



# Calvary Lutheran Church

## Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

Pastor Michael 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 in the Narthex 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 I +

<b>ORDER OF SERVICE -</b>	<b>p. 151</b>	
<b>Opening Hymn</b>	<b>“Angels from the Realms of Glory”</b>	<b># 367</b>
<b>Confession</b>	p. 151	
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<b>Kyrie</b>	p. 152	
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<b>Old Testament</b>	<b>1 Samuel 3:1-20</b>	
<b>Gradual</b>	See insert	
<b>Epistle</b>	<b>1 Corinthians 6:12-20</b>	
<b>Alleluia and Verse</b>	p. 156	
<b>Holy Gospel</b>	<b>John 1:43-51</b>	
<b>Apostles’ Creed</b>	p. 159	
<b>Hymn of the Day</b>	<b>“Brightest and Best of the Stars of the Morning”</b>	<b># 400</b>
<b>Sermon</b>	<b>“Breaking Out of the Silence”</b>	
<b>Prayer Response</b>		
P: Lord, in Your mercy,		
C: hear our prayer.		
<b>Offertory</b>	p. 159	
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<b>Communion Hymns</b>	<b>“Spread the Reign of God the Lord”</b>	<b># 830</b>
	<b>“Lord Jesus, Think on Me”</b>	<b># 610</b>
	<b>“Now Thank We All Our God”</b>	<b># 895</b>
<b>Post-Comm. Canticle</b>	p. 164 “Thank the Lord”	
<b>Post Comm. Collect</b>	p. 166	
<b>Closing Hymn</b>	<b>“As with Gladness Men of Old”</b>	<b># 397</b>

**COMMUNION STATEMENT:** 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

<b><u>Those who serve us today:</u></b>	<b>Elder(s):</b>	Wil Stewart Ron Hill
	<b>Usher:</b>	Kyle Dennis
	<b>Organist:</b>	S.O.S.

**Church Council Notes:** Contribution amount needed per week is \$3,412.00 to meet current budget. Amount received for Last Week: \$14,112.77

### **Those for whom we are praying:**

<b>Those in need of healing:</b>	Roxy Williams, Rudolph Ashman, Valorie Johnson, Mike Kennedy, Hank Green, Mike Ehrlich, Kelvin Johnson, Dave Flanagan, Alice Thomas, Shirley Castro, Jim Tyner, Joseph Brunner, Kayla Liehe Conflicts in Israel, Palestine, and Ukraine
<b>Those in the Military:</b>	Jacob LeClerc, Hannah Kessler, Michael & Jessica Pray, Zack Dusek, Ayden Dusek, Victor Greenfield, David Rochester, Wyatt Hamre, Shane Helton, Tanner Cook, Jason Herwig, Connor Heimark, Sean Wilson, Dan Tjalsma, Kevin Sengvanhphen, Jon Charles, and Shane Summers.
<b>Those who Protect &amp; Heal:</b>	Police Officers, Border Patrol and Homeland Security Agents, Fire Fighters, Paramedics & EMS, First Responders, Doctors, Nurses, Therapists, and all Medical Workers
<b>Those spreading the Gospel:</b>	Rev. Dennis Meeker, Rev. Howard Thomas and SOON (Something Out Of Nothing) Ministry

**Offering Envelopes** for 2024 are on the back table in the Parish Hall and available for you to pick up with your name on them. If you don’t receive envelopes and would like to, please speak to Johnnie Altstatt or Ruth Humphries.

**Meet and Greet** The LWML is hosting a Meet and Greet Tea on Saturday, January 20t at 1:00pm. All women of the congregation are invited. This is a great opportunity to get to know each other better. There is a sign up sheet on the LWML bulletin board in the Parish Hall. Please invite a friend and join us!

**WINE, WOMEN and the WORD** will meet at the home of Doris Casey 2079 S. 20<sup>th</sup> Ave this Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm. You don’t have to drink wine to attend! Hope to see you there!

**The Lord God Is with You and Reveals Himself to You by the Preaching of His Word:** The Lord Jesus calls Philip and Nathanael to “*come and see*” that He is “*the Son of God*” and “*the King of Israel*” (John 1:43–49). And they shall see even “*greater things than these*” (John 1:50). For His body is the temple of God on earth, and by His priestly sacrifice the heavens will be opened to all who believe and are baptized into Him. Therefore, He calls Philip and Nathanael, first to hear His Word and then to speak as apostles, even as He once called Samuel and established him “*as a prophet of the LORD*” (1 Sam. 3:20). As the Lord was with Samuel “*and let none of his words fall to the ground*” (1 Sam. 3:19), He also accompanies and upholds the preachers of His Word in our day. Thus, by the Gospel that is preached to you, “*your body is a*

temple of the Holy Spirit within you” (1 Cor. 6:19). Since your body thus belongs to the Body of Christ, is meant “for the Lord” and shall be raised up like Him, now “glorify God in your body” (1 Cor. 6:13–20).

## This Week’s Calendar

**TODAY –January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**9:00am** Divine Service 1 with Communion  
**10:30am**Adult Bible Class/Youth Sunday School

**THURSDAY – January 18<sup>th</sup>**

**10:00am** Bible Class  
**5:30pm** Wine, Women and the Word

**SATURDAY – January 20<sup>th</sup>**

**7:00am** Goldsboro Bible Class

**SUNDAY – January 21<sup>st</sup>**

**9:00am** Divine Service 3 with Communion  
**10:30am** Adult Bible Class/Youth Sunday School

**God’s People At Church**

<b>Last Sunday</b>	<b>86</b>
<b>Sunday School</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Thursday Bible Class</b>	<b>25</b>

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**SECOND SUNDAY after the EPIPHANY**  
**JANUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2024**