

# Messenger

## Mount Calvary Lutheran Church



### Pastor Rome

#### Questions

I was recently at a workshop on preaching (yeah, I still have a TON to learn!) and I learned a new way to engage a Bible text to get my heart and mind and spirit ready to write a sermon. So often we pastors think that we have to come up with the right answer, the right interpretation of a text. Like we've got to get it right or we're not being good and faithful preachers. And my guess is that's not too far off from what people who don't preach for a living feel like when they read the Bible too. That we feel like we've got to get the answers about the text; and, probably, that we would need an expert (like a pastor or a Bible scholar) to get those right answers. Well this way of engaging the text has nothing to do with answers and everything to do with questions.

Here's what you do:

1. Read the Bible text.
2. Ask every question you can think of about the text. No question is off limits.
3. Don't answer any questions.

You'd be amazed at how much the questions dive into the heart of the text. You'd be amazed at how much we know in NOT KNOWING! You'd be amazed at the open possibilities of the Bible and of God.

So next time you think about reading the Bible, give this a try. Try it by yourself, with your family, with a friend. You don't have to have any answers—only questions! And in those questions, in their mystery and depth, the wondrous, wondering power of the Holy Spirit God will draw you close.

#### Pastor Rome

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P.S. Thanks to Rev. Debbie Blue from House of Mercy in St. Paul for teaching this to me and the other pastors!

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#### Upcoming Events

- November 4&5 Handbell Concert
- November 11 Jr. High Lock-In
- November 13 Worship Young
- November 20 Giving Tree begins
- November 23 Thanksgiving Eve Worship & Pie Social

## Pastor Rome Con't/Youth

### Tuesday, November 1

7 p.m.

*Young Adult Group Meets*

Join us at Old Chicago in Eagan for real conversations about God, faith and life. Bring a friend



### Sundays November 6, 13, 20

*Sr. High Abby Sauce Fundraiser*

All Sr. High New Orleans Trip participants. Please sign up on the bulletin board to work a shift.



### Tuesday, November 8

*F.R.E.E. Time for Senior High Youth*

**6:30 - 8:30 p.m.**

All 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders are welcome to join us in the Fireside Room. We will be having coffee with some Mount Calvary U of M students near the U. \$5 for coffee and permission forms needed - forms are on the Youth and Family bulletin board



### Friday, November 11, 7 p.m. - Saturday, November 12, 8 a.m.

*7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation Lock-In*

At the home of Mount Calvary members Kim and Rob Gernandt. Details will be mailed home and posted on bulletin board

### Tuesday, November 22

*Cub Foods Grocery Bagging Fundraiser*

All Sr. High New Orleans Trip participants. Please sign up for a shift on the bulletin board



### Wednesday, November 23

*Annual Post-Thanksgiving Pie Social Reunion!*

**All college students and young adults!** Please come to Thanksgiving Eve Worship at 7 p.m. We will head to Old Chicago in Eagan afterwards around 8:30 p.m.



### Sunday, November 27

*6th Grade F<sup>3</sup>*

**9:25 a.m.**

*Bowling at Cedarvale. We will return to church by 11:30 a.m. Cost is \$7. Bring extra money for snacks.*



### Week of December 4

*4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade and Parents Event*

Join us for a special Christmas Service Project, wrapping gifts for the Giving Tree. More details to come

### Tuesday, December 6

7 p.m.

*Young Adult Group Meets*

Join us at Old Chicago in Eagan for real conversations about God, faith and life. Bring a friend



### Tuesday, December 13

*F.R.E.E. Meeting*

**6:30-8:30 p.m.**

All 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to join us for a holiday service project and caroling to homebound Mount Calvary members.



## Youth Con't

### Cub Foods Bagging Fundraiser

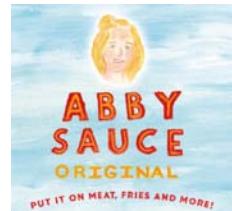
On November 22nd from 4:00pm-8:30pm the Senior High youth attending the ELCA Youth Gathering in New Orleans next summer will be bagging groceries at the Cub Foods on Cliff Road. Please come in and get all your Thanksgiving shopping done while supporting the youth at Mount Calvary!



Grocery  
Bagging

### BBQ Sauce Fundraiser

The Senior High youth attending the ELCA Youth Gathering in New Orleans next summer will be selling Abby Sauce November 6th, 13th and 20th after all services.



Abby Sauce is an original BBQ sauce recipe mixed up by Mount Calvary member Abby Griffith. It is manufactured by E & A Ventures, LLC. It is great for cooking, grilling and makes a great Christmas gift! The profits will go directly towards trip costs. Abby Sauce will be selling for \$10 each or 2 for \$18

### 2011 Confirmation Class

Dillon Ray Ames  
Philip Donald Anderson  
Alexis Ariana Billins  
Emily Claire Boubelik  
Ian Booth Buddecke  
Quinton Nathaniel Campos  
Hunter Allen Daraits  
Stephanie Marie Eilts  
Hosea Byron Evans  
Jared Thomas Hartman  
Ryan Wesley Hobot  
James Timothy Kearney  
Bobbi Nicole Kiehn  
Levi James Klumb  
Helen Andrea Larson  
Matthew Robert Little

Thomas Edward McMahon  
Kristina Marie Monson  
Zachery James Nalls  
Spencer Karl Nicolay  
Catherine Amamarie Peterson  
Nicholas Robert Pintozi  
Hannah Elaine Pitzl  
Jacob Allen Rupp  
Danielle Elizabeth Sjolseth  
Tori Ayanna Stein  
Emma Louise Veum  
Crystal Nicole Vik  
Connor John West



## Music & Worship

*All Saints Day*  
*Sunday, November 6*

***“For all the saints who from their labors rest.”***



Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> we will celebrate All Saints Sunday at Mount Calvary. On this day we remember the members from Mount Calvary who have died this past year, by lighting a special candle for them. Others in the congregation will then be invited to come forward and light a votive candle in remembrance of loved ones that died this past year. In our hearts and prayers we will remember all the saints who have gone before us.

### Pipe Organ Fact Gathering A Liberal Arts Education

**M**ount Calvary's pipe organ exploratory group has continued meeting with manufacturing representatives and trying out local samples of their works. It has been a fascinating and educational experience. I'm struggling to come up with another venture that would be similarly rooted in principles of physics, history, art, architecture, business, acoustics, carpentry, religion, foreign languages, and of course, music. Fortunately, our group possesses good "pooled knowledge" and we feel we can meet the challenge.



A recent highlight was a trip to St. Peter, MN to tour the manufacturing facilities of Hendrickson Organ Company. After a shop tour, we were treated to demonstrations of pipes of various materials and construction techniques that make up the different ranks, such as reeds, flutes, etc., giving the organ its varied timbres. There is certainly an awful lot of mechanical technology that goes into pushing air through tubes precisely on demand! After our workshop tour, we sampled some Hendrickson organs, large and small, old and new, in three St. Peter churches.

While pipe organs have been around for about a millennium and a sense of acceptable convention has been reached, there are no standards or sense of what is truly "best" for all purposes. Some organs are called "trackers," which indicate a completely mechanical connection (levers) between the keys and the release of air into the pipe. Our current Rieger organ is a tracker. There are also electro-pneumatic or electrically controlled organs, which use electronic switches controlled by the keys. This type of organ has the advantage of a movable console which also allows for separation of the console from the pipes, as it is connected by electrical cable rather than a system of levers.

Another distinction is in voicing--for support of congregational and choral singing versus for organ performance. Our identified need is to enhance our worship experience through greater support of congregational singing. This is the quest of most congregations that install pipe organs.

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## Music & Worship Con't

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The bottom line is that the best pipe organ for Mount Calvary would be one uniquely designed for our sanctuary. It would have visual appeal that works with the existing architecture and fixtures. It would offer flexibility in the positioning of the console. It would not overpower, but would be able to fill our worship space with glorious sound. Finally, it would fit our mission, our interest, and yes, our financial resources.

*Joel Hartmann, on behalf of the organ task force also including Don Bohm, Michael Buck, Pam Carlson, Jean Taylor, and Sarah Twedt.*



### Music Schedule

	<b>8:20</b>	<b>9:30</b>	<b>10:40</b>
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<b>Nov 6</b>	<b>Alleluia</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>
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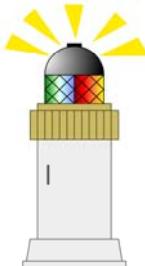
<b>Nov 13</b>	<b>Calvary Carillons</b>	<b>CC bells/RING</b>	<b>ROL</b>
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<b>Nov 20</b>	<b>Solo</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	<b>Youth</b>
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<b>Nov 27</b>	<b>Solo</b>	<b>Sanctuary</b>	<b>Solo</b>
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<b>Nov 23</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Eve - 7:00 p.m.</b> <b>Joy, Alleluia, Youth, Alumni, Sanctuary, Bells, Brass</b> <b>(Pie Social following service)</b>
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## Education



### Sunday School begins at 9:25 a.m.

Sunday school children will begin a new rotation on Nov. 20.

- Preschool – Kindergarten theme is The Three Kings. The memory verse is: “*Don’t be afraid, I have good news for you.*” Luke 2:10
- 1st – 6<sup>th</sup> grade theme is Prophets. They will also be practicing for the Christmas program.



#### Early Faith Steps - November 6

Theme: Jesus Heals

A parent/child Sunday school class designed for children age birth – age 3. Expecting parents and grandparents are welcome too! Class begins as a large group and then parents will separate for a special talk time (in same room with kids, but another area) while kids are busy being entertained. Join this lively class one Sunday of each month at 9:30 a.m. in the Fireside Room. Dates: December 4 (Wise Men), January 8 (Jesus’ Baptism), February 12 (Joseph), March 4 (Last Supper), April 1(Palm Sunday) and May 6 (Adam & Eve).



#### November 13 at 9:30 a.m.

Worship Young Service  
Jesus Heals!

Sunday school for today is to attend the Worship Young service with your family in the sanctuary!

*The most important part of raising a child in the faith is the family worshiping together. A family that worships together is the highest determinant of children attending church as adults. Worshiping together teaches children how to participate in worship, demonstrates that it is important to the whole family, and gives the family a shared experience of God.*



#### 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Milestone Ministry Class – Prayer Sunday, November 20

Children and their parents will attend a special class on prayer at 9:30 a.m. with Pastor Lillejord in the Fireside Room. During the 10:40 worship service, the children will receive a special blessing and a prayer pillow.



#### Education Hour – 9:30 a.m. Fireside Room

**November 6:** Early Faith Steps: Birth – age 3 Sunday school class

**November 13:** Erick Thompson – Theme: The Hidden God

**November 20:** 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Milestone Ministry Class - Prayer

**November 27:** Marilyn Sharpe, Speaker, Author, Congregation Consultant  
Theme: Advent Conspiracy

## Worship Assistant



### November Worship Assistants

#### USHERS

**8:20**

Dick Anderson  
 Roger Griffith (6)  
 Todd Sorensen (6)  
 Terry Lackas (13,20,27)  
 Betty Lackas (13,20,27)

**9:30**

Jeff Schmid  
 Billy Schmid  
 Jeff Schuette  
 Josh Schuette

**10:40**

Jim Peterson  
 Craig Dowd  
 Al Kristjanson

#### GREETERS

**8:20**

Bill & Jan Schumacher (6,20)  
 Evelyn Otterness (13,27)

**9:30**

Jerzak Family (6)  
 Monson Family (13)  
 Irene Johnson (20,27)

**10:40**

Ginny Oberpriller (6,20)  
 Ron Hobot (13,27)  
 Ann Slettehaug (13,27)

#### READERS

**8:20**

Annika Veum (6)  
 Bonnie Tranby (13)  
 Larry Nelson (20,27)

**9:30**

Jane Tveite (6)  
 Joel Hartmann (20)  
 David Manthey (27)

**10:40**

Janel Anderson (6,27)  
 Sarah Codner (13)  
 Zachary Nalls (20)

#### COMMUNION ASSISTANTS

**8:20**

Stephanie Hunt (6)  
 Darcy Schatz (6)  
 Rebecca Nygren (13)  
 Bonnie Tranby (13)  
 Larry Sinderman (20,27)  
 Phyllis Sinderman (20,27)

**9:30**

Tom Pedersen (6,20)  
 Mary Jane Pedersen (6,20)  
 Lexie Sorensen (13)  
 Paige Grebin (13)  
 Annika Veum (13)  
 Elsa Buck (13)  
 David Manthey (27)  
 Jeff Newell (27)

**10:40**

Janel Anderson (6,27)  
 Jason Forde (6,27)  
 Sarah Codner (13)  
 Liz Anderson (13)  
 Thomas Glidden (20)  
 Ryan Codner (20)

#### ALTAR SERVICE

Christine Codner, Marie Kvistero, Charlotte & Dennis Wolfgram

#### RECORDING THE SERVICE

November 6 Mark Taverna  
 November 13 Elwood Ochsner  
 November 20 Tim Wegener  
 November 27 Andy Fuller

#### WELCOME DESK

November 6 Kathy Augdahl  
 November 13 Marianne Adelmann  
 November 20 Kay Wandersee  
 November 27 Marlys Peterson

#### COFFEE CLEAN UP

November 6 Karen Taverna  
 November 13 Marie Kvistero  
 November 20 Kathy Paulsen  
 November 27 Jane Tveite



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <b>8:20 AM</b> Worship <b>9:25 AM</b> Sunday School <b>9:30 AM</b> Worship <b>10:40 AM</b> Worship - Confirmation	 <b>10:00 AM</b> God's Children Sing <b>10:00 AM</b> Men's Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> Yoga <b>7:15 PM</b> Calvary Carillons	<b>1</b> <b>12:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> Property Team <b>6:00 PM</b> TOPS <b>7:00 PM</b> Eve Circle <b>7:00 PM</b> Young Adults	<b>2</b> <b>4:30 PM</b> RING <b>5:00 PM</b> Youth Choir <b>5:15 PM</b> Fellowship Supper <b>6:00 PM</b> Confirmation <b>6:00 PM</b> Praise/Joy/Alleluia Choirs <b>7:00 PM</b> Sanctuary Choir <b>7:15 PM</b> ROL	<b>3</b> <b>8:30 AM</b> Quilters <b>9:00 AM</b> Crafters <b>9:00 AM</b> Sharing & Caring <b>10:15 AM</b> Yoga <b>5:30 PM</b> Community Meals <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga <b>7:00 PM</b> Calvary Carillon Set Up	<b>4</b>  <b>9:30 AM</b> Mom's Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> Handbell Event	<b>5</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> Craft Event <b>7:00 PM</b> Handbell Event
<b>6</b> <b>8:20 AM</b> Worship <b>9:25 AM</b> Sunday School <b>9:30 AM</b> Early Faith Steps Class <b>9:30 AM</b> Worship <b>10:40 AM</b> Worship	<b>7</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> God's Children Sing <b>10:00 AM</b> Men's Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> Yoga <b>6:00 PM</b> TOPS <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga <b>7:15 PM</b> Calvary Carillons	<b>8</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> 50+ Game Day <b>9:30 AM</b> Staff Planning Day <b>6:30 PM</b> F.R.E.E. Meeting - 9th - 12th graders	<b>9</b> <b>4:30 PM</b> RING <b>5:00 PM</b> Youth Choir <b>5:15 PM</b> Fellowship Supper <b>6:00 PM</b> Confirmation <b>6:00 PM</b> Parent Bible Study <b>6:00 PM</b> Praise/Joy/Alleluia Choirs <b>7:00 PM</b> Sanctuary Choir <b>7:15 PM</b> ROL	<b>10</b> <b>Messenger Articles Due</b> <b>8:30 AM</b> Quilters <b>9:00 AM</b> Crafters <b>9:00 AM</b> Sharing & Caring <b>10:15 AM</b> Yoga <b>5:30 PM</b> Community Meals <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga	<b>11</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Mom's Bible Study <b>7:00 PM</b> 7th & 8th Grade Lock-in	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b> <b>8:20 AM</b> Worship <b>9:30 AM</b> Adult Education <b>9:30 AM</b> Worship Young <b>10:40 AM</b> Worship	<b>14</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> God's Children Sing <b>10:00 AM</b> Men's Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> Yoga <b>1:00 PM</b> Ministry Coordinator Meeting <b>6:00 PM</b> TOPS <b>6:00 PM</b> Vermillion Townhome <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga <b>7:00 PM</b> Prayer Shawl Ministry <b>7:00 PM</b> Warm Up America <b>7:15 PM</b> Calvary Carillons	<b>15</b> <b>9:00 AM</b> ERC Financial Lit Class <b>9:30 AM</b> Hannah Circle <b>12:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting <b>6:30 PM</b> Council Meeting <b>7:00 PM</b> Calvary's Camarades	<b>16</b> <b>4:30 PM</b> RING <b>5:00 PM</b> Youth Choir <b>5:15 PM</b> Fellowship Supper <b>6:00 PM</b> Confirmation <b>6:00 PM</b> Praise/Joy/Alleluia Choirs <b>6:30 PM</b> 50+ Game Night <b>7:00 PM</b> Sanctuary Choir <b>7:15 PM</b> ROL	<b>17</b> <b>8:30 AM</b> Quilters <b>9:00 AM</b> Crafters <b>9:00 AM</b> Sharing & Caring <b>10:15 AM</b> Yoga <b>11:00 AM</b> Keystone <b>5:30 PM</b> Community Meals <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga	<b>18</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Mom's Bible Study	 <b>7:30 AM</b> Men's Breakfast
<b>20</b> <b>1st Grade Prayer Pillows</b> <b>Food Drop Off Sunday</b> <b>8:20 AM</b> Worship <b>9:25 AM</b> Sunday School <b>9:30 AM</b> Worship <b>10:40 AM</b> Worship 	<b>21</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> God's Children Sing <b>10:00 AM</b> Men's Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> Yoga <b>6:00 PM</b> TOPS <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga <b>7:00 PM</b> Mount Calvary Reads <b>7:15 PM</b> Calvary Carillons	<b>22</b> <b>12:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting	 <b>7:00 PM</b> Thanksgiving Worship & Pie Social <b>8:30 PM</b> College Students & Young Adults	 <b>Happy Thanksgiving!</b> <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>25</b> <b>Office Closed</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b> <i>Giving Tree</i>  <b>8:20 AM</b> Worship <b>9:25 AM</b> Sunday School <b>9:25 AM</b> 6th Grade Bowling <b>9:30 AM</b> Adult Education <b>9:30 AM</b> Worship <b>10:40 AM</b> Worship	<b>28</b> <b>10:00 AM</b> God's Children Sing <b>10:00 AM</b> Men's Bible Study <b>12:00 PM</b> Yoga <b>6:00 PM</b> TOPS <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga <b>7:15 PM</b> Calvary Carillons	<b>29</b> <b>12:00 PM</b> Staff Meeting	<b>30</b> <b>4:30 PM</b> RING <b>5:00 PM</b> Youth Choir <b>5:15 PM</b> Fellowship Supper <b>6:00 PM</b> Confirmation <b>6:00 PM</b> Praise/Joy/Alleluia Choirs <b>7:15 PM</b> ROL	<b>1</b> <b>8:30 AM</b> Quilters <b>9:00 AM</b> Crafters <b>9:00 AM</b> Sharing & Caring <b>10:15 AM</b> Yoga <b>5:30 PM</b> Community Meals <b>6:30 PM</b> Yoga	<b>2</b> <b>9:30 AM</b> Mom's Bible Study	<b>3</b>

## MCLCW

### Hannah Circle

Hannah Circle will meet Tuesday, November 15, at 9:30 a.m. at church. Hostesses will be Marlie Temple & Jan Robertson. Bible Study leader is Vonnie Zeller.



### Latin American Lutheran Missions Honors Jacque Linn

Latin American Lutheran Missions is celebrating their 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary at Woodale Lutheran Church in St. Louis Park, November 11-13. On Saturday afternoon at the 1:30 session, Jacque Linn will be honored for many years she has been making cards for the mission that are used for evangelism. It would be great if Mount Calvary people could be in attendance at that event. There are photos on the Women's bulletin board showing her cards being distributed at a women's conference in Mexico.



### Eve Circle

Eve Circle will meet Tuesday, November 1, at 7 p.m., in the Fireside Room.

**Theme verse:** Mark 4:40

**Session 3:** The Gospel of Mark: Power and Authority

The cloud of controversy surrounding Jesus is growing. The demands of discipleship--and family ties with Jesus--are more sharply drawn. A question to keep in mind as you prepare for this session: Has Jesus lost sight of the needs of the people around him?



### MCLCW Fundraiser

#### ONE DAY CRAFT SALE

Saturday, November 6  
9 a.m. -4 p.m.

Lutheran Church of the Ascension  
1801 E. Cliff Road, Burnsville  
(west of highway 13)

Unique hand-crafted items made by congregation members and the Mount Calvary Crafters group will be featured.

Enjoy crafts from many other local vendors.

Lunch will be available

All proceeds will benefit local and global missions and special projects at Mount Calvary.

Call Karen Flood with any questions

## Fellowship

**Mount Calvary Reads**  
**Monday, November 21**  
**7 p.m.**

*Hotel on the Corners of Bitter & Sweet* by Jamie Ford

Upcoming discussions:

December 19  
*Look Again* by Lisa Scottoline

January 16  
*The Painted Veil* by W. Somerset Maugham

February 20  
*Maiden Rock* by Mary Logue



*All are welcome to join our discussions. We meet in a lower level Sunday School room.*

*If you have questions, contact Marie Kvistero.*



**Blood Pressure Checks**  
**November 6**

GET YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKED AT CHURCH! Mount Calvary member and nurse, Tracey Hammel, has offered to be here the first Sunday of each month to check the blood pressure of anyone that is interested. Find her in the main church office after the first and second services for this health check!

### Calvary's Cameras!

Tuesday, November 15 at 7 pm.

We are having fun with our new photography group!

Our "assignment", if you choose to accept it!, is to take a few pictures (random, not posed) of people with hats, and/or something green. Bring your pictures in print, flash drive, memory card, or CD. We'll enjoy each other's photos, encourage each other to get out there and use our cameras, and help come up with ways to improve our techniques. Feel free to join us!

Questions? Contact Wendy Lane at [wendy.lane@mtcalvary.com](mailto:wendy.lane@mtcalvary.com) or 651-454-2344.



**New and Improved**  
**50+ Cards and Games!!**



Come for dinner and stay for fun! The 50+ group is going to try a game night once a month on a Wednesday night.

November's date will be Wednesday, November 16 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Bring a deck of cards and/or your favorite games to play and enjoy an evening of fun at Mount Calvary!

50+ Game Day will also be once a month - the second Tuesday of each month.

Same as Game Night, bring a deck of cards and/or your favorite games to play and have some fun!

Questions? Contact Wendy Lane at [Wendy.Lane@mtcalvary.com](mailto:Wendy.Lane@mtcalvary.com) or [651-454-2344](tel:651-454-2344).

## Fellowship Con't



### Men's Fellowship Breakfast Saturday, November 19 7:30 a.m.

**Ralph Dickinson, Solar Energy Engineer**

The November Men's Fellowship Breakfast will feature an outstanding guest speaker, Ralph Dickinson. Ralph has had a broad career in many areas. He has a degree in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Wyoming, and MBA and Environmental Health degrees from the University of Minnesota. He worked at Excel Energy for 25 years, and followed that with over 6 years of employment at Ellerbe Associates. His work entailed the design for the physical construction of buildings for large firms. A 30-year Eagan resident and currently semi-retired, he is an adjunct professor at St. Paul Vo-Tech.

His presentation is so timely to the discussion of this form of energy for today and especially in the future so men don't miss it! Coffee is ready at 7:15. Join us for a very timely and educational experience with warm fellowship and a delicious breakfast.

### Holidays & Seasons Around the World

**Fall Handbell Concert  
November 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>**

This is not your typical Sunday-morning handbell music. Come. Listen to a variety of music from around the world. Enjoy a dessert at half-time based on one of 14 themes. 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall – identical concerts. Nov 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>. Tickets on sale now \$15.00, but free for 18 and younger.



### Mom's Group Bible Study:

The two Mom's Group Bible Studies (Monday evenings and Friday mornings) have "morphed" into one group - the Friday morning group. Please know that all Mom's of Mount Calvary are welcome to come any Friday morning at 9:30 for a great Bible study and a chance to get to know other Mom's at Mount Calvary!

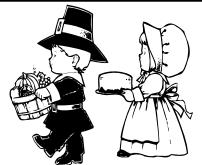
- ∅ Child care is provided (all who partake share a small fee)
- ∅ Come whenever you can - weekly attendance is not required
- ∅ No homework!!

Great support, friendships, fun and faith building! Questions? Contact Wendy Lane at 651-454-2344 or [Wendy.Lane@mtcalvary.com](mailto:Wendy.Lane@mtcalvary.com) or talk to me when you see me!



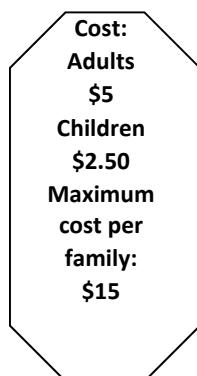
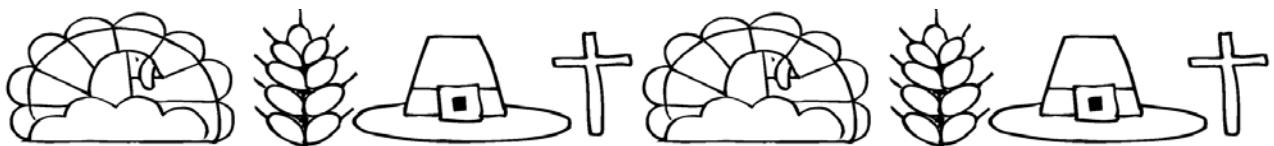
## Fellowship Con't

**Thanksgiving Eve Worship and Pie Social**  
**Wednesday, November 23**  
**7 p.m.**



We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing and to give thanks for all the gifts we share. Our God is a generous God! Please join us for festive worship at 7 p.m.

Following worship we will move to the Fellowship Hall for pie! As our blessings are in great abundance, so is the variety of pies! Please sign up at the Welcome Desk if you would be willing to bring a pie. (Please cut your pie before bringing it to church.) Everyone is welcome! Bring friends and family!



### November Wednesday Night Supper Menu

**Serving Time**

**5:15-6:30**

**Cost:**  
**Adults**  
**\$5**  
**Children**  
**\$2.50**  
**Maximum**  
**cost per**  
**family:**  
**\$15**

**November 2 (Beyer)**  
*Chicken Enchiladas*  
*Hamburger Enchiladas*  
*Spanish Rice*  
*Chips & Salsa*  
*Tossed Salad*  
*Cookies*

**November 9 (Danner)**  
*Lasagna*  
*Carrots & Peas*  
*Waldorf Salad*  
*French Bread*  
*Bars*

**November 16 (Severson)**  
*Pork Stew*  
*Beef Stew*  
*Crackers*  
*Winter Fruit Salad*  
*Ice Cream Sandwiches*

**November 30 (McWain)**  
*Spaghetti*  
*French Bread*  
*Veggies & Dip*  
*Tossed Salad*  
*Variety of Cakes*

**December 7 (Moss)**  
*Sloppy Joes*  
*Potato Salad*  
*Baked Beans*  
*Chips*  
*Brownies*

**December 14 (Owen)**  
*Christmas Dinner*  
*Turkey & Dressing*  
*Mashed Potatoes & Gravy*  
*Corn*  
*Christmas Salad*  
*Mini Cheesecakes*

**November 23**  
**NO MEAL (Thanksgiving)**

## Capital Appeal Update

### Capital Appeal Update

We began our third 3-year capital appeal, "50 Years of Worship & Service" on January 1, 2010. As of September 30, 2011 we have collected \$202,698 of the pledged amount of \$311,000 or 65% of goal.

The money collected through this appeal is distributed as follows:

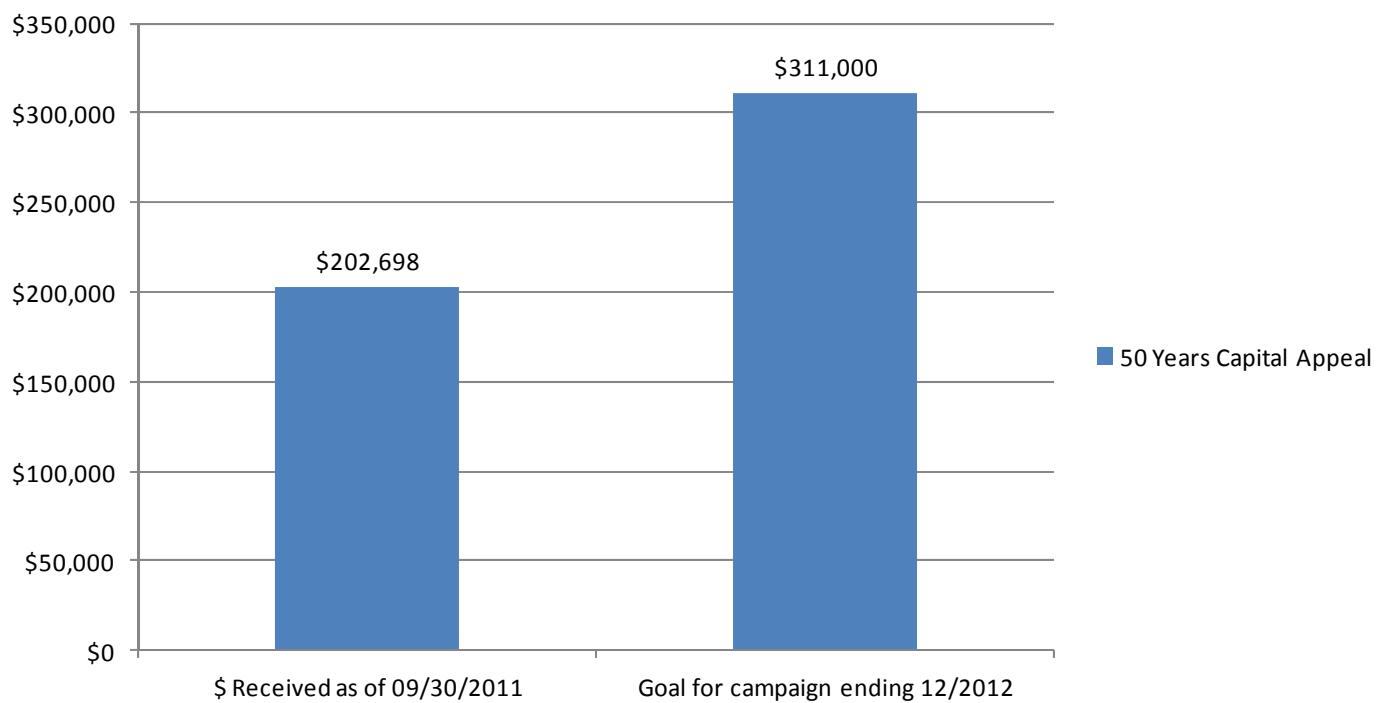
- 10% of the received amount goes to the Eagan Resource Center and African Ministries; each receiving 5%
- \$9,627 for our second mortgage monthly payment
- Any remaining dollars at the end of each month goes towards the capital improvement fund

As of 9/30/2011 (21 months), we have collected the following amounts:

- Eagan Resource Center - \$10,132
- African Ministries - \$10,132
- \*\*Second mortgage - \$182,431 collected and \$202,162 paid out = (\$19,731)
- Capital improvements - \$0

\*\*We have kept a balance of over \$70,000 in reserves from the second capital appeal, *Growing in Faithful Service*, to cover any deficits in paying the second mortgage. For details, refer to the Dedicated Funds Report located in the brochure holder to the left of the nursery doors.

### 50 Years Capital Appeal



## Pray for....

### STAFF:

<b>Pastor David Lillejord</b>	Senior Pastor
<b>Pastor Jennifer Rome</b>	Associate Pastor
<b>Pam Carlson</b>	Cantor
<b>NaDyne Glidden</b>	Administrator
<b>Wendy Lane</b>	Ministry Coordinator
<b>Jane Mollman</b>	Education Coordinator
<b>Margaret Stachour</b>	Secretary
<b>Dave Beyer</b>	Maintenance Service Technician
<b>Denise Beyer</b>	Bookkeeper
<b>Renae Draper</b>	Nursery Attendant
<b>Judy Forde</b>	Praise Choir
<b>Dana Hanson</b>	Nursery Attendant
<b>Beth Jerzak</b>	Youth & Family Asst
<b>Brian Jerzak</b>	Community Night Building Supervisor
<b>Shirlee Klang</b>	Office Assistant
<b>Wendy Lane</b>	Joy Choir
<b>Liz Lindner</b>	RING, ROL
<b>Bruce Olson</b>	Community Night Building Supervisor
<b>Mary Jane Pedersen</b>	Accompanist
<b>Marlys Peterson</b>	Office Assistant
<b>Ben Schori</b>	Children, Youth & Family Intern
<b>Alanna Teragawa</b>	Calvary Carillons
<b>Sarah Twedt</b>	Accompanist
<b>Linda Wagner</b>	Cook
<b>Kay Wandersee</b>	Office Assistant

### COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Jason Piehl, *President*  
 Dan Tollefson, *Vice-President*  
 Nancy Howard, *Secretary*  
 Mark Twedt, *Treasurer*  
 Jodie Henjum, *Council*  
 Nathan Kachelmyer, *Council*  
 Sharon Priebe, *Council*  
 Kent Therkelsen, *Council*

### MINISTRY TEAM CHAIRS:

Christine Codner, *Education*  
 Becky Schumacher, *Education*  
 John Kendall, *Global/Social*  
 Dave Beyer, *Property*  
 Susan Veum, *Worship/Music*  
 Ann Jaede, *Youth/Family*



*Please pray for*

### THOSE BAPTIZED:

**Alexander Parker**  
 son of  
**Scott & Elizabeth**

### THOSE WHO LOST LOVED ONES:

**Kirsten Fodness** - father  
**Phyllis Martin** - husband  
**Sonja Stoudt** - brother

## Meet The Congregation

'Meet the Congregation' - This month we'll get to know a little more about Mount Calvary member... Judy Forde.

W: (Wendy) What's your favorite thing to do in the summer? Winter?

J: (Judy) *In the summer, gardening in the early morning to beat the heat. In the winter, walking in the early morning to feel I'm alive.*

W: If you could visit anywhere in the world, where would you go? Why?

J: *Norway would probably be my first choice, because of its beauty and it being the home of my ancestors.*

W: Are you a "morning person", a "night person", or a little of each?

J: *I am definitely a morning person. Being raised on a farm molded me into rising early to make the most of the day.*

W: What are your favorite hobbies? or things to do in your free time?

J: *I love to read and sew.*

W: Use only three words and describe yourself.

J: *P a t i e n t , k i n d , compassionate.*

W: What is your favorite TV show? (or name a few, if that's easier)

J: *I cannot miss "Big Bang Theory", "The Good*



*Wife", or "Amazing Race".*

W: Where were you born?

J: *Good old Starbuck, Minnesota. (Fellow Mount Calvary member) Craig Bollum's Aunt Helen was my favorite teacher there!*

W: What are two or three of your favorite foods?

J: *Chocolate, chocolate, chocolate!*

W: Do you have any pets?

J: *We have two very special cats, Bootsie and Onyx. We got a cat the first year we were married and have had cats ever since.*

W: What are your favorite type(s) of music?

J: *I grew up with bluegrass, singing in the kitchen with my mom type music.*

W: What is something most people don't know about you?

J: *I'm very shy in new situations.*

W: What are you looking forward to in this next year?

J: *I was laid off from my job so I'm going to try retirement out and see how it feels.*

W: What are some of your favorite things about Mount Calvary?

J: *Mount Calvary has been our church home for almost 30 years so I would have to say the people.*

W: What are some ways you have been involved at church?

J: *I have served on some committees and church council in the past. Sanctuary choir filled my life for many years. Right now I'm doing what I love most and that is leading Praise Choir. (Praise Choir is for preschoolers, children ages 3-5).*

W: What's your favorite part of worship?

J: *The variety of music we have each Sunday.*

W: Who influenced you in your faith the most?

J: *My parents never made me go to church, but they lived their faith every day of the year. Therefore, I chose to go to church.*

W: Which service time do you generally attend?

J: *After many years preferring the early service, I now choose the later ones.*



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**8:20 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:40 a.m.**

**Sunday School**  
**9:25 a.m.**

**Adult Education**  
**9:30 a.m.**

**OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday - Thursday**  
**8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

**Friday**  
**8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

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