JOIN CALVIN'S AMBASSADOR TEAM

Connecting Adults to Children and Youth in our Congregation

Our children and youth want to get to know you!

Ambassadors serve alongside Calvin's teachers and families. We invite you to commit to serve once a month helping a teacher in a Sunday school class or Wednesday Night Kids or Youth Groups.

Want more information? Contact **Karen Kirk-man or Drew Hogan** through the church office or watch for sign-ups in the foyer.

KIDS GROUP ASSISTANT NEEDED

Wednesdays, 7:00 pm

Rooms 7-10

Our Wednesday night elementary age kids group is growing. Thanks be to God! We need a helper each week to assist the teacher with games, crafts, story time, and prayer. Please consider signing up for once a month or more. **Contact Karen Kirkman for more information.** Thank you!

HOW TO SUBMIT A PRAYER REQUEST

The Praise and Prayer email newsletter is one way Calvin members can pray for each other.

To meet the weekly deadline, please submit your request before 9 am Monday using a blue card in the pew rack on Sunday. Place in offering plate, in box at rear of sanctuary, on the front desk, OR send request to prayer@calvinpc.org.

August 13-19, 2017

SUNDAY AM

10:00 am Worship Service Life Together

INFO FOR FAMILIES

10:00 am

Birth - Age 3 Childcare, Grades K - 5 Classes 11:20 am

Coffee & Conversation in the Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY

Men's Basketball7:30 pm

MONDAY

TUESDAY

Men's Breakfast Bible Study (Pancake Haus) 7:30 am Session Meeting7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY

Four Guys and a Bible	6:30 am
Family LIFE Group	
Kids Group	7:00 pm

THURSDAY

Worship Band Rehearsal......6:15 pm

FRIDAY

Eagle Scout Labyrinth	8:00 am
Trip to Wild Waves	10:00 am
Guest Group	

SATURDAY

Eagle Scout Labyrinth	8:00 am
Guest Group	7:30 am
Guest Group10	0:00 am & 4:00 pm





Forming Community, Transforming Lives, Reforming Our World

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

10:00 am

AUGUST 13, 2017

Preparation for Worship

Lord, you have been our help, generation after generation.

Before the mountains were born, before you birthed the earth and the inhabited world—from forever in the past to forever in the future, you are God.

- Psalm 90:1-2 (CEB)

Prelude Linda Clugston

Call to Worship

Welcome Neil Trainer

Song of Praise (Stand if able)

O God Our Help In Ages Past

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Prayers of Confession

Eternal God, you do not change.

You have revealed yourself to us in your Word.

You call us to worship you in spirit and in truth.

But we confess that we often worship

not your true self but who we wish you to be.

We too often ask you to bless what we do

rather than seeking to do what you bless.

Forgive us for seeking concessions

when we should be seeking guidance. Forgive us when our worship shapes you into what we want

instead of shaping us into what you want.

Help us to meet you here, that we might bow

before your unspeakable majesty

and so live for you now and ever, in Christ, through whom we continue to silently pray.

Assurance of Grace

Heidelberg Catechism

What is your only comfort, in life and death?

That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of his own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that he protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit his purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit, he also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

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Calendar and Announcements inside and back page

Children's Blessing Karen Kirkman

Announcements

Offering

Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Scripture Presentation

Psalm 121

Sermon

on Milad Nahkla

Where Does Our Help Come From?

Songs of Response (Stand if able)

I Am Mighty To Save

Blessing

Postlude Linda Clugston

Welcome to Worship

We're glad you're here. As you join in worship we invite you to:

Thank you for silencing your phone and other electronic devices.

Hearing assist devices are available at the media center at the rear. Ask an usher or sound operator for assistance.

Let us pray for you. Complete a blue prayer request card from the pew rack, and place in the offering plate or give to a pastor or staff person after the service.

Please print your name in the blue friendship pad and pass it to those next to you to help us know who is here today.

Take advantage of our nursery and/or Quiet Room for infants and toddlers. Children are welcome in the service, but our ushers will be happy to direct you to either of these rooms if you desire.

Pick up a small welcome gift at the Welcome Center in the foyer if today is your first time to worship with us.

Join us for coffee and conversation in the Fellowship Hall following the service -- down the foyer stairs and to your right.

Listen to the speaker's message by visiting the Resources page of our website (www.calvinpc.org) or by requesting a sermon audio CD with an order form from the tall kiosk in the foyer.

Church Office Hours

Tues/Thurs 9am-5pm Wed/Fri 9am-1pm **Prayer Requests**

Email Prayer Letter: prayer@calvinpc.org
Phone Prayer Chain (after office hours):
Shirley Small at 206.362.7836

CALVIN STAFF

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Summer Together Events

"FOURTH QUARTER" QUESTIONS

Sunday, August 20, 11:30 am

Mark your calendar for a panel discussion we will have around questions that often surface in the final quarter of our lives. Topics we'll address include caregiving, loss of independence, financial stress, and end of life questions. We want to hear from you! Join us after worship service August 20 at 11:30 am.

LABOR DAY WEEKEND CHURCH RETREAT

Sept 1 - 4, Fri - Mon, Tall Timber Ranch

Something for everyone! Come spend some relaxing time with God and your Calvin family in a spectacular mountain setting.

Reserve your spot with just a \$25 registration fee at www.calvinpc.org or with the form in brochure. Scholarship assistance readily available. Contact Pastor Neil Trainer.

FAMILY PM SERMON STUDY GROUP

Wednesdays, 7:00 pm

Fireside Room and summer offsite locations

All are welcome to join us each week as we reflect on and discuss Sunday's sermon together. Group will meet offsite August 23 and September 6. For more details and to RSVP for events, please contact Michaela Malone at 206-359-0993.

Life Together Wednesday Dinners

Resume Wednesday, Sept 13 6:15 pm

ALL WELCOME!
NO RESERVATIONS NEEDED
Small donation truly optional.

Serving and Sharing

BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

Main Event on August 26

Ridgecrest Elementary School

At the Welcome Center in the fover, find:

- List of school supplies requested
- How to sign up your student to receive supplies and services to prepare for school.

Register by August 18 at www.btsconsortium.org.

What does it take to get ready for school? \$20 = new socks and underwear for a child \$30-70 = school supplies for a K-12th grader Donate directly to BTS Consortium. Thank you!

WOMEN'S ENTERPRISES INTERNATIONAL

16th Annual Harambee Gala Fundraising EventSeptember 30, 2017, 6-9 pm
Mountaineers Club, Sand Point Way, Seattle

Support women and families in Kenya on their path from poverty, toward fulfillment of their talents and dreams.

Featuring: Exciting dinner menu, silent auction, live music, Kenyan Marketplace with beautiful handicrafts and a few surprises! Calvin will host a table. Please contact Donna Miller-Parker to sign up and join us.

Harambee requires many talented volunteers to make this event - extraordinary! Space available to serve in: Registration, Market Place, Special Appeal, Photo Booth, Silent Auction, Education/ Marketing and Table Captains.

>To volunteer, please contact Donna Miller-Parker or the Event Coordinator at krissie@womensenterprises.org.