Calvary Baptist Church
MOUNT AIRY

January 2, 2022
8:30 AM Uplift

If you are a guest today, please fill out the "Guest Information" portion of your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. Thank you for worshiping with us!

Scripture ..... Luke 2:22-40

Message ..... "Meeting Jesus in the New Year" ..... Alex Martin

Welcome to **Uplift!** We're glad you're here today! For your small children, a nursery is located through the right front sanctuary door. Hearing assistance devices are also available from our *Uplift* sound team. We welcome you and look forward to worshipping with you today. We invite you to enter into worship just as you are. Now is the time to worship.

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Please silence cell phones during the worship service.

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January 2, 2022 **10:55 AM**

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"Gathering the People of God"

Prelude ..... "Psalm 19" ..... arr. Smith

Welcome to Worship ..... Alex Martin

Welcome Chorus ..... "Let's Just Praise the Lord" ..... No. 145

* Invocation ..... Steve Simandle

"Worshiping the Majesty of God"

* Hymn of Praise ..... "Wonderful Words of Life" ..... No. 338
(v. 1 and 3)

Prayers of the Church

Hymn of Giving ..... "Just When I Need Him, Jesus Is Near" ..... No. 160
(v. 1 and 3)

(Children in Kindergarten through Grade 3 may exit for Children's Church)

* Prayer Over the Offering

Offertory ..... "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" ..... arr. Smith and Hustad

"Listening to the Word of God"

Scripture ..... Luke 2:22-40

Worship in Song ..... "Word of God Speak" ..... Windham Martin

Message ..... "Meeting Jesus in the New Year" ..... Alex Martin

"Responding to the Call of God"

* Invitation ..... "Have Faith in God" ..... No. 508

* Closing Prayer ..... Alex Martin

* Postlude ..... "The Savior Is Born" ..... arr. Price

*Congregation please stand.

Church Life Updates

- **Gift the Gift of Life:** Today, January 2, Calvary will host its first Red Cross Blood Drive of 2022. The drive will take place in the Fellowship Hall and will run from 11 am to 3:30 pm. If you are eligible to donate, we encourage you to participate.

- **January Mission Project:** During the month of January, Calvary will be sponsoring a "Sock Drive" to benefit the homeless population of our community. Please bring your donations of new socks and drop them in the collection bins that will be available at the entrances. Let' start the New Year by "being a blessing" to some of our community's most vulnerable members.

- **Fellowship Breakfast:** We'd like to see everyone at Calvary get connected with Sunday Morning Bible Study in the year ahead! So with that goal in mind, we're sponsoring a Fellowship Breakfast next Sunday, January 9. Just come to the Fellowship Hall after Uplift and before Sunday School that morning (approx. 9:30 to 10 am). You'll be able to enjoy a light breakfast, and then you can check out an opportunity to study God's Word with others.

- **Upcoming Short-Term Sunday School Class:** A new short-term Sunday School class will begin on Sunday, January 23. Using Pastor Tim Keller's book, *The Prodigal God*, the class will use Jesus' parable of the Prodigal Son to discover new insights into God's love and grace. There will be an interest session on Sunday, January 16 at 9:45 in Room 112. And you can preview the study by checking out the sessions available through RightNow Media. For more information, contact facilitator Becky Critz.

Church Statistics

Budget Year 2021 As of 12/26/21	Budget to Date	Receipts to Date	Expenditures to Date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	$564,709.00	$543,980.77	462,681.25	$81,299.52
Transportation	$3,000.00	$3,730.00	$4,270.81	($540.81)
		Endowment Fund as of 12/26:	$68,388.92	

If you have any questions about the budget please see Bob Peake.

Attendance

Date	Sunday School	Uplift	Traditional	Total Worship
12/26/21	91	68	53	121

Calendar of Events

Sunday, January 2

8:30 AM Uplift Service
9:45 AM Sunday School
10:55 AM Traditional Service
11:00AM-3:00 PM Red Cross Blood Drive Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, January 5

7:15 PM Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, January 6

7:00 PM Praise Team

Sunday, January 9

8:30 AM Uplift Service
9:45 AM Sunday School
10:55 AM Traditional Service

Wednesday, January 12

7:15 PM Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, January 13

7:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal

We'd Love to Have You Join Us!

Membership at Calvary is open to all those who have placed their trust in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and have been baptized by immersion. To join the church by profession of faith or by transfer of letter from another congregation, you can speak to the pastor during the song of response at the end of worship or contact him during the week.

Prayer Concerns

- **The Calvary Family**: Our Homebound Members, Marvin & Glenda Beasley, Lee Ann Belcher, Anita Goins, Vernell Goins, Norris & Jo Hodge, Rocky Horton, Norris Jarrell, Kathy McKnight, David & Nancy McPeak, Bob Meinecke, Jon Mitchell, Ensley Morgan, Troy & Becky Payne, Bob Peake, Brent & Sherry Riddle, Wilma Roberson, Vicky Semones, Howard & Thelma Shelton, Susan Slate, David Stone, Loretta Vaughn, Betty Wagoner, Myrtle Wagoner, Kendra White
- **Friends of Calvary (12/12):** Gary Cox (Mike Francis' friend), Burman Hamilton (Jeff Hamilton's mother), Gary and Joyce Hensley (Jean Thomas' sister and brother-in-law), Greyson and Lucas Inscore (Marissa Inscore's husband and son), Carolyn Peake (Bob Peake's sister-in-law), Dorothy Reavis (Stephanie Hawks' mother)
- **Friends of Calvary (12/19):** David Burgess, David Greene (Carolyn Greene's son), Carole Holder (Sherry Riddle's cousin), Ethan Johnson (Margaret Smith's friend), Andrea Phillips' uncle, Julie Pratt (wife of Sheryl Smith's coworker)

	January 2	January 9
Deacon of the Week	Steve Simandle	Kenny Nowlin
Good Shepherds	Sam Critz Mike Francis	Jan Varney Bob McPherson
Safety Team	Clay Nowlin Mike Francis	Ralph Hiatt Sherry Hiatt

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