

Calvary Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

Michael Joynt, Pastor

WELCOME

In the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ, welcome to Christian worship. If you are a visitor with us, please sign our guest register by the front door and fill out a worship card given to you by an usher. If you are worshipping with us in a communion service, please note that we practice close communion. Please read the communion statement at the end of the Order of Service.

DIVINE SERVICE III

ORDER OF SERVICE - p. 184

Opening Hymn	<i>"To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord"</i>	LSB 406 v.1-4
Confession	p. 184	
Introit	See insert	
Gloria Patri	p. 186	
Gloria In Excelsis	p. 187	
Collect of the Day	See insert	
Old Testament Lesson	Genesis 1:1-5	
Gradual	See insert	
Epistle Lesson	Romans 6:1-11	
Alleluia and Verse	p. 190	
Gospel Lesson	Mark 1:4-11	
Nicene Creed	p. 191	
Hymn of the Day	<i>"God's Own Child, I Gladly Say It"</i>	LSB 594
Sermon	<i>Dead to Sin</i>	<i>Romans 6:1-11</i>
Offertory	p. 192	
Prayer of the Church		
Prayer Response		
P: Lord, in Your mercy,		
C: hear our prayer.		

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

COMMUNION: Communion is both a participation in Christ's true body and blood for the forgiveness of sins, and a statement of fellowship among those who participate. Members of our congregation, and members of a sister congregation of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod who have properly prepared themselves are invited to attend. If you are not an LCMS member or are of another denomination or synod, please see the Pastor before communing for the first time.

Communion Liturgy	p.194	
Communion Hymn	<i>"Thy Strong Word"</i>	LSB 578
	<i>"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"</i>	LSB 411
	<i>"All Christians Who Have Been Baptized"</i>	LSB 596
Nunc Dimittis	p. 199	
Closing Hymn	<i>"To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord"</i>	LSB 406 v.5-7

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Those who serve us today: Ushers: Mel Parker, Matt Joynt, Mike Fairchild. Elder: Smokey Morner. Organist: Betty Lou Phillips. Acolyte: Cailynn Stuebs.

Those for whom we are praying: **Those who are suffering:** Donna Giffey, Steve Brown, Madelyn Mason, Kyle Reinertson, Suzie Disanza, Helen Hahn. **Those who serve us in the Military:** Jake Campbell, Chaplain Lynn Christensen, Jessica Cochran, Victor Greenfield, Jeannie Moody, Jeremy Rankin, Kevin Sengvanhphen, Marcus Svetahor, Michael Yelland, Michael Pray, Philip Kearley, and Dan Johnson. **Those who spread the Gospel overseas:** Rev. Terry and Janet Borchard, Rev. Glenn and Susan Fluegge, and Pastor Dennis and Lorna Meeker.

Burrito Breakfast: Back by popular demand, Mike Ehrlich will be preparing breakfast burritos before church and during fellowship time on Sunday, January 15. A special door offering will be taken for the Loan Principal; all funds raised will be matched.

2012 Planning Meeting: Please set aside Saturday morning, January 21nd, for our 2012 planning meeting. It will be a time to gather together in worship, prayer, and study, and to examine our objectives for the next year. If you have any questions please speak with Pastor.

Sunday school focus: The Baptism and temptation of Jesus serve as the lesson focus for Sunday School this week. Jesus is baptized into and takes on our sin, and faces our temptations so we, in Baptism, would receive His goodness, His holiness, and His purity. *Parents could ask, "Why is it important that Jesus was baptized? Why is it important that we are baptized?"*

Wednesday Morning Bible Study: The Wednesday Morning Bible study, which is on the book of Genesis will restart on January 11th at 11:00 A.M.

Funeral notice: There will be a service for Barbara Wheeler Friday, January 13 at 10A.M. at Desert Lawn Mortuary. Note this is a change from the original date and time.

Called to Glory: Harlan Cook was called home on December 30, 2011 memorial services were held at Ascension Lutheran Church in Keene Texas.

This Week's Calendar

GOD'S PEOPLE AT CHURCH

Last Sunday's Service	81
Wednesday Service	9
Sunday school (children & youth)	10
Bible Class (& staff)	17

SUNDAY – January 8, 2012

9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE
10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School
11:30am Confirmation

WEDNESDAY – January 11, 2012

11:00am Bible Study (Gospel of Genesis) in
Parish Hall
7:00pm Worship Mid-week

THURSDAY – January 12, 2012

9:30am Bible study (sermon study) @
Emerald Springs

FRIDAY – January 13, 2012

10:00am Memorial Service Barbara Wheeler
3:00pm Elders Meeting

SATURDAY – January 14, 2012

7:30am Bible Breakfast (sermon study) in
Parish Hall

NEXT SUNDAY – January 15, 2012

Burrito Breakfast
9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE
10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School
11:30am Confirmation

**THE BAPTISM OF OUR LORD
SUNDAY
JANUARY 8, 2012**

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