

THE PEOPLE OF CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH GATHER FOR

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

FEBRUARY 28, 2016

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

11:00 A.M.

CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY MONTH

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.



Give us grace, O God, to dare to do the deed which we well know cries to be done. Let us not hesitate because of ease, or the words of men's mouths, or our own lives. Mighty causes are calling us— the freeing of women, the training of children, the putting down of hate and murder and poverty—all these and more. But they call with voices that mean work and sacrifices and death. Mercifully grant us, O God, the spirit of Esther, that we say: I will go unto the King and if I perish, I perish.

(Dr. W.E.B. Dubois, 1909)

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

I Call to Thee, Lord Jesus Christ
J.S. Bach (1685-1750)
Matthew Daley, Organ

WELCOME

Reverend Lea

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Forty Days and Forty Nights
HEINLEIN
Calvary Sanctuary Choir

⊕ PROCESSION, HYMN 530

I've Got Peace Like a River
PEACE LIKE A RIVER

⊕ CALL TO WORSHIP

José González-Alfaro, Deacon of the Week

Una voz grita: "Preparen en el desierto el camino del Señor".

Make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

Que se levanten todos los valles, y se allanen todos los montes y colinas.

The uneven ground shall become level, and the rough places a plain.

Entonces se revelará la Gloria del Señor, y todo el pueblo junto lo verá.

For the mouth of God has spoken.

Together we walk along our wilderness journey this Lenten season.

Together we worship God.

⊕ 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.

☉ MORNING PRAYER

José González-Alfaro

☉ PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

José González-Alfaro

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.

TIME WITH CHILDREN: BLESSING DWAYNE PINKNEY

Cheryl Branham, Reverend Lea

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Two Spirituals: *Go Down, Moses*
I'm Gonna Sing 'Til the Spirit Moves in My Heart
Calvary Young Musicians

LISTENING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

PSALTER

Psalm 63:1-8

Amelia Taylor, Cantor

Refrain. **My soul thirsts for God, the living God.**
My soul thirsts for God, the living God.

O God, you are my God, my flesh faints for you,
as in a dry and weary land where there is no water.
So I have looked upon you in the sanctuary, beholding your power and glory.
Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you.

Refrain.

So I will bless you as long as I live; I will lift up my hands and call on your name.
My soul is satisfied as with a rich feast, and my mouth praises you with joyful lips
when I think of you on my bed, and meditate on you in the watches of the night;
for you have been my help, and in the shadow of your wings I sing for joy.
My soul clings to you; your right hand upholds me.

Refrain.

☉ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ

Leo Nestor (b. 1948)

Amelia Taylor, Cantor

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**
For three years I've come looking for fruit on this tree.
Sir, let it alone for one more year.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ. (*Luke 13, adapted*)

¹En este mismo tiempo estaban allí algunos que le contaban acerca de los galileos cuya sangre Pilato había mezclado con los sacrificios de ellos. ²Respondiendo Jesús, les dijo: ¿Pensáis que esos galileos eran más pecadores que todos los galileos porque padecieron tales cosas? ³Os digo: No; antes bien, si no os arrepentís, todos pereceréis igualmente. ⁴O aquellos dieciocho sobre los cuales cayó la torre en Siloé, y los mató, ¿pensáis que eran más culpables que todos los hombres que habitan en Jerusalén? ⁵Os digo: No; antes bien, si no os arrepentís, todos pereceréis igualmente. ⁶Dijo también esta parábola: Tenía un hombre una higuera plantada en su viña, y vino a buscar fruto en ella, y no lo halló. ⁷Y dijo al viñador: Mira, hace tres años que vengo a buscar fruto en esta higuera, y no lo hallo; córtala; ¿para qué inutiliza también la tierra? ⁸Él entonces, respondiendo, le dijo: Señor, déjala todavía este año, hasta que yo cave alrededor de ella, y la abone. ⁹Y si da fruto, bien; y si no, la cortarás después.

¹At that very time there were some present who told him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ²He asked them, 'Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans?' ³No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. ⁴Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them—do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? ⁵No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did.' ⁶Then he told this parable: 'A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. ⁷So he said to the gardener, "See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?" ⁸He replied, "Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig round it and put manure on it. ⁹If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down." '

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

⊕ HYMN

We sing English, Refrain and v.1

Spanish, Estribillo and v.2

English, Refrain and v.3

Spanish, Estribillo and v.1

Conclude, singing Refrain then Estribillo.

There Is a Balm in Gilead /

Bálsamo de Amor Hay en Galaad

BALM IN GILEAD

(continues next page)

Refrain / Estribillo

There is a balm in Gil - e - ad To
Bál - sa - mo de a - mor hay en Ga - la - ad Que a -

make the wound - ed whole; There is a
li - via el do - lor; Bál - sa - mo de a -

balm in Gil - e - ad To heal the sin - sick soul.
mor hay en Ga - la - ad Que sa - na al pe - ca - dor.

Verses / Estrofas

1. Some - times I feel dis - cour - aged And
 2. Don't ev - er be dis - cour - aged, For
 3. If you can - not preach like Pe - ter, If you

1. Cuan - do sien - to que en mi vi - da Es
2. Nun - ca más te de - sa - lien - tes, Je -
3. Si cual Pe - dro ha - blar no pue - des, Ni o -

think my work's in vain, But then the Ho - ly
 Je - sus is your friend; And if you lack for
 can - not pray like Paul, You can tell the love of

va - na mi la - bor; Mi es - pí - ri - tu re -
sús tu a - mi - go es; En su sa - bi - du -
rar cual Pa - blo o - ró, Ve y cuen - ta que por

Spir - it Re - vives my soul a - gain.
 knowl - edge, He'll ne'er re - fuse to lend.
 Je - sus And say, "He died for all."
nue - va El buen Con - so - la - dor.
rí - a Tu a - po - yo siem - pre es.
to - dos Je - sús mu - rió en la cruz.

D.C.

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HEBREW LESSON

Exodus 3:11-15

Reverend DeShazier

¹¹But Moses said to God, 'Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?' ¹²He said, 'I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.' ¹³But Moses said to God, 'If I come to the Israelites and say to them, "The God of your ancestors has sent me to you", and they ask me, "What is his name?" what shall I say to them?' ¹⁴God said to Moses, 'I am who I am.' He said further, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "I am has sent me to you."' ¹⁵God also said to Moses, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "The Lord, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you": This is my name for ever, and this my title for all generations.

¹¹Entonces Moisés respondió a Dios: ¿Quién soy yo para que vaya a Faraón, y saque de Egipto a los hijos de Israel? ¹²Y él respondió: Ve, porque yo estaré contigo; y esto te será por señal de que yo te he enviado: cuando hayas sacado de Egipto al pueblo, serviréis a Dios sobre este monte. ¹³Dijo Moisés a Dios: He aquí que llego yo a los hijos de Israel, y les digo: El Dios de vuestros

padres me ha enviado a vosotros. Si ellos me preguntan: ¿Cuál es su nombre?, ¿qué les responderé?
¹⁴Y respondió Dios a Moisés: YO SOY EL QUE SOY. Y dijo: Así dirás a los hijos de Israel: El YO SOY me ha enviado a vosotros. ¹⁵Además dijo Dios a Moisés: Así dirás a los hijos de Israel: Jehová, el Dios de vuestros padres, el Dios de Abraham, Dios de Isaac y Dios de Jacob, me ha enviado a vosotros. Este es mi nombre para siempre; este es mi memorial por todos los siglos.

SERMON

No Ifs, Ands, or Buts
The Reverend Julian DeShazier
Senior Minister, University Church, Chicago

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

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.

GIVING AND SERVING

BLESSING CHURCH LEADERSHIP

2016 Board and Diaconate
Soren Dayton, Former Moderator
Kathie Lansing, Former Chair of Trustees
Reverend Zehyoue

There are different kinds of spiritual gifts, but they all come from the same Spirit.

There are different ways to serve the same Lord, yet the same God works in all of us and helps us in everything we do.

The body of Christ has many different parts, just as any other body does.

A body isn't really a body unless there is more than one part. It takes many parts to make a single body. Together we are the body of Christ. *(Adapted from 1 Corinthians 12)*

When invited to respond, Congregation joins in saying "We will," and All pray together.

Loving God, we thank you for these sisters and brothers whom you have called to work within this church family. We give you thanks for their following of Jesus and for their willingness, by your grace, to serve us. As we commission them for their ministry, we ask your blessing upon them. Guide and equip them so that your church would grow in peace, love and unity—and that your name be glorified in all the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

MUSICAL OFFERING

Deep River
Spiritual/arr. Robert Shafer
Calvary Sanctuary Choir

☉ HYMN 47

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise God, all creatures here below
Praise God above, ye heavenly hosts
Creator, Christ and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

BECOMING DISCIPLES

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Reverend Zehyoue

⊕ HYMN 673

Down by the Riverside
STUDY WAR NO MORE

⊕ 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 Lea

⊕ CHORAL BENEDICTION

Please remain standing for the brief Choral Benediction.

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

ST. FLAVIAN

Calvary Sanctuary Choir

During the Season of Lent we depart in silence, with no instrumental Postlude.

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!

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 March 6, Fourth Sunday in Lent, are
Joshua 5:9-12; Psalm 32; 2 Corinthians 5:16-21; Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

New this week: Sabrina Jawed's father

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; Mayra Duran; Grace Evans; Beverly Fahey; Crystal Fahey, Bill Fahey's grandson's wife; Radost Fortunova, Liubov Russell's sister; Jenny Goon; Janet Grove; Berniece and Bill Harward; Megan Hughes, Kathy & Jac Whatley's friend; Rena Jirack; Lucy Johnson, Jackie Wright's grandmother; Beau Lynd, Karen Heidelberger's son and Jessica Lynd's brother; Kenneth Martin, Claudia Moore's friend; 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; Paul Rice; Harold Ritchie; Ruby Shepherd; Joe Stout, Holly Miller's brother-in-law; Rob Wilkinson, Cheryl Branham's friend; Earl and Jenna Wright, Isaac Wright's parents; refugee, asylum seekers, and immigration reform; victims of gun violence; racial reconciliation and justice everywhere.

TODAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES meet at **9:45 a.m.**; children, youth, and adults on level G3; Latino Fellowship in the Chapel, level G2.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH. As a part of our Lenten focus, Calvary also celebrates Black History Month, featuring preachers from the African American community who inspire and challenge us to live more

fully into our mission as the Church of Jesus Christ. These speakers model racial reconciliation and teach us how to continue to build bridges between historically black and white congregations. During this crucial moment in our nation, where racial tension is particularly high, we take the bold step of listening to these voices, that often are alone in the wilderness, and heeding their good words. Be sure to join us in worship this February and the first Sunday of March for this special series.

TODAY WE WELCOME The Rev. Julian DeShazier, Senior Minister of University Church since 2010. A Chicago native, he is a graduate of Morehouse College and University of Chicago Divinity School. Prior to University Church, Julian served as Teen Pastor at Covenant UCC, and he worked extensively with Coca-Cola Leadership Program and Fund for Theological Education. Known to many as “J.Kwest,” Julian is an award-winning hip hop musician and songwriter. In 2015, he was nominated for an EMMY for his role in the short film, *Strange Fruit*. He has been featured on Fox, CBS, NPR, and Maya Angelou’s Sirius XM radio program. Currently he is adjunct professor at University of Chicago Divinity School and McCormick Theological Seminary. We are excited to welcome Pastor Julian to Calvary!

SERMON TALK BACK continues each Sunday through Lent. Grab a snack in Woodward Hall and come to the Chapel for conversation with today’s guest preacher. We’ll wrap up by 1:00 p.m.

CALVARY’S OFFICIARY FOR 2016. Today in worship, we bless and install these volunteers in leadership at Calvary. Please keep these members in your prayers, and speak with them to offer support, ideas, concerns. Calvary’s **Board meets in retreat this afternoon, 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.** in Shallenberger Hall.

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VOLUNTEER SIGN UP SHEETS. Looking for ways you can connect at Calvary? Sign-up sheets are available during Coffee Hour. How are you committed to Calvary? Feeling detached from the Calvary community? This is the perfect time to reprioritize and connect. Don’t wait to be asked—just step in and find your place of service! Contact Becky Vaughn, Church Moderator, with suggestions, concerns, or questions.

MUSIC NOTES. During the season of Lent, you’ll notice a few changes in worship. To follow along as the Choir sings Choral Call to Worship, see hymn 179; for Choral Benediction, see hymn 180. Our Alleluias are put away until Easter Sunday, so our Gospel Acclamation and Doxology change for these six weeks. During Lent, we enjoy a capella singing, music in minor modes, often in a reflective or contemplative style, plus Spirituals of course! We end worship in silence, with no organ or other instrumental Postlude. These seasonal changes in worship support us as we walk along our wilderness journey during Lent.

CALVARY YOUNG MUSICIANS sing in worship **today, meeting at 10:30 a.m.** in Sanctuary to prepare. Parents and Teachers, thanks for your support! Special thanks to Dwayne Pinkney, Director of CYM this year. Today is Dwayne’s final day on the job—he is preparing to move to China as an English teacher! Thanks for your great work, Dwayne—we will miss you! Calvary Young Musicians will take a break in the coming weeks. Children of all ages are invited to participate in the Procession of Palms on March 20!

IF IT'S LENT, IT MUST BE FESTIVAL CHOIR! Afternoon rehearsals continue today, **1:15 to 3:00 p.m.** in Music Suite. We sing in worship on Easter Sunday, March 27. Come sing with us!

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.

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.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION with Pastor Erica is **now available** by appointment! Are you looking for a conversation partner in discernment, encouragement for your spiritual journey, interested in trying new spiritual practices? Then spiritual direction might be for you! Email Pastor Erica to make an appointment.

WOMEN'S MISSION SOCIETY (WMS) meets **Tuesday, March 1, 10:30 a.m.** for fellowship, mission activities and lunch. Contact Claudia Moore.

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, Wednesdays through March 30, 6:30 p.m. in Pastor Edgar's office, studying *Life and Death in the New Testament*. Contact Pastor Edgar.

ARISE: A QUEER THEOLOGY COLLABORATIVE meets each **Thursday, 6:30-8:00 p.m.** in the Calvary Library, to discuss *Making Sense of the Bible* by Adam Hamilton. *Arise* is an ecumenical group for any LGBTQ-identified people. Contact Pastor Erica.

FRIDAY MORNING MUSIC CLUB. Join us in the Chapel **Friday, March 4 at noon**, when Calvary's Resident Partners in FMFC offer free recitals each week. Heads up: no concerts on March 18 and 25.

NAKBA MUSEUM PROJECT. Join us for a light reception, **Friday, March 4, 6:00 p.m.**, and view the artwork on display, G1 corridor, as the exhibit comes to a close. Following the reception, join us in the Chapel to hear Ahmed Mansour, a graduate of Gaza University specializing in Literature and Arabic English Translation. He'll share his story of life in Gaza and the loss of his friend in the 2014 Gaza war. As a filmmaker, journalist and interpreter, he has worked with international journalists covering Gaza and has produced powerful documentaries telling the story of his generation of young people and their aspirations for peace. He excelled as a student leader, co-founded the English Language Club on campus, and ran successful art festivals. Currently he is an intern at the Washington Report on Middle East Affairs. Contact Carol Blythe or Rick Goodman for information.

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.

MID-ATLANTIC COOPERATIVE BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP, 2016 Annual Meeting, Saturday, March 5, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., hosted by Kensington Baptist Church (10100 Connecticut Ave, Kensington MD). Come for worship, workshops, fellowship, lunch (\$6 suggested donation), CBF business, and African market. Child care available. Contact Lauren Hovis, Coordinating Council member, laurenhovis@gmail.com.

PREPARING TO WELCOME BABY APPIAH-DUFFEL! All are invited to a baby shower for Salima and John Appiah-Duffel, **Saturday, March 5, 2:00 p.m.** in Butler Hall (G3). In true Calvary fashion, the shower is co-ed, and all children are welcome! The couple is registered at Amazon, <http://amzn.to/1PEs8FB>. If possible, please give books in lieu of cards, to help build Baby Appiah-Duffel's library. Please RSVP by **today's deadline**, or volunteer to help out, by emailing ashleydcoates@gmail.com.

EASTER LILY ORDER FORMS are available in Narthex or church office. Order lilies online; see Donations page of our website. Lilies are \$15 each; deadline for ordering is **Monday, March 21**.

LENT AND HOLY WEEK AT CALVARY

A VOICE CRIES OUT IN THE WILDERNESS. Words and wilderness are consistent and essential themes throughout the Bible. During Lent we explore the Lectionary texts and see how we as the Calvary community can continue to elevate voices that historically have been silenced.

SERMON TALK BACKS, each Sunday during Lent, following worship. Come to the Chapel for extended conversation and deeper engagement with our guest preachers.

EASTER FESTIVAL CHOIR. Sunday afternoon rehearsals continue, **1:15–3:00 p.m.** in Music Suite. We sing in worship Easter Sunday. All are welcome—come sing with us!

2016 LENTEN DEVOTIONAL, written by Calvary community members, available in both digital and printed formats for your daily spiritual formation.

CONSIDERING BAPTISM? We are excited to be in preparation for Easter Sunday baptisms. If you are thinking about baptism, contact Pastor Edgar, Pastor Elijah or Pastor Erica.

CLAIRE JONES, HARP, SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 7:30 P.M. Concert in the Sanctuary, presented in collaboration with DC Chapter, American Harp Society. Contact Cheryl Branham for ticket information.

PALM/PASSION SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 11:00 A.M. Worship in the Sanctuary. Children and Youth are invited to participate in the Procession of Palms; meet at **10:45 a.m.** in Narthex. **Prayers for Peace in the Chapel, 5:00 p.m.** Contact Pastor Edgar for information.

MAUNDY THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 7:00 P.M. Potluck fellowship in the Chapel.

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 25, 7:30 P.M. Tenebrae Service of Darkness in the Sanctuary.

EASTER SUNDAY, MARCH 27, 9:30 A.M. Churchwide breakfast in Woodward Hall, hosted by Latino Fellowship. Don't miss Easter worship in the Sanctuary, beginning **10:50 a.m.**, and featuring baptism and Festival Choir.

Be sure to invite family and friends to worship at Calvary this Holy Season!

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