



October 1, 2023


10:30 AM



**EPHESIANS
2:11-22**

**SURVIVAL
GUIDE FOR LIFE**

MESSAGE: THE PATH OF PEACE



COMMUNION SUNDAY
Gluten Free Available
If you would like to give to the
"Benevolence Fund"
Please mark that on envelope and place
in offering box as you exit.

Good morning and welcome to Green Lake Calvary Church! We have been experiencing some **beautiful** Fall weather....and a little rain. The **beauty** of the trees, the sunsets, and the skies are only part of the reason I love Fall so much!

Today we come for another **beautiful** experience-worship! In the Bible we read of a woman named Mary of Bethany who came to worship Jesus by pouring out a bottle of perfume upon the Savior. Although the disciples thought it a waste, Jesus saw her worship as something **"beautiful."** In contrast Jesus saw the Pharisees as those who were **"beautiful"** on the outside but ugly with hypocrisy on the inside.

This morning as we come, may the Lord see our heartfelt worship as something akin to Mary's **beautiful** worship, regardless of how good we can sing.

I am thankful for you and the confidence God is making something **beautiful** out of us, His body and bride. As we allow Him to refine us, He will form in us a purity of gold He finds as **beautiful** as Mary's worship.

Christ's Servant and Yours,
Pastor Mark




Pizza with the Pastors
TODAY following the morning worship service at 11:45 am. Come join our Pastors for a brief lunch to get to know them and learn more about our church.

Congregational Meeting- VOTING RESULTS

Last Sunday our Congregational meeting to hire a consulting group took place and the vote passed. We are excited about what God is doing in our ministries and look forward to what the future may hold. Please be in prayer as we journey ahead.



TODAY:	9:30 AM	Sunday School/ABF Classes
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	11:45 AM	Pizza with the Pastors
	5:33-7:33 PM	CREW (Crew Carves)
		
Oct. 3	6:45 AM	Men's IronMan Meets (Panera Bread by M-6/ Kalamazoo Ave.)
	9:30-11 AM	Ladies' Bible Study
	4-5 PM	Food for Life Food Distribution
Oct. 4	5:30 PM	Family Night
	6:30 PM	Prayer Gathering
Oct. 6-8	Dinner 6:30 PM	Ladies' Glamping (sites open 3pm)
Oct. 8	11:45 AM-12:15 PM	Children's Ministry Meeting
Oct. 9	6:30 PM	Elder Meeting
	7 PM	Deacon Meeting
Oct. 14	12 PM	Men's Skeet shoot
Oct. 17	6-8:30 PM	Ladies' Craft Night
Oct. 22	11:45 AM	Ladies' Kenya Trip Meeting
	5 PM	Worship Night
Oct. 28	6-7:30 PM	Trunk or Treat

2024 Adult Short-term Mission Trips

Ladies' Kenya Trip: Feb. 12-26 (exact date TBD)

Men: Nicaragua Mar. 16-23 or (2 wk- 9-23)

Please continue to prayer for these upcoming trips



Library Coffee Connection
We need a couple volunteers to help check-out books one Sunday a month.
Call Charity Voogd
269-953-2918
Volunteers Needed



Connect with us!



ELDERS

Brett Boverhof, Bob Heilman (*Head Elder*), Jerry Niewiek, Clark Perry, Jim Vance

DEACONS

Mike Beuschel, Steve Deer (*Head Deacon*), Andrew Egeler, Dan Geers (*Treasurer*), Tom Zandstra

GENERAL FUND:

 (GLCC's fiscal year began June 1)

WEEKLY PLAN NEED	\$11,707.00
LAST WEEK'S OFFERING	\$4,342.36
YEAR TO DATE PLAN	\$199,019.00
YEAR TO DATE RECEIVED	\$181,512.32

If you are looking to give or need to turn in your connect card, there are offering boxes on the wall as you exit the Sanctuary. They will be collected after each service. Or you may scan the QR code to download the mobile app **Church Center** for all your giving and church connection needs.



Assistive Listening Systems and noise-cancelling headphones are available at the Welcome Center.

There is an Activity Room located in the Gym (first door on the right), which is open to parents with young children who need a break from the pew. (Children must be accompanied by a parent.)



Calvary Kids meets today
in the Youth Center
(K-5th grade)

IronMan Bible Study Schedule:

Morning: 6:45 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month. Panera Bread by M-6/Kalamazoo Ave

Evening: 6:30-7:30 during Family Night

Continuing the Study of Genesis— on Study 15
If you don't have a book or can't find your copy, copies are available at the Welcome Center.



SOUP DRIVE



We are doing a soup drive for our Food for Life food distribution ministry. From October 1-31. Please bring your canned soup goods to the bin in the foyer. For a one time donation to Food for Life, please scan the QR code. If you have any questions, please contact Susan Henderson at 616-307-9208.



SAVE THE DATE!

TRUNK OR TREAT

October 28 // 6-7:30 PM

Come enjoy a safe and fun event for the whole family, including trunk or treating, games, cider and donuts, and more!

Too old to trick or treat? Host a trunk with treats! Sign up at the Welcome Center if you are interested in hosting a trunk.



We will be holding a **Skeet Shoot**, behind the church on **Saturday, Oct. 14th at noon.** We will have a light lunch followed by an afternoon of fun in the field! Any questions, contact Trent DeKam at 269-512-1584.



Wednesdays
Through November 15

MEAL 5:30-6 pm

(\$3 donation per person // \$12 max per family)

MINISTRIES FOR ALL AGES:

KING'S KIDS (Grades K-5)- 6-7:30 pm

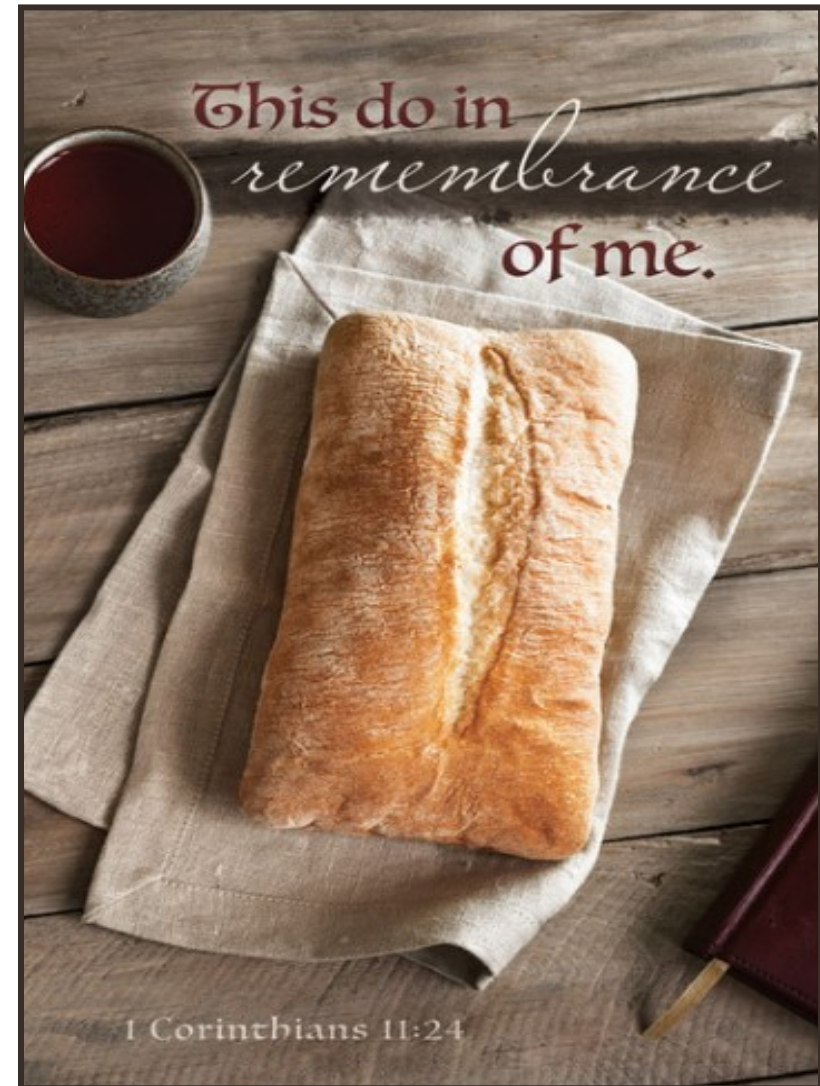
TEENS (Grades 6-12)- 6:30-7:30 pm

LIFT (Ladies)- 6-7:30 pm

IRONMAN (Men)- 6:30-7:30 pm

PRAYER GATHERING - 6:30 pm

(childcare provided)



OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Thursday 9am-4pm



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