

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

September 1–8, 2024

SUN	9:00am 9:40am 10:30am 12:00pm	Sunday School/ Bible Class Children’s Rehearsal Divine Service Cantor Rehearsal
MON	----	Office Closed (Labor Day)
TUE	7:00pm	Midweek Bible Study
NEXT SUN	9:00am 9:20am 9:40am 10:30am	Sunday School/Bible Class Cantor Rehearsal Children’s Rehearsal Divine Service

SERVING NEXT SUNDAY – Presiding Minister: Rev. Luke Zimmerman **Reader:** Jim Blockus **Comm. Asst:** Bill Schirmer **Organist:** Karen Appel **Ushers:** Scott Frick, Keith & Erma Ohlendorf, Carolyn Stoner **Altar Guild:** Julia Douden, Margie Mitchell, Lynne and Jim Wicker

THIS WEEK’S (SEP 5–7) MOWING TEAM is Team #4: Jeff & Julia Douden, Ray Miller. Thank you for taking care of the church grounds!

NEXT SUNDAY’S READINGS [Sep 8 – 16th Sunday after Pentecost]

1R Is 35:4–7a PS Ps 146 EP Jas 2:1–10, 14–18 HG Mk 7:24–37

CHRIST FOR YOU THIS WEEK ON KFUO.org: Continue studying Psalm 119 on *Sharper Iron* (weekdays at 9:00 a.m.), finish studying Amos on *Thy Strong Word* (weekdays at 12:00 p.m.), and Political Order in the Apology of the Augsburg Confession on *Concord Matters* (9/7 at 12:00 p.m.). Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or the KFUO Radio app!

About the Cover: The Law was written by the finger of God (Exodus 31:18). Forty years later, as the people of ancient Israel were about to enter the Promised Land, Moses pointed again to that Law, reminding them to listen to and do the Lord’s rules and statutes that they may live. However, ancient Israel, like the whole world, failed to keep God’s good Law, for sin has produced death under the Law (Romans 7:13). However, God has also given us the Gospel-pointing finger of John the Baptist that directs us to Jesus, who kept the Law perfectly, died in our place, and forgives us as “the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world” (John 1:29).

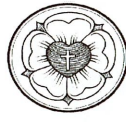


Listen . . . that you may live

Deuteronomy 4:1



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September 1, 2024
15th Sunday after Pentecost

ATTENDANCE PADS: All worshipers are asked to note their attendance on the Record of Fellowship pad located in each pew.

COMMUNION ADMISSION: Christ's disciples partake of the Sacrament of the Altar, where Christ offers His true Body and Blood for the forgiveness of sins. This holy meal is meant for Christians who have received Holy Baptism; have been instructed in the teachings of the Ten Commandments, the Apostles' Creed, and the Lord's Prayer; and believe that they receive Christ's true Body and Blood in the Sacrament of the Altar for the forgiveness of their sins. Guests who meet these criteria are invited to partake of Christ's holy meal with us today. *If you have not previously received the sacrament from the current pastor of Calvary, or if you have any questions, please speak with him before Divine Service.*

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION: If you wish to receive by individual glass, take a glass from the aisle tray and hold it so the assisting ministers can see it. Place used individual glasses in the trays on either side of the chancel as you return to your seats.

RESTROOMS & CHANGING TABLES: Restrooms with children's changing tables are in the Education Wing. Another changing table is in the Mother's Room adjacent to the Quiet Room.

QUIET ROOM: The Quiet Room at the left rear of the Sanctuary is available to families with children who need to use it.

MOBILE PHONES & ELECTRONIC DEVICES: Please silence these devices or place them in airplane mode while attending worship services.

LOCKING EXTERIOR DOORS: All exterior doors will be locked at 10:45am during Divine Service on Sundays. If you arrive close to or after that time, please come to the main entrance doors, so that an usher can allow you entry.

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INTERCESSIONS – Our homebound parishioners: Audrey Ayoub, Donald Dove, Clara Webb. **Those suffering in body, mind, or spirit:** Greg Bolden, Tammy Cahoon, Sally Davies, Nancy Foster, Linda Holland, David Kell, Michelle Kretschman, Adam Lough, Angelo Martinez, Edwin Miller, Jean Miller, Renee Mueller, Diane Riche, and Mary Ann Schirmer. **Those serving in the Armed Forces:** Aaron Bell, Garrett Benson, Jason Massie, John McCauley, Jon Reese, Jacob Scott.

ATTENDANCE REPORT [Aug 25 – 14th Sunday after Pentecost]

Worshipers: 81 **Communicants:** 67

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS are presented by Joanne and Chris Lamm in celebration of their 39th wedding anniversary on September 7.

SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTERS: Please collect your copy of the **September** issue of the *Calvary Comment* from your inboxes located just inside the Education Wing. Members who requested digital delivery should find their newsletters in their email inboxes. Extra copies are also available in the Narthex.

“SUMMER” SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCLUDES: Today marks the end of our “Summer” Sunday School program with its focus on how God has used water to provide great blessings for His people. The regular academic year will begin next Sunday, September 8. Parents are encouraged to register their children, if they have not already done so. Please speak with Susan Flickinger for more details.

TUESDAY NIGHT STUDY: Our Tuesday Night Study class will resume this **Tuesday, September 3**. The Fall Quarter will feature a course about Lutheran worship. Contact Pastor Zimmerman for more details.