

**CONNECT WITH A LIFE TOGETHER GROUP**

Have you considered joining a LIFE Group and becoming more connected to the Calvin family? **LIFE groups study the Bible together** through guides, sermon notes, and group discussion. Please carefully consider this commitment to grow your spiritual life while connecting with other church members. **Pick up a brochure at the Welcome Center** for information on joining or starting a LIFE group.

**Groups will be starting to meet this week!** Sign ups will be available TODAY after worship.

For further information, **contact Nancy Bowerman** at [smallgroups@Calvinpc.org](mailto:smallgroups@Calvinpc.org).

**NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

**Connecting Adults to Babies**

Do you love babies?  
We have good news for you!

This fall, our Sunday morning nursery rotation is in need of **4-6 more people** to fill out the schedule. Each person serves approximately one time a month.

**Want more information?** Contact **Karen Kirkman** through the church office or email [families@calvinpc.org](mailto:families@calvinpc.org).

**Did You Know ....?**

**WEEKLY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES**

<b>Sunday AM</b>	<b>Coffee Host</b>
	<b>Nursery Volunteers</b>
	<b>Welcome Center Host</b>
<b>Friday PM</b>	<b>AA Meeting Host</b>
<b>Tues-Fri Days</b>	<b>Office Volunteer</b>

Find the online sign-up calendar and more info for all these positions at

<http://www.calvinpc.org/signup-to-serve/>.

**September 2 - 8, 2018**

**SUNDAY AM**

Worship Service .....10:00 am

**INFO FOR FAMILIES**

Nursery Care is available for babies 6 weeks and toddlers through 2 years old.

Children 3 years - entering 2nd grade begin in worship with families before leaving for small group time.

Entering 3rd grade through 5th grade remain with families in our worship service.

1st Sunday of each Month our 3 year olds through 2nd grade return to the sanctuary at the end of worship for communion with their families.

**SUNDAY**

Men's Basketball .....7:30 pm

**MONDAY - HOLIDAY- OFFICE CLOSED**

Young Adult Bible Study.. .CANCELLED

**TUESDAY**

Men's Breakfast & Bible Study.....7:30 am  
Session Study & Prayer.....7:00 pm

**WEDNESDAY**

Youth Group .....7:00 pm  
Family Ministry Group Meeting.. .....7:00 pm

**THURSDAY**

Women's Bible Study .....9:30 am  
Facilities Team Meeting.....7:00 pm

**FRIDAY**

AA DRU North.....8:00 pm

**SATURDAY**

Kenyan Comm SDA Church.....10:00 am  
Kenyan SDA Youth Time.....4:00 pm



*Forming Community, Transforming Lives, Reforming Our World*

**SERVICE OF WORSHIP 10:00am SEPTEMBER 2, 2018**

**Prayer of Preparation** *(in silence)*

God of all faithfulness, you have opened the gate of mercy for your people and are always ready to welcome those who turn to you. Look on us in your compassion, that we may gladly respond to your love and faithfully walk in your way through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

**Prelude** Linda Clugston

**Welcome & Greeting** Neil Trainer

**Song of Praise** *(Stand if able)*  
*Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee* #25

**Prayers of the People**  
Petition: We lift this prayer to you, O Lord  
Thanks: We give thanks to you, O Lord  
Lament: We cry out to you, O Lord

**Song of Response** Gordon Webb  
*Come Thou Fount*

**Children's Blessing** Karen Kirkman

**Announcements**  
**Offertory** Worship Band  
*Reckless Love*

**Scripture Reading** Judy Runions  
Luke 10:25-37

**Sermon** Milad Nakhla  
*The Good Samaritan*

**Sacrament of Communion**

**Song of Sending**  
*God of Justice*

**Benediction**  
**Postlude** Linda Clugston

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## Life Together at Calvin Church

### UPCOMING MUSIC OPPORTUNITIES

**Sanctuary Choir** will start a new singing season on September 6. Practices are every Thursday, 7:30 to 9:00 pm. We will begin with Christmas music.

**ALL singers are welcome!** No experience needed.

**Chancel Bell Choir** will begin rehearsing **Monday, September 10 at 7:30 pm**. No experience or music-reading ability is required, but a sense of rhythm is helpful. **ALL ARE INVITED TO JOIN!**

Please contact **Valerie Grissom** with questions regarding the **Sanctuary Choir** by emailing, [music@calvinpc.org](mailto:music@calvinpc.org).

For details regarding the **Chancel Bell Choir** please contact **Mike Korpi** by emailing, [mikek@korpilaw.com](mailto:mikek@korpilaw.com).

### CONGRATULATIONS KATHRYN & PAT!

The rosebud on our communion table today celebrates the birth of baby **Winnie Mikaela Burke**, born August 18. Kathryn and Pat Burke welcomed daughter, Winnie, along with proud grandparents John and Karen Claus.

### PRIMETIME PLANNING MEETINGS

**TODAY and September 23, 11:30 am.**  
Fellowship Hall.

It's been a great year for PrimeTime! **A big shout-out to those who helped plan events throughout 2017/2018.** A very special thanks to the **Roods**, who helped organize the August baseball game, and the **Minnigs**, for organizing the upcoming Nordic Museum trip. They have started this year off with a Big Bang!

Once a year, PrimeTime gets together to help plan events with Karen Claus, coordinating Wednesday Luncheons, and Jean Johnson, coordinating other events. **We want you to help plan another great year!**

Grab a coffee and **join us directly after worship TODAY** to start "the ball rolling" for 20018/2019. A follow-up meeting will be held on September 23 at 11:00 am in the Fellowship Hall.

## Upcoming Events

### BRIDGE MINISTRY SUNDAY CELEBRATION

**September 23, 4:00 - 6:00 pm**  
Fellowship Hall

**Bridge Ministries serves persons with physical and/or developmental disabilities** through a variety of ministries. Sunday Celebrations are gatherings of persons with disabilities, their families and caregivers along with church members. They **provide a safe and dedicated opportunity to create friendships and build relationships.** Calvin has been a long-time supporter of Bridge and its ministries.

**All are invited** to attend and we welcome your participation as a volunteer by serving as a greeter, table host, or helping to prepare or serve food. **To sign up as a volunteer, please call Dan Coppin at 206-542-6247.** Thank you!

### KICKOFF THE FALL WITH PRIMETIME

**RSVP is appreciated to both events.**

**Wednesday, September 19, 9:30 am**

Visit the **Nordic Museum** in Ballard for a private docent tour and then lunch at Portage Bay Café. **Cost is \$15** to cover the entrance fee, van usage, and parking. **Need to pay in advance.** Lunch is a separate cost paid individually. **The bus will depart from Calvin at 9:30 am with a tour starting at 10:00 am.**

Signup at the Welcome Center between services or email [primetime@calvinpc.org](mailto:primetime@calvinpc.org)

**Wednesday, October 17, 12:00 pm**

Continue to celebrate Fall with PrimeTime at a luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. **More details coming soon.**

## 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](http://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](mailto:prayer@calvinpc.org)

Phone Prayer Chain (after office hours):  
Shirley Small at 206.362.7836

### CALVIN STAFF

**Neil Trainer**, DMin, *Pastor*

**Milad Nakhla**, MDiv, *Campus Minister*

**Valerie Grissom**, DWS, *Music Director*

**Linda Clugston**, *Organist/Accompanist*

**Karen Kirkman**, *Family Ministries Director*

**Drew Hogan**, *Youth & Family Associate*

**Barbara Rood**, MPA, *Church Administrator*

**John Claus**, *Finance Coordinator*

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