

# Calvary *update*

building a community in Christ  
to reach a community for Christ

**Dec 17, 2017**

## this morning

8:45 - 9:15 **Prayer**  
9:30-12:00 **Nursery (0-3)**  
9:30-10:30 **Worship & Message:**  
*Shepherds: Ben Killerlain*  
*Luke 2:1-20, Page 857*  
9:50-10:30 **Kids Club (4yrs- 2nd grade)**  
*(dismissed during service)*  
10:30-11:00 **Coffee and Fellowship**  
11:00-12:00 **Calvary Connection Classes:**  
*Study of the book of Philippians: Ron Torkelson (GathRm)*  
*Misreading Scripture: Marc Bauer (workroom)*

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP  
6:00pm Christmas Party at Tracy's home  
*Bring a \$10 or less gift-Dinner Provided*  
Last group until 2018

## connect

Any questions you might have can be answered at the information desk near the main entrance. You can also write your prayer or information request on the Connection Card within your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. If necessary, an appropriate Calvary Staff member, Leader, or Elder will contact you. Our facility is equipped with a hearing assistance system. Please ask for a receiver.

## next week

**Wed, Dec 20, 2017**  
No AWANA  
No Middle School Youth Ministry

**Fri, Dec 22, 2017**  
6:00am The Contender's Men's Study Group

## game time today

**Today** after the service we will be having a GAME TIME winter fellowship! You can order yourself or your family a pizza, Jimmy John's or whatever else you may think is tasty. Stay and meet new people, reacquaint yourself with others you might not see very often. Good family game time for a few hours during this busy season. Stay, relax and enjoy the fellowship!

## sharing

Feel free to share your family's Christmas cards and photos. Post them on the bulletin board by the office. Thank you for sharing.

## up and coming

Dec 20, 2017 -Christmas Break  
No AWANA  
No Middle School Youth Ministry

Dec 24, 2017 at Calvary  
9:30am Worship Service/No Connection Hr  
No Coffee/Treats  
No Senior Youth Group

Dec 27, 2017 -Christmas Break  
No AWANA  
No Middle School Youth Ministry

Dec 31, 2017 at Calvary  
9:30am Worship Service/No Connection Hr  
No Coffee/Treats  
No Senior Youth Group

Jan 3, 2018 at Calvary  
6:00pm AWANA Leaders Only Meeting

## poinsettias

Notice the beautiful poinsettias around the church. Thank you to all that gave in memory of loved ones to adorn Calvary for the Christmas season. You may take home your plant(s) on Sunday, Dec 24th or Sunday, Dec 31st.

## donations

The New Life Center would greatly appreciate your help in demonstrating God's love! We are asking for **NEW** men's clothing -

- underwear
- socks
- long johns
- winter coats
- hats
- winter gloves
- work gloves
- jeans
- shirts

Today is the last day to drop off items for this cause. **Thank you to all that have donated.**

On Christmas Day we will give each of our guests 6 pair of socks, two pair of gloves, and a stocking cap as wrapped gifts. The other items will be available according to size.

## calvary finances

The trustees will be providing monthly financial updates in both the bulletin and the "Connection" email. If you have questions about any of this, please seek out any of the Trustees - we would be happy to visit with you.

### November Giving

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Weekly (YTD)	\$6,275	\$5,768
November	\$27,183	\$24,846
Fiscal Year	\$135,915	\$126,885