

TODAY

Sunday, August 17

8:45 AM—Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Rm)
9:00 AM—Worship
10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, August 20

7:00 PM—Prayer Meeting*
7:00 PM—Youth Back to School Bash*

Saturday, August 23

7:00 AM—Men’s Prayer Group (Prayer Room)
8:00 AM—Men’s Hiking*

Sunday, August 24

8:45 AM—Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Rm)
9:00 AM—Worship
10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School
6:30 PM—Oasis Home Group

*See inside pages for more details

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The Powerful Convicter: Holy Spirit

The Weekly



August 17, 2025

Welcome!

If you’re a guest today...

We’d like to meet you! Please stop by the Info Desk in the lobby so we can personally welcome you.

Our Lead Pastor, Chris Lenhart, sends greetings in Jesus’s name. He is on a sabbatical and will return to the pulpit on Sept. 7. In the meantime, he’s recorded a video greeting for you – find it on our YouTube channel or social media accounts.



Please fill out the communication form and place it in the offering box.

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CALVARY MONUMENT BIBLE CHURCH
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ORDER OF SERVICE

9:00 AM

WELCOME

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

PRAYER — TOM HUBBARD

“RUSHING WIND” — SPECIAL MUSIC

Children in grades K-6 are dismissed for Junior Church

MESSAGE — PASTOR BOB REID
“THE POWERFUL CONVICTER: HOLY SPIRIT”

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

OFFERING (MINISTRIES FUND)

Please place your tithes & offerings in the boxes at the doors as you leave. See back page for info about giving from home.

Growing in a greater love for God and a greater love for each other.

ADULTS & GENERAL INFO

August Memory Verse: Romans 8:15 (ESV)
For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, “Abba! Father!”

Prayer Meeting - Online and in the Building
Wednesdays, 7:00 PM
Join us in the building or use the link to join on Zoom:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89198667797>
Meeting ID: 891 9866 7797

Welcome back, Lenharts!
Wednesday, Sept. 10, 7:00 PM, Auditorium
During this special prayer meeting, Pastor Chris will share highlights and insights from his sabbatical, and we'll have a time of fellowship afterwards. Childcare will be available.

Save the Date: Church Potluck
Sunday, Sept. 21, 11:45, CMBC
Signups begin Sept. 7

Medical Information & Permission Forms
It's that time again! Medical forms must be completed for all children and students under the age of 18. Blank forms are available in the lobby rack and a fillable form is posted on the church website. Please complete one for your child(ren) and email it to the office (cmbc@calvarymonument.org), or place a printed copy in the church office drop box. Thank you!

Can we borrow your fun food machine?
Awana is looking to borrow a soft serve machine, snow cone maker, and cotton candy machine during the upcoming club year. If you own one of these machines or have a connection to one, would you allow us to borrow it for one club night? Please let Heather and Michael know at awana@calvarymonument.org.

CHURCH BUSINESS

REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF 8/10/25	
In-Person Worship Service Attendance	295
Family Life Hour Attendance	252
Service Livestream Views	95
ABF Elective Livestream Views	90
Weekday Activities Attendance	10

Offering Report (Ministries Fund)
Checks, cash & online giving: \$22,032.35

FAMILY NEWS
In the Hospital: Don Eisenberger, Ron Hornberger

Sympathy
To Abe & Dianne Fisher in the passing of Abe's son, Justin Fisher, on August 11.

To Don & Judy Eisenberger in the passing of Judy's sister, Brenda Keenan, on August 13.

Upcoming Milestone Anniversaries
Aug. 21 - Robert & Pauline Stoltzfus - 60th



Awana Kick-Off
Sunday, Sept. 7, 3:00-4:30 PM, CMBC
Join us for our Awana Kick-Off! At this exciting event, you'll enjoy a bounce house, balloon animals, face painting, carnival style games, snacks, and more! Plus, you can learn more about the Awana ministry, register your children, and order handbooks and uniforms. Sign up on our website (www.calvarymonument.org/ministries/children) or on the communication form. Questions, contact Heather & Michael Ensslen at awana@calvarymonument.org.

The first club night is Wed Sept 24. Awana runs on most Wednesday evenings during the school year, from 6:40-8:15 PM for children through sixth grade. Each Awana night is filled with energy, fellowship, spiritual growth, games, Scripture memory, singing, and a Bible message. We'd love to have you join us!

Join the Awana Team!
Our Awana team is currently seeking adults and teens to join us in sharing the love of Jesus with the children of our church and community. In particular, we are looking for someone to serve as the leader of Puggles, our ministry to two-year-olds. For more information about serving in Awana, visit: calvarymonument.org/volunteer or reach out to Heather and Michael Ensslen at awana@calvarymonument.org.

CMBC YOUTH

YBF (Youth Bible Fellowship) for grades 7-12
Sundays, 10:30 AM, Youth Room

CMBC Youth Summer Schedule
August
8/20 - **Back to School Bash**, 7-9 PM, SECA Pool (297 Park Ave, Quarryville, PA 17566)
8/27 - **Youth Group Kickoff Night:** Come out to a night of fun and food as we kick off the new year!! Dinner will start at 6:00 PM with games to follow. Parents are also welcome to attend this event with their youth! Bring a towel or extra set of clothes. See you there!!

50+ CLUB

Save the Date: Covered Dish Picnic
Saturday, Sept. 13, 3:00-7:00 PM
Intercourse Community Park
Sign-ups begin Aug. 24

MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Hiking Group (for men age 18+)
Saturday, Aug. 23 (note date change)
Glenroy Preserve (10 W Christine Rd, Nottingham)
We will be moving to the 4th Saturday to avoid the holiday weekend. The hike will be the Tiger, Blackburn, Bamboo Hollow, and Upper Octorara Trail loop. It is 4.6 miles and is rated easy, though there are a couple of hills. Meet at the church to leave at 8 to begin the hike around 8:30. We plan to get back to the church around 11:15. Come out for a great time of fellowship! Contact Doug Bollman for more information.



“The Powerful Convicter: Holy Spirit”

Calvary Monument Bible Church

August 17, 2025 Pastor Robert Reid

Too often when the Spirit of God convicts us, Satan comes in and tries to pervert that conviction into something that condemns and not transforms. As one writer notes, “The Holy

Spirit makes us aware of our lack of holiness to stimulate us to deeper yearning and striving for holiness. But Satan will attempt to use the Holy Spirit’s work to discourage us.” (Jerry Bridges). Today we want to discover that Spirit is involved in convicting people so they can be saved or grow in their sanctification. We need to respond to his convicting work properly

FIRST

I. Promise of the Spirit’s Conviction

A. Action – “He will convict” (Jn. 16:8)

B. Focus of the action

1. Revealing sin SEE: Ps. 139:23-24; Jer. 17:9; Ps. 51:1-12
2. Pointing to Righteousness SEE: Gal. 5:16-17; James 4: 17; Isa 6:5
3. Assuring individuals of their accountability to a holy God: – SEE: Rom. 2:5-8; 2 Cor. 5:10
4. Inviting Repentance SEE: Acts 2:37–41; Heb. 4:12; Eph. 6:17; 1 Jn. 1:9

SECOND

II. Process of Spirit’s convicting ministry using the Word of God

A. Way the HS convicts us – primarily by his Word
Works of the Spirit in and through the Word

1. _____ Jer. 1:5
2. _____ Ex. 24:3-4
3. _____ 2 Pt. 1:20-21

4. _____ Jer. 36

5. _____ 1Cor. 2:10-13

6. _____ Eph. 4:11-12

7. _____ Jn. 16:8

B. What response should we have to Spirit conviction – yield not resist – SEE: Acts 7:51; James 4:7-10

THIRD

III. Pictures of Spirit’s convicting ministry

A. Conviction leading to salvation – SEE: Acts 8:26-39

B. Conviction of sin in a saint’s life – SEE: 1 Cor. 5:1-13; 2 Cor. 2:1-8

C. Not all respond to the Spirit’s convicting work the same way.
SEE: Acts 28:23-31; 1 Cor. 3:5-8

RESPOND

1. Billy Graham said on one occasion, “It is the Holy Spirit’s job to convict, God’s job to judge and my job to love.” As we speak to people about the things of God we are to “speak the truth in love” Ephesians 4:15. Do people hear words that reflect the fruit of the Spirit or the condemnation of our flesh? SEE: Galatians 5:22-23

2. As we spend more time looking at the righteousness of God and realizing our own sinfulness then we might pray, “Oh, God show me more of Your holiness. Show me more of my sinfulness. Help me to hate sin and to love righteousness as You do. Grant me a deeper conviction of sin and a more thorough spirit of repentance. And make me holy as You are holy.” (Nancy Leigh DeMoss). That is where the Spirit’s conviction really comes alive in us!

3. Read Isaiah 6:1-8 several times this week and ask the Spirit of God to reveal something from Isaiah’s experience that might impact your life.



KICK-OFF CARNIVAL



Sun, Sept 7; 3:00-4:30 pm

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