

THE PEOPLE OF CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH GATHER

## THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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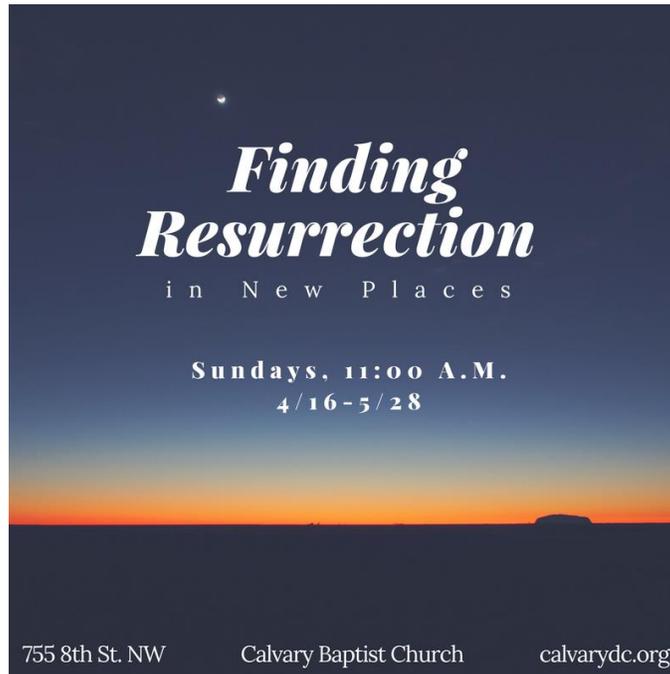
FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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.

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### GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

**PRELUDE**

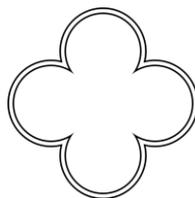
*Prelude in C Major, from Well-Tempered Clavier*  
J.S. Bach (1685-1750)  
Cheryl Branham, Piano

**WELCOME**

Reverend Swearingen

☪ **PROCESSION, HYMN 284**

*Gather Us In*  
GATHER US IN



- ☪ 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.

☉ CALL TO WORSHIP

1 Peter 1:1-9

Amparo Palacios, Deacon of the Week

Blessed be the God of Resurrection who claims us as our Father, Mother, Parent, and Friend.

**¡En esto nos regocijamos! In this we rejoice!**

By God's goodness and mercy, we have a new birth and a living hope.

**¡En esto nos regocijamos! In this we rejoice!**

In the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus, we are promised an inheritance of joy amidst sorrow, of courage amidst fear, of life amidst death.

**¡En esto nos regocijamos! In this we rejoice!**

Even as we suffer trials, even as we are tested by fire, we trust in the God of the exile, the God of the dispossessed and dispersed, the God who loves us, body and soul.

**¡En esto nos regocijamos! In this we rejoice! ¡Gloria a Dios! Glory to God! Amen.**

☉ MORNING PRAYER

Amparo Palacios

☉ PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Amparo Palacios

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.**

MUSICAL MEDITATION

*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*  
Harry Rowe Shelley (1858-1947)  
Calvary Chamber Singers

LISTENING FOR THE WORD OF GOD

ACTS OF THE APOSTLES

Acts/ Hechos 2:42-47

Chuck Andreatta

<sup>42</sup>They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. <sup>43</sup>Awe came upon everyone, because many wonders and signs were being done by the apostles. <sup>44</sup>All who believed were together and had all things in common; <sup>45</sup>they would sell their possessions and goods and distribute the proceeds to all, as any had need. <sup>46</sup>Day by day, as they spent much time together in the temple, they broke bread at home and ate their food with glad and generous hearts, <sup>47</sup>praising God and having the goodwill of all the people. And day by day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved.

<sup>42</sup>Y perseveraban en la doctrina de los apóstoles, en la comunión unos con otros, en el partimiento del pan y en las oraciones. <sup>43</sup>Y sobrevino temor a toda persona; y muchas maravillas y señales eran hechas por los apóstoles. <sup>44</sup>Todos los que habían creído estaban juntos, y tenían en común todas las cosas; <sup>45</sup>y vendían sus propiedades y sus bienes, y lo repartían a todos según la necesidad de cada uno. <sup>46</sup>Y perseverando unánimes cada día en el templo, y partiendo el pan en las casas, comían juntos con alegría y sencillez de corazón, <sup>47</sup>alabando a Dios, y teniendo favor con todo el pueblo. Y el Señor añadía cada día a la iglesia los que habían de ser salvos.

PSALTER 734

*We read responsively and sing together Response 2.*

Psalm 23

Emily Honzel, Cantor

☉ GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

*Alleluia*  
Jacques Berthier (1923-1994)  
Emily Honzel, Cantor

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

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

The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep.

He calls his own by name and leads them out.

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!** (*Adapted from John 10*)

☉ GOSPEL LESSON

Juan/ John 10:1-10  
Milagro Reyes

<sup>1</sup>De cierto, de cierto os digo: El que no entra por la puerta en el redil de las ovejas, sino que sube por otra parte, ése es ladrón y salteador. <sup>2</sup>Mas el que entra por la puerta, el pastor de las ovejas es. <sup>3</sup>A éste abre el portero, y las ovejas oyen su voz; y a sus ovejas llama por nombre, y las saca. <sup>4</sup>Y cuando ha sacado fuera todas las propias, va delante de ellas; y las ovejas le siguen, porque conocen su voz. <sup>5</sup>Mas al extraño no seguirán, sino huirán de él, porque no conocen la voz de los extraños. <sup>6</sup>Esta alegoría les dijo Jesús; pero ellos no entendieron qué era lo que les decía. <sup>7</sup>Volvió, pues, Jesús a decirles: De cierto, de cierto os digo: Yo soy la puerta de las ovejas. <sup>8</sup>Todos los que antes de mí vinieron, ladrones son y salteadores; pero no los oyeron las ovejas. <sup>9</sup>Yo soy la puerta; el que por mí entrare, será salvo; y entrará, y saldrá, y hallará pastos. <sup>10</sup>El ladrón no viene sino para hurtar y matar y destruir; yo he venido para que tengan vida, y para que la tengan en abundancia.

<sup>1</sup>Very truly, I tell you, anyone who does not enter the sheepfold by the gate but climbs in by another way is a thief and a bandit. <sup>2</sup>The one who enters by the gate is the shepherd of the sheep. <sup>3</sup>The gatekeeper opens the gate for him, and the sheep hear his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out. <sup>4</sup>When he has brought out all his own, he goes ahead of them, and the sheep follow him because they know his voice. <sup>5</sup>They will not follow a stranger, but they will run from him because they do not know the voice of strangers. <sup>6</sup>Jesus used this figure of speech with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them. <sup>7</sup>So again Jesus said to them: Very truly, I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. <sup>8</sup>All who came before me are thieves and bandits; but the sheep did not listen to them. <sup>9</sup>I am the gate. Whoever enters by me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. <sup>10</sup>The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life, and have it abundantly.

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

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.**

LISTENING IN SILENCE

SHARING COMMUNION

COMMUNION HYMN

*My Shepherd, You Supply My Need*  
*Señor, Tú Eres Mi Pastor*  
RESIGNATION

My Shepherd, you supply my need, most holy is your name  
In pastures fresh you make me feed, beside the living stream  
You bring my wand'ring spirit back, when I forsake your ways  
You lead me, for your mercy's sake, in paths of truth and grace.

Si en valle de pavor yo voy, el mal no temeré  
Contigo yo seguro estoy; confiado viviré  
Aliento me infundirás, y me darás canción  
Banquete tú me suplirás en la persecución.

Your sure provisions, gracious God, attend me all my days  
O may your house be my abode, and all my work be praise  
Here would I find a settled rest, while others go and come  
No more a stranger, nor a guest, but like a child at home.

Señor, tú eres mi pastor, que todo me darás  
Por verdes prados con amor tú me conducirás  
Mi espíritu confortarás; tus sendas seguiré  
Y siempre me sustentarás; yo fiel te serviré.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Reverend Zehyoue

At God's table of justice, everyone has a place and no one is turned away.

**Here strangers are welcomed as friends, the poor sit alongside the rich, and the upside-down kin-dom of God is revealed.**

At God's table of abundance, a banquet of righteousness and liberation is set for all.

**Here the powerless are heard, the outcast are showered with honor, and the inside-out kin-dom of God is revealed.**

At God's table of life all peoples know peace, and creation flourishes.

**Here the hopeless are nourished with possibility, the complacent are transformed into advocates for change. Here in our very midst, the kin-dom of God is revealed.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Reverend Swearingen

God of all peoples, whose reign extends around our world and beyond, we grieve that your church—which shares one Spirit, one faith, one hope, and one calling—has become a broken communion in a broken world. The one body spans all time, place, race, and language. But in our fear we have fled from one another and have fought one another. In our pride we have mistaken our part and our truth for the whole. Yet we marvel how, in your grace, you gather up the broken and scattered pieces to do your work, to give us hope, to bless us with joy. Forgive us our sin, and help us ever to seek the unity and peace of the body of Christ, for Christ's sake and that of this world. Amen.

## WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Reverend Swearingen

Hear the Good News: Jesus Christ is our peace. Those who were divided, he has made one. Christ reconciles us into one people, making us one body. So let us live as we were made to be— one people, reconciled.

**Yes, we will live as Christ has made us—one people, one body, reconciled. Thanks be to God!**

## GIVING THANKS

Reverend Zehyoue

## SHARING THE MEAL

*To celebrate communion by intinction, approach stations using inside aisles. Return to your seat using outside aisles. A gluten-free option is available at the front, to your left. To receive communion where you are seated, raise your hand and we will be happy to serve you.*

## COMMUNION MEDITATION

*Remember, from Two Rossetti Songs*  
Stephen Chatman (b.1950)  
Calvary Chamber Singers

Remember me when I am gone away  
Gone far away into the silent land  
When you can no more hold me by the hand  
Nor I half turn to go yet turning stay  
Remember me when no more day by day  
You tell me of our future that you planned  
Only remember me; you understand  
It will be late to counsel then or pray  
Yet if you should forget me for a while  
And afterwards remember, do not grieve  
For if the darkness and corruption leave  
A vestige of the thoughts that once I had  
Better by far you should forget and smile  
Than that you should remember and be sad. (*-Christina Rossetti, 1830-1894*)

## GIVING AND SERVING

### INVITATION TO GIVE AND TO SERVE

Tim Shaw

### MUSICAL OFFERING

*Laudate*  
Knut Nystedt (1915-2014)  
Calvary Chamber Singers

Praise the Lord, all ye nations. Praise him, all peoples.  
For his loving kindness has been bestowed upon us, and  
the truth of the Lord endures forever. (*-Traditional, Latin*)

### ⊕ 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

Tim Shaw

## BECOMING DISCIPLES

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Reverend Sarratt

⊕ HYMN 494

*They'll Know We Are Christians*  
ST. BRENDAN'S

⊕ 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

*Gavotte in D Major*  
J.S. Bach  
Cheryl Branham, 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!*

*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 May 14, Fifth Sunday of Easter, are  
Acts 7:55-60; Psalm 31:1-5, 15-16; 1 Peter 2:2-10; John 14:1-14.

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

**New this week:** Baron Alexander Steiner, son of Erik Steiner, staff with St. Elizabeth's and Downtown Social Club; loved ones of Julia Decorado, Lorena Pereira's grandmother, who passed away this week; loved ones of Lois Smith, Ashley Dalton's grandmother who unexpectedly passed away on May 2.

Loved ones of Demy Angdisen who passed away on April 24; Maria Bensussen, Ryan Harvey's grandmother; Sara Bermúdez, Lorena Pereira's mother; Sue Bollinger, Michelle Harris-Love's mother; Luis Campos, Daniel Alcazar-Roman's uncle; Dylan Canfield, Laura Canfield's nephew; Roberta Clyburn, Janice Glover's sister; Melo dos Santos, mother-in-law of Raimundo Barreto; Denny Duffell, John Appiah-Duffell's father; Berniece and Bill Harward; Rena Jirack ; Lucy Johnson, Jackie Wright's grandmother; Jessica Long, Beverly Fahey's daughter-in-law; Esther Miller, Holly Miller's grandmother; Carmen Myers, Theresa Beaton's cousin; Amelia Powell, Andrea Powell's mother; Paul Rice; Harold Ritchie; Ruby Shepherd; loved ones of Elijah Simpson-Sundell, Cheryl Branham's student who passed away on April 23; Brenda Sorto, Jaime Sorto and Milagro Reyes' daughter; Victor Tupitza; 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. People targeted with hate crimes. Peace in our world, especially those impacted by war, violence and government turmoil.

**SPECIAL GIFTS** have been made to the Memorial Fund, in memory of Demetrio “Demy” Angdisen, by Paul Rosstead, and to the General Fund by Barbara Bicchieri in memory of her parents, Bob and Nell Sammons.

## TODAY

**CHILDREN AND YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL.** Kids for Christ (KFC, grades K-2) and Spirit Powered Youth (SPY, 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. Bringing Faith Forward class (BFF, grades 6-12) meets in G310/311. Check out our blog, [calvarybff.wordpress.com](http://calvarybff.wordpress.com). Join us!

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:45 a.m.** Join us in Butler Hall as we continue our study and conversation using *Reading Between the Lines: Exploring our Story through Biblical Stories*, an Alliance of Baptist series.

**LATINO FELLOWSHIP** meets **each Sunday, 9:45 a.m.** in Palacios Chapel. Contact Eugenia Reyes for info.

**EASTERTIDE WORSHIP: FINDING RESURRECTION IN NEW PLACES.** Christ is risen! Easter gives us an opportunity for renewal and replenishment. Find these moments of revival in all occasions and all people you meet. Join us this Eastertide as we journey together, finding resurrection in new places.

**WELCOME GUESTS.** Be sure to sign our guestbook or fill out a visitor’s card, nearby in a pew rack. After worship join us for Coffee Hour in Woodward Hall, left as you exit the Sanctuary, for fellowship and snacks, and visit our welcome table. If you parked in the garage adjacent to Calvary (using Calvary’s blue elevator for access), see an usher to stamp your ticket or stop by the Rotunda entrance downstairs.

**TODAY WE SAY GOODBYE AND THANK YOU** to **Miles Herr [pronounced “her”]**, our Tenor Soloist and Section Leader of the past two years. Miles is a very gifted musician, graduating this spring from Maryland Opera Studio with a master’s degree. This summer, Miles attends Opera Saratoga as a member of their Young Artist Program. And next fall, Miles begins a new career as a Business Analyst with Tata Consultancy Services in Philadelphia. Thank you, Miles, for sharing your gifts of music here at Calvary!

**QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING.** Be sure to join us at **12:30 p.m.** in Palacios Chapel for both the meeting and lunch, hosted by Shalom Scholarship Committee and benefiting the Shalom Scholarship Fund. Thanks for supporting our greater community!

**WASHINGTON INTERFAITH NETWORK (WIN)** meets to show our collective power and to communicate our priorities for making WMATA work for all people in the DMV area. The meeting is **today, 4:00-7:00 p.m.**, Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, 901 Third St NW. Contact Josh Russell for more information.

**PASTOR ERICA** is away for guest preaching and attending the Lilly Foundation Pastoral Residents annual gathering. She returns to the office Tuesday, May 9.

## COMING UP

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

**ARISE: A QUEER THEOLOGY COLLABORATIVE** meets for current event and book discussion the second Wednesday each month. We are studying *Liberating Sexuality* by Miguel de la Torre. Arise also meets the fourth Wednesday each month for a dinner social. We next meet **May 10, 6:30 p.m.** to discuss *Liberating Sexuality* & current events, and **May 24, 6:30 p.m.** for dinner [location TBD]. Arise is an ecumenical discussion group for any LGBTQ-identified persons. Contact Pastor Erica for more information.

**DOWNTOWN SOCIAL CLUB.** Calvary hosts this program for residents of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, **first and third Thursdays** each month, 10:00 a.m. to noon. To volunteer, contact Carol Blythe.

**CALLING ALL GRADUATES!** Do you know of someone in the Calvary Community who is graduating this spring? Contact the Church Office **this week** with the name of anyone graduating high school, college, graduate school or other programs. We will honor our grads on **May 21** in worship.

**WILLING WORKERS VOLUNTEER DAY, Saturday, May 13**, 9:00 a.m. or as your schedule permits. Join in, to help beautify Calvary's landscaping and facilities. Breakfast and lunch provided. Contact Tim Shaw for more information, [tshaw.calvarydc@gmail.com](mailto:tshaw.calvarydc@gmail.com).

**COMMUNITY BREAKFAST** Join us on **May 14** for breakfast in celebration of Mother's Day. All are welcome!

**CALVARY CONVERSATION.** Join us in Palacios Chapel, **Sunday, May 14** after Coffee Hour, when we continue our Calvary Conversation on social justice. Reverend Thomas Bowen, Director of the Mayor's Office of Religious Affairs, leads our time together. Reverend Bowen is also the Earl L. Harrison Minister of Social Justice and Community Outreach at historic Shiloh Baptist Church of Washington, where he has faithfully served that congregation as a member of its ministerial team since 2002.

**CALVARY SERVES.** Our next opportunity to support homeless women at Calvary Women's Shelter is fast approaching! If you would like to help cook supper or serve these 35 ladies on **Sunday, May 14**, please contact Claudia Moore.

**EDITH MILLER COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP.** Thanks to the generosity of Ms. Edith Miller, Calvary is accepting applications for college scholarships for the upcoming 2017-18 school year. Applicants must be church members; see other criteria info on the application form. To receive an application, contact the church office, [office@calvarydc.org](mailto:office@calvarydc.org). Application deadline is **May 30**. For info contact Rick Goodman, Chair of Christian Formation, [blythe-goodman@comcast.net](mailto:blythe-goodman@comcast.net). Good luck, students!

**HOMECOMING WEEKEND AT CALVARY: INVITE FAMILY AND FRIENDS!** All are invited to join us **Saturday, June 3**, for the Installation Service of Pastor Maria and Pastor Sally. Children ages 5-12 are invited to meet in the Sanctuary at 10:30 a.m. to rehearse some simple music and to participate in worship. Prelude music begins at 10:45 a.m., and worship begins at 11:00 a.m. A festive reception follows in Woodward Hall. Be sure to join us at 11:00 a.m. **Sunday, June 4**, as we celebrate Pentecost—the birthday of the Church and Calvary's 155<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! Immediately following worship, we need your smiling face in our annual churchwide photo; we'll gather on the front platform in the Sanctuary after the organ postlude. And following the photo, all are invited to share our anniversary luncheon in Woodward Hall. We wrap up the 2016-17 church season together, celebrating God's good gifts at Calvary.

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