,308	\$332,446	(\$20,138)	-6.06%
Missions Fund	Actual	Budget	Difference	% Diff
Last Week	\$2,392	\$3,482	(\$1,090)	
Fiscal YTD	\$107,958	\$114,919	(\$6,961)	-6.06%

Mission Circle: We will be starting our fall season on September 11 at 1:30 p.m. We are studying from Isaiah chapter 1 - lesson 19. We would welcome new members to join us. Contact JoAnn Blom 641-780-0505 with any questions.

Thursday Night Alive: Kick-off meeting Thursday - September 5 at 6 p.m. at the Youth House. Please bring a salad, side, or dessert to share. Sandwiches, drinks, and table service will be provided. Please sign up for the Kick-off at the Information Center (need to know for food preparations). Following the kick-off meeting, the group meets the first Thursday of each month from October through April at 7 p.m. in Room 107. Pastor Sheldon Starkenburg will be leading the Bible Study. All adults welcome!

Women of Calvary join us for a 6 week study of Proverbs. We live in an information-saturated world – but what we really need to navigate this complex, challenging life, is wisdom. In this five-part series, Stephen Foster turns to the book of Proverbs to uncover timeless truth we can apply to our everyday lives as we depend on the power of the Holy Spirit and look to the example of Jesus, God most wise. No preparation needed just join us Wednesdays at 7 starting September 11, come and go as needed. Hope to see you there.

The Fall Bible League Retreat is scheduled for September 12 at Calvary. Keynote speakers are Craig and Molly Sanborn, Santos Chandran; a report from the Asian-Pacific field from regional director Santos Chandran; and worship lead by the Cornerstone Praise team. Register on line at bibleleague.org/tickets/ or call 708-367-8921. Registration fees include lunch: \$40/single or \$70/married couple through 8/26.

The Watoto Children's Choir from Uganda, East Africa, will be returning for a concert on September 26. More details to come in the coming weeks.

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