



Gathering with God and Friends

Gathering Music/Ringing of Bell
Greetings

Gathering Song Shall We Gather at the River ELW 423

Confession and Assurance of Forgiveness

Loving God, **we confess we often act only on our own behalf, not as agents of your holy purposes for love, healing and justice. Forgive our selfishness, heal our fears, ready us for the work of love, as you did for the saints who have gone before us.**

Friends hear this, as God assured the saints before us, we also are forgiven. Let us rejoice in this privilege today and always. **Amen.**

Song For All the Saints ELW 422 (vs. 1,3,6)

God's Word

Psalm 149

1 Praise the Lord!

Sing to the Lord a new song,
his praise in the assembly of the faithful.

**2 Let Israel be glad in its Maker;
let the children of Zion rejoice in their King.**

3 Let them praise his name with dancing,
making melody to him with tambourine and lyre.

**4 For the Lord takes pleasure in his people;
he adorns the humble with victory.**
5 Let the faithful exult in glory;
let them sing for joy on their couches.
**6 Let the high praises of God be in their throats
and two-edged swords in their hands,**
7 to execute vengeance on the nations
and punishment on the peoples,
**8 to bind their kings with fetters
and their nobles with chains of iron,**
9 to execute on them the judgment decreed.
This is glory for all his faithful ones.
Praise the Lord!
Here ends the reading of the Psalm.

Song Halle, Halle, Hallelujah ELW 172

Gospel Reading Luke 6:20-31

The Gospel reading is found in the Gospel of Luke
Glory to you, O Lord.

20 Then he looked up at his disciples and said:
"Blessed are you who are poor,
for yours is the kingdom of God.
21 "Blessed are you who are hungry now,
for you will be filled.
"Blessed are you who weep now,
for you will laugh.
22 "Blessed are you when people hate you and when they exclude you,
revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. 23 Rejoice on
that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven, for that
is how their ancestors treated the prophets.
24 "But woe to you who are rich,
for you have received your consolation.
25 "Woe to you who are full now,
for you will be hungry.
"Woe to you who are laughing now,
for you will mourn and weep.
26 "Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is how their ancestors
treated the false prophets.
27 "But I say to you who are listening: Love your enemies; do good to
those who hate you; 28 bless those who curse you; pray for those who

mistreat you. 29 If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also,
and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt.
30 Give to everyone who asks of you, and if anyone takes away what is
yours, do not ask for it back again. 31 Do to others as you would have them
do to you.

The Gospel of our Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Children's Surprise Bucket Sermon

Sermon Pastor Rick Hoyme

Song *Soon and Very Soon* ELW 439

The Apostle's Creed (Statement of Belief)

We Share Joys & Concerns in Prayers

Naming of the Saints

We Reflect on Our Gifts & Blessings *The Sound of the Saints*

Holy Communion

The Words of Institution & The Lord's Prayer

Communion and Lighting of Candles

Communion Music *Broken Body of Christ*

Welcome Table

Oceans

Blessing/Prayer after Communion

Announcements

Sending Blessing

We are Sent Out to Spread the Good New

Song/Noisy Offering *Oh, When the Saints Go Marching In*

Oh, when the saints go marching in,
Oh, when the saints go marching in,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when the saints go marching in.

Oh, when the Lord in glory comes,
oh, when the Lord in glory comes,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when the Lord in glory comes.

Oh, when they gather round the throne,
oh, when they gather round the throne,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
when they gather round the throne.

And on that hallelujah day,
and on that hallelujah day,
O Lord, I want to be in that number
on that hallelujah day.

Dismissal

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.
We will! Thanks be to God!

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES OF:

Wink (Carl) Lundell, father of Katy (Mark) Lundell-Stuhr
Brad Howell, son of Robert Howell

HOSPITALIZED THIS WEEK: Kyle Baker (son of Naomi Baker)

THANK YOU to the Calvary Family for your prayers, cards, and support during my hospitalization. Cindy and I really appreciate everything you've done for us. We are grateful and blessed to be part of the Calvary Family.
John Dean

CHANGE OF MEETING DAY FOR GATHER BIBLE STUDY

Starting in November 2025, Gather Bible Study will be moved from the 3rd Wednesday of the month to the **3rd Tuesday** of each month. The meeting time of 10:00am will stay the same. **The next meeting date will be Tuesday, November 18 at 10am.**

Order Your Poinsettias

Would you like to give a poinsettia plant for decorating our church during this Christmas season? The poinsettia's are given 'in memory of' or 'in honor of' a loved one. The cost is \$12 per plant. Stop by the church office along with your payment. Please make checks payable to Calvary Lutheran Church. **The deadline for ordering these plants is December 7th.** You may take your plant home after the service on **December 24th.**

YOU ARE INVITED! POST-HALLOWEEN FALL FUN PARTY FOR ALL AGES!

Friday, November 14 – 6:30-8pm

Snacks, Games, Crafts, Activities, Music, Prizes, Fun for all!

Come in costume for an EXTRA PRIZE!

Everyone is welcome- all ages, singles, families, friends & neighbors!

***Hosted by Calvary Youth Leadership Team**



Arnette Sandbo-Hirman	11/02/2024	Barbara Hanson	05/31/2025
Marie Engwall	11/18/2024	Milan Schmiesing	06/24/2025
Dorothy Freese	12/19/2024	Michelle "Missy" Muehlbauer	07/04/2025
Steven Swenson	12/31/2024	Helen Ensrude	07/21/2025
Dorothy Beseman	02/07/2025	Lavonne Amundson	08/06/2025
Nathan Antich	03/12/2025	Dave Eichorst	09/30/2025
Curtis Jacobson	03/29/2025	Edna Kallevig	10/05/2025
Daniel Krueger	04/19/2025	Lyle Simenson	10/10/2025
Mildred Johnson	05/22/2025		

If anyone is interested in attending, please sign up by calling the church office by November 3rd. Registration fee will be paid by Calvary.

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ROOTED IN FAITH

Fresh Paths for Youth
and Family Ministry

Equipping Congregations Day
Saturday, Nov. 8th
8:30am - 2:30pm
Peace Lutheran, New London MN

Congregations of every size and context can
nurture faith, create welcome, and embrace ministry
with youth and young adults.

Keynote Speaker: Rev. Todd Buegler
Senior Pastor at Trinity Lutheran Church, Owatonna MN

Featuring: the **SYNOD YOUTH BAND**
Lunch catered by Qdoba!

Register online at www.swmnelca.org/event/ecd2025
\$30 per person.

Attend your choice of 2 out of 6 Workshops!
Workshop descriptions will be posted online at www.swmnelca.org.

WEST CENTRAL
SINGERS
presents

A BIT OF NORWAY

Director Maemi Ponnors-Baker
Accompanist Kari Stadem
Special Guests Fiddlers
from Sunburg Community (Dacie)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2025 | 4 PM
First Lutheran Norway Lake
6358 Cty Rd 40 NW | New London, MN

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2025 | 4 PM
Calvary Lutheran Church
302 Olcna Ave SE | Willmar, MN

westcentralsingers.com

Tickets Available at the Door
Children & Students Free! | Adults \$10

This activity is hosted in part with a grant from the Southern Minnesota Arts Council made possible by the voters of Minnesota. Thanks for legislative appropriations from the arts and cultural heritage fund.

Serving Saturday

Preaching: Pastor Rick Hoyme
Greeters: Wayne & Lynette Emberland
Musician: Molly Aalfs
Lector: Lois Shaw

Serving Sunday

Preaching/Presiding: Pastor Rick Hoyme
Acolytes: Aubree & Emma Larson
Communion: Sarah Kallevig/Beth Bloomquist/Carter Kowitz
Greeters: Gregg & Karen Laurence/Dean & Joni Hanson
Musician: Naomi Baker
Lector: Youth Led
Office: Mary Ellen deCathelineau
Sound/Video: Mark Bloomquist/Jody Skindelian

Happening This Week...

Monday, Nov 3 8am Stewardship - McMillans
5pm Bell Choir

Tuesday, Nov 4 1pm Social Kindness
6:30pm Charity Circle
7pm - Native American History

Wednesday, Nov 5 1:30pm Deaconess
6:15pm 6-9 Confirmation

Thursday, Nov 6 9:30am Text Study
12pm Exec Bd - Zoom
1pm Quilters
6pm Troop #3656 - Koinonia Room
6pm Troop #3655 - Friendship Room

Saturday, Nov 8 5:30pm Chapel Worship

Sunday, Nov 9 9am Worship
10am Coffee/Fellowship
10:15am - Sunday School

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Friday, November 15, 12:00 Noon

"STAYING MENTALLY STRONG" with Karen Oswood and John Salgado-Maldonado from Woodland Centers. This presentation focuses on key mental health concerns that commonly affect adults—such as loneliness, grief, depression, and anxiety. Participants will learn how to recognize signs of emotional distress, understand the impact of social connections on well-being, and explore practical tools to support a positive mindset and daily resilience. The session encourages conversation, reduces stigma, and provides local resources to help seniors stay connected, active, and mentally strong in their later years. If you can't make it for the noon lunch, come and enjoy the program at 1:00. Guests are always welcome also!! Please call the church office by 4:30 Wednesday, November 12, to register for the catered lunch. Cost for lunch is \$7.00, payable in Bethany Hall and not at the church office. Thank you. If any questions, please call Diane Asche at 295-8938.



HYGIENE PRODUCTS COLLECTION FOR OUR NEIGHBORS IN NEED!

Willmar Community Closet would like to distribute hygiene products to folks in need. Calvary Confirmation students are collecting these items in the black milk crates on the Community Exchange table by the east entry doors/ office window. Students will deliver items to The Community Closet on Service Project Night, November 19th. Thank you for your donations! Items needed include: soap, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, feminine products, toothbrushes, toothpaste, dental floss, nail clippers, combs, brushes. ***13 gallon garbage bags are also needed***

November 2025 at Calvary

Sat., Nov. 1st	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, Nov. 2nd	9:00am Array Worship - Youth Led/Noisy Offering 10:00am Coffee/Fellowship 10:15-11:15am Sunday School
Sat., Nov. 8 th	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, Nov. 9 th	9:00am Traditional Worship 10:00am Coffee/Fellowship 10:15-11:15am Sunday School
Sat., Nov. 15 th	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, Nov. 16 th	9:00am Array Worship 10:00am Coffee/Fellowship 10:15-11:15am Sunday School, God and Me
Sat., Nov. 22 nd	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel / Offering/Commitment Cards Coffee w/ Council following
Sunday, Nov. 23 rd	9:00am Traditional Worship / Offering/Commitment Cards 10:00am Coffee with Council in Friendship AND Koinonia Rooms 10:15-11:15am Sunday School
Wed., Nov. 26 th	6:30pm Thanksgiving Eve Worship Pie Social to follow
Sat. Nov. 29 th	5:30pm Traditional Worship in the Chapel
Sunday, Nov. 30 th	9:00am Traditional Worship 10:00am Coffee/Fellowship 10:15-11:15am Sunday School

All Saints' Day celebration has a long history in the worship life of the Christian Church. It began as a commemoration of the martyrs who had died for the faith, and it has since become a day when we honor and remember those who, in death, have joined the Church Triumphant, as well as the faithful saints of the present who serve Jesus Christ. Martin Luther held that all Christians are simultaneously sinner and saint—a sinner because of our rebellious nature, but a saint because of salvation in Jesus. Here at Calvary we will recognize and remember those members who have died since last All Saints' Day as we traditionally have- by reading their name, lighting a candle, and ringing a bell. This year we will also give all who are assembled for worship the opportunity to light a candle (taper or battery operated) in remembrance of others in their lives who have died and joined the great cloud of witnesses. After receiving Communion you will pass by a table with candles available. You may light a candle and sink it into the sand. If you would prefer not to light a candle but would rather turn on a battery operated one and place it on the table, that would be wonderful also. All ages are invited to participate in this celebration of the Saints.



Married Friday at Calvary, Brianna Thorson and Ishael Hernandez.
God's Blessings in your new life together!

Last Week's Financials

IRA/QCD/s	\$ 950.00
Online Giving	\$ 878.15
Sat./Sun. Giving	\$ 4129.00
Total	\$ 5957.15

If you would like to contribute to the mission of Calvary, please click on the QR code. Thank You!



Weekly Attendance

Saturday 50
Sunday 186
You Tube 110
Sunday School 25
Confirmation 24

Calvary's Worship Services are available:

Sundays - 10:45am KWLM 1340AM or 96.5FM

- 1 & 8pm WRAC 181

Tuesdays - 6:30pm WRAC 181

Anytime on YouTube -

www.youtube.com/@calvarywillmar

