

THE PEOPLE OF CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH GATHER

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

OCTOBER 9, 2016

TWENTY-FIRST 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.



STEWARDSHIP: THE FRUIT OF OUR GIFTS

GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Prelude in F Major
J. S. Bach (1685-1750)
Graham Velsey, Organ

WELCOME

Reverend Zehyoue

⊕ HYMN 658

Restless Weaver
BEACH SPRING

⊕ CALL TO WORSHIP

Nancy Renfrow, Deacon of the Week

Creating God, we thank you for making the fruitful earth produce what is needed for life.

Bless the land and the waters, and give the world a plentiful harvest. Let your spirit go forth to renew the face of the earth.

We praise you for the return of planting and harvest seasons.

We praise you for the fertility of the soil and the harvesting of crops.

Bless all of us gathered here.

Bless those who cannot gather.

Bless those who face change.

Bless those who fear newness. *(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.

Bless those in times of stress.

Bless us when we come up short.

Loving God, bless us in all of our seasons and give us a full understanding of your mercy.

Amen.

☉ MORNING PRAYER

Nancy Renfrow

☉ PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Nancy Renfrow

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

Reverend Zehyoue

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Simple Gifts, from Old American Songs
Shaker Song / arr. Aaron Copland (1900-1990)
Miles Herr, Tenor

LISTENING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

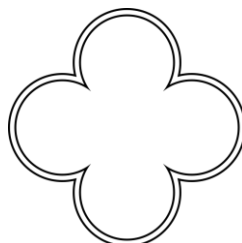
HEBREW LESSON

Jeremías/ Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

Mayra Duran Rivas

¹Estas son las palabras de la carta que el profeta Jeremías envió de Jerusalén a los ancianos que habían quedado de los que fueron transportados, y a los sacerdotes y profetas y a todo el pueblo que Nabucodonosor llevó cautivo de Jerusalén a Babilonia... ⁴ Así ha dicho Jehová de los ejércitos, Dios de Israel, a todos los de la cautividad que hice transportar de Jerusalén a Babilonia: ⁵ Edificad casas, y habitadlas; y plantad huertos, y comed del fruto de ellos. ⁶ Casaos, y engendrad hijos e hijas; dad mujeres a vuestros hijos, y dad maridos a vuestras hijas, para que tengan hijos e hijas; y multiplicaos ahí, y no os disminuyáis. ⁷ Y procurad la paz de la ciudad a la cual os hice transportar, y rogad por ella a Jehová; porque en su paz tendréis vosotros paz.

¹These are the words of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the remaining elders among the exiles, to the priests, the prophets, and all the people, whom Nebuchadnezzar had taken into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon... ⁴Thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel, to all the exiles whom I have sent into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: ⁵Build houses and live in them; plant gardens and eat what they produce. ⁶Take wives and have sons and daughters; take wives for your sons, and give your daughters in marriage, that they may bear sons and daughters; multiply there, and do not decrease. ⁷But seek the welfare of the city where I have sent you into exile, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.



⁸Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, a descendant of David—that is my gospel, ⁹for which I suffer hardship, even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But the word of God is not chained. ¹⁰Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, so that they may also obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. ¹¹The saying is sure: If we have died with him, we also will live with him; ¹²if we endure, we also will reign with him; if we deny him, he also will deny us; ¹³if we are faithless, he remains faithful—for he cannot deny himself. ¹⁴Remind them of this, and warn them before God that they are to avoid wrangling over words, which does no good but only ruins those who are listening. ¹⁵Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved by him, a worker who has no need to be ashamed, rightly explaining the word of truth.

⁸ Acuérdate de Jesucristo, del linaje de David, resucitado de los muertos conforme a mi evangelio, ⁹ en el cual sufro penalidades, hasta prisiones a modo de malhechor; mas la palabra de Dios no está presa. ¹⁰ Por tanto, todo lo soporto por amor de los escogidos, para que ellos también obtengan la salvación que es en Cristo Jesús con gloria eterna. ¹¹ Palabra fiel es esta: Si somos muertos con él, también viviremos con él; ¹² Si sufrimos, también reinaremos con él; Si le negáremos, él también nos negará. ¹³ Si fuéremos infieles, él permanece fiel; el no puede negarse a sí mismo. ¹⁴ Recuérdales esto, exhortándoles delante del Señor a que no contiendan sobre palabras, lo cual para nada aprovecha, sino que es para perdición de los oyentes. ¹⁵ Procura con diligencia presentarte a Dios aprobado, como obrero que no tiene de qué avergonzarse, que usa bien la palabra de verdad.

⊕ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia

Richard Proulx (1937-2010)/Leo Nestor

Miles Herr, Cantor

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

Get up and go your way. Your faith has made you well.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! *(Luke 17, adapted)*

⊕ GOSPEL LESSON

Luke/ Lucas 17:11-19

Leigh Mayfield

¹¹On the way to Jerusalem Jesus was going through the region between Samaria and Galilee. ¹²As he entered a village, ten lepers approached him. Keeping their distance, ¹³they called out, saying, “Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!” ¹⁴When he saw them, he said to them, “Go and show yourselves to the priests.” And as they went, they were made clean. ¹⁵Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. ¹⁶He prostrated himself at Jesus’ feet and thanked him. And he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷Then Jesus asked, “Were not ten made clean? But the other nine, where are they? ¹⁸Was none of them found to return and give praise to God, except this foreigner?” ¹⁹Then he said to him, “Get up and go on your way; your faith has made you well.”

¹¹ Yendo Jesús a Jerusalén, pasaba entre Samaria y Galilea. ¹² Y al entrar en una aldea, le salieron al encuentro diez hombres leprosos, los cuales se pararon de lejos ¹³ y alzaron la voz, diciendo: ¡Jesús, Maestro, ten misericordia de nosotros! ¹⁴ Cuando él los vio, les dijo: Id, mostraos a los sacerdotes. Y aconteció que mientras iban, fueron limpiados. ¹⁵ Entonces uno de ellos, viendo que había sido sanado, volvió, glorificando a Dios a gran voz, ¹⁶ y se postró rostro en tierra a sus pies, dándole gracias; y éste era samaritano. ¹⁷ Respondiendo Jesús, dijo: ¿No son diez los que fueron limpiados? Y los nueve, ¿dónde están? ¹⁸ ¿No hubo quien volviese y diese gloria a Dios sino este extranjero? ¹⁹ Y le dijo: Levántate, vete; tu fe te ha salvado.

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

⊕ HYMN 60

We sing each verse in Spanish, then English.

Cantemos al Señor / Let's Sing unto the Lord

ROSAS

PRAYERS FOR CALVARY AND LORD'S PRAYER

Reverend Zehyoue

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.

SERMON

A Holy Timeout: We Might Be In It

Reverend Elijah Zehyoue

MUSICAL REFLECTION

Cheryl Branham

GIVING AND SERVING

INVITATION TO GIVE AND TO SERVE

Courtney and Holly Miller

MUSICAL OFFERING

The Lone, Wild Bird
Southern Folk Tune / arr. David N. Johnson
Calvary Sanctuary Choir

⊕ 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

Courtney and Holly Miller

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Tim Shaw

STEWARDSHIP HYMN

Accept, O God, the Gifts We Bring
KINGSFOLD

**Accept, O God, the gifts we bring, the fruit of heart and hand
Transform them into blessings as we follow your command
Rekindle deep within us here a passion to fulfill
The journey of discipleship, empowered to do your will.**

BECOMING DISCIPLES

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Reverend Zehyoue

⊕ HYMN

We Sing Your Mighty Power, O God
KINGSFOLD

We sing your mighty power, O God, that made the mountains rise
That spread the flowing seas abroad, and built the lofty skies
We sing the wisdom that ordained the sun to rule the day
The moon shines full at your command, and all the stars obey.

We sing your goodness, sovereign God, who filled the earth with food
You formed the creatures with your word, and then pronounced them good
Oh! How your wonders are displayed, where'er we turn our eyes
If we survey the ground we tread, or gaze upon the skies.

There's not a plant or flower below, but makes your glories known
And clouds arise, and tempests blow, by order from your throne
While all that borrows life from you is ever in your care
And everywhere that we can be, you, God, are present there.

⊕ AFFIRMING GOD'S CALL

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

⊕ BENEDICTION

Reverend Zehyoue

POSTLUDE

Improvisation on BEACH SPRING
Graham Velsey, Organ

*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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Scripture Passages for October 16, Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost, are
Genesis 41:17-25, 29-31; Acts 2:42-47; Luke 18:1-8.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

New this week: Chirelle Crudup, Betty Crudup's daughter. Everyone impacted by Hurricane Matthew.

Carmen Angdisen; Demy Angdisen; Theresa Beaton; Maria Bensussen, Ryan Harvey's grandmother; Allison Berlow, Kathleen Lansing's cousin; Sara Bermúdez, Lorena Pereira's mother; Dylan Canfield, Laura Canfield's nephew; Cristina Chacón; Roberta Clyburn, Janice Glover's sister; Melo dos Santos, mother-in-law of Raimundo Barreto; Denny Duffell, John Appiah-Duffell's father; Dick Glandt, former member; Jenny Goon; Janet Grove; Paula Harrison, Claudia Moore's cousin; Berniece and Bill Harward; Sabrina Jawed's father; Lucy Johnson, Jackie Wright's grandmother; Jessica Long, Beverly Fahey's daughter-in-law; Carmen Myers, Theresa Beaton's cousin; Al Nielsen; Kyin Oo; Amelia Powell, Andrea

Powell's mother; Paul Rice; Harold Ritchie; Ruby Shepherd; Elijah Simpson-Sundell, Cheryl Branham's student; Sunny Soto's mother; Bob Tiller; Harold Walker, Jackie Wright's stepfather; Earl and Jenna Wright, Isaac Wright's parents; Peace in El Salvador, refugees, asylum seekers, and immigration reform, victims of gun violence, racial reconciliation and justice everywhere. Everyone moving and transitioning this time of year. Pray also for Calvary's Ministerial Search Committee.

TODAY

STEWARDSHIP AT CALVARY. Today we begin our stewardship month with the theme *The Fruit of Our Gifts*. Over the course of the month we will highlight different elements of service and community at Calvary that give our members meaning, and serve God and our neighbors. During this month, we ask you to reflect on these events and what is meaningful to you about Calvary. Is it being in community together? Worship? Service or advocacy in the community, nation or world? These things would not happen without your gifts, both of time and of treasure.

During this month you will receive a pledge card asking what gifts you are able to give to Calvary. Please prayerfully consider what leads you and others to give and let us know what you plan to contribute in the coming year! We would like to have your response by Pledge Sunday, **October 30**.

LATINO FELLOWSHIP meets **each Sunday at 9:45 a.m.** in the Palacios Chapel. Adult Spanish Sunday School lessons and discussion on *Herencia e Identidad: Historia, principios, y practicas Bautistas*, by author Rev. Angel Luis Gutierrez. Contact Eugenia Reyes for more information.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL. KFC, Kids for Christ (grades K-2) and SPY, Spirit Powered Youth (grades 3-5) meet together in Room G319, **Sundays 9:45-11:00 a.m.** Lessons are brought to life through Bible stories, discussions, drama, games and art projects. We love to meet new children and welcome them into our group. Join us!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:45 a.m. Join us! For nine weeks, we are studying the book *Idioms in the Bible Explained and a Key to the Original Gospels*, by George M. Lamsa. Contact Pastor Erica for info.

BLACK LIVES MATTER: A CALVARY CONVERSATION. After Coffee Hour, join us in the Palacios Chapel for a conversation about affirming our support of Black Lives Matter, the movement that seeks to end racism and police brutality. This time will be an open space where we can discuss all aspects of the movement.

DIACONATE will meet this afternoon in the Palacios Chapel following the Black Lives Matter Calvary Conversation.

SHALOM SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE. The Annual Shalom Scholarship Lunch last week helped us get closer to our goal of \$10,000 for the year. Thanks to your generosity, and support from WMS, we raised \$2,566! Our current balance in the Shalom Scholarship Fund is \$7,540. Thank you for your continuing support!

A SPECIAL GIFT has been made by Myra Houser and Jason Smith to the Shalom Scholarship Fund in honor of Roberto Reyes and his cooking crew.

PASTOR ERICA is away today at a conference. She returns to the office Tuesday, October 11.

COMING UP

CHURCH OFFICE IS CLOSED ON MONDAY, in observance of the Columbus Day Federal holiday. Make plans to join Keevin Lewis and Pastor Erica on Sunday, October 30, for the October Spiritual Formation Field Trip to the National Museum of the American Indian. More information below.

THEOLOGY ON DRAFT meets **each Tuesday**, 6:30 p.m. in Butler Hall. Contact Pastor Elijah.

ARISE: A QUEER THEOLOGY COLLABORATIVE meets the **second Wednesday** of each month: October 12, November 9, December 14, 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the office suite. This fall, we're studying *Liberating Sexuality* by Miguel de la Torre. Arise is an ecumenical group for any LGBTQ identified people. Contact Pastor Erica for more information.

DOWNTOWN SOCIAL CLUB is back in session. Calvary hosts this program for residents of St. Elizabeth's Hospital on the **first and third Thursdays** of each month, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The program offers social time, games or crafts, singing and lunch. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Carol Blythe.

FRIDAY MORNING MUSIC CLUB. Join FMMC **each Friday at noon** in the Palacios Chapel, for free weekly chamber music concerts at Calvary. All are welcome.

WOMEN'S MISSION SOCIETY (WMS) meets **Wednesday, October 12, 10:30 a.m.** for fellowship, mission activities and lunch. Contact Claudia Moore.

GUEST PREACHER. Next **Sunday, October 16**, we welcome Rev. Andrea Zaki Stephanous, Ph.D., as our guest preacher. Dr. Zaki is President of the Protestant Churches of Egypt, President of the Fellowship of Middle East Evangelical Churches (FEMEC), General Director of the Coptic Evangelical Organization for Social Services (CEOSS), and Professor of Political Religions and Theological Foundation for Social Change at the Evangelical Theological Seminary in Cairo (ETSC). Rev. Zaki is an accomplished theologian, with degrees including Bachelor of Theology, Cairo Evangelical Seminary (Egypt); Diploma in Social Development, Coady International Institute, St. Francis Xavier University (Nova Scotia); Master of Arts in Theological Studies, Eastern University (West Chester, PA); and Ph.D. from University of Manchester (UK). Dr. Zaki is the author of three books: *Jesus and Historical Criticism: The Story of the Conflict between Salvation and Social Change*; *Political Islam, Citizenship and Minorities: The Future of Arab Christians in the Middle East*; and *Copts and Revolution*. He has published articles, in both English and Arabic, in a variety of newspapers and magazines. Don't miss this unique opportunity!

OCTOBER SPIRITUAL FORMATION FIELD TRIP. Mark your calendar for the October Spiritual Formation Field Trip to the National Museum of the American Indian, **Sunday, October 30** at 1:00 p.m., with hosts Keevin Lewis and Pastor Erica. This event is intergenerational, family friendly, and free! The afternoon includes brown bag lunch, discussion, tour of the museum, and special activities for *Dia de los Muertos*!

SILENT AUCTION. Calvary is hosting a silent auction on **Sunday, November 13** during Coffee Hour to benefit Shalom Scholarship. Do you have a talent, service, or like-new good that you could donate to our auction? Examples of items members have donated include cooking lessons, superhero-themed gift basket, restaurant gift certificate, and babysitting services. Follow our Facebook page (facebook.com/ShalomScholarship) for exciting updates about this and other fundraisers. Contact Courtney and Holly Miller, charm2014dc@gmail.com, to arrange your donation!

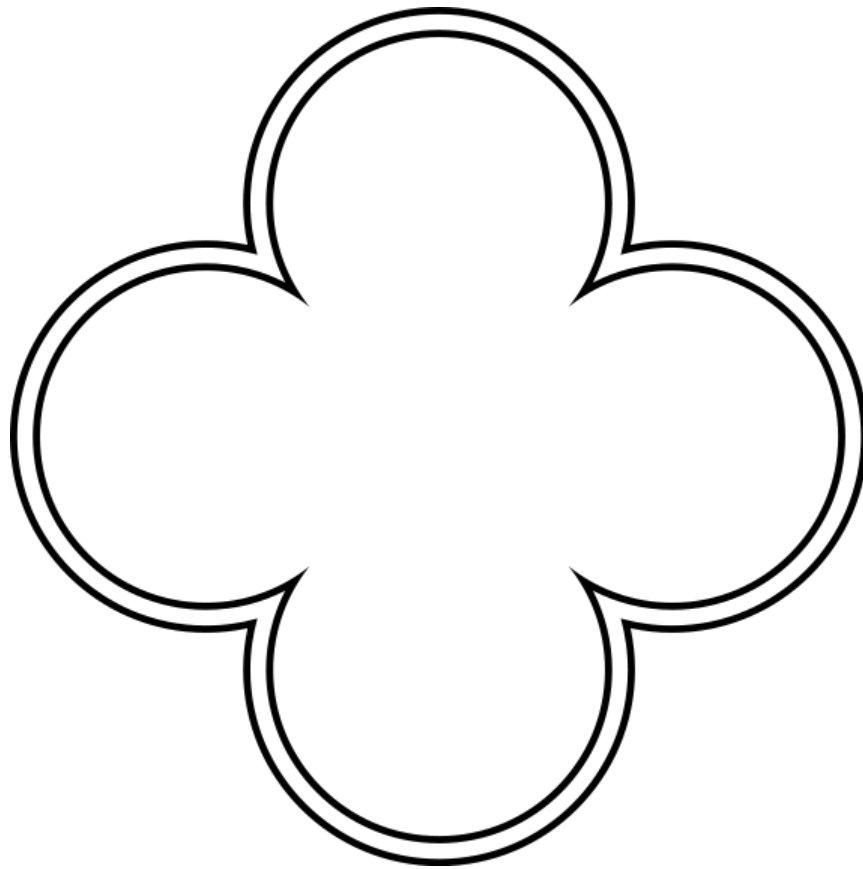
WOMEN'S MISSION SOCIETY is collecting donations of toiletries (regular and sample sizes), winter wear (hats, scarves, gloves), underwear and socks to fill as well as wrapping paper to fill and decorate 60 or more Christmas gift boxes. We will fill the boxes after worship **Sunday, December 4** and then the boxes will be distributed through S.O.M.E. (So Others Might Eat) for Christmas. Contact Carol Blythe or Gretchen White if you have questions or would like to make a donation.

GET INVOLVED AT CALVARY! There are multiple opportunities available for those who would like to become more active in worship and church life. Volunteers are needed to assist with the nursery, the sound board, and as ushers. Check in during Coffee Hour, or contact the front office to sign up.

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION. WMS is collecting Box Tops for Education to support Mundo Verde Bilingual Public Charter School in DC. Drop off your Box Tops at the Welcome Table in Woodward Hall.

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.



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