

THIS WEEK

If you have a special prayer request please fill out a pink card, found in the pews, bring it forward and place it on the communion table either before the service or during the first hymn.

SUNDAY MORNING 9:45 a.m.

- Nursery & Classes for all children on the first floor.
- The Adult Classes will meet together in the Social Room.

WEDNESDAY July 21st 6:00 p.m. Choir and Hand Bell Choir picnic at the home of Fred and Judy Weimert. Please call Judy or the Church Office if you plan to attend and the food you will be bringing, vegetable, salad or dessert.

SUNDAY July 25th Pick up cakes for Our Daily Bread and return Saturday July 31st

MONDAY July 26th 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Sarah's Hope. Come when you can.

August 1st 120th Anniversary Sunday
Communion
There will be a reception afterwards.

SUNDAY August 15th. Supper and Ice Cream Social, home of Dan and Lucy Moore. This is Dan's birthday.

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

The Calvary Baptist Church
Towson, Maryland

Eleven O'clock

July 18, 2010

<http://www.calvarybaptist-towson.org>

Frederick K. Weimert, Pastor

Ruth Kulkarni, Christian Kirby, Pastoral Staff

Glenn L. Wittstadt, Jr., Organist-Director

PRELUDE: "I Am Thine O Lord" arr: David Paxton

INTROIT 2057: "Be Still and Know That I Am God"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 52

Why do you boast, O mighty man, of mischief done against the godly? All the day you are plotting destruction.

Your tongue is like a sharp razor, you worker of treachery.

You love evil more than good, and lying more than speaking the truth.

You love all words that devour, O deceitful tongue.

But God will break you down for ever; snatching and tearing you from your tent;

God will uproot you from the land of the living.

The righteous shall see, and fear, and shall laugh at him, saying,

"See the man who would not make God his refuge, but trusted in the abundance of his riches, and sought refuge in his wealth!"

But I am like a green olive tree in the house of God.

I trust in the steadfast love of God for ever and ever.

I will thank thee for ever, because thou hast done it.

I will proclaim thy name, for it is good, in the presence of the godly.

*HYMN 638: "Now Thank We All Our God"

INVOCATION Followed by the Lord's Prayer
(The version we use is printed on the laminated card in the pew)

WELCOME & REGISTRATION
EXTENDED LIFE OF THE CHURCH

SOLO: "His Eye is On The Sparrow" C. Gabriel
Soprano: Libby Field

PRAYER FROM THE PEOPLE: Tammy Geelhaar

*OFFERING Grant us Lord, the grace of giving,
With a spirit large and free,
That ourselves and all our living
We may offer unto Thee.

OFFERTORY: "Still, Still With Thee" Tom Birchwood

CHILDREN'S TIME:

THE GOSPEL Luke 10: 38-42 pg. 903
Read by Kathy Wright

RESPONSIVE CALL TO PRAYER:

Proper etiquette would undoubtedly tell you that on visiting a home for dinner...

The visitor should not impede the progress of the preparation of the meal.

So how is it that Jesus seems so oblivious to what would appear to us to be common courtesy?

Maybe he observed such rules in the same way he observed Sabbath law.

Maybe, after the feeding of the 5,000, he thought prayer could take the place of meal preparation.

Martha probably had planned for something more than fish and loaves.

She also probably believed that when all of this talking was done people would be hungry.

Her anxieties and concerns were realistic.

God who is served by the by the work of our hands, and the sweat of our brows, we thank you for giving us jobs to do...

But as we busy ourselves with our work, keep us from becoming oblivious to our need for your word – to renew us – and remind us why it is we work. Amen.

*HYMN 554: "In the Cross of Christ I Glory"

HEBREW BIBLE: Amos 8: 1-12 pg. 795

SERMON: "Human Hunger"

*INVITATION HYMN 56:

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Decisions of faith are personal decisions. It is for us to choose if we will believe in God. Decisions of faith are also public and corporate decisions. When we choose to follow Jesus we are choosing to become part of the "Body of Christ", the Church. If you would like to confirm the decision you have made to begin your life of faith or continue that life as a part of this congregation, come forward as we sing the invitational hymn and speak with the worship leader about your decision.

*BENEDICTION/RESPONSE

POSTLUDE: "Benediction in A Minor" B. Wely

- Congregation standing.

The sanctuary flowers are given by Wendy Wallace in loving memory of her father, Charles Wallace.

