

# CALVARY UPDATE

May 2022

## CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

-Council meeting May 22<sup>nd</sup> after  
church services



Welcome Spring!

Isaiah 61:11

For as the soil makes the sprout come up  
and a garden causes seeds to grow,  
so the Sovereign Lord will make  
righteousness and praise  
spring up before all nations.



## Church Service Update:

**May 1<sup>st</sup>-Lay pastor Travis Quam (Karen Carlsrud)**

**May 8<sup>th</sup>-Lay pastor Nathan Johnson (Betty Tangen)**

**May 15<sup>th</sup>-Pr. Katie DeMarais (with Confirmation & Communion) (Karen Carlsrud)**

**May 22<sup>nd</sup>-Pr. Stephanie White (Karen Carlsrud)**

**May 29<sup>th</sup>-NO CHURCH**

## FROM THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT

To members of Calvary Lutheran Church,

I hope we do not get any more snow and the snowbanks we have will soon melt. We have had a lot of rain lately and wish that would stop soon so the fields dry and the farmers can get in the fields.

The Pastors and Lay Pastors for May are Travis Quam the first Sunday, Nathan Johnson May 8, May 15<sup>th</sup> is confirmation and Katie DeMarais will be the pastor. The confirmands are Laureen Kaupang and Joy Neubert. May 22, Stephanie White, Joyce White's daughter, will give the service. We will not have church on May 29.

Thanks to Pastor Darrell Morton for the approximate 4 months, he has been here with us. I think we have all enjoyed his services. He stated he will see about coming for back for services this fall.

Please keep our members in your prayers that have health problems, the ones in nursing homes and families that have lost a loved one.

As I have put in my letters before, please give me a call with comments or suggestions if you have someone that you know would come and give a sermon. Phone numbers 218-435-1001 or 218-779-7007.

Elmyrna Kaupang, President

## COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

The Calvary Council met on April 10 after services. The minutes from the February meeting and the minutes from the Annual meeting on March 6 were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was presented and accepted. The progress on establishing a Cemetery Association was discussed. There are four people for director positions so far. We need one more. As soon as we have five people for director positions, we can present the application to the lawyer. The fees for this will come from the Memorial fund.

A motion was made by Steve Carlson, seconded by Dave Natwick to have Lavonne McWilliam act as treasure for the Sunday School. It passed. A motion was made by Dave Natwick, seconded by Steve Carlson to pay \$200 per month for the Secretary. It passed.

Members are encouraged to send information of events that concern our Church or comments to the secretary to be published in the newsletter. The next Council meeting will be on May 22 after services.

The meeting was adjourned. We closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Sec. Shirley Sonstelie

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*"Faithfulness springs up from the ground, and righteousness looks down from the sky. Yes, the Lord will give what is good, and our land will yield its increase. Righteousness will go before him and make his footsteps a way." -Psalm 85: 11-13*

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Just a reminder that offerings can be sent to LaVonne McWilliam at 23684 410<sup>th</sup> St SE Winger MN 56592, the church at PO Box 100, or you can set up a direct deposit from your bank using ACH or Bill Pay.

We would like to expand our prayer concern list. If you or a family member need to be added for health reasons or for nursing home/shut in, please contact me via email or cell phone.

Also, we are looking to expand the website with church history, or any activities going on etc. If you have anything that will help, please send it to me! -Marissa

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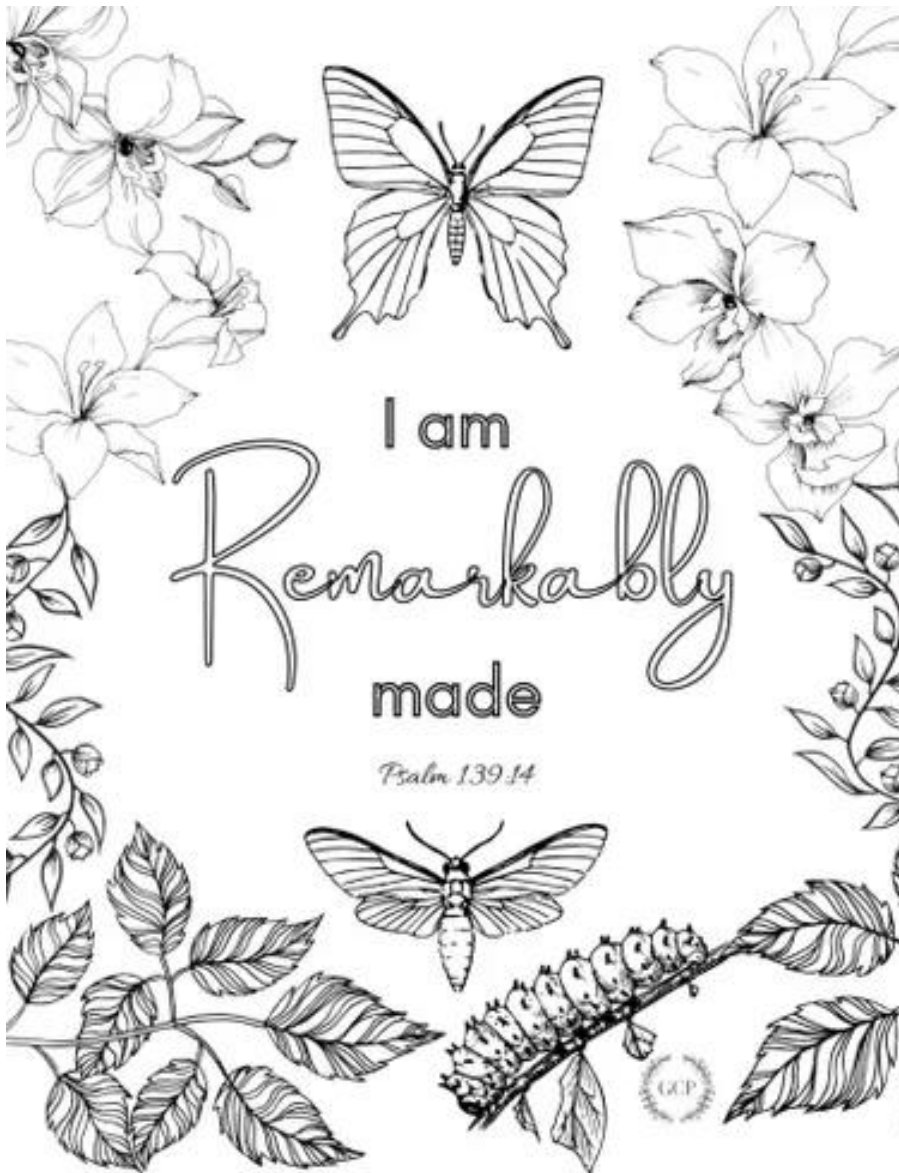


Prayer List:  
Marilyn Natwick

## SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS

•Thirteen parents and kids attended the “family fun day” at Splashers Water Park in Grand Forks on Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup>. After spending three hours at the water park, everyone went to the Pizza ranch for lunch. It was a great family Saturday.

•On Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup> at 11AM the Sunday School kids colored eggs and prepared rolls for Easter Sunday. During Fellowship hour on Easter Sunday, the kids served rolls and boiled colored eggs.



## LECTIONARY READINGS FOR MAY

### May 1 (Easter 3)

1<sup>st</sup>: Acts 9: 1-6 [7-20]

Psalm: Ps 30

2<sup>nd</sup>: Rev 5: 11-14

Gospel: John 21: 1-19

### May 8 (Easter 4)

1<sup>st</sup>: Acts 9: 36-43

Psalm: Ps 23

2<sup>nd</sup>: Rev 7: 9-17

Gospel: John 10: 22-30

### May 15 (Easter 5)

1<sup>st</sup>: Acts 11: 1-18

Psalm: Ps 148

2<sup>nd</sup>: Rev 21: 1-6

Gospel: John 13: 31-35

### May 22 (Easter 6)

1<sup>st</sup>: Acts 16: 9-15

Psalm: Ps 67

2<sup>nd</sup>: Rev 21: 10, 22—

22:5

Gospel: John 14: 23-29

### May 29 (Easter 7)

1<sup>st</sup>: Acts 16: 16-34

Psalm: Ps 97

2<sup>nd</sup>: Rev 22: 12-14, 16-

17, 20-21

Gospel: John 17: 20-26