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Sunday March 27, 2022 Worship 11:00 a.m. 4 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. **The Tony's**

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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: Joshiah 5: 9-12

⁹ The LORD said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away from you the disgrace of Egypt." And so that place is called Gilgal to this day.

¹⁰ While the Israelites were camped in Gilgal they kept the passover in the evening on the fourteenth day of the month in the plains of Jericho. ¹¹ On the day after the passover, on that very day, they ate the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. ¹² The manna ceased on the day they ate the produce of the land, and the Israelites no longer had manna; they ate the crops of the land of Canaan that year.

Psalm: Psalm 32

- ¹ Happy are those whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.
- ² Happy are those to whom the LORD imputes no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.
- ³ While I kept silence, my body wasted away through my groaning all day long.
- ⁴ For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. *Selah*
- ⁵ Then I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not hide my iniquity;

- I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and you forgave the guilt of my sin. Selah
- ⁶ Therefore let all who are faithful offer prayer to you;
- at a time of distress, the rush of mighty waters shall not reach them.
- ⁷ You are a hiding place for me; you preserve me from trouble; you surround me with glad cries of deliverance. *Selah*
- ⁸ I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go; I will counsel you with my eye upon you.
- ⁹ Do not be like a horse or a mule, without understanding, whose temper must be curbed with bit and bridle, else it will not stay near you.
- ¹⁰ Many are the torments of the wicked, but steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the LORD.
- ¹¹ Be glad in the LORD and rejoice, O righteous, and shout for joy, all you upright in heart.

Second Reading; 2 Corinthians 5: 16-21

¹⁶ From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. ¹⁷ So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! ¹⁸ All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of

reconciliation; ¹⁹ that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. ²⁰ So we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us; we entreat you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. ²¹ For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

Gospel: Luke 15: 1-3, 11b-32

15 Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to him. ² And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, "This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them."

11 b"There was a man who had two sons. 12 The younger of them said to his father, 'Father, give me the share of the property that will belong to me.' So he divided his property between them. 13 A few days later the younger son gathered all he had and traveled to a distant country, and there he squandered his property in dissolute living. 14 When he had spent everything, a severe famine took place throughout that

³ So he told them this parable:

country, and he began to be in need. ¹⁵ So he went and hired himself out to one of the citizens of that country, who sent him to his fields to feed the pigs. ¹⁶ He would gladly have filled himself with the pods that the pigs were eating; and no one gave him anything. ¹⁷ But when he came to himself he said, 'How many of my father's hired hands have bread enough and to spare, but here I am dying of hunger! 18 I will get up and go to my father, and I will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; ¹⁹ I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me like one of your hired hands."' 20 So he set off and went to his father. But while he was still far off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion; he ran and put his arms around him and kissed him. ²¹ Then the son said to him, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.' 22 But the father said to his slaves, 'Quickly, bring out a robe—the best one—and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. 23 And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; ²⁴ for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!' And they began to celebrate.

²⁵ "Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. ²⁶ He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. ²⁷ He

replied, 'Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and sound.' ²⁸ Then he became angry and refused to go in. His father came out and began to plead with him. ²⁹ But he answered his father, 'Listen! For all these years I have been working like a slave for you, and I have never disobeyed your command; yet you have never given me even a young goat so that I might celebrate with my friends. ³⁰ But when this son of yours came back, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fatted calf for him!' ³¹ Then the father said to him, 'Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. ³² But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found.'"

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 20, 2022-\$5584.34. Reached 78 views. Attendance at church-28. Wednesday night attendance-13. 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 Kurt & Larraine Putnam in honor of their anniversary.

<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.

Calvary Lutheran Church Calendar March 27, 2022-April 3, 2022

Sun. March 27 9:30 a.m. Choir Practice

Sun. March 27 9:15a.m Fellowship

11:00a.m. Worship Service

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

Facebook

Tues. March 29 9:30a.m. Quilters

Wed. March 30 7:00p.m. Bible Study (Cancelled

during Lent)

Wed. March 30 6:00p.m. Soup Supper

Wed. March 30 7:00p.m. Worship Service-Pastor

Noble

Thurs. March 31 9:30a.m Designing Women

Sun. April 3 10:00a.m. Fellowship

11:00a.m. Worship Service

Watch Church Livestream

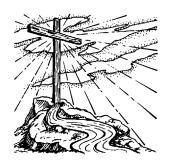
You can still watch through the church Facebook page: http://www.Facebook.com/calvarylutherannorthwood and also on the church webpage http://www/calvarynothwood.com

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