



# Calvary Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

Pastor Kessler



## WELCOME

In the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ, welcome to Christian worship. We are so happy and thankful you are here with us today. 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 closed communion. Please read the communion statement at the end of the Order of Service. May God richly bless each and every one of you!

## DIVINE SERVICE III

<b>HOLY BAPTISM</b>	<b>p. 268</b>	Penelope Finn Backs
<b>ORDER OF SERVICE -</b>	<b>p. 184</b>	
<b>Opening Hymn</b>	<i>"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"</i>	LSB 657
<b>Confession</b>	p. 184	
<b>Introit</b>	See insert	
<b>Gloria Patri</b>	p. 186	
<b>Gloria In Excelsis</b>	p. 187	
<b>Collect of the Day</b>	See insert	
<b>Old Testament Lesson</b>	<b>Revelation 14:6-7</b>	
<b>Gradual</b>	See insert	
<b>Epistle Lesson</b>	<b>Romans 3:19-28</b>	
<b>Alleluia and Verse</b>	p. 190	
<b>Gospel Lesson</b>	<b>John 8:31-36</b>	
<b>Hymn of the Day</b>	<i>"Thy Strong Word"</i>	LSB 578
<b>Sermon</b>		
<b>Offertory</b>	p. 192	
<b>Prayer of the Church</b>		
<b>Prayer Response</b>		
P: Lord, in Your mercy,		
<b>C: hear our prayer.</b>		

	<b>SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT</b>	
<b>Communion Liturgy</b>	p.194	
<b>Communion Hymn</b>	<i>"Jesus, Priceless Treasure"</i>	LSB 743
	<i>"Jesus Sinners Doth Receive"</i>	LSB 609
	<i>"Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray"</i>	LSB 623
	<i>"Jesus, Thy Boundless Love to Me"</i>	LSB 683
<b>Nunc Dimittis</b>	p. 199	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	<i>"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"</i>	LSB 655
<b>COMMUNION:</b>	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.	

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Church Council Notes:** Contribution amount needed per week is \$3,456.72 to meet current budget. Amount received for Last Sunday: \$2346.00.

**Flowers:** Are given today to the Glory of God by Pat & Debbie Lameastra in memory of Pat's sister Rose.

**Those who serve us today:** Ushers: Will Stewart, Randy and Kyle Williams. Elder: Mel Parker. Organist: Betty Lou Phillips. Acolyte: Taylee Stuebs.

**Those for whom we are praying:** **Those who are suffering:** Rev. Sanderson, John Shaver, Jeff Justice, Suzie Disanza, Contessa Holtz, Mel Phillips, Zoiey Gaines. **Those who serve us in the Military:** Dylan MacFarlane, Michael & Jessica Pray, Jeremy Rankin, Michael Yelland, Dan Tjalsma, Jessica Cochran, Kevin Sengvanhphen, Jon Charles, Victor Greenfield, Joseph Donalbain, Tony Albright, Johnathon Fuhrman, Shane Summers, Justin & Sheamus Cooke. **Those who spread the Gospel overseas:** Rev. Dennis and Lorna Meeker. **Those who spread the Gospel on our Campuses:** LCMSU-UofA, and other campus ministries.

**Sunday school focus:** In Sunday school today, the children will learn the account of "The Passover." This true story, about the night when the angel of death passed over the homes of God's people who had painted their doors with the blood of a lamb, foreshadows Christ, God's Son, who became the Lamb whose blood was shed for us. Jesus is our Passover Lamb, and thus we will never die—we have the gift of eternal life. *Ask your children, "Who gives us the faith to believe that Jesus is our Savior?"*

**Reformation Observance:** Come join us for movie and dinner. Pot luck at 5pm followed by the movie Luther.

**Donations are still being collected** for Yuma Community Food Bank and Crossroads Mission. Please deposit donations in the containers on the table in the Parish Hall. **"We love because God first loved us." 1 John 4:19.**

**Don't miss Calvary's FALL FESTIVAL** on Saturday, November 14th, 12:00 – 2:00 PM. There will be BBQ Pork\*Entertainment\*Games\*Music - Come Join Us for the Fun!

**Christ Lutheran Church** invites all military service members (past and present) to participate in their annual military celebration on November 15<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 PM. It will be held in their activity center. Please RSVP by November 10th. For further information call the church office at 928-726-0773 or Ramona at 928-341-0253

## *This Week's Calendar*

### **GOD'S PEOPLE AT CHURCH**

**Last Sunday's Service** 72

**Sunday school** (*children & youth*)

**Bible Class** (*& staff*)

### **TODAY – October 25**

9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE

10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School

5:00pm Dinner/Movie

### **WEDNESDAY – October 28**

11:00am Bible class in Ed. Bldg

4:00pm Confirmation

### **THURSDAY – October 29**

9:30am Bible study (sermon study) @

Emerald Springs

### **FRIDAY – October 30**

9:00am LWML Quilting

### **SATURDAY – October 31**

7:00am Bible Study (sermon study) at

Goldsborro Bakery

### **NEXT SUNDAY – November 1**

9:00am COMMUNION SERVICE

10:30am Bible Class/Sunday School

**REFORMATION DAY OBSERVED  
SUNDAY  
OCTOBER 25, 2015**

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