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## Calvary Lutheran Church and Preschool

**March 2018**

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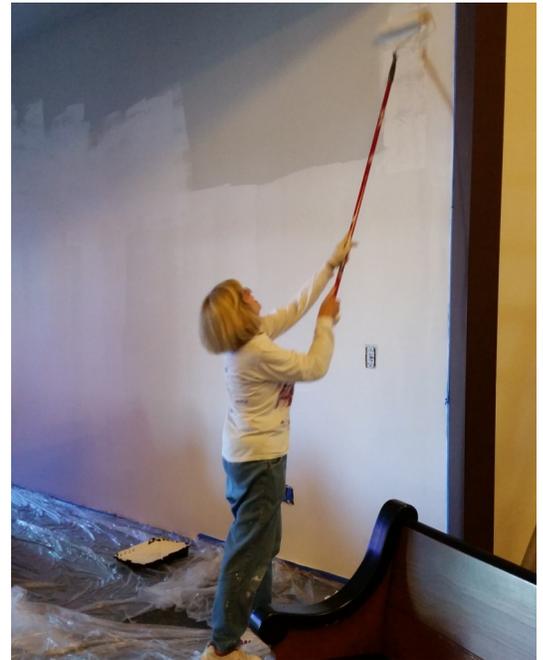
9:00 a.m.      Worship Service w/ Children's  
                         Church  
10:00 a.m.      Fellowship  
10:30 a.m      Adult Education  
10:30 a.m..     Connect Tweens Time  
                         (1st and 3rd Sunday)

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Jean Voights, helping with last year's renovation of Calvary!

What a blessing!



### Happy Birthday:

Sonja Erickson 3-3	Esther Alme 3-15
Reinhold Daur 3-4	Ryllee Kaup 3-17
Allison Meehan 3-5	Marie Meyer 3-19
Dick Stokes 3-6	Ruth Sykes 3-20
Erica Daur 3-7	Dick Harris 3-24
Nicole Skinner 3-11	Everett Arnold 3-27
Johnathan Borek 3-14	Dennis Wilson 3-28
	Kristina Borek 3-31

### Staff

Pastor:	Matthew Erickson
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Teacher Aide:	Jody Laufenberg
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## Hate is Not Too Strong a Word

I hate cancer. The very word brings so many emotions to my being but all of them lead to hate. Anger, confusion, fear, sadness, anxiety, hate. I hate cancer. Too many lives have been cut short, too many families saddled with financial burdens, too many peoples' quality-of-life destroyed: its too much. Each time I hear about another positive cancer diagnosis, am flooded with so many hard feelings. I suspect that I am not alone.

I have had the privilege of being witness to so many courageous battles against this scourge. I have watched and prayed as men, women, and families have fought for their lives. I have seen the fight to maintain quality time with loved ones; the fight to maintain dignity and selfhood; the fight to remember and be remembered; the fight for another day, week, month; the fight to die well. No battle is the same: every individual and family chooses how and where they will fight, but in every case I am humbled and filled with awe at the strength displayed. I am so honored to have seen these battles, but they are battles that should never be.

I have some convictions regarding cancer. They are informed by scripture and my faith but they are also informed by my hatred of these diseases. You may see things differently. God most certainly sees things more completely, but this is what I believe:

Cancer is evil – Cancer is not just some natural part of God's good creation that humans stumble into and wind up getting hurt. I don't necessarily believe that all illnesses or health problems are evil, but cancer is. It wields devastation that goes so much deeper than life or death. Like other evils, humanity is called to muster its resources to destroy cancer. We are called to use our God-given intellect, our compassion, our money and our lifestyle choices to conquer cancer and the pain that it leaves in its wake.

Cancer is part of sin's impact on God's very good creation - Cancer is NOT part of God's plan, not the way things are supposed to be. The apostle Paul puts it like this, "For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies." (Romans 8:20-23) In other words creation itself longs to be free from sin's corruption, including cancer.

God hates cancer – Throughout the Old Testament God promises that our enemies will be his enemies. Even when sin causes God to allow Israel's enemies to have victory over the Hebrew people, God nonetheless hates that this is so, and detests anything that wishes or causes harm to His beloved people. God's allowing of cancer to persist should never be interpreted as an approval of cancer or the turmoil it brings.

God does not stand idly by and simply watch when one has cancer – It is true that most of the time God does not miraculously cure cancer. It is also true that God has not obliterated cancer altogether. I don't know why these two realities are true. I could share with you any number of theories, but God

has not revealed why he allows cancer to persist—and for me all of the theories fall flat. Because we do not always see God working the way we would like him to, in the midst of these wars, it is easy to feel as though God has removed himself from the situation. This is not so. What God has revealed is that as we endure the pain, the stress and the heartbreak of cancer, he bears it along-side and with us. The Apostle Matthew points to Jesus and reminds us of the promise given by the prophet Isaiah, “Surely he took up our disease and bore our sorrows.” (Isaiah 53:4) Just as you suffer when your parents, your children, or your spouse suffers, this is even more true for our Father in heaven who loves us with a depth we cannot imagine. God knows our struggle intimately.

God can redeem the pain and the heartache cancer brings – Paul writes, “And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them.” (Romans 8:28) I know of few passages of scripture which are more misused than this one, and so I hesitate to draw on it at all. God’s promise is NOT that everything that happens to a Christian is ordained by God, or that everything that happens in the life of a Christian is good for that person. The promise here is that when evil comes into the lives of Christians, God can use that evil to bless us and others. Time and time again I see cancer survivors, including the loved ones of those who have died from cancer, providing the very best support and care for others who are in the midst of their fight against the evils of cancer. That God redeems the pain and heartache of cancer in no way makes the cancer less evil, nor does it completely remove the pain or heartache. Christ’s redemptive work adds peace and blessing into the midst of the suffering, like a balm, allowing us to continue to experience the peace and joy of Christ until that day when Christ returns.

Our lives and the life our congregation will continue to be assaulted by this enemy of God. King David reminds us that it is good and proper for God’s people to hate God’s enemies,

*Oh that you would destroy that which is wicked, O God! O forces of bloodshed, depart from me! They speak against you with malicious intent; your enemies take your name in vain! Do I not hate those who hate you, O LORD? And do I not loathe those who rise up against you? I hate them with complete hatred; I count them my enemies.*

Psalm 139: 19-22 (Pastor Matt’s Translation)

It is indeed right and just that we should hate the evils of cancer, but it is even more right that we should trust in Christ. I don’t understand why God allows this evil to persist. What I do know is this: Our Lord, the Creator of the Universe, the Alpha and the Omega, the One Who Is, Who Was, and Is to Come, God Almighty loves us so much that Jesus became human to live, suffer, die and defeat death on our behalf. If God is willing to go to those lengths for you and me then I can trust that God is good, and on my side. I may not understand why God allows what He allows, or does what He does, but I trust that God will bring about his promise to bring us safe and whole to that day where, “every tear is wiped dry, where pain and suffering is no more, and where death meets its demise.” Amen and Amen.

Pastor Matt



### **April 2018 DATES to remember**

- \*Monday, Wednesday & Fridays —AA uses fellowship hall for meetings 7am
- \*\*Tuesday morning 8am, Men's Discussion Group
- \*\*Tues & Thurs morning 9:30, Fit & Fall Prevention
- 4-1 thru 4-15, FAMILY PROMISE, (2nd week LDS church hosts)
- 4-5 Annual Meeting at Orchard Ridge
- 4-9 Team and Council meetings, 6 and 7pm respectively
- 4-12 Book Club Meeting 7pm, thru chapter 44!
- 4-17 Mission Prayer Meeting 3 pm
- 4-28 Ladies "Royal" Tea —Saturday afternoon

### **POST FALLS FOOD BANK**



Just a sample of the shopping venue for customers at the Post Falls Food Bank. Guests are given a point system, and they shop for items, with the vegetables and fruits free! Rarely does a guest walk in to the Food Bank with just one need, food. There are usually severally challenging situations that our guests are dealing with at any given time. We provide a Resource Specialist to help our guests navigate the social services network and find the help they need in Kootenai County. If you know of someone that has a need, please steer them to this resource! We are here for them!

Hours M-F: 9 AM to 2:00 PM, *Leslie Orth*, Executive Director  
208-773-0139 Address: 415 E 3rd Avenue | Post Falls ID | 83854



THE VILLAGE AT  
ORCHARD RIDGE



THE VILLAGE AT  
ORCHARD RIDGE

(formerly Coeur d'Alene Homes) *invites you to a*

# Garden Tea

Yummy Treats • Entertainment • Fellowship

**Saturday, March 24, 2018**

1:30-3:30pm

Orchard Ridge

624 W. Harrison Ave., CDA



**Individual Tickets - \$20 / Table of 8 - \$150**

All proceeds benefit Orchard Ridge's Assisted Living & Memory Care Community.

**To RSVP call Susan at 208-664-8119.**

If your women's or men's group would like to donate a basket for the small silent auction contact **Amy at 664-8119** for more information.



# Calvary Lutheran Church and Preschool



Tribe camp is coming up, with adults and kids of all ages, spending a week growing in relationship with God, and with one another! Adults spend time taking on service projects at camp, helping to lead crafts and activities and helping in the kitchen! There's lots of time for rest and recreation.

Kids participate in Lutherhaven's camp program with other kids their age, sharing a cabin with other kids from Calvary!

The dates are June 24th, to June 29th—see Pastor for registration...

Adult fee is \$35.00, Kids 1/2 price participation in Lutherhaven camp programs, and kids going into Kindergarten and younger, \$35 flat fee!

## WE ARE NOT DONE YET!

The Worship Team is looking for some volunteers to help with a couple of new projects for the purpose of enhancing the beauty of the Sanctuary. The stand holding the Christ Candle and the two plant stands are in dire need of refinishing. This will entail sanding them down, staining them and adding a finish to preserve the wood. In addition to this project, we would also like to add some colorful banners to hang on our plain white walls. If any of our members can help with either project, please let Linda Borders know.

## The Giving Garden

There is a meeting scheduled for March 18th, following the coffee hour at Calvary! Anyone interested in being part of the Giving Garden should plan on attending the meeting!

Thank you, Ralph Meyer, coordinator



# **Wednesdays in Lent**

Finding My Identity in Changing World

## **The Life of Moses**

### **Ash Wednesday - February 14<sup>th</sup>**

7:00 p.m. — Worship with the imposition of ashes.

This experiential service is highlighted by the imposition of ashes and reminds us that mortality and immortality are gifts from God.

### **Wednesdays in Lent - February 21<sup>st</sup> through March 21<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 p.m. — Soup Supper and fellowship

7:00 p.m. — Contemplative Worship

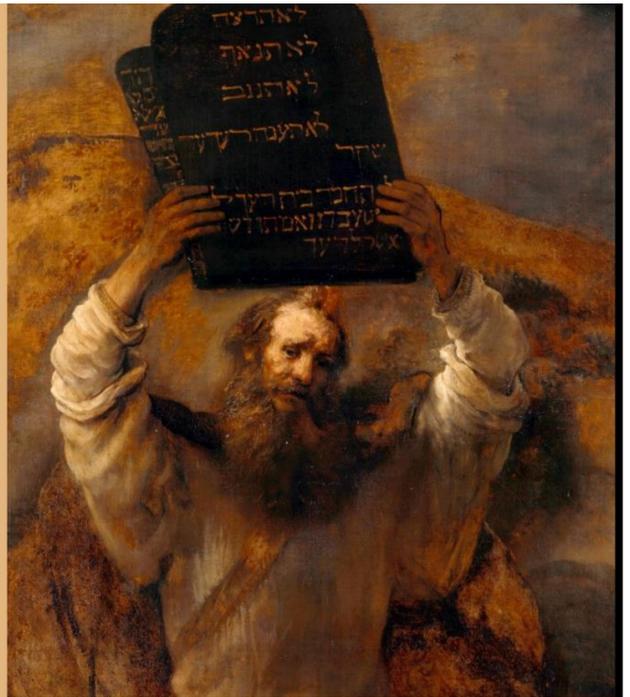
Why cook dinner when you can enjoy amazing soups with your friends at Calvary. These Family Friendly Services will allow us to explore Moses' ongoing struggles with personal identity.

### **Maundy Thursday - March 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**

An experiential worship service remembering and celebrating the institution of Holy Communion at the Last Supper.

### **Good Friday - March 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**

A service remembering the depth of God's love for humanity.



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## **Everything I Touch Goes Wrong – February 28<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 p.m. — Soup Supper and fellowship

7:00 p.m. — Contemplative Worship (Exodus 8-12)

## **Everyone Loves Me – I Think? – March 7<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 p.m. — Soup Supper and fellowship

7:00 p.m. — Contemplative Worship (Exodus 13-18)

## **Why Can't I Live on the Mountain Top? - March 14<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 p.m. — Soup Supper and fellowship

7:00 p.m. — Contemplative Worship (Exodus 19-20, 32-34)

## **Are My Mistakes My Identity? – March 21<sup>st</sup>**

6:00 p.m. — Soup Supper and fellowship

7:00 p.m. — Contemplative Worship (Numbers 20)

## **Maundy Thursday – March 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**

## **Good Friday – March 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.**



## **News from Peace Rehabilitation Center in Nepal.**

*Calvary supports Peace Rehabilitation Center through benevolence giving, and also in our prayers. To learn more, talk to Cory English, Dennis Wilson, Kathy Darrar, or Pastor Matt. You can find out more by visiting the webpage, [www.peacerehab.org](http://www.peacerehab.org). Psalm 106:10 "He saved them from the hand of the foe; from the hand of the enemy he **redeemed** them."*

"I will give thanks to you, Lord, with all my heart; I will tell of all your wonderful deeds". Psalm 9:1

Dear Praying friends: I had a long talk with Shanta this morning and my heart is full of things for which to thank God! Most of the past 3 weeks she has been visiting the border stations and girls who have returned to their villages after being rescued at the border or having completed the rehab program at the PRC house in Kathmandu.

1. She told me Sapana (rescued from a Delhi brothel in March 2017) left the Rehab Center last month and returned to her village to be with her father and sister. She decided she wanted to try living at home but knows she can come back to the Rehab Center if she finds she is not yet ready for regular village and family life. **PRAY** the Lord would surround Sapana with a hedge of protection physically, emotionally, spiritually and mentally. **PRAY** her family, church and village would be supportive and help her in her adjustment back into society. Most of all, **PRAY** Sapana would grow into her relationship with the Lord and the Lord would provide a Christian woman to mentor her spiritually.
2. **PRAY** God for 15 girls rescued at the border in January. We are thankful all 15 girls were reunited with their parents. The PRC border staff counseled these girls regarding the tricks traffickers and to be careful they don't fall prey to traffickers again. **PRAY** for the protection of them being trafficked again and for a means of income so they will not be tempted to leave due to their poor economic situation. **PRAY** villagers and especially churches will be watchful and protective of their own girls and children.
3. **Praise** God for the diligent work of PRC border staff leading to the arrest of 6 traffickers in the past month. **PRAY** justice would be done and for these traffickers to repent and come to know Jesus.
4. **PRAY** for a girl, Sumitra, who Shanta brought back from the border on Saturday to live at the Rehab Center for awhile. **PRAY** for her adjustment and for the 7 girls currently at the Center to welcome her warmly and make her feel at home. The 7 girls are all going to local schools so are gone most of the day. **PRAY** for wisdom for Shanta and the housemother to know how to best help Sumitra and that she would know the love of Jesus from the staff and girls.
5. Finally, **PRAY** for Shanta who has an infected tooth!

In Christ, *Carmen Gronewold*, North American Associate Director



Family Promise is happening right now at Calvary and all slots for hosting have been filled! We are very grateful for you doing above-and-beyond the call of duty, for this worthy ministry! And our next chance to lend a hand will be starting Easter Sunday! So, be prepared, and let us know where you would like to be a blessing!

We thank you on behalf of our families, from the bottom of our hearts!

Sincerely, Joan Shatzka (509-230-5198, cell)

**THANK YOU FOR BEING A SUPPORTER  
OF Calvary Missions!**



**Abuse Recovery  
Ministry & Services**

**A.R.M.S is a biblically-based support group for women in or out of a Domestic Abusive relationship and is confidential We work hard to help you feel physically safe, emotionally healed, and spiritually whole. Please call 509-484-0600 for class time and location or visit <http://www.armsonline.org>**

Join Us for a

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Benefiting Lutheran Campus Ministries  
at Eastern Washington University

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Advent Lutheran Church

13009 E Broadway Ave,  
Spokane Valley, WA 99216

5 PM  
Appetizers  
6 PM  
Dinner



**A donation time will follow dinner**

Please email [pastor@lcmewu.com](mailto:pastor@lcmewu.com) for reservations, information, or donations

# FUND RAISER For Danny Meek

Kidney Transplant Candidate



Dan is a lifelong resident of Hauser Lake With his entire career spent at Jacklin Seed Co



**Come support Danny with a spectacular Spaghetti Dinner!  
And a fabulous multiple basket raffle!**

**On Saturday March 24<sup>th</sup> 4 – 7 PM**

At the Hauser Lake Fire Station

Suggested Donation  
\$ 7.00 adults -\$3.00 kids under 5  
Raffle tickets \$1.00 each



**ALL FUNDS GO TO OFFSET  
Danny's Medical Expenses**



**We Love To Help!**  
2004 East Sahara Way @ Greenway Road 208.775.5289

Sponsored by: Hauser Lake Fire Department & Hauser Lake Lion's Club



**CALVARY LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL**

**MARCH NEWSLETTER 2018**

We sure had a great time at our Valentine's party and Dr. Seuss week. Thank you for all your help. I hope that everyone had a wonderful February!

In March, we will be working on the letters T, U, V, and the number 7. We will continue to work on our scissors, writing, and phonemic skills. We will be working with shapes, especially the triangle shape. We will also be going over bike safety rules to get ready for the bike a'thon at the end of the month, if the weather permits.

Our Bible verses are:

**Philippians 4:4** - *"Rejoice in the Lord always."*

**Mark 16:6** *"He has risen."*

**Upcoming events for March:**

**March 1<sup>st</sup>** – We will be celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday. We will be wearing our pajamas and watching a movie on this day.

**March 15<sup>th</sup>** – We may have a little visitor during the night and go on a treasure hunt. Be sure to look around for some very small green footprints as you enter the school.

**March 22<sup>nd</sup>** – We will be having the 14<sup>th</sup> annual bike a'thon in the church parking lot, if the weather permits. Students are asked to bring their bikes and trikes on this day with helmets. We will be making a fun course for the children to ride their bikes. Parents are asked to come and help control the masses, and to make sure all our students are following their bike safety rules. It will begin at 10:00 and kick off Spring Break.

**March 27<sup>th</sup> – March 29<sup>th</sup> – No preschool! We will be on Spring Break. See you in April.**

***We are opening up registration for all students for the 2018-2019 school year.*** If you know of anyone who may be interested, please let us know so we can get you a registration form. You are our best advertisement, so please let people know about our wonderful program. ***It is very important to reserve your spot for next year early. Thank you!***

**REMINDER:** March tuition is due on the 10<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you!!!

Mrs. Meehan

# REGISTER A.S.A.P.

## Tribe Camp @



### **LUTHERHAVEN**

*A Week of camp for the entire Calvary Lutheran Family*

**June 24<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup>**

Tribe Camp is a time for adults and kids of all ages to spend a week at Lutherhaven growing in their relationships with God and with one another. Adults spend time taking on service projects at camp, helping lead crafts and activities, helping in the kitchen and doing all sorts of little things to make camp happen. Of course there is lots of time for rest and recreation as well. Kids participate in Lutherhaven's camp program with other kids their age, usually sharing a cabin with other kids from Calvary. Each day we have an hour of Tribe time where all Calvary's kids and adults come together for a fun activity.

**Adults:**     **\$35.00 (Paid to Lutherhaven at Registratio**

- Lunch and Dinner in the dinning hall are included
- Lodging Options Include: Tent Camping, RV Campsites, & the Retreat Center
- Opportunities to interact with our kids during meals, crafts , worship , and "Tribe Time"
- Lots of volunteer opportunities of all kinds
- Can't stay the whole week? Come and go as necessary.

**Kids:**        **1/2 Price participation in Lutherhaven Camp programs!**

- Stay in Cabins with kids your own age for the week
- Swim, hike, worship, archery, crafts, boat, etc..
- Opportunities to interact with Calvary's adults during meals, crafts , worship , and "Tribe Time"
- Special 2-night program for going into 1st & 2nd graders.
- Additional Financial Assistance is available with a simple applicatio

**Kids going into Kindergarten and younger:**   **\$35.00 (Flat fee )**

- Play in Camp with their loving adults.
- See big sisters and brothers at "Tribe Time"

**Register Today at [www.Lutherhaven.com](http://www.Lutherhaven.com)**

Kids and adults need to register online. Adults Register as Resource Staff (if it tells you it is full continue anyway) It will ask you what congregation you are with and you will put Calvary Lutheran—Post Falls. When it asks about camperships, for kids, enter that you are receiving a 50% campership from Calvary.

**Questions: Call Pastor Mi:   - 360.296.3070**

# Fathers' Day Weekend Camp-Out



## Farragut State Park June 14-17

Lutherans from across the North Idaho Cluster will join together for a fun weekend of camping, playing, hiking, worshipping, eating, and so much more. Folks are welcome to come for as long as 3-nights/4-days of camping or as little as one Saturday of fellowship and fun. There will be ample planned fun to pick and choose from, or you can do your own thing.

**Cost to Camp: \$28/individual or \$68/Family (+ Park Entrance)**

This includes 1-3 nights camping for tents or RVs, lunch on Saturday, and Programming. Dinner on Friday will be a Pot-Luck feast.

**Saturday Only: \$7/individual or \$15/Family (+ Park Entrance)**

This includes lunch and programming on Saturday but **NO OVERNIGHT** camping.

**Sign-Up with your Congregation Today!**

## HOPE OUT OF THE ASHES

A ministry that Calvary is supporting, Steve and Alene Burgert of Tenwek Hospital in Kenya, has had a tragedy.: “On Friday evening, 9th February 2018, a tragic fire destroyed the main floor of the Restaurant Building at Tenwek Hospital. Each one of us at Tenwek Hospital has a personal story of how we were involved and how this affected us. I (Steve) was on Medicine call and hurried up the hill after I received a frantic phone call — ‘The Hospital is on fire!’ As I approached the hospital, an orange glow filled sky above the Restaurant building with flames over 30 feet high. I was so relieved to be informed that patients had immediately been evacuated from the Wound Ward in that building, as well as from wards throughout the hospital. We are so grateful for the staff and volunteers who helped to safely evacuate patients from throughout this 300-bed hospital in the Eye ward within the new Eye & Dental Center, which had just opened 3 weeks prior.”

“Within minutes of the fire starting, prayers were being lifted up by people literally across the globe. Alene also came up to the hospital and was helping to get the word out, as best as she could, via the overloaded mobile phone and the internet network. In the midst of the fire, it truly was chaotic and decisions had to be made with incomplete information. Nevertheless, we sensed that we were enveloped in prayer and there was a true sense of peace even in the midst of the chaos.”



**“We praise God that no patients, family members, staff, or volunteers were killed or injured!”**

**For more information on how to help for the Tenwek Hospital’s Fire Recovery, check out this link:**

**<https://www.wgm.org/project/tenwek-hospital-fire-recovery>**

### **THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS for free!**

Thrivent Financial donates them to non-profit organizations. Thrivent members can direct them to Calvary Lutheran or to Calvary Preschool or to the non-profit organization of their choice. There is one "catch": Thrivent Choice Dollars must be directed by **March 29**. After that date they expire.

I'm thinking 'Wouldn't it be wonderful if some Choice Dollars came in just now to help pay for the new computers in the church office -- the ones that replaced the tired old worn-out ones!?' Or 'Wouldn't it be nice if some Choice Dollars came in so our Calvary Preschool staff could finally have a much-deserved raise?!' Thrivent Choice dollars can be used for things like that!

And it is easy for Thrivent members to direct them. From your computer: in the address line put **Thrivent.com/thriventchoice**; then put your member ID and password in the Login place; next provide a phone number Thrivent can call to give you a code number and enter the code in the code box [you can tell Thrivent to use that phone number again next time you direct]; then choose where you want Thrivent to send the Choice Dollars you have available. OR just phone **800-847-4836**.

I've done it many times, so I believe I could help others do it too. It's certainly worth the effort.

From **Everett Arnold**, Calvary's Congregational Advocate for Thrivent

# CALVARY NEWS

Spring is in the air! That means Caring & Fellowship is working on the upcoming Spring Tea. This year's theme is Tea with the Royals. Unfortunately, Liz, Harry and Meghan are busy with wedding plans and can't be with us. You, however, CAN!

Mark your calendar for Saturday, April 28 from 1-3pm. Tickets will be \$10 per person and must be purchased prior to the Tea. Tickets will be on sale soon, so get yours early. When they are gone, they're gone! It's a fun event to invite your friends and neighbors to.

As usual, many hands make light work. There is much to be done so please pitch in where you can. Men...put on your dark slacks and white shirts and sign up to serve. Everyone... we need people to set up, clean up, and help with food purchase and prep. Kathy Harris has again graciously agreed to be our MC.

We're still working on entertainment— so if you have a suggestion, please see a team member. Linda Fleming will looking to write your name on her list of volunteers!



## Step on up.

Wishing you peace, love, joy and the renewal that spring brings through Christ.

*Caring & Fellowship Team*

Pat Goss, Chris Cook, Venus Harmon, Brenda Doggett, Linda Fleming, Dee Cox and Alene Duran.

## Please pray for United States Military including:

- ⇒ **Andrew Uptagrafft**  
(Son of Carol & Pat Uptagrafft)
- ⇒ **Marcus Baker**  
(Grandson of Mary & Tex Hess)
- ⇒ **Mamie English Cisneros**  
(Daughter of Cory & Dan English)
- ⇒ **Anthony Mason** (Nephew of Loren Mason)
- ⇒ **Brian Page** (Nephew of Audrey McGrath)
- ⇒ **Kristina Borek** (Daughter of Pam & Scott Borek)
- ⇒ **Maxwell Paul** (Nephew of Tina & Mike Irwin)
- ⇒ **Jason Irwin** (Nephew of Tina & Mike Irwin)
- ⇒ **Jesse Ost** (Grandson of Erna Ost)
- ⇒ **Donny Fillman** (Nephew of Linda Fleming)
- ⇒ **Charles Markley** (Grandson of Betty Markley)



## (Australian Military)

Zac Berra, (McGrath's nephew)



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**Your deadline for events or articles to be put into the April newsletter, please bring them to Jeanne Barrett-Usher at the office, or e-mail them to her by**

**March 22nd**

**E-mail: [office@calvarypostfalls.com](mailto:office@calvarypostfalls.com).**



**Please continue to Pray for the following requests:**

Nancy Savage for relief from pain

For those recovering from recent surgeries, including Annie, Joanne, Penny and Sue (Webers)

For safe travels for families during the holidays (Webers)

For Nell Lokteff for healing and for the possible surgery (Judy Stebbins)

For Jonathan's well being (Forrest Chapin)

Taylor & Bryleigh de Mute, as Bryleigh continues to improve (Matthews family)

For LD who is in a coma (Matthews family)

Prayers for Gabriel Harris for continued health (Harrises)

For Jeff Howard, battling cancer (Howards)

Prayers for fellow homeless family (Robert A Sornsin)

For the family of late girlfriend, Rikki Lynn Dingman (Robert A Sornsin)

Mallory & James Teeples, and new baby Julian born 8 wks early (Michelle Mason)

Danielle Meehan, for healing of her leg again (Meehans)

Comfort for granddaughter and family with the loss of our baby girl (Elfi Bussman)

Comfort and support for Rosemary as she begins chemotherapy (Ruthe Peterson)

Mike Darrar for health issues, not related to transplant (Kathy Darrar)

Prayers for peace, good health, and for strength, and praises for all the blessings (Venus Harmon)

Prayers for family of Christopher Lancaster (Sally Holtz)

For God's blessing of my great-granddaughter's safe arrival into the world on Jan 1<sup>st</sup> (Donna Nelson)

For Aunt Marie McGrath with aggressive breast cancer (McGraths and all their families)

For those who feel alone in the world, that they would know we are there for them (Brenda Doggett)

Alisa Emerick for relaxation and peace, with current illness (Nancy Savage)

For mother Harriet Fredricksen (Loretta Pontier)

For all in need of God's Love! (Forrest Chapin)

For God's guidance for my family (Linnea Johnston)

Pastor Don Short for recovery (ELCA)

For the Klocker family to have peace, with health of Pastor Klocker's 98 year old father (ELCA)

For Jonathan and Brenda for health (Forrest Chapin)

Praises for healing for Ruth's foot (Chapin)

Prayers for Gayl in this difficult time (Venus Harmon)

For the families of those killed in Florida school shooting (D. Nelson)

For Kidney donor for Dan Meek (CJ Meek)

Recovery for Joan and Evelyn who were injured in a car accident this month (Webers)

Praise and thanks for a beautiful memorial service for Aunt Jeanne in Yakima (Webers)

For Vi Harer (Val Larson's mother) for healing (Tim & Val Larson)

For the Tenwek Hospital and the Burgerts in Kenya(a mission that Calvary supports)---and praises that no patients, family members, staff or volunteers were killed or injured in the fire that destroyed the ground floor of the 300 bed hospital!

February	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>Sunday</i>		-AA 7am	-Men's discussion 8am -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30	AA 7am <b>Soup &amp; Supper 6</b> <b>Lenten svc 7pm</b>	1 -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30 DR SEUSS DAY : pajamas - Boy Scouts Dinner	2 -AA 7am	3
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Sunday	4 5-AA 7am - Red Hat Flappers 12—3	6 -Men's discussion 8am -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30	7 -AA 7am <b>Soup &amp; Supper 6</b> <b>Lenten svc 7pm</b>	8 -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30 Book Club 7pm, library	9 AA 7am	10	
Sunday	11 *Meet new members, install new Council members	13 -Men's discussion 8am -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30	14 AA 7am <b>Soup &amp; Supper 6</b> <b>Lenten svc 7pm</b>	15 - Fit & Fall Prev 9:30	16 AA 7am	17	
Sunday	18 19 -AA 7am	20 -Men's discussion 8am - Fit & Fall Prev 9:30 -Mission Prayer team	21 -AA 7am <b>Soup &amp; Supper 6</b> <b>Lenten svc 7pm</b>	22 -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30 -TRIKEATHON, @ PRESCHOOL	23 AA 7am	24 Cub Scouts Pinewood derby	
Sunday	25 26-AA 7am	27 -Men's discussion 8am -Fit & Fall Prev 9:30	28 AA 7am	29 Maundy Thurs Svc	30 Good Friday Svc	31	
<b>SUNDAY EASTER...</b>	F A M I L Y	P R O M I	I S E	W E E K			

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March 2018										
SUNDAY 4	Loretta Pontier	Kevin McGrath	Loren Mason	Cory & Dan English	Sally Holtz, Kevin & Linda McGrath	LENT	Linnea & Cory	Kathy Darrar	Jodene Meehan, Kathy Darrar	Kathy Darrar, Don Weber
SUNDAY 11	Linda Borders	Loren Mason	Don Weber	Cj Meek, Heather Johnson	Dennis Wilson, Cory & Dan English	LENT	Cory & Linda	Dennis Wilson	Sally Holtz, Sam McGrath	
SUNDAY 18	Loretta Pontier	Kevin McGrath	Charlotte Werner	Joan Shatzka, Venus Harmon	Esther Alme, Aurel & Loren Mason	LENT	Linda & Ryan	Joan Shatzka	Kathy Darrar, Linnae Johnston	Kathy Darrar, Don Weber
SUNDAY 25	Linda Borders	Loren Mason	Pamela Arnold	Forrest Chapin, Donna Nelson	Kathy Darrar, Ron & Jean Voights		Carol & Margret	Kathy Darrar	Linda Johann, Kathy Darrar	
April 1 EASTER SUNDAY	All	All	Cory English	Uptagraffts		EASTER		Dennis Wilson		

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