

All the Praise

Sunday, May 20 at 6:00 PM
Season Finale Concert

"I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth!"
— PSALM 34:1

COME CELEBRATE WITH US as the **Calvary Choir, Orchestra, Band, and U18 Worship Ministries** lead a special evening of worship! You'll enjoy great new music and favorites from the past year of worship. Invite family and friends! calvarychurch.com/concert

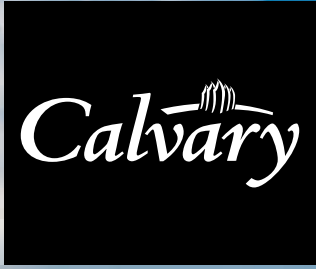
HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

9:45 AM Today's Worship Service
"Honoring Mother"

Thank you for worshipping
with us on Mother's Day!

So that families may celebrate together,
we'll have no ALGs, Student Ministry, or
Children's Ministry at 11:15 AM and
no evening service.

Our regular schedule resumes next Sunday:
calvarychurch.com/services



Looking UP

Calvary Church Weekly News CALVARYCHURCH.COM

Thanks for supporting our police officers

National Police Week is May 13–19 — Drop off cards TODAY!

Thank you for demonstrating the love of Christ to our local law enforcement officers during National Police Week through the **Adopt-a-Cop program**. You're making it possible for Calvary to personally encourage the officers serving in the Metro and Steele Creek divisions, in addition to our security team. **TODAY is the final day for us to collect your personalized cards.** Please drop off cards at the main Welcome Desk in the Galleria! Contact: Desiree Skipper, desiree.skipper@yahoo.com

Calvary hosts breakfast to honor military

Memorial Breakfast | Saturday, May 19, 8:30–10:00 AM, Crown Room

In observance of Memorial Day, everyone is invited to a special breakfast in honor of those in the US Armed Forces who have given their lives in service to our country. The event will also include a meaningful tribute to our active duty military, Reserve and National Guard members, and veterans. Our keynote speaker is **Major General Mark T. McQueen**, commander of the U.S. Reserve 108th Training Command headquartered in Charlotte. Cost is \$5; register at calvarychurch.com/memorialbreakfast. Contact: Chuck Robinson, chuckrobinson@windstream.net

★ Post a tribute at the Memorial Wall today

- ★ **Stop by the Calvary Memorial Wall** in the Galleria to write a short note honoring those who served and made the ultimate sacrifice for our country. Cards and pens are available for you to create your special tribute. Let's remember the great men and
- ★ women who gave their lives to protect the freedom we enjoy. Thank you for sharing!



Calvary's Larry Burgess (left) interviews missionary Bill Harding, III (right) for WHVN.

interview with Larry Burgess for broadcast on WHVN radio. In his eloquent style, Bill recounted his conversion experience, his calling to the mission field, several encounters with Billy and Ruth Graham, the emotions of losing his wife, and much more! The interview will be broadcast on May 18 & 19 on WHVN and live online at heavenradio.org. Don't miss this blessing!

Hear the best of Bill's missions stories this week!

Listen to WHVN 1240 AM / 104.3 FM
Friday, May 18 at 11:00 AM
& Saturday, May 19 at 3:00 PM

Over the past 50 years, Calvary's elder statesman of missions, Bill Harding III, has shared with us the stories of his experiences as a missionary in Ethiopia. Recently, Bill recorded some of these adventures in an hour-long

Are you facing a career transition?

Career Workshops | Monday, May 21, 6:30–7:30 PM, Crown Room

Calvary Career Ministry is here to help you prepare for the job search journey. Join us on the **first and third Mondays, May 21–August 20** for information, guidance, and networking. Open to all, so invite a friend, neighbor, or co-worker! Let us know if you're interested in joining the team as a career coach. Get details at calvarychurch.com/career. Contact: Pastor Rob Reece, 704.887.3696, reece@calvarychurch.com

Lock arms with men across Charlotte...

ManUp Charlotte | Saturday, June 2, 7:30 AM–3:30 PM

A city-wide conference at Forest Hill Church, South Park campus

Men, maximize your impact in your home, neighborhood, and city! Join **Carolina Panther Thomas Davis, Urban Impact**, and men across Charlotte for **ManUp**, an encouraging day of worship, prayer, dynamic breakout sessions, and powerful messages. You'll be challenged to invest in your own family relationships and lock arms with other committed men for accountability and expanded influence in our community.

Calvary is a supporting sponsor of this event. **Pastor Nathaniel Pearce** will lead an afternoon breakout session on "Men as Shepherds and Disciple-Makers in the Home." Cost is \$49. Register at calvarychurch.com/manup. Contact: Pastor Rodney Navey, 704.341.5448, rnavay@calvarychurch.com

MAY 13, 2018

From the Senior Pastor

Honoring Mother

The command to honor our parents applies to all of us, irrespective of our age. Obviously the way we honor our mother when we are



John & Gudny Munro

younger may differ when we are an adult. In today's message, I have tried to give some examples of ways in which we can honor our mothers. Honoring my mother is not difficult, as she has given me unconditional love all of my life. She also modeled Christ and prayed for me daily. I still picture her in the kitchen, with her Bible close at hand, as she cooked for her large and hungry family! She loved to read of the kings of Judah and Israel and share her thoughts with us.

In that atmosphere she would tolerate no vulgar or disrespectful language. Although she did not have a college education, she loved to read and had a great appreciation for the right use of words. She will be 93 on June 5. As I look back over my life, I am deeply appreciative of the way she communicated her love for Scripture and her love for the correct use of language—no dumbing down or sloppy speech!

Today we honor our mothers, grandmothers, and all our sisters in Christ. Solomon writes, "Forsake not your mother's teaching" (Proverbs 1:8). ■

Struggling through this special day?

Caleb Ministries | Mother's Day is special for many women, but for some it can be a very painful time. For women who have lost babies or who are struggling with infertility or past experiences with abortion, this can be a bittersweet day flooded with memories of what might have been.

If you have experienced a loss, or have a friend or family member struggling with loss, please visit Galleria table 5A today to receive a free copy of **Morning Will Come**, a collection of personal stories of hope after loss or infertility. For additional help and encouragement, please see calebministries.org. Contact: Caleb Ministries, 704.841.1320, info@calebministries.org

Guys, join us for FUN on Saturday!

KidZone Father & Son Game Time | Saturday, May 19, 3:00–4:30 PM, CLC

First and second grade boys—bring your dad and come have an awesome afternoon at the Calvary Life Center! We'll be playing crazy games, munching on snacks, and having a blast with friends! Cost is \$5 per family. Register at calvarychurch.com/gametime. Contact: Suzanne Phillips, 704.887.3693, sphillips@calvarychurch.com

Seniors, enjoy lunch with local author

Senior Adult Luncheon | Thursday, May 17, Noon, Crown Room



Robert Whitlow,
Author & Attorney

Our luncheon program this month features popular local author and practicing attorney, Robert Whitlow. Robert specializes in legal dramas set in the South and is the winner of the prestigious Christy Award for Contemporary Fiction. His latest novel, *A Time to Stand*, was released in September 2017. Join us at noon in the Crown Room for a delicious meal, great fellowship, and engaging conversation with Robert Whitlow.

Register by May 14 at calvarychurch.com/SAL or get tickets (\$7) in the Word Room bookstore. Be sure to arrive early for an organ concert with guest organist Lee Northcutt at 11:00 AM. Contact: Jennifer Sharpless, 704.341.5417, jsharpless@calvarychurch.com

Welcome home, college students!

Finals are over! So, it's time to reconnect at Calvary in the College & Young Adult Ministry. If you're back in Charlotte for the summer, join us!

College & Young Adult ALG | Sundays, 11:15 AM, Mini Gym

On Sunday mornings we meet for Bible teaching with Pastor Khalil Ayoub. To connect, start here!

The Journey | Tuesdays, 7:30–9:30 PM, CLC

Join us for dynamic worship and Bible teaching. We want to engage people in God's Word in a meaningful way and create genuine community. Enjoy pizza and hang out. Bring your friends!

Beach Retreat | May 25–28, Wrightsville Beach, NC

Don't miss this weekend away! Cost is \$115 for transportation and lodging, but bring extra money for meals and activities. Register by May 22 at calvarychurch.com/beachretreat.

Come on out and play CHAMP softball

CHAMP Adult Coed Softball | June 5–August 3, Tuesdays & Fridays, Ages 18+

Meet new friends and enjoy recreation and competition in a Christian environment. We play on Tuesdays and Fridays on the Rea Road Field at 6:00 or 7:05 PM. The season concludes with a tournament in August. Cost is \$40. Sign up now at champsportsinfo.com.

Prepare your student for middle school

5th Grade Families Lunch Meeting | Sunday, June 10, 12:30–1:15 PM, CLC 1300

Middle school is a big transition! Pastor Matt Thompson invites all 5th graders and their parents/families to join us for lunch and an overview of Middle School Ministry. Find out about all our summer activities! There's no cost, but please register at calvarychurch.com/prep4MS. Contact: Jennifer Porras, 704.341.5320, jporras@calvarychurch.com

NEWS & NOTES

■ **DEEPER ROOTS, WIDER SHOOTS** ALG leaders and Bible teachers—you're

encouraged to join Pastor Nathaniel Pearce on Wednesday, May 23, 6:30–8:00 PM, in room 401 for an interactive discussion focusing on *"Effective Lesson Presentation."* Please register today at calvarychurch.com/deeproofs. Contact: Debbie Bordwine, 704.341.5328, dbordwine@calvarychurch.com

■ **HEARTS & HAMMERS** Men, join a team to do **household repairs**

and **yard work** for Calvary members who need long-term assistance. We serve **one Saturday morning** each month. Find how you can make a difference at our **training session** on **NEW DATE** — Saturday, June 16 — at 8:45–9:30 AM in room 226. Preregister at calvarychurch.com/hearts&hammers. Contact: Chuck Robinson, chuckrobinson@windstream.net

■ **GRIEF SHARE** Dealing with **grief is sometimes tougher than we anticipate**. Find

encouragement through **GriefShare on Mondays** at 6:30–8:00 PM in room 232. Register at calvarychurch.com/griefshare. Cost is \$20. Childcare is available. Contact: Debbie Bordwine, 704.341.5328, dbordwine@calvarychurch.com

NEW TODAY? WELCOME!

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at Calvary! Please stop by the Calvary Café following the service this morning. We'd love to meet you and welcome you with a Calvary gift bag!

Families with children, teens, or special needs—Check in at the Family Welcome Desk on the first floor near the elevators. We'll help you register your children and find their classrooms.

JOHNHMUNRO.COM

FACEBOOK.COM/JOHNHMUNRO

FACEBOOK.COM/CALVARYCHURCH.CHARLOTTE

@CALVARYCLT

@PASTORJOHNHMUNRO

@PASTORJOHNHMUNRO

LEADERS OF THE WEEK

Elder	Bill Bailey	704.451.4529
Deacons	Rod Turnham	704.953.6202
	Manoj Kothuri	617.957.5479

PASTOR OF THE WEEK

Pastor Rob Reece, 704.622.6156

MISSIONARIES OF THE WEEK

Ron & Pat serving in USA

IN THE GALLERIA TODAY

Caleb Ministries	Table 5
Memorial Breakfast	Table 4
Romans Study Guide	Table 2
Widows Ministry	Table 3

ROMANS STUDY GUIDE

Pick up your copy of the new Romans study guide: *The Hope of the Gospel* today after the morning service in the Galleria at **table 2**.

FELLOWSHIP DINNER

Join us in the Crown Room, 5:00–6:15 PM

Cost: \$7/adult, \$4/child, \$20 max per family
No reservations: purchase ticket at the door

MENU ■ Wednesday, May 16

BBQ pork, potato wedges, green beans, coleslaw, hushpuppies, dessert, & beverage

Child's Meal: Mini burgers & fries (or sub apples & carrot sticks), dessert, & beverage

Salad Entrées: Chef Salad or Veggie Salad

CHILD DEDICATION

Stuart & Elizabeth Lowry dedicate their daughter, **Teagan Grace Lowry**

David & Christina Palincsar dedicate their son, **Luke Thomas Palincsar**

Bart & Chelsea Domino dedicate their son, **Lucas Oliver Domino**

Bobby & Sarah Cathey dedicate their son, **Declan Asher Cathey**

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Adult Discipleship Ministry
Coordinator | Part-time

Database Administrator | Full-time

Preschool Kitchen Cook | Full-time

Property Maintenance Summer
Groundskeepers | Two Full-time Seasonal

Calvary Child Development Center | Full-time, Part-time, & Seasonal Staff positions

Details at calvarychurch.com/employment.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO...

Prem & Annie Isaac and family in the loss of Prem's father, **Mr. Dorai Pandiyan Isaac**, on May 9

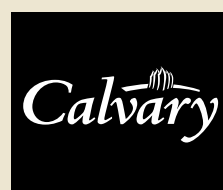
FOR THE RECORD

General Fund Offering on 5/6	\$154,219
General Fund weekly goal	\$155,000

UPCOMING MESSAGES

Senior Pastor John Munro will bring the messages below, unless otherwise noted:

May 20	9:45 AM	"No Greater Love" Romans 5:6–11
	6:00 PM	"All the Praise" Season Finale Concert
May 27	9:45 AM	"Adam and Christ" Romans 5:12–14 Communion



5801 PINEVILLE–MATTHEWS ROAD
CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA 28226
704.543.1200

CALVARYCHURCH.COM