

September 18, 2022 15th Sunday after Pentecost

# CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



10am Worship Service led by Rev. Floyd White



Please pray for peace and the people of Ukraine, and count your blessings for another day free from suffering and violence.

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## AS WE BEGIN A NEW PROGRAM YEAR, LET'S START WITH A GREAT BIG THANK YOU...

to the many hearts and hands that have kept us afloat during some very challenging times. Without your dedication, we might be sailing in a leaky boat, but your commitment has allowed us to see some clearer skies and calmer waters ahead.



**Thank you, thank you, thank you!**

And thank you to the volunteers who will be assisting in our worship service this morning:

Georgie Ackers, Barbara Myers: Greeting, Offering  
Jerry Blackman, Valaree Bower, Michael Gilbert, Lori Gilmore: Audio/Visual  
Diane Pahl: Fellowship

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For Sunday School this year we are doing something different. We are (hopefully) going to have a rotating schedule of teachers.

We are looking for volunteers to teach Sunday School 4 times a month (we are flexible and it can be less often). The lessons are pre-planned or the volunteer can make their own lesson based on a theme. Kids will

stay with parents for about 10 minutes of the worship service and then leave for Sunday School with their teacher.



We are also going to bring back the Childrens' Christmas Pageant! So we are looking for volunteers for that as well.

Contact Sarah Wood or Bobbie Beck for more information.





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*Serving God and God's People Since 1877*

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\*Please rise in body or in spirit. Please sign the worship pad found in each pew

PRELUDE *In Christ There Is No East or West* Spiritual, arr. A. Giamanco

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT *This Is the Day* L. Garrett

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 118:21-29

I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

**The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.**

This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

**This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

Save us, we beseech you, O Lord! O Lord, we beseech you, give us success!

**Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. We bless you from the house of the Lord.**

The Lord is God, and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar.

**You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you.**

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.

\* GATHERING HYMN #130 *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY *Andante* F. Mendelssohn, arr. L. Smith

\* OFFERTORY RESPONSE #496 *Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart*

GOSPEL READING Luke 4:16-21

*When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."*

This is the Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ

**Thanks be to God**

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

HYMN #632

*The Lord's Prayer*

CHORAL ANTHEM

*Come Lift Up Your Voice*

S. Pethel

SERMON

"Preaching the Good News"

Rev. Floyd White

\* CLOSING HYMN #712

*The Kingdom of God Is Justice and Joy*

\* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

\* CHORAL RESPONSE

*The Lord Bless You*

D. Grotenhuis

\* THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

*(As you leave the sanctuary, share greetings of Christ's peace with one another.)*

\* POSTLUDE

*Praise Canon*

P. Taylor

Many thanks to Rev. Floyd White for leading us in worship this morning



Prayers for: our President and all our elected officials, all world leaders, our men and women in uniform, peace in the world, victims of natural disasters, those endangered by war and violence; Calvary's mission and ministries; all our friends and members at Calvary, and in particular: Ron Blackeby; Linda Blackman; Joanne Davis; Sally Dinn; Dovieanna & Anthony Falconiero; Ed Gilmore; Ed Hartmann; Jean Markovitz; Jesse James, nephew of Terry Pahl; Barbara DeSimone and Jay Patel, friends of Alyx Reinhardt, Steve Harker, husband of Cindy Harker.

The chancel flowers this morning are dedicated to the glory of God and in loving memory of Lillian M. & Michael S. Stasko by the Stasko Family

