

THE PEOPLE OF CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH GATHER FOR

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

JUNE 28, 2015

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

11:00 A.M.

We are an ecumenical, multi-racial, multi-ethnic Christian body
that reaches out to the world with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

To that end we strive to be welcoming, responsive, trusting and prayerful in everything we do.



"Once you were nobody, but now you are God's people! You are now part of Jesus, living stones that together are being built into a spiritual house, a family telling all people of the welcome and goodness of God." - 1 Peter 2:4-10

WHEN JESUS WAS ON EARTH, there was a sweet community of love among those who followed him. The love within them made each one a servant to the other, so that there was peace.

When Jesus no longer walked among them, the Spirit came as promised. And, filled with the Spirit, Christ's people again did not rule one over another; neither did the rich force the poor to beg, or imprison them as we now do. No, the rich sold their possessions, and made the poor their equals. No one claimed that anything they possessed was their own, for they had all in common.

O members of Jesus, do you know who you are? You are the body of Christ—a body made to love and to serve.

- Gerrard Winstanley,
17th c. English Baptist, adapted

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

During the Prelude, prepare for worship by centering your heart with this prayer by Thomas Ken (1637-1711):

Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Cheryl Branham, Piano

May the door of this church be wide enough to receive all who need love and friendship, and a heavenly Parent's care—but narrow enough to shut out all pride and strife. May its threshold be smooth so to be no stumbling block to children or to straying feet, yet strong enough to turn away the tempter's power. O God, may the door of this church be a gateway of grace to your peace and your joy. Amen.

LIGHTING THE ALTAR CANDLES

Angelica Angdisen, Acolyte

WELCOME

Reverend Glaze

⊕ HYMN 595

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE

⊕ LITANY OF ADORATION AND PRAISE

based on 1 Corinthians 12:14-31
Zain Shariff, Cantor

Refrain. Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together in unity and love.
Weave, weave, weave us together. Weave us together, together in love.

We are the body of Christ!

**The hand clapping, toe tapping, heart pumping, hymn singing, love making, bread breaking,
house building, risk taking, body of Christ!**

Baptized in one Spirit, we are members of one body.

**Many and diverse in gender, color, sexuality, age, class, race and condition, we are the
beautiful members of Christ's beautiful body.**

Not one of us can say to another, "I have no need of you."

For only together can we find wholeness.

Not one of us can say to another, "I will not care for you."

**For we're connected like muscle and bone. If one suffers we all suffer. If one rejoices, we all
rejoice! Thanks be to God who, in Christ, has made us a family, has made us one! Refrain.**

⊕ MORNING PRAYER

Marili Alvarado

Gracious God, because you love us, you have prepared for us joys beyond all imagination. Out of your grace you have called us your children, and have welcomed us into your family. And, because your grace is big enough and broad enough, we ask that you would build us into a spiritual house with open doors and a large heart, welcoming all who search for love and for home. In the name of him whose name we've taken, and who loved us so much he became one of us, we pray. **Amen.**

⊕ PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Marili Alvarado

La paz del Señor sea contigo. **Y contigo también.**
The peace of the Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

⊕ CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Make Us One
MAKE US ONE

**Make us one, Lord, make us one; Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let your love flow so the world will know we are one in you.**

A TIME WITH CHILDREN AND BLESSING

Pastor Erica

People of God, what is your prayer for our children?

**Our prayer is that they grow up to be like Jesus—strong and brave, full of grace and truth!
And, that we will help them.**

LISTENING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Jesu, Jesu / Jesús, Jesús
CHEREPONI
Calvary All-Come Choir

HEBREW LESSON

Isaías/Isaiah 58:6-9

Reverend Palacios

⁶El ayuno que yo escogí, ¿no es más bien desatar las ligaduras de impiedad, soltar las cargas de opresión, dejar ir libres a los quebrantados y romper todo yugo? ⁷¿No es que compartas tu pan con el hambriento, que a los pobres errantes albergues en casa, que cuando veas al desnudo lo cubras y que no te escondas de tu hermano? ⁸Entonces nacerá tu luz como el alba y tu sanidad se dejará ver en seguida; tu justicia irá delante de ti y la gloria de Jehová será tu retaguardia.

⁹Entonces invocarás, y te oirá Jehová; clamarás, y dirá él: “¡Heme aquí!

⁶Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the thongs of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke? ⁷Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them, and not to hide yourself from your own kin? ⁸Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you, the glory of the LORD shall be your rear guard. ⁹Then you shall call, and the LORD will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, Here I am.

EPISTLE LESSON

1 Peter/1 Pedro 2:4-6, 9-10

Pastor Elijah

⁴Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God’s sight, and ⁵like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. ⁶For it stands in scripture: “See, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.”

⁹But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. ¹⁰Once you were not a people, but now you are God’s people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

⁴Acercándoos a él, piedra viva, desechada ciertamente por los hombres, pero para Dios escogida y preciosa, ⁵vosotros también, como piedras vivas, sed edificados como casa espiritual y sacerdocio santo, para ofrecer sacrificios espirituales aceptables a Dios por medio de Jesucristo. ⁶Por lo cual también dice la Escritura: He aquí, pongo en Sión la principal piedra del ángulo, escogida, preciosa; el que crea en él, no será avergonzado.

⁹Pero vosotros sois linaje escogido, real sacerdocio, nación santa, pueblo adquirido por Dios, para que anunciéis las virtudes de aquel que os llamó de las tinieblas a su luz admirable. ¹⁰Vosotros que en otro tiempo no erais pueblo, ahora sois pueblo de Dios; en otro tiempo no habíais alcanzado misericordia, ahora habéis alcanzado misericordia.

⊕ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION*Alleluia*

Melchior Vulpius (c. 1560 – 1616)

Zain Shariff, Cantor

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

Father, I ask that they all may be one,
so that the love with which you love me may be in them.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! – John 17, adapted

²⁰“I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, ²¹that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. ²²The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, ²³I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. ²⁴Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. ²⁵Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me. ²⁶I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.”

²⁰Pero no ruego solamente por estos, sino también por los que han de creer en mí por la palabra de ellos, ²¹para que todos sean uno; como tú, Padre, en mí y yo en ti, que también ellos sean uno en nosotros, para que el mundo crea que tú me enviaste. ²²Yo les he dado la gloria que me diste, para que sean uno, así como nosotros somos uno. ²³Yo en ellos y tú en mí, para que sean perfectos en unidad, para que el mundo conozca que tú me enviaste, y que los has amado a ellos como también a mí me has amado. ²⁴Padre, aquellos que me has dado, quiero que donde yo esté, también ellos estén conmigo, para que vean mi gloria que me has dado, pues me has amado desde antes de la fundación del mundo. ²⁵Padre justo, el mundo no te ha conocido, pero yo te he conocido, y estos han conocido que tú me enviaste. ²⁶Les he dado a conocer tu nombre y lo daré a conocer aún, para que el amor con que me has amado esté en ellos y yo en ellos.

This is the Gospel of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

LISTENING FOR THE SPIRIT OF GOD: WALKING OUR INTERIM JOURNEY TOGETHER

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Reverend Glaze

Gracious God, send now your Spirit to open to us your word, so that this house, and the hearts of all who dwell here, might be open as well—open to you, open to all, open to love. **Amen.**

REVIEWING CALVARY’S SECOND CONGREGATIONAL SURVEY

Reverend Glaze

Who are We?—A Congregational Assessment of Calvary’s Present

GIVING AND SERVING

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS

Pastor Elijah

After the Pastoral Prayer, we invite everyone to pray the Lord’s Prayer in your native language.

Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Padre nuestro que estás en los cielos, santificado sea tu nombre. Venga tu reino. Hágase tu voluntad, como en el cielo, así también en la tierra. El pan nuestro de cada día, dánoslo hoy. Y perdónanos nuestras deudas, como también nosotros perdonamos a nuestros deudores. Y no nos metas en tentación, mas líbranos del mal; porque tuyo es el reino, y el poder, y la gloria, por todos los siglos. Amén.

MORNING OFFERING

All join in singing hymn 658.

Restless Weaver

BEACH SPRING

All-Come Choir and Congregation

HYMN 50

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Pastor Erica

BECOMING DISCIPLES

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Reverend Glaze

During the singing, we invite you to come forward if you wish to make a public commitment to follow Jesus or to express interest in joining this community of faith.

HYMN

All Are Welcome

Choir sings v. 1 / All sing v. 2 - 5.

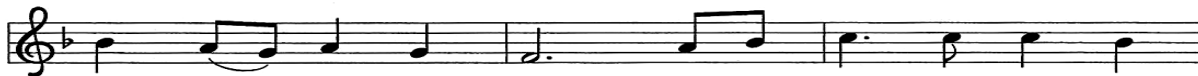
TWO OAKS



1 Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safe - ly
2 Let us build a house where proph - ets speak, and words are strong and
3 Let us build a house where love is found in wa - ter, wine and
4 Let us build a house where hands will reach be - yond the wood and
5 Let us build a house where all are named, their songs and vi - sions



live, a place where saints and chil - dren tell how
true, where all God's chil - dren dare to seek to
wheat: a ban - quet hall on ho - ly ground where
stone to heal and strength - en, serve and teach, and
heard and loved and trea - sured, taught and claimed as



hearts learn to for - give. Built of hopes and dreams and
dream God's reign a - new. Here the cross shall stand as
peace and jus - tice meet. Here the love of God, through
live the Word they've known. Here the out - cast and the
words with - in the Word. Built of tears and cries and



vi - sions, rock of faith and vault of grace; here the love of
wit - ness and as sym - bol of God's grace; here as one we
Je - sus, is re - vealed in time and space; as we share in
strang - er bear the im - age of God's face; let us bring an
laugh - ter, prayers of faith and songs of grace, let this house pro -



Christ shall end di - vi - sions:
claim the faith of Je - sus:
Christ the feast that frees us: All are wel - come,
end to fear and dan - ger:
claim from floor to raf - ter:



all are wel - come, all are wel - come in this place.

☉ AFFIRMING GOD'S CALL

We give thanks that you have been guided by God to this moment. As a community of faith we pledge to love each other and to work together to grow into the fullness of Christ.

☉ BENEDICTION

Reverend Palacios

CALLED BUSINESS MEETING

POSTLUDE

Meine Seele erhebt den Herren
J.S. Bach
Cheryl Branham, Piano

In today's Called Business Meeting, immediately following morning worship, Calvary votes on a motion from Pastor Elijah's Ordination Council. Thanks for participating in this very brief meeting.

Following worship join us in Woodward Hall, left as you exit the Sanctuary, for refreshments and a time of fellowship. Visitors, we look forward to meeting you! There will be a Calvary Conversation for further discussion on the survey results in the Chapel, following Coffee Hour!

To families with babies and young children: for your convenience, there are changing tables in the Parents' Room on the right side of the balcony and downstairs in the rooms next to the nursery.

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Lectionary passages for July 5, Sixth Sunday after Pentecost, are
Lamentations 3:19-25, 55-57; Psalm 30; 2 Corinthians 8:1-7, 15; Mark 5:21-43.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Charles Almond, Elijah Zehyoue's family friend; Carmen Angdisen; Demy Angdisen; Nardita (Edith) Angdisen; Teddi Angelov, Liubov Russell's friend; Maria Bensussen, Ryan Harvey's grandmother; Sara Bermúdez, Lorena Pereira's mother; Cristina Chacón; Roberta Clyburn, Janice Glover's sister; Lucy Daris, Claudia Moore's friend ; Megan DeWitt, Cheryl Branham's friend; Grace Evans; Bill Fahey; Brenda Fahey; Radost Fortunova, Liubov Russell's sister; Gail Ousley Gipson, Ben and Natalie Barrens Rogers' friend; family of José Gonzalez in El Salvador; Jenny Goon; Janet Grove; Berniece and Bill Harward; Rena Jirack; Lucy Johnson, Jackie Wright's grandmother; Lynne Mayfield, Jay Mayfield's mother; Robin Myers and family; Al Nielsen; Kyin Oo; Amelia Powell, Andrea Powell's mother; Paul Rice; Ed Smith, Paul Rosstead's brother-in-law; Joe Stout, Holly Miller's brother-in-law; Victoria Sulerzyski, Ellen Sulerzyski's sister-in-law; loved ones of Doris Vermilya; Earl and Jenna Wright, Isaac Wright's parents; refugee and asylum seekers; immigration reform; the people of Nepal, Texas, and Oklahoma; Calvary families; racial reconciliation and justice everywhere

TODAY

CALVARY ALL-COME CHOIR. Thanks to everyone who participated in summer choir today! If you love to sing, join us at 10:00 a.m. on the final Sunday of each summer month, **July 26 and August 30.** Contact Cheryl Branham for info. All are welcome!

REGISTER TODAY FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL at Camp Fraser, **July 17-19**, \$15 per child; scholarships are available. Theme: *The Whole World in God's Hands*. See Daniel Alcazar-Roman or Eugenia Reyes during Coffee Hour, and sign up!

SHALOM SCHOLARSHIP SHOPPES: COFFEE BREAK! A new shipment of Just Coffee 100% fair trade and certified organic coffee has just arrived! If you want to know what all the fuss is about, enjoy a free sample along with a tasty treat at the Shalom Scholarship Shoppes: Coffee Break during Coffee Hour. If you love it (and you will!), you can purchase your own bag for \$10! Proceeds benefit the Shalom Scholarship Fund.

CALVARY CONVERSATION. There will be a Calvary Conversation for further discussion on the survey results in the Chapel, following Coffee Hour!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LATEST HAPPENINGS is Calvary's weekly e-mail newsletter! Sign up on the Calvary website by clicking "sign up for updates" at the bottom of the home page.

CALVARY'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS. Visit www.calvarydc.org/events/ for a current listing, or stop by the church office to pick up a complete listing of Sunday School classes and Small Group programs.

CALVARY IS ON MEETUP.COM! Check out our group page and invite your friends to see Calvary events, <http://www.meetup.com/Calvary-Baptist-Church-Downtown-DC-Small-Groups/>

A FAMILY FRIENDLIER CALVARY! Sometimes Calvary isn't the easiest place for parents with babies and young children. We need your help to change that. Send your ideas on how to make our building and events more welcoming to families! Contact Salima Appiah-Duffell, salimaya@gmail.com.

SUNDAY SCHOOL concludes a study of Brian McLaren's *We Make the Road By Walking* this week. Come to Butler Hall today, 9:45-10:45 a.m. Contact Pastor Erica. Next week, combined Sunday School begins!

ZUMBA MEETS FRIDAY EVENINGS, 6:00-7:00 p.m.; \$5 per person and scholarships available. Contact Katie Harvey, katherine.s.harvey@gmail.com.

WILLING WORKERS! Do you have an hour or two during the week or on Saturday to help with painting, cleaning, landscaping? Contact Tim Shaw at tnshaw21@gmail.com to join Calvary's new "Willing Workers" program to help keep Calvary beautiful, safe, and clean for our congregation and resident partners!

JULY 4TH PICNIC. Mark your calendar for a July 4th picnic hosted by Calvary Latino Fellowship at 10:00 a.m., Rock Creek Park, picnic area #14. All are invited for hiking, soccer, grilling and fun! Contact Pastor Edgar.

AMERICAN POTLUCK BREAKFAST on **July 5, 9:00 a.m.** hosted by the Latino Fellowship, in the Chapel. Bring a covered breakfast dish, fruit, pastries, or whatever is your favorite! Coffee provided. Contact Pastor Edgar.

5TH ANNUAL YARD SALE coming up, **September 16-18** in Kendall Hall. Donations of new or gently used items needed (no clothes or computers, please). Boxes of all sizes and tissue paper also appreciated! All profits benefit Shalom Scholarship Fund. Contact Gretchen White.

WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY (WMS) needs sturdy shoe and boot boxes. They will make boxes to support local homeless people through S.O.M.E (So Others Might Eat). Contact Gretchen White.

SUMMER AT CALVARY

THEOLOGY ON DRAFT meets **Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:00 p.m.** In June, we study *Texts of Terror* by Phyllis Trible. Theology on Draft is on hiatus in July. **BUT** join us for a special Theology on Draft, **Tuesday, July 14**, to hear Rev. Dr. Jeff Hood talk about Queer Theology and his book *The Courage to be Queer*. Jeff is a pastor, activist, and theologian. Don't miss this compelling conversation.

COMBINED SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS JULY 5, 9:45 a.m., in the Chapel, each summer Sunday through September 6.

WILD GOOSE FESTIVAL in Hot Springs, NC, **July 9-12**. Contact Pastor Elijah.

REGISTER TODAY FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL at Camp Fraser, **July 17-19**, \$15 per child; scholarships are available. Theme: *The Whole World in God's Hands*. Registration forms available in Church Office. Contact Daniel Alcazar-Roman or Eugenia Reyes.

CALVARY UNPLUGGED, Calvary's "acoustic" summer worship in Woodward Hall, returns **August 2 – September 6**, with a special series on lesser-known voices. Interested in participating in music? Contact Cheryl Branham.

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