

# GOD'S RESOURCES

## God's work, done God's way, in God's time, brings God's resources.

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|                                       | <u>*2018/19</u><br>(Year to Date) | <u>*2017/18</u><br>(Last Year to date) | <u>*2018/19</u><br>(Ministry Plan) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| Year-to-date General Fund Income      | \$1,060,230.80                    | \$1,041,522.15                         | \$1,115,768.05                     |
| Year-to-date General Fund Expenses    | \$1,017,979.38                    | \$993,357.60                           |                                    |
| Benevolent Offering                   | \$31,629.33                       | \$24,225.09                            |                                    |
| Designated Education Fund Balance     | \$10,030.38                       |  |                                    |
| * Designated Building Reserve Balance | \$74,665.10                       |  |                                    |

*\*Fiscal year is from August through July.*



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*\* Any designated building related funds (i.e. building mortgage, legacy) will be put in the designated building reserve fund.*

**AMAZON SMILE:** When you purchase through Smile.Amazon.com and choose "Calvary Community Church, Williams Bay, WI" as your charity, we will receive .5% of every sale!

**EDUCATION FUND:** This fund is used to help with the continuing education of our staff. If you would like to contribute, designate your gift "education fund."

### SHEPHERDING STAFF

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| Chuck Cervenka, <i>Senior Pastor</i>           | Becky Eppley, <i>Connectedness/Women's Ministries Director</i> |
| Tim Yorgey, <i>Family Pastor</i>               | Rob Bryant, <i>Senior High Ministries Pastor</i>               |
| Gabe Doerksen, <i>Worship Pastor</i>           | Kelly Lofy, <i>Junior High Ministries Pastor</i>               |
| David F., <i>Global Ministries Pastor</i>      | Greg Goethal, <i>Elder to Seniors</i>                          |
| Tim Hanks, <i>Counseling Ministries Pastor</i> |  |



### The Telecoil... Connecting Directly to Sound

Our Worship Center is equipped with hearing loop assistive listening technology for those with telecoil-fitted hearing aids.



March 9 - 10, 2019



### Saturday Order of Service

#### Video Announcements

**Scripture: Mark 6:30-44**

#### Welcome

*Your Name  
King of Heaven*

#### Congregation In Prayer & Offering

*His Mercy Is More  
A Mighty Fortress*

**Kid's Message: Creation to the Cross  
Candles - Man's First Sin**

**Message**

**Benediction**

### Sunday Order of Service

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*Your Great Name  
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### WELCOME VISITORS!

We're very glad you're here today! If this is your first time worshipping with us, please stop by the welcome center in the lobby for a gift from Calvary.

*Time spent in prayer is never wasted time.* Francis Fenelon

## Pray that we would show the compassion of Christ to each person we meet.

*When he saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.* Matthew 9:36

### You prayed, God answered!

- The Nepal fundraiser was a great time of fellowship and encouragement for the team that will be leaving.
- Perry, Sandi, David, and Carol got off okay for their trip to Turkey.
- Jeff Ingersoll arrived in Kenya.

### How you can pray:

- Pray for the upcoming night (March 11) for helping our ladies understand depression.
- Pray for the Charity Resource Fair and the Moody Chorale concert that will be held here on March 14.
- Pray for the persecuted church and for an increase in our understanding of the need for prayer. This week we will focus on Sudan.
- Pray for the finance class and all who will be attending.
- Pray that God will put an end to abortion and bring great healing for those suffering from the guilt this can bring into their lives. Pray that the Church will be ready to help when and where needed.
- Pray for the peace of Jerusalem and for the many Messianic Jews who are ministering there. Pray that there may be a great awakening to the truth that Jesus is the promised Messiah! Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: *“May those who love you be secure. May there be peace within your walls and security within your citadels.” For the sake of my brothers and friends, I will say, “Peace be within you.” For the sake of the house of the LORD our God, I will seek your prosperity.* Psalm 122:6-9

## MISSIONS PRAYER FOCUS

### Chuck Sweetman - Chaplain to Southeast Wisconsin Law Enforcement

Since 2010, Chuck has been a chaplain, offering comfort and aid to law enforcement personnel in southeast Wisconsin. He provides marriage, financial, and parenting skill counseling as called upon, crisis intervention and awareness of “hypervigilance,” proactive seminars, workshops, and retreats. He also meets the spiritual needs of the law enforcement community. The highest cause of death among police officers has been suicide for the last ten years. Chuck has been able to intervene in at least five situations where officers were seriously considering suicide and a number more who have been crying for help in dealing with emotional trauma.

Pray for these brave men and women who stand between the innocent in society and those who would do them harm, between societal order and total anarchy.

Pray for Chuck as he counsels couples, individuals, or groups as in a CISD (Critical Incident Stress Debriefing) situation. It can be very draining emotionally.

Pray for wisdom and strength for Chuck and for his wife Karen.

### ROSE UP FRONT

Jesse and Brittany Adams bring their son, Nashville Wayne David, born September 11, 2018, to the Lord in dedication at the Sunday, 10:45 a.m. service.

### EVENTS FOR LADIES

**Understanding Depression, Monday, March 11, 6:30 p.m.** If you or someone you know has experienced depression, this Q & A session will bring a greater understanding of what it's all about from Sue Shouder, parish nurse. What causes depression? What should I say to my friend? What should I *not* say? Come with your questions and let us learn together about this prevalent and difficult season of life.

**Don't feel left out!** A Sabbath retreat is being planned for October 10-13. Save the date!  
**Revive '19 Seeking Him Conference**, September 27-28, in Indiana. Interested? Contact Allison Yorgey 262.245.5938. This conference will also be livestreamed at Calvary.

### CARD TABLES FROM DADDY/DAUGHTER EVENT

If you were one of those who graciously loaned us a card table to be used for Daddy/Daughter please come and pick it up in the gym.

### NEW CALVARY MUGS!

Interested? Please see someone at the welcome center or stop in the office. Cost: \$12.00

### CREATION TO THE CROSS CANDLES BOOKLETS

are available at the Family Connect table in the lobby.

### PRIMETIME LIVE! (ages 65+)

**Friday, March 15, noon**, come and enjoy a great luncheon buffet. Bring a hot dish or salad to share. A wonderful program of music, missions update, and reports from staff and Pastor Chuck. Last chance to sign up for the Fireside concert!

### BOWLING FOR SENEGAL FUNDRAISER

for the English Camp in Dakar. **Saturday, March 16, 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. at Delavan Lanes.** Cost: \$10 for 2 games and shoes. Family fun and food. See team members (John Rees, Kendra Mott, or Pat Jaglowski) for tickets or buy tickets at the door.

### FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Saturday, March 16, after service. Theme: *Chili Today, Hot Tomorrow!* Bring hot or cold dish!

### LADIES MONTHLY BOOK CLUB

**Monday, March 18, 9:30 a.m.**, at Susan Rowland's home, 501 Pheasant Ridge, Fontana. March's selection is *Bonhoeffer; Pastor, Martyr, Prophet, Spy*, by Eric Metaxas, and we'll be covering through chapter 16. RSVP to Susan, 262.215.1605, or Maggie, 262.203.1305.

### DIVORCE CARE FOR WOMEN

Find help. Discover hope. Experience healing. Calvary is beginning a weekly divorce care group on Tuesdays, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., for women who are separated or divorced. This biblically-based 13-week class will address topics such as healing, anger, depression, loneliness, relationships, finances, forgiveness, and more. For more information, contact Becky at 262.245.6294, [becky@calvarycommunity.net](mailto:becky@calvarycommunity.net), go to [dovorcecare.org](http://dovorcecare.org), or pick up a brochure in the lobby. **Come to the registration and informational night on Tuesday, March 19, at 6:30 p.m. The class begins April 2. (\$20 registration fee)**

### SANCTUARY IN TIME

Pastor Chuck's newly published book *Sanctuary in Time: A Sabbath Retreat Guidebook* is available for purchase (\$10) at the welcome center. *Sanctuary in Time* was birthed on a Smoky Mountains Men's Sabbath Retreat and grew over the course of many Sabbath experiences.

### 9TH ANNUAL MEN'S SABBATH IN THE SMOKIES

**Sunday, May 5 - Friday, May 10th**, Online registration: [CalvaryCommunity.net/engage](http://CalvaryCommunity.net/engage) or pickup a brochure on the display rack in the lobby. For more information, contact Pastor Chuck.

# CALENDAR (times are p.m. unless otherwise noted)

## Sunday

7:50 a.m. Breakfast  
9:00 a.m. Worship Service  
9:00 a.m. Classes for all ages  
(Please note Sr. High will be joining the Men's or Women's class - *Designed 2 Thrive at 10:45 a.m.*)  
10:45 a.m. Worship Service  
10:45 a.m. Women's class - *Designed 2 Thrive*  
Men's class - *Designed 2 Thrive*  
12:15 After-Church Coffee Fellowship  
Embrace Grace Baby Shower  
12:30 Comunidad Cristiana Calvario  
4:00 Youth Worship Team  
6:30 Sr. High Youth Group

## Monday

9:00 a.m. Ladies Forever Fit  
5:00 Finance Committee Meeting  
6:00 Ladies Forever Fit  
6:30 Understanding Depression

## Tuesday

8:00 Moms In Prayer  
9:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Studies  
*Romans Part 4; 2 Corinthians*  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Clothing Outreach Center open  
6:00 twentyTHREE61 women's Bible study:  
*8 Pillars to Freedom From Love Addiction & Sexual Issues*  
6:00 *United In Prayer* Meeting  
6:30 Telecare  
6:45 Diaconate Board Meetings  
7:00 Venue (college/young adults) at Jeff and Elke  
Ingersoll's, 122 South 8th Street, Delavan

## COMING EVENTS

|         |  |         |                                  |
|---------|--|---------|----------------------------------|
| 3/20    | UNITE WORSHIP NIGHT (JR. & SR. HIGH)                 | 5/5-10  | MEN'S SABBATH RETREAT            |
| 3/22    | CALVARY'S GOT TALENT                                 | 5/17    | MARRIAGE NIGHT 2019              |
| 4/6     | TJCII INTERCESSORS MEETING                           | 6/1     | TJCII INTERCESSORS MEETING       |
| 4/5-6   | EMPOWERED TO CONNECT CONFERENCE                      | 6/7-8   | MOTHER/SON CAMPOUT AT TIMBER-LEE |
| 4/27-28 | TWENTYTHREE61 WE REMEMBER MEMORIAL HIKE & CONFERENCE | 6/24    | BLOOD DRIVE                      |
| 5/4     | TJCII INTERCESSORS MEETING                           | 6/29-30 | PATRIOTIC CELEBRATIONS           |
| 5/4     | LADIES SPRING BRUNCH                                 | 7/6     | TJCII INTERCESSORS MEETING       |
| 5/4-5   | KINGDOM KIDS CHOIR SPRING MUSICAL                    | 7/15-19 | VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL            |
|         |  | 7/21    | ANNUAL MEETING                   |
|         |  | 8/1-4   | GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP CONFERENCE    |

## Wednesday

9:00 a.m. Ladies Forever Fit  
**Summit:**  
4:45 Meal  
5:00 Kingdom Kids Choir  
6:15 Awana  
6:15 The Pier (Jr. High)  
6:15 Women's class - *Designed 2 Thrive*  
Men's class - *Designed 2 Thrive*  
6:15 Worship Choir

## Thursday

10:00 a.m. Cancer Support Group  
10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Clothing Outreach Center open  
4:00 - 7:00 Charity Resource Fair  
6:30 Bible Study Fellowship  
7:00 Moody Chorale Concert

## Friday

9:00 a.m. Ladies Forever Fit  
11:00 a.m. Mom's In Prayer at Sandy  
Carlson's home  
12:00 Prime Time Live! (ages 65+)

## Saturday (March 16)

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Clothing Outreach Center open  
5:00 Saturday Worship Service  
Fellowship meal following the service.

## SHORT-TERM MISSIONS TRIP

Barnabas International: Perry (Director) and Sandi, David and Carol (member care staff) are in Turkey this week for the annual Central Asia Consultation,  
Jeff Ingersoll, Kenya, Africa, March 3-16  
Hannah Thomas, teaching in Kijabe, Kenya, Africa, until April 5

## LOVE IN ACTION

**Opportunities to get involved (check out the Love in Action board for more!):**

**Prayer for the Persecuted Church:** monthly

**Pro-life prayer meeting:** first Tuesday of the month, 6:00 p.m.

**Compassion Point Person:** We recently added the role of compassion point person to Sarah Lile's responsibilities here at church. She will be overseeing and helping people find places and ways they can be reaching into our community with the compassion of Jesus, brining the truth of the gospel. A job description is available at the welcome center if you would like to know more about this role.

**Pregnancy Helpline Spring Banquet**

**Friday, April 12, 4:30 p.m.** This year the banquet is getting a face-lift and they are re-focusing this entire event on their mission. Their theme is "**Love in Action**" because they hope to inspire guests like YOU to love mothers and families in the community a new way. For more information: <https://newphlmedical.wordpress.com/>. Sign up now by scanning the QR code!



**Embrace Grace** is a gospel-centered support group for single pregnant women.

They meet **Wednesdays at 6:15 p.m. in the Women's Ministries office.** Questions? Contact Karen Nordsieck 262.248.6521 or Edna Baker 262.758.7679.

**Pregnancy Helpline of Walworth County** is converting to a Pregnancy Medical Center. They will soon have the added services of pregnancy testing, ultrasound, STI screening, and more. Can you partner with them through your time, talent, or treasure? Learn more at [newphlmedical.wordpress.com](http://newphlmedical.wordpress.com) or check out the Love in Action board in the lobby for more information.

**Willow Women's Center** offers free pregnancy tests and ultrasounds and helps women determine the need for an STI screening. Their Mobile Ultrasound Unit is available in Walworth County, by appointment only, by calling: 608.365.5433. PRAY that God uses this in a powerful way in Walworth County. If you know a woman with an unplanned pregnancy, TELL her about this service.

**Safe Families:** Through Safe Families for Children, families in crisis get connected to caring, compassionate community during their time of need and beyond.

## AREA EVENTS

**SAVE THE DATE CHARITY RESOURCE FAIR!**

**Thursday, March 14, 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.** here at Calvary. Visit charitable organizations all in one place and learn how to give back locally.

**DELVAN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL PANCAKE FUNDRAISER**

**Saturday, March 16, 7:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.** Come and enjoy fellowship, fun, and the "best cakes in town," while supporting the students and staff of DCS.

**COVENANT HARBOR MAPLE FEST**

**Sunday, March 17, 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.** More information at: [covenantharbor.org/maple-fest](http://covenantharbor.org/maple-fest). If interested in volunteering, contact Brad Augustson, [baugustson@covenantharbor.org](mailto:baugustson@covenantharbor.org).

**Delighting in Loving Obedience**

**God’s Design for Compassion**

**Matthew 9:35-38; Mark 6:30-44**

**God’s design for compassion can be clearly seen in Jesus.**

- 1) Compassion sees the need for care.  
*Harassed and helpless* Matthew 9:36
  
- 2) Compassion responds with action.  
*He began teaching them.* Mark 6:34  
*You give them something to eat.* Mark 6:37  
*Proclaiming the good news of the kingdom.* Matthew 9:35
  
- 3) Compassion sacrifices to meet others’ needs.  
*How many loaves do you have?* Mark 6:38  
*Looking to heaven, he gave thanks.* Mark 6:40  
*The workers are few.* Matthew 9:37

**So, what?** As I think about what we studied here today, how am I able to answer these questions: *How can you start to see those who need compassion in the same way as Jesus? How will you respond when you see the need? How will Jesus reveal himself through you?*

**Small Group Questions**

**God’s design for compassion can be clearly seen in Jesus.**

The Bible reveals God’s heart for justice. Justice is a word that has many meanings today. Most of the meanings are shaped around feelings. God’s design for justice is to make all things right. The sin of Adam had cosmic repercussions and so the need for a Savior goes beyond a need for an individual person to be saved from their sin. The gospel is the good news that Jesus has come to make all things right. His time on earth was spent giving a foretaste of what that will ultimately look like. When he rolled open the scroll in Nazareth and read the first part of Isaiah 61, he drew attention to this truth (Luke 4:18ff). He came to proclaim the good news to the poor. Jesus displayed God’s heart of compassion. It is a heart that has been entrusted to us. As we see with his eyes, we see the need for compassion and the need for things to be made right. This is the full message of the gospel. We can join in with him when we come with a heart that is ready to sacrificially give, ready to see each person as one who bears the image of the Almighty in need of a Savior. We proclaim that God so loved the world.

1. **Compassion sees the need for care .**  
Think about other verses that speak about God noticing people who are living without a shepherd (Numbers 27:17; 1 Kings 22:17; Isaiah 53:6). What does this seem to indicate about the heart of God? Search for places in the Bible where God reveals himself as full of compassion or compassionate. The word for “compassion” in the passages we are looking at this week literally means “to have your bowels yearn.” Consider the way that Jesus saw the need for people to receive care. He was far superior to everyone and yet he stooped down to what seemed to be the lowest. How do you see people who need care? Are there any times that a sense of superiority has kept you from having your bowels yearn for the needs of another? Jesus saw each person as an image bearer of God who needed a Savior. How do you see each person you meet?
2. **Compassion responds with action.**  
Jesus calls his disciples to action. They want to send the people to fend for themselves. Jesus has an action plan that is fueled by his compassion. This is not uncommon for him (Mark 8:2-3 as another example). Think of the times Jesus took action as he was moved by compassion. When your bowels yearn for another person, you should not simply walk by (James 2:14-17; 1 John 3:17-18). You are called to become the Samaritan in the parable (Luke 10:30-36). You see yourself as a neighbor to every person you meet. How have you acted when you saw a need? It is important to see that it was not just the physical need that Jesus was interested in. Of preeminence is the spiritual need—the good news of the kingdom. He came to proclaim that good news (Mark 1:15). How does compassion spur you on to proclaim the gospel?
3. **Compassion sacrifices to meet others’ needs.**  
Jesus asks how many loaves they have. What are the resources that have been entrusted to them? I have often pondered how many people had some food with them but did not offer it up for the benefit of the whole group. Apparently, only one boy in the crowd thought that what he had could be enough for everyone if it was given to Jesus (John 6:9). The workers are few. Those who think that they can make a difference in the lives of people are few. Those who think that their lunch will impact a crowd are rare. Most will keep what they have been given and not share it. God has entrusted each person with resources to be shared. What resources have you been given to share with this generation? Are you like the boy or the rest of the crowd? Do you see that the harvest is ripe? Are you being called to be a worker?
4. **Consider the “So what?” questions of the week.**  
Are there any thoughts you would like to share with the group?

Next week we begin Ephesians! Living richly. If you get a chance, read the whole book this week. The message will be on Ephesians 1:1-14



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Sermon notes, audio and video recordings of the weekend sermon, Quiet Waters daily devotional, and much more are available on our website: [CalvaryCommunity.net](http://CalvaryCommunity.net)