



Calvary Worship Notes

Sunday, July 4, 2021

This Sunday's Message:

- It Is for Freedom (Rev. Alex Martin)
- Galatians 5:1, 13-23

Notes on Church Life

- **Sharing Living Water:** On Saturday, July 17, we'd like to bless our community by handing out bottled water. We hope to have two teams—one Downtown and one on the Granite City Greenway—and we plan to distribute water from 9 AM to 11 AM. We're inviting everyone to sign up for a half-hour shift (but you can participate longer if you'd like). You can sign up in Sunday School or by using the cards in the sanctuary lobby.
- **Praying Our Way Beyond Normal:** As we look to the new school year, we want to do more than "get back to normal." We want to see how God is calling us "beyond normal." And so, our pastor is inviting us to a "Week of Prayer for Renewal" that will take place from July 15 to August 1. Our goal is to have *someone* praying for Calvary in *every* hour of *every* day in that week from 6 AM to 10 PM. We'll be providing some "prayer starters" to inspire and guide your efforts. You can sign up in your Sunday School class – or by using the signup card in the sanctuary lobby.
- **A "Back to School" Blessing:** We're seeking Sunday School classes, families, and individuals who'd be willing to encourage a child from a family in need by purchasing a "back to school" outfit that will help that student start the new school year with pride. Although we're willing to take financial contributions to this cause, we'd like to encourage "hands on" involvement by asking participants to shop for their assigned child. You can sign up in Sunday School, by using the signup cards in the sanctuary lobby, or by calling the church office. For more information, please contact Jan Varney.

Calvary in Prayer:

- *Mission Partnerships:* El Faro Encendido Church (Belize), Meredith Byrd (Uganda), Andy & Cari Robertson (Chad)
- *Members of Our Church Family:* Marvin & Glenda Beasley, Vernell Goins, Norris & Jo Hodge, Brent Hull, Mike McKnight, David & Nancy McPeak, Bob Meinecke, Jenny Moorefield, Ensley Morgan, Tommy Morrison, Troy & Becky Payne, Brent & Sherry Riddle, Vicky Semones, Howard & Thelma Shelton, Craig Slate, Betty Southern, Guy Sparger, David Stone, Betty Wagoner, Kendra White, Mary Jo White
- *Friends of Our Church Family:*
 - *Week of June 20:* Robert Iams (Becky Morgan's father), David Smith (friend of Mike Francis)
 - *Week of June 27:* Wayne and Dolly Allgood (Tony Transou's brother-and-sister-in-law), Cleo Hiatt (Ralph Hiatt's aunt), Trace Howard (Frank Boyd's great nephew), Butch Pennix (Charlie Pennix's father), Nancy Van Drie (Gray and Mary Jane Shelton's neighbor), Pat Whittison (friend of CBC),

Calvary in Giving:

Budget Year 2021 As of 06/27/21	Budget to Date	Receipts to Date	Expenditures to Date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	\$282,354.50	\$274,420.30	\$230,623.67	\$43,796.63
Transportation	\$1,500.00	\$2,110.00	\$663.68	\$1,446.32
Endowment Fund as of 06/27: \$65,714.10				

You can find more information about our church family and its ministries by visiting us on the web at www.calvarymountairy.org or by emailing Pastor Alex at pastoralex4@gmail.com.