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Sunday March 20, 2022 Worship 11:00 a.m. 3 Lent



This is the day the Lord has made. We welcome you to the worship of our Lord Jesus Christ where our salvation lies.

VISITORS and GUESTS

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, Welcome! Please sign our Guest Book located in the lobby. Please include your name and address. Thank you.

COMMUNION

At Calvary **all baptized Christians** are welcomed at the Lord's table. Please come forward at the direction of the ushers. All glasses are filled with grape juice.

<u>Holy Space-</u>Please be mindful of members who desire quiet time in the Sanctuary before Service. Please speak in low tones. Thank you.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS
SHARING OF THE PEACE
PRELUDE
Confession
OPENING HYMN-
READINGS
SERMON
HYMN OF THE DAY-
PRAYERS
OFFERING
Communion
BENEDICTION
CLOSING HYMN-
DISMISSAL

First Reading: Isaiah 55:1-9

- ¹ Ho, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and you that have no money, come, buy and eat!
 Come, buy wine and milk
 without money and without price.
- ² Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?
- Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.
- ³ Incline your ear, and come to me; listen, so that you may live.
- I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.
- ⁴ See, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.
- ⁵ See, you shall call nations that you do not know, and nations that do not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, the Holy One of Israel, for he has glorified you.
- ⁶ Seek the LORD while he may be found, call upon him while he is near;
- ⁷ let the wicked forsake their way,

and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the LORD, that he may have mercy on them,

and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

- ⁸ For my thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways my ways, says the LORD.
- ⁹ For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.

Psalm: Psalm 63:1-8

- ¹ O God, you are my God, I seek you, my soul thirsts for you; my flesh faints for you, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.
- ² So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory.
- ³ Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.
- ⁴So I will bless you as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on your name.
- ⁵ My soul is satisfied as with a rich feast, and my mouth praises you with joyful lips
- ⁶ when I think of you on my bed, and meditate on you in the watches of the night;

- ⁷ for you have been my help, and in the shadow of your wings I sing for joy.
- 8 My soul clings to you; your right hand upholds me.

Second Reading; 1 Corinthians 10:1-13

¹ I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, ² and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, ³ and all ate the same spiritual food, ⁴ and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. ⁵ Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness.

⁶ Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. ⁷ Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play." ⁸ We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. ⁹ We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. ¹⁰ And do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. ¹¹ These things

happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. ¹² So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. ¹³ No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

Gospel: Luke 13:1-9

1 At that very time there were some present who told him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ² He asked them, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? ³ No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. ⁴ Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them—do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? ⁵ No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did."

⁶ Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. ⁷ So he said to the gardener, 'See here! For three years

I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?' ⁸ He replied, 'Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. ⁹ If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down.'"

Prayer Concerns

Jill Cousino, Bob Joehlin, Marlene Ehrsam, Paulette Columbo, Eleanore Sheronick, Pat Snider, Don Koenig, Jeanette Shepard, Beverly McIntosh, Emily Hyder-Jasinski, Ava Burkey, Jon Schwandner, Dan Pfouts, Craig Lake, Katie Glenn, Carole Allen, Dee Mutchler, William Putnam, Tony Sleek, Logan Murphy, Wendy Kimble, Linda Moery, and Lisa Baker.

<u>Offerings:</u> March 13, 2022-\$2494.16. Reached 153 views. Attendance at church-27. Wednesday night attendance-25. Thank You.

Electronic Automated Giving:

Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement App. You may give through your mobile device downloading the Vanco Faith App. You can donate through the church website

http://www/calvarynorthwood.com. Or if you would like help we can register you in the church office for automatic bank giving. The mobile app and the website also gives the option if needed to check the box that allows you to help offset the small processing fee that accomplices some types of giving. We thank you for all you do in the mission of spreading God's word to the world.

Please remember our homebound:

- Eleanore Sheronick, 3445 Fleitz Road, Oregon, OH 43616
- Lloyd (Jim) Schneider, Ohio Veterans Home, 3416
 Columbus Avenue, Sandusky, OH 44870
- Jeanette Shepard, 5015 Parkside Dr. Oregon, OH 43616
- Marlene Fouty-Ehrsam, 2466 Luther Hills Circle #66, Oregon, Ohio 43616
- Mary McLaughlin 30630 Drouillard Road Lot #168 Walbridge, OH 43465
- Carole Cedoz-Allen, 3450 Seaman Rd., Cottage #I, Oregon, OH 43616 (New Address)

"Our Daily Devotional" Booklets

The March, April, May, 2022 booklets are available on the welcome center. Large print copies are available for April, May, June, 2022. Pick up your copy today

MARCH, 2022 BIRTHDAYS

Tom Susor	3/1
Mary Jane Joehlin	3/13
Wendy Kimble	3/13
Kim Reitzel	3/21
Candace Ross	3/21
Roger Jeffries	3/22
Morgan Susor	3/24
Cliff Bury	3/29
Aubrey Whitmore	3/30

MARCH, 2022 ANNIVERSARIES

Tamia & Marty Land	45 years	3/12
Kurt & Larraine Putnam	39 years	3/27

<u>Flower Chart –</u> The Flower Chart is on the wall in the narthex across from the office. The cost of the flowers is \$27.00. Flowers are put on the altar for the Glory of God by Tamia Land in honor of Candace Ross's Birthday.

<u>Altar Care-</u> Sherry Koenig is looking for volunteers to help dress the altar. Please let Sherry know if you can help. Sherry's phone number is 419-693-9400.

Prayer Chain

Are you or a loved one in need of prayer? Calvary's Prayer Chain will be most happy to pray for you/them. The person does not need to be a member of Calvary; we include **everyone** in need of prayer. To start a prayer for yourself or someone else, call Charlene at 419-836-1999. When the person no longer needs our prayers, we would appreciate knowing that as well. If you would like to be a **prayer warrior**, please call me at 419-836-1999. Many thanks and blessings. Charlene Hoot

Loaves and Fishes

Our "Loaves and Fishes" ministry has a facilitator: **Jackie Langlois**. When anyone in the congregation is temporarily home bound because of an illness or surgery we try to provide meals for about a week. If you are willing to prepare a meal or would be willing to make calls, please call our new **Parish Nurse**, **Jackie Langlois 419-779-6283**. You do NOT have to prepare a gourmet meal, they can either be home cooked, deli or store bought. As always your help would be greatly appreciated.

Hunger Program

Your donations to the Hunger Program will be greatly appreciated especially during this time. We are helping St. John's Lutheran In Stony Ridge and St. Paul Episcopal Church in Oregon with this endeavor. St. Paul needs all items for their food pantry. Also, St. Paul's is appealing for cash and help. If you would like to drop off donations at the church, please call the office to arrange a time. Thank You.

Calvary Is On Social Media

If you or someone you know would like to connect on social media, Calvary has a Facebook page **calvarylutherannorthwood** and on Twitter at **calvarylc**. Our webpage is **calvarynorthwood.com**. From the webpage you can sign-up to receive announcements, newsletters and audio recordings of our Sunday Services via email.

<u>Calvary Lutheran Church Calendar</u> <u>March 20, 2022-March 27, 2022</u>

Sun. March 20 9:30 a.m. Choir Practice

Sun. March 20 9:15a.m Fellowship

11:00a.m. Worship Service

Mon-Fri Daily- Morning Coffee with Pastor Bob-10:30A.M.-Facebook

Tues. March 22 9:30a.m. Quilters

Wed. March 23 7:00p.m. Bible Study (Cancelled

during Lent)

Wed. March 23 6:00p.m. Soup Supper

Wed. March 23 7:00p.m. Worship Service-Pastor

O'Brien

Thurs. March 24 9:30a.m Designing Women

Sun. March 27 9:15a.m. Fellowship

11:00a.m. Worship Service

Watch Church Livestream

You can still watch through the church Facebook page: http://www.Facebook.com/calvarylutherannorthwood and also on the church webpage http://www/calvarynothwood.com

EASTER FLOWER ORDERS

Please find enclosed an Easter Flower order form. The deadline for ordering us **March 20, 2022.**

Office Hours

The office will be open from 10:00a.m. until 1:00p.m Monday thru Thursday.

Baskets for Home Bound For Easter

There will be baskets in the gathering room to collect gifts for the home bound families of Calvary Lutheran Church. Jackie has suggested that we give gift cards. We do not know their diet restrictions or if they are allergic to certain soaps or lotions. Thank you.



Go In Peace and Serve The Lord