

HOSPITALIZED

Butterworth: Linda Hamlet, Cathy Paganelli, Isaac Troupe (NICU)

If you have been hospitalized, or anticipate hospitalization, and would like a visit from a Calvary pastor, please call the church office.

prayer chain: If you have a special need for prayer, please call Betty (874-5042) or Marian (458-5587).

BEREAVED

We extend our Christian sympathy to Ruth Cook and family at the homegoing of her husband, Roy Cook, on May 11.

PRAY WITH THE ELDERS

The elders meet for prayer on the first Tuesday of each month, 6:15-7:15pm, in Room 211. If you would like the elders to pray for you or would simply like to join them in prayer, please stop by. If you have a comment or question you would like to share with our Elders, you may email them directly at elders@calvarygr.org.

LIFE {TOGETHER}: CONNECT AT CALVARY

Everyone at Calvary has the opportunity to create genuine and authentic friendships, nourished by God's Word, prayer and care through being involved in a smaller community. Stop at the Connection Point today to see how you can get connected or contact Karen (kvanholstyn@calvarygr.org) at ext. 5173.

SALVATION CANDLE

The candle on the platform is lit to celebrate those who have recently come to faith. When you see the candle lit, join us in celebrating God's work among His people. If you have led someone to Christ or have a testimony, let us know. Contact Aaron (abolduc@calvarygr.org).

SEEKING: MARKETING SLEUTHS

Do you have an eye for marketing? Are you willing to share your thoughts and suggestion with us? Calvary is seeking private investigators to uncover opportunities for improvement. We need ten people who are willing to offer their insights on a regular, "quick and easy" basis via email. Contact Jackie Rice (jrice@calvarygr.org) if you are interested. We look forward to hearing from you!

THIS WEEK: MAY 20-26

S 12:30pm College Lunch
6:00pm Choir & Orchestra Finale Concert
UNITED (High School Ministry)
7th/8th: Girls'/Guys' Night Out
7:00pm Merge: Grounded (off-site)

T 8:45am Senior Men's Golf (Boulder Creek)
9:30am Women's Informal Golf (Gracewil)
6:30pm DivorceCare
DC4K (DivorceCare 4 Kids)

T 7:00pm College Life

AA meetings take place at Calvary throughout the week. Contact the church office for times and locations.

The above are open events taking place at Calvary this week. For a complete church event listing, please visit calvarygr.org/events.

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED - MAY 28

Please note that the church office will be closed on Monday, May 28 in observance of Memorial Day.

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MAY 20, 2012

8:10, 9:40 & 11:15am



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ONE FAITH • ONE CHURCH • ONE COMMUNITY • ONE LIFE

today's message

Jim Samra

Undying Love

Ephesians 6:24

welcome to calvary church

If you are visiting today, we are glad you are here. For more information about our many communities, programs and events for all ages, pick up a copy of the monthly **Calvary Life**, visit us online at calvarygr.org,

or stop by the **Connection Point** located in room 215 (next to the Chapel). We would love to meet you!

If you need hearing assistance, **listening devices** are available at the Information Center.

SUNDAY EVENING

6:00pm | Sanctuary

Choir and Orchestra
Finale Concert

FOR THE RECORD

	Projected Offerings	Actual Offerings	Surplus/ (Deficit)
Last Week	\$ 140,072	\$ 111,321	(\$ 28,751)
Fiscal Year to Date (8/1-5/13)	\$ 5,756,752	\$ 5,661,870	(\$ 94,882)
Open Door Vision 2011-2012		\$ 204,568	

OUTREACH FOCUS: DREW & ARIKA ROELOFS

Drew & Arika have been attending Calvary for the past nine years, and have been involved in many of our ministries. Over the last few years, they actively sought the Lord's leading in their lives, and have been amazed to see how God had been preparing them for the next step. Along with their three children, they have made a two-year commitment to serve at The Esther School in Zambia with GEMS (Girls Everywhere Meeting the Savior).

The Esther School exists to provide a holistic, Christian education that develops the passion and skills students need to become servant leaders. These boys and girls will be equipped to overcome the cycle of poverty through a curriculum that includes animal husbandry, rural micro-enterprise, and a biblical worldview. Drew will serve as Facilities Business Manager, using his background in accounting and finance management, and Arika will serve in various capacities with the lunch program, weekend learning program, managing the gardens and crops, as well as working with the women and children in the local village and orphanages.

The Roelofs' prayer request is that they would be obedient to all that the Lord has asked of them, and that they would seek His will in all that they do. They also ask for health and protection as they prepare and move to Zambia on July 7. Please lift up their family in prayer during their time in Zambia.

MISSIONS & SERVING OPPORTUNITIES

King's Table Ministries

King's Table Ministries is hosting their teacher/staff appreciation luncheon on Friday, June 8, and is asking for volunteers to provide salads and desserts, or to help serve. For more information, contact Jane Crum at 446-4841. They are also in need of a team leader to oversee their sewing team. Contact Sally (sallyktm@gmail.com) at 648-8029.

Mel Trotter Golf Outing

Monday, June 11, Railside Golf Club
You are invited to take part in the 2012 Mel Trotter Golf Outing to benefit underprivileged women and children. Two tee times are available: 8:30am and 2:00pm. Call Dick Wiggins at 942-2058 for additional details.

Glocal Impact Day: Lost & Found

A number of items were left at the warehouse on April 28. If you are missing anything, please call the Missions Office at ext. 5022.

Bangla Ministries Worldwide

Bangla Ministries Worldwide needs you! For the last 11 years, BMW has sponsored a Bible camp in the Poconos of NE Pennsylvania for first generation Bangladeshi immigrant kids. You probably have a skill or experience that God can use at camp this year; everything from counselors to swim instructors is needed. For more information, contact Bill (bwolf@dreammakergr.com) at 634-3436.

THIRD MONDAY PRAYER

Please join us tomorrow, Monday, May 21 at 11:30am in Room 207 to hear updates about, and pray for our missionary families around the world.

OUTDOOR LABOR NEEDED

Pastoral Care is looking for a volunteer who can help with a project that includes heavy outdoor labor. It involves removing and replacing old railroad timbers in the lower garden behind The Yellow House. For more information, contact Lynnell (lbok@calvarygr.org) at ext. 3510.

OPPORTUNITY IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Do you have training in dance and/or choreography? Might you be willing to share your knowledge of basic dance techniques with children eager to learn? Contact our Children's Ministry Pastor, Joel Shank (jshank@calvarygr.org) at ext. 5194 to hear more about this opportunity!

NURSE NEEDED

A nurse is needed once a month to be a classroom buddy for a child with special needs during the 9:40am service. If you are available to serve please contact Brian Nix (bnix@calvarygr.org) ext. 5053.

FAMILY SERVICE - NEXT SUNDAY

On May 27, nursery is available for infants through young threes; children preschool age and older are encouraged to attend the service with their family (activity boxes are available at the desk near Entrance N). If needed, room 254 is open for children ages three through five.

SENIOR MEN'S GOLF

Tuesdays | 8:45am | Boulder Creek Golf Course

Join us every Tuesday for some good Christian fellowship. This is not a formal league, just show up when you can. The cost is \$25 for 18 holes with a cart. Contact Jim DeWeerd at 901-5561 or John Nibbelink at 443-5957.

WOMEN'S INFORMAL SUMMER GOLF

Tuesdays | 9:30am | Gracewil Country Club

Plan to arrive 15 minutes ahead and join the group for lunch afterwards. Contact Marilyn Vredevelde at 365-2419 or Karen Weber at 364-4478 before joining so they can plan on you.

CHOIR AND ORCHESTRA FINALE TONIGHT

Please join us at 6:00pm as the Calvary Church Choir and Orchestra present their 2012 Finale Concert. They will be performing their favorite songs from this past year along with congregational worship, testimonies and a few surprises. You will not want to miss this great evening of worship and celebration.

CSI: CREATIVE SCIENCE INVESTIGATORS

THIS IS A FREE EVENT FOR CHILDREN!

June 12-14, 9:30am-12:00pm

Join us for CSI: Creative Science Investigators, with extreme experiments, wacky games, cool crafts, music, and more. Kids will learn that **God is the Star of Creation**. Topics this year are Rock'n Reptiles, Chemical Reactions, and The Human Machine. Five-year-olds (by December 2011) through fourth graders are welcome and may register now through May 28 online at calvarygr.org, or by completing the form available at the elementary check-in desk in Entrance K. **Everyone who registers by May 28 will be entered to win a family pack of tickets to the Grand Rapids Zoo.**

SHORT-TERM MISSIONS

Young Adults to Central Asia

May 18-26 and May 25-June 1

Two groups of young adults from Calvary Church are traveling to Central Asia to teach at an English camp for college students, and to support Calvary global workers. These young people are utilizing the diverse gifts God has blessed them with in order to be a blessing to those they will serve. Pray for Mason, Kim, Stephen, Allison, Todd, and Sarah that:

- each of them would use the gifts and skills God has given them to the fullest;
- their eyes would always be focused on Him;
- they would be open to whatever God puts before them;
- God would be glorified in everything.

PASTOR SAMRA'S STUDY BREAK

Pastor Samra will be taking his study break May 21 through July 2. The purpose of this study break is to provide a block of time to pray, study and prepare for the next church year. Please pray for Jim while he is away, that it may be a fruitful time of hearing from the Lord. If you have a pastoral need during this time, please continue to contact the church office for assistance. Thank you for your support.

Calvary Church Elders

LYRICS AVAILABLE

Copies of the lyrics to today's worship music are available in the back of the Sanctuary at the Information Center.