

CALVARY UPDATE



September 2025

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- Rally Sunday September 7th
- Council Meeting September 14th after church

Find us on 

Fellowship Hour 10:30 AM
Church Services 11:00 AM



September Church Services

September 7th- Pr. Sletto (Communion)
September 14th- Tim Johnson
September 21st- Nathan Johnson
September 28th- Dustin Carlson



Sunday School resumes September 7th with Rally Sunday!



A BACK-TO-SCHOOL PRAYER

Loving God, thank you for the rest and relaxation we enjoyed over the summer.

Today, we pray for our children as they begin their new school year.

Bless them with joy at seeing friends, excitement at new experiences, and a love of learning. Watch over all who learn, replacing fear with joy, anxiety with peace, and tiredness with energy.

Grant teachers wisdom, patience, and joy in serving their students.

In Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.



COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

The Calvary Council met after church on August 10th. Members present included Steve, Elmyrna, LaVonne, Marissa, Bob and Byron.

The meeting was called to order and the Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were both read and approved.

For Old Business, Bob said he looked further into an on-demand water heater and found it would not be a good fit for our situation, so he purchased a water heater at Ace Hardware and Smeby's installed it. There is still no update on the awning project.

Byron said he and Orrie are working with Kezar music from Thief River Falls on getting a new wireless microphone that would work with our sound system.

Under New Business, Bob tried looking at the fuse box to see if he could see why part of the power went out during church services in the dining room and kitchen. An electrician would be called to find and fix the problem.

With no other New Business, the meeting was adjourned, and we closed with the Lord's Prayer.

The next meeting will be September 14th after church.

Marissa McWilliam-Donner, Secretary

"The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold."

-Psalm 18: 2



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LECTIONARY READINGS FOR SEPTEMBER

September 7th (Lect 23)(Pent 13)

1st: Deut 30: 15-20

Psalm: Ps 1

2nd: Philemon 1-21

Gospel: Luke 14: 25-33

September 14th (Lect 24)(Pent 14)

1st: Exod 32: 7-14

Psalm: Ps 51: 1-10

2nd: 1 Tim 1: 12-17

Gospel: Luke 15: 1-10

September 21st (Lect 25)(Pent 15)

1st: Amos 8: 4-7

Psalm: Ps 113

2nd: 1 Tim 2: 1-7

Gospel: Luke 16: 1-13

September 28th (Lect 26)(Pent 16)

1st: Isa 58: 9b-14

Psalm: Ps 103: 1-8

2nd: Heb 12: 18-29

Gospel: Luke 13: 10-17

