

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2022.....9:30 A.M.

THE STORY

GREETING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE PRELUDE: *I Love You, Lord with Infant Holy, Infant Lowly* arr. Anna L. Page

THE PEACE

*OPENING WORDS

LEADER: Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.

PEOPLE: We have received in faith that which you, O Lord, have promised.

LEADER: Emmanuel: God with us, God in us, revealed to us.

PEOPLE: Our souls rejoice in the salvation of the Lord.

LEADER: The Lord will be our everlasting light and glory.

PEOPLE: Praise and glory be to you, now and forevermore.

*HYMN: *When Morning Gilds the Skies*

UMH # 185

JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

OFFERING

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Father, you have blessed us beyond measure, and you have called us to worship. May our gifts today flow from hearts of worship to the One who provides all we need. May we never forget that all we have is yours. Take it and use it according to your will. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC: *Here He Comes*

Wood, Cron and Habedank

*HYMN: *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

UMH # 211

MESSAGE: The Birth of a King (John 1)

*HYMN: *My Jesus, I Love Thee*

UMC # 172

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE: *Emmanuel, Emmanuel*

UMH # 204

*POSTLUDE: *Birthday of a King*

by William Neidlinger

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE:

5/15/2022 - Sunday School to follow worship at 10:45 a.m.

5/15/2022 – Youth Group at 6 p.m.

5/16/2022 – Tai Chi at 8:45 a.m.

5/17/2022 – Tai Chi at 10:15 a.m.

5/17/2022 – Take Out Tuesday Meal Pickup from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

5/17/2022 - Bible Study at 10:30 a.m.

5/18/2022 – Bulletin Deadline 9 a.m. & Newsletter deadline by end of day

5/21/2022 – Hot Rods & Hot Dogs from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

ATTENDANCE: Sunday, May 8TH was 97, with the addition of 10 from Hispanic Ministry.

ALTAR FLOWERS: In memory of Maria Russell given by Calvin Russell and Christa Banks

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Week 1: Fay Householder, Jack Catrow, the family of Joe Sherman, Amiya Dominguez a missing 16-year-old from Martinsburg, Darlene Unger, Cindy Sencindiver, Annie P. McDonald

Week 2: The family of Mary Downey, Gary Ritenour, Maggie Grabill, family of Janet Martin, Thomas Holland, Linda Sandridge, Teresa Dorsey, Linda Myer

Week 3: Bobby Mills, Tammy Pitzer, Roy Hess, Middleway UMC, Marilyn G.

THANK YOU: Greeters –Gary & Bev Frye; Usher –Ken Criswell; Worship Leader – Jim & Myrtle Holland; Video – Nathan Payton; Web & Social Media – Regina Sherman; Sound Sponsors: Rodney & Regina Sherman

GRADUATION SUNDAY JUNE 5th: Please inform the church office of any high school, college or military graduates who attends Calvary. Please provide the office with the following information: graduate’s name, school or academy, future plans and parent’s name. Deadline to register is May 29th. Special recognition Sunday will be on June 5th.

NEWSLETTER & BULLETIN DEADLINES: The newsletter deadline is the 18th of each month, for the next month's edition, and can be emailed to calvaryum@comcast.net or dropped off at the church office. This allows time for the newsletter to be created, proofed, printed and mailed before the end of the month.

Bulletin information needs to be received by Wednesday mornings at 9 a.m.

Prayer request can be submitted on Thursdays before noon, but all announcements need to be received by Wednesday mornings.

LUNCH BUNCH: Join us for a time of fellowship over lunch on Tuesday, May 24th at Hoss's Steakhouse, in the backroom at noon. All are welcome. R.S.V.P. to the church office at 304-267-4542 by May 17th.

SOUND TECH AND FLOWER SPONSORS NEEDED: We are in need of people to sponsor our sound tech and altar flowers. The sign-up sheets can be found in the narthex. The cost is \$30 a week for the sound tech: monthly sponsors are appreciated. The altar flowers are \$35 a week and can be taken with you after the service. The flowers can be given in memory, honor or in celebration of a loved one. Payment can be put in the offering plate, checks should be made out to Calvary UMC, and please write either sound tech sponsor or altar flowers on the memo line.

2022 KATIE'S KRITTERS FOR KIDS

To celebrate the 6th anniversary of Katie's liver transplant this June, we are again collecting stuffed animals for Katie's Kritters for Kids.

This year's donations will go to the two campuses of the Board of Childcare and to the Children's Home Society, all located here in Berkeley County.

All donations of small-to-medium-sized stuffed animals should be NEW with the SALES TAGS ATTACHED and/or in the original packaging.

The deadline for donations this year is Monday, June 20, 2022.

Please feel free to contact us at 304-279-9358 to arrange for drop off or pickup OR bring your "kritters" to Calvary United Methodist Church (220 W. Burke Street) and deposit them in the Katie's Kritters for Kids box located in the Russell Fellowship Hall.

We appreciate and thank you for your continued kindness and support!

Katie and Donna Yost

CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

220 West Burke St., Martinsburg, WV 25401

On the web at calvaryum.org

Worship: 9:30 AM – Latino/Hispanic Worship: 9:30 AM



Our Vision: To be a beacon of God's love!

Our Mission: To show and grow the love of Jesus!

Rev. Lynn Wilson, Pastor

304-279-6800 or pastorlynnumc@comcast.net

Church Office - 304-267-4542 or calvaryum@comcast.net

CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILY MINISTRY

WANDA SWAN, DIRECTOR

CELL 301-800-1508 OR DIRECTORCALVARY@GMAIL.COM

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We are so fortunate and blessed by God that we have new families joining our Worship, Children's Church, Youth Group and Sunday School! God has truly heard our prayers and answered them. And I believe that these wonderful new folks are just the first few raindrops of a flood of new people that God is sending through our doors! That being said, new lives in our midst need guidance. We have to step up to the blessings the Lord is giving to us, by supporting the work of the church both with monetary tithes and with tithing our time. We are given 365 days a year. If we tithe 10% of that time, that is 36.5 days, every year, that we tithe to the Lord! And so many of you do that! I see so many of you here, sometimes on a daily basis, working and painting and repairing. But now we need both men and women to step up and help guide the wonderful new people that God has planted in our midst. We need Children's Church workers right now! This is our most pressing need. We have beautiful new children, (and smart children, may I add) that we have opened Children's Church for! But we need helpers. We have a curriculum in place, all printed out, complete with crafts and snacks! Please call me at 301-800-1508 or email me at directorcalvary@gmail.com today. We only ask that you volunteer for a couple of Sundays a year, so it's not a lot of your time, but it is time very well spent!

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