

Calvary Baptist Church Newsletter November 2019

Let me begin this article with a BIG THANK YOU Church family for all your support during this past month and especially your cards and gifts for Pastor Appreciation Month. You are a great family in the Kingdom of God.

This past month has been a little chaotic with a lot of finger pointing at different folks. When I think of this, I am reminded of Jesus and His many conflicts with even the religious leaders of His day.

At every point, Jesus was confronted with the TRUTH that He present to the people who gathered around Him. As I read His story, He always approached His confronters with love and truth.

When Jesus did the right thing, He was confronted with anger and outrage. When He healed the lame, talked of God the Father, He was confronted with anger from the religious leaders.

I believe He was crucified due to his "eating with publicans and sinners." Jesus' love for the outcast was evident from Scripture. It should give us pause to consider who we are providing ministry toward.

The church is guilty of ministry to its own and often leave our the "outcast." It's not easy to reach out to those hurting and not like we are, but when we decide to be a part of the Kingdom of God through trusting in Jesus Christ, we are adopted into His family and are to apply our lives to reaching out in the same way He reached out to the world.

I believe we need to ask ourselves, "Do I spend more time with people like myself or do I spend more time with people who need a friend?" Think of Jesus. He spent time with a tax collector, woman caught in adultery, lepers, the blind, the poor, and on and on. He was accused of doing this by the most spiritually acclaimed people of His day.

I choose to follow the model of Jesus and LOVE those who hurt and offer a kind word even to those who might not be kind to me. This has been a growing process for me. I hope my life is moving to be more like the person of Jesus with the way I feel about people in my life.

We move into a season on our calendar where we offer Thanksgiving in November and the awe of the coming of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ into the world in human form in December. Let's use these times to address our ministry to the world Jesus came to "seek and save."

Blessings to all of you, Pastor Dan



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Worship Services and Activities

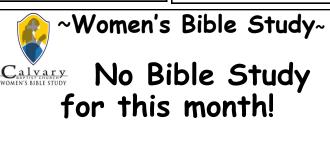
<u>SUNDAY</u>

9:30 a.m. Pastries and coffee in the fellowship hall 9:45 a.m. Sunday school opening in the Sanctuary 11:00 a m: Morning Worship Service Children's Church during Worship Service

<u>WEDNESDAY</u> 7:00 p.m. Bible Study Prayer study group seeks to have the Church pray for "Unity and doing the will of God."

Hershel Asbury Tammy Bowen Billy Brown Arthur Conner Emmie Conner Francis Conner Kristine Dalton Kallie Dunford J.K. Edwards Kendall Epperly Tracy Flint Kim Éox Jeff Funkhouser Holly Henninger Melody Herman Karen Holtz Steve Janney Shawn Kaiser Barbara Kenmore David Kerns Diane Kerns

Betty King Josh Lawson Arnold Linkous Lois Mabery Pat Mabry Angie Miller Charlotte Peters Jake Poff Jake Reynolds Kalyn Sowers Don & Billy Short Shirley Thomas Jason Underwood Megan Vest April Wade Dale Wade Leander Wilkes Pat Whitlock Sharon Young



Carol Vaughn, Leader November 02—Pat Bowling November 03—Jessica Blosser November 09—Nelva Shelton November 14—JP Dunford November 15—Alexis Ep[perly November 25—Mary Vicenti November 25—Pam Rumburg November 28—Kenneth Bower November 30—Marge Boswell



"If you play Pastor's sermon tape backwards you hear a recipe for potato casserole."







November will be a busy month, hospitality will be having a Buck wheat/ Pancake dinner on November the 9th, take out will from 5-6 and eat in from 6-8 please come out and join us, for an evening.

Then on Sunday, November 24th we will be having our Holiday Dinner after the morning worship. We will provide the meat, bread and drinks and ask that you bring your favorite side dish and dessert and kick off the holiday season with our family. May God bless each of you and we look forward to seeing you.

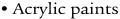
Kathy Link, Chair

Kid's Corner



Make this Thanksgiving decoration and keepsake as a reminder of God's many blessings.

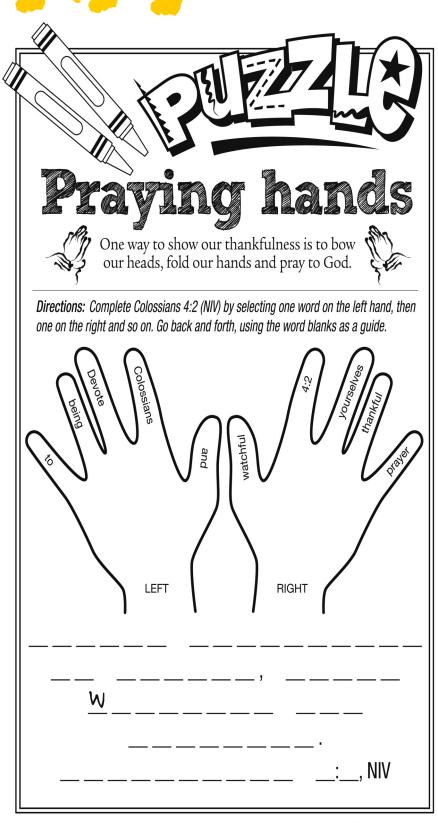
What you need:



- Paint brush
- White cardstock (8" x 11")
- Baby wipes or wet paper towels
- 8" x 11" frame (available at dollar stores)
- Black permanent marker
- Bowls or paper plates

What you do:

- 1. Paint your palm, fingers, wrist and a portion of your arm with brown paint.
- 2. With the white cardstock placed vertically, press down your painted hand and arm. The print should resemble a tree trunk and branches.
- 3. Clean your hand and arm with baby wipes or wet paper towels.
- 4. Dip your fingertips into different-colored paints and press them onto the paper to make leaves. (It's autumn, so leaves can be falling!)
- 5. When paint is dry, write "thankful" down the trunk with permanent marker. Also write your name and the year in the corner.
- 6. Frame and display your decoration.



Answer: Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful. Colossians 4:2, NIV



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 MUSIC Alexis Epperly	4	5	6 7:00 p.m. Bible Study	7	8	9 Buckwheat / Pancake Dinner take out 5:00- 6:00 p.m. Eat in 6:00 p.m. —8:00 p.m.
10 MUSIC Teresa Epperly Lords Supper Deacons Meeting	11	12	13 7:00 p.m. Business Meeting	14	15	16
17 Special MUSIC Deb Funkhouser	18	19	20 No Bible Study	21 6:00 p.m. Friends and Food	22	23
24 Sounds of Harmony Holiday Dinner following morning worship	25	26	27 No Bible Study	28 Shanhsaving 10	29	30

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