

THE PEOPLE OF CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH GATHER FOR

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

JANUARY 10, 2016

FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY
BAPTISM OF THE LORD

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.



Jordan River, Israel

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Voluntary in D
John Stanley (1712-1786)
Steven Hendrickson, Trumpet
Eric Schnobrick, Piano

WELCOME

Reverend Zehyoue

⊕ HYMN 176

Sing of God Made Manifest
SALZBURG

⊕ CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 29
Abbey Ammerman, Deacon of the Week

The voice of the Lord is over the waters

The God of glory thunders; the Lord, over mighty waters

The voice of the Lord is powerful

The voice of the Lord is full of majesty

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon

The Lord makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Sirion like a young wild ox

The voice of the Lord flashes forth flames of fire; the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness

The Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh *(continues next page)*

⊕ Congregation standing; la congregación se pone de pie.

Congregational responses in **bold**. Audio enhancement devices available for use during worship.

Please ask an usher for assistance.

Respuestas congregacionales en **negrita**. Para Biblias en español o traducción del servicio en español, por favor hablar con un ujier.

The voice of the Lord causes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare

And in God's temple, all say, "Glory!"

The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king forever

May the Lord give strength to God's people

May the Lord bless God's people with peace

Let us worship the Lord our God!

⊕ **PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

Abbey Ammerman

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

Amy Sullivan

MUSICAL MEDITATION

The Lord's Prayer

Albert Hay Malotte (1895-1964)

Steven Hendrickson, Trumpet

Eric Schnobrick, Piano

LISTENING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

HEBREW LESSON

Isaiah/Isaías 43:1-7

Reverend Zehyoue

¹But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. ²When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. ³For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. ⁴Because you are precious in my sight, and honoured, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. ⁵Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; ⁶I will say to the north, 'Give them up', and to the south, 'Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth— ⁷everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made.'

¹Ahora, así dice Jehová, Creador tuyo, oh Jacob, y Formador tuyo, oh Israel: No temas, porque yo te redimí; te puse nombre, mío eres tú. ²Cuando pases por las aguas, yo estaré contigo; y si por los ríos, no te anegarán. Cuando pases por el fuego, no te quemarás, ni la llama arderá en ti. ³Porque yo Jehová, Dios tuyo, el Santo de Israel, soy tu Salvador; a Egipto he dado por tu rescate, a Etiopía y a Seba por ti. ⁴Porque a mis ojos fuiste de gran estima, fuiste honorable, y yo te amé; daré, pues, hombres por ti, y naciones por tu vida. ⁵No temas, porque yo estoy contigo; del oriente traeré tu generación, y del occidente te recogeré. ⁶Diré al norte: Da acá; y al sur: No detengas; trae de lejos mis hijos, y mis hijas de los confines de la tierra, ⁷todos los llamados de mi nombre; para gloria mía los he creado, los formé y los hice.

¹⁴Cuando los apóstoles que estaban en Jerusalén oyeron que Samaria había recibido la palabra de Dios, enviaron allá a Pedro y a Juan; ¹⁵los cuales, habiendo venido, oraron por ellos para que recibiesen el Espíritu Santo; ¹⁶porque aún no había descendido sobre ninguno de ellos, sino que solamente habían sido bautizados en el nombre de Jesús. ¹⁷Entonces les imponían las manos, y recibían el Espíritu Santo.

¹⁴Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. ¹⁵The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit ¹⁶(for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). ¹⁷Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

⊕ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia

Richard Proulx (1937-2010)/Leo Nestor

Miles Herr, Cantor

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! **Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**
 You are my Son, the Beloved. With you I am well pleased.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia *(Luke 3, adapted)*

⊕ GOSPEL LESSON

Luke/Lucas 3:15-17, 21-22

Jac Whatley

¹⁵As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, ¹⁶John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. ¹⁷His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

²¹Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, ²²and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. A voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

¹⁵Como el pueblo estaba en expectativa, preguntándose todos en sus corazones si acaso Juan sería el Cristo, ¹⁶respondió Juan, diciendo a todos: Yo a la verdad os bautizo en agua; pero viene uno más poderoso que yo, de quien no soy digno de desatar la correa de su calzado; él os bautizará en Espíritu Santo y fuego. ¹⁷Su aventador está en su mano, y limpiará su era, y recogerá el trigo en su granero, y quemará la paja en fuego que nunca se apagará.

²¹Aconteció que cuando todo el pueblo se bautizaba, también Jesús fue bautizado; y orando, el cielo se abrió, ²²y descendió el Espíritu Santo sobre él en forma corporal, como paloma, y vino una voz del cielo que decía: Tú eres mi Hijo amado; en ti tengo complacencia.

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

Be in our midst, O Christ, for blessing your sons and daughters loved by you.
We come, your glorious name confessing, seeking fresh lives washed clean and new.

Held by your mighty arms enfolding, welcome us home by boundless grace.
Safeguard us always in your holding. Smile on us, show your loving face.

Counsel us, grant your Spirit's guiding. Lead us in paths of peace and love.
Keep us aware you are providing wisdom and strength sent from above.

Shelter us with your tender caring. Here in God's household be our host.
Your gracious banquet table sharing, move us to give our uttermost.

Help us recall our water's signing. Baptized, our fear of death is gone.
Baptized, we break from sin's confining. Baptized, we turn to face the dawn.

MORNING PRAYERS

Reverend Palacios

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.

CONGREGATIONAL MEDITATION

We sing in call and response style, as directed.

Wade in the Water

WADE IN THE WATER

Miles Herr, Cantor

Refrain. Wade in the water, wade in the water, children.

Wade in the water. God's a-gonna trouble the water.

Look over yonder, what do I see? God's a-gonna trouble the water.

The Holy Ghost a-coming on me, God's a-gonna trouble the water.

If you don't believe I've been redeemed, God's a-gonna trouble the water.

Just follow me down to Jordan's stream, God's a-gonna trouble the water. *Refrain.*

SERMON

The Voice of God is Over the Waters

Part 1: The Promise

Reverend Elijah Zehyoue

MUSICAL REFLECTION

John Dautzenberg

GIVING AND SERVING

INVITATION TO GIVE AND TO SERVE

Daniel Alcazar-Roman

MUSICAL OFFERING

Beneath the Cross of Jesus
Frederick C. Maker (1844-1927)

Steven Hendrickson, Trumpet

Eric Schnobrick, Piano

⊕ 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

Daniel Alcazar-Roman

BECOMING DISCIPLES

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Reverend Zehyoue

⊕ HYMN

Wash, O God, Your Sons and Daughters
with Como un Fuego Brilla y Quema
(As a Fire Is Meant for Burning)
BEACH SPRING

Wash, O God, your sons and daughters, newborn creatures of your womb
Number us among your people, raised like Christ from death and tomb
Weave us garments bright and sparkling; compass us with love and light
Fill, anoint us; send your Spirit, holy dove and heart's delight.

Como un fuego brilla y quema con ardiente resplandor
Va la Iglesia misionera, dando gloria a su Señor
No por credos ni costumbres sino para construir
Puentes de hermandad y cuidado, nuestras manos hay que unir.

Un capullo en primavera muestra nueva creación
Un cristiano que unifica vive la resurrección
Como brilla el arco iris si la tempestad se fue
Que tu vida sea radiante y que gloria a Dios le dé.

O how deep your holy wisdom; unimagined, all your ways
To your name be glory, honor; with our lives we worship, praise
We your people stand before you, water-washed and Spirit-born
By your grace, our lives we offer. Recreate us; God, transform!

⊕ 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

POSTLUDE

The Rejoicing
George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)
Steven Hendrickson, Trumpet
Eric Schnobrick, Piano

Following worship, join us in Woodward Hall, left as you exit the Sanctuary, for refreshments and a time of fellowship during Coffee Hour. Visitors, we look forward to meeting you!
At 12:30 p.m., join us in the Chapel for a special Calvary Conversation with our NSO guests.

Families with babies and young children: for your convenience, there are changing tables in the Parents' Room, balcony level on the right side, and downstairs in the nursery.

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Lectionary Passages for January 17, Second Sunday after the Epiphany, are
Isaiah 62:1-5; Psalm 36:5-10; 1 Corinthians 12:1-11; John 2:1-11.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

New this week: loved ones of I-Chuen Chen, Eddie Lin's mother; loved ones of Charles Ellis, Cheryl Branham's friend who passed January 2; Beverly Fahey; Paul Rice, hospitalized on January 1.

Carmen Angdisen; Demy Angdisen; Theresa Beaton; Maria Bensussen, Ryan Harvey's grandmother; Sara Bermúdez, Lorena Pereira's mother; Grady Branham, Cheryl Branham's father ; Dylan Canfield, Laura Canfield's nephew; Cristina Chacón; Roberta Clyburn, Janice Glover's sister; Graciela Daus, Bill Fahey's sister-in-law; Grace Evans; Radost Fortunova, Liubov Russell's sister; Jenny Goon; Janet Grove; Wyatt Harvey ; Berniece and Bill Harward; Rena Jirack; Lucy Johnson, Jackie Wright's grandmother; Kenneth Martin, Claudia Moore's friend; Lynne Mayfield, Jay Mayfield's mother; Carmen Myers, cousin of Theresa Beaton; Robin Myers and family; Tom Newcomb, Amy Shaw's grandfather; Al Nielsen; Kyin Oo; Mary Pat, Isaac Wright's friend; Amelia Powell, Andrea Powell's mother; Jeannine Purdy, Jodi Smith's friend; Ruby Shepherd; Mick Sullivan, Amy Sullivan's father; Joe Stout, Holly Miller's brother-in-law; Earl and Jenna Wright, Isaac Wright's parents; refugee, asylum seekers, and immigration reform; victims of gun violence; racial reconciliation and justice everywhere.

SPECIAL GIFTS have been made to the General Fund by Jodi Smith in memory of her father, John W. Smith, and to the Flower Fund by Chien-Min (Eddie) Lin in honor of Al Nielsen.

TODAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES for children, youth, and adults meet on G3; Latino Fellowship meets in the Chapel at 9:45 a.m.

CALVARY YOUNG MUSICIANS resume regular scheduling today, during worship. Contact Dwayne Pinkney or Cheryl Branham.

WELCOME, GUEST MUSICIANS! Today Calvary welcomes guests from the National Symphony Orchestra as part of their annual *NSO in Your Neighborhood* community outreach program. **Steven Hendrickson** is Assistant Principal Trumpet of NSO, having served as Principal for 27 years. Active as a recitalist and chamber musician, he is on faculty at University of Maryland. **Eric Schnobrick** is Accompanist of Alexandria Choral Society and also is active as a pianist throughout the DC Metro area.

CALVARY CONVERSATION – MUSIC AND THE ARTS. Join us in the Chapel at 12:30 p.m. for this special conversation featuring **Jennifer Mondie**, NSO violist and Orchestra Committee Chair, and **Jeremy Filsell**, Director of Music, Church of the Epiphany. We'll discuss the relevance of music and fine arts in today's world, and consider church spaces as performing arts venues.

LATINO FELLOWSHIP CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL in Shallenberger Hall, following Coffee Hour. Come for a festive time of friends, family, and community celebrating *El Día de los Reyes* (Three Kings Day) with cake, yucca with chicharrón, games, piñata, and gifts for children.

PASTOR ERICA is attending the annual Gay Christian Network Conference in Houston, and today she is preaching at Houston Mennonite Church. She returns to the office on Tuesday.

COMING UP

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT CALVARY? Sign up on the Calvary website for Latest Happenings, Calvary Caller, and pastoral emails 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.

WOMEN'S MISSION SOCIETY (WMS) meets 10:30 a.m. **Tuesday, January 12**, for mission projects. Bring your leftover sturdy shoe & boot boxes, & thick wrapping paper to the church office so WMS can use them to make boxes to support local homeless people in need through S.O.M.E (So Others Might Eat).

THEOLOGY ON DRAFT meets each **Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.** in Butler Hall for conversation about current events and *Between the World and Me* by Ta-Nehisi Coates. Contact Pastor Elijah.

ESTUDIO BÍBLICO, Wednesday evenings, January 13 and 20, 7:00 p.m. in the Calvary Library. Contact Pastor Edgar.

ARISE: A QUEER THEOLOGY COLLABORATIVE meets each **Thursday, 6:30-8:00 p.m.** in the Calvary Library to discuss *Rainbow Theology* by Patrick Cheng. Co-hosted by Pastor Erica, Queer for Christ President Ben Mann, and Revive DMV co-founder Tonetta Landis-Aina, *Arise* is an ecumenical group for any LGBTQ-identified people. Contact Pastor Erica.

FRIDAY MORNING MUSIC CLUB. Join us in the Chapel **Friday, January 15 at noon**, when Calvary's Resident Partners in FMMC continue their tradition of free recitals each week.

HOLISTIC HEALTH PROJECT is back! Join Pastor Edgar **each Friday, 7:00-8:00 p.m.** in Shallenberger Hall and gym (GB on the elevator) for a time of wellness, yoga, and soccer.

CALVARY'S ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING, Sunday, January 24 in the Chapel, following Coffee Hour. Make plans to stay for this important time as we discuss and vote on the 2016 budget and officuary. Pick up your copy of the 2016 officuary list in Narthex or church office.

WELCOMING ISOBEL WRIGHT. Be sure to join us in the Chapel, **Sunday, January 31** following worship, to celebrate the arrival of baby Isobel, with proud parents Mary and Isaac Wright and big sister Grace. You can find their baby registry at BuyBuyBaby.com; baby books are also welcome. Potluck lunch will be served. If you are planning to bring food, please contact Carol Blythe or Lu Shan.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION with Pastor Erica begins in **February**, just in time for Lent! Spiritual Directors International defines spiritual direction as "a mentoring relationship between a seeker and a spiritual guide." Spiritual direction is not counseling, therapy, or advice-giving. Spiritual direction is typically about one hour per month with a tailored format for each directee. If you are looking for a conversation partner in discernment, encouragement for your spiritual journey, or you are interested in trying new spiritual practices, this might be for you! If you are interested in meeting with Pastor Erica, please email her to make an appointment. Keep an eye out for this week's Latest Happenings with more info!

APPLE PAY AND ANDROID PAY Calvary can now accept contributions and payments by 'Contactless' Apple and Android Pay, the new chip credit cards as well as the traditional 'swipe' method. See Paul Rosstead for more information.

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