

- **Talk to the church office about becoming a Reader in Worship.**
- **Talk to an Elder about becoming an Usher at either service.**
- **Volunteer to be a song leader at our 10:30 am Sunday service.**
- **HyVee receipts. YES we are still collecting them.**
- **Sunday Morning treats – Volunteers needed to host at Sunday morning coffee time.** A sign up sheet is on the pillar in the fellowship hall. A Sunday without the needed volunteers willing to bring treats means we will not have treats during coffee time to enjoy.
- **Altar Flowers – Needed:** Individuals to sign up to place flowers for the altar or to donate to the “Flower Fund.” Check out the flower chart on the pillar in the fellowship hall.

Building Healthy Families: It’s been said that children may not always be good at listening to adults, but they never fail to imitate them. Consider this: the words you speak are less important than the everyday life you lead. Your children (and grandchildren) are constantly learning about life by watching you. What an immense responsibility. What an incredible privilege! Pray that God will help you to be the kind of adult you want your child (or grandchild) to become. Find inspiration from the One whose love, humility, obedience, honesty, and faithfulness we’re encouraged to imitate. (Ephesians 5:1-2; Philippians 2:5-11; and 1 John 2:6) **Lutheran Family Service**
www.LutheranFamilyService.org

OUR RESPONSE TO HIS LOVE July 13, 2025
Attendance: 8:00 am 67; 10:30 am 65
Wednesday night meal at the Park: 154

Our Prayer List – July 20, 2025

*Rejoice always, **pray without ceasing**, give thanks in all circumstance, for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.*
1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Lester Janssen, Rhonda Duncan’s dad, who turned 102 years old this week.

The family of Avis Pauling, Terry Pauling’s mother, who passed away.

Our Youth & Chaperones attending the National Youth Gathering in New Orleans.

Continued prayers for these individuals with chronic or long-term illnesses, homebound or in care facilities:

- Jeff Blonigan**, who will be having heart surgery.
Tony Ivory, brother of Machel Ivory & nephew of Betty Lewis, who has cancer.
Tom Henline, who has been diagnosed with Parkinson’s disease.
Jack Pulliam, father in law of Abby (Wiese) Pulliam, who has cancer.
Chad Kuehl who has cancer.
Angela Daugherty, mother of Kraig Daugherty, who is in hospice care.
Lee Perdigon Jr., son of Lee Perdigon Sr., with health issues.
Richard Runyan, brother of Karla Derrickson, hospitalized with heart issues.
Rick Runyan, cousin of Karla Derrickson, who has cancer.
Dan Jackson, brother in law of Sherrie & Bill Engel, who has cancer.
Robert Beckman, father of Erin DeJong, who has cancer.
Ian Larew, friend of the Cawthorn’s, who has cancer.
Jesse Miller, brother of Jared Miller, who has cancer.
Julie Gill, daughter-in-law of Ken Gill, who has cancer.
Barb Zimmerman, sister of Ken Gill, who has cancer.
Melissa Zuber, sister of Michelle Meyer, who has cancer.
Marilyn Perry at Westview Care Center.
Phyllis Chumbley, at Good Samaritan Care Center.
Gayla Tighe, daughter of Lowell Lines.
Hannah Hester, our missionary, serving in Taiwan.

CALVARY'S CURRENT

CALENDAR OF EVENTS for the week of **July 20, 2025**

TODAY: 8:00 am Worship
9:15 am Thrivant presentation by Ken Tague
10:30 am Worship

MONDAY: 6:00 pm Church Council Meeting

WEDNESDAY: 5:30 – 7:00 pm Meals at the Park (Moats Park shelter house)
Menu: Taco's

THURSDAY: Youth & Chaperones returning from the Youth Gathering.

Next SUNDAY: 8:00 am Worship
9:15 am Sunday School and Bible Class
10:30 am Worship and Communion

Large print Hymnals are available. If you would like to use one, ask an Usher.
This week's Worship Service can be seen at <https://www.mt-calvary.com/events/>

Flowers on the altar today are given by Ruth Circle.

Lawnmower for this coming week: Steve Smith.

Thank you to David Cooper for leading us in worship while Pastor Tom is away.

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR HELP. We are looking for volunteers to help water/weed the flower beds around the church. There is a signup sheet on the pillar. The beds are divided into areas. You can pick the area you want to take care of and the week you can help. You only need to work your area once in the week you choose. Check out the signup on the pillar and help us keep the church grounds looking beautiful!! Thank you!!

COME JOIN US! This Sunday Ken Tague will be doing a presentation during Bible Study hour.

LWML Meeting: Please join us Monday, July 28th for the quarterly LWML meeting. The meeting is at 6:30 pm, in the fellowship hall. All ladies are invited to attend.

Mt. Calvary DCE, Aaron Finkel, has accepted his call to St. Michael's Lutheran Church, in Bloomington, Minnesota. His last Sunday here at Mt. Calvary will be August 3rd.

FAREWELL RECEPTION: Please join us at a farewell reception for Aaron & Erika Finkel, Sunday, August 3, 2025. We will have a luncheon starting at 11:45 am. The Discipleship Committee will be serving Sandwiches, Chips, and Cake. We are asking those who want to come to wish Aaron & Erika well, bring a salad to share.

SPLASHTACULOR DAY CAMP - August 3rd from 3pm-6pm. This is for K-8th grade. Come have some fun and learn about Jesus!

TIME TO FIRE UP THE GRILL!! Mark your calendars and plan to attend the 3rd Annual BBQ Cookoff and Corn Hole Tournament!! Sunday August 24, 2025 is the date. Lunch is at 11:45 with the competition starting as soon as everyone attending has a chance to vote on the best meat prepared.

COOKS: You need to signup and choose your meat to prepare. (Signup sheet is on the pillar). The meat will be provided.

CORN HOLER'S: Sign up as a team OR just join a team the day of. All people attending may bring a side dish to share. Let's have some fun!!!

STATE FAIR IS COMING: Lutheran Laymans League, Iowa District East & West, and Lutheran Hour Ministries will have a booth at the State Fair. If you are interested in helping man the booth call John Tews (641-740-0126) to see what open times they have available.

Stewardship Corner

God's nature is to love and give, and He has made us to be giving people. We are his instruments or channels through whom He works to help those in need, build His Church, and to expand His kingdom. God never stops giving and blessing us. The most important gift that God has given us is a gift of a Savior. Through Jesus's life, death, and resurrection, we have the forgiveness of sins and life eternal with Him. One of the most important ways that we express our gratitude to God is through our giving. When we acknowledge that God has created and owns all things, our mindset should change from how much am I going to give to how much of God's money am I going to keep?

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE: