



August 20, 2023

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:

Colossians 1:9-14

Message:

Wholly Broken & Heaven Bound: The Call

Welcome to **Uplift!** We're glad you're here to worship with us!

For your small children, a nursery is located
through the right front door of the sanctuary.

Hearing assistance devices are available from our *Uplift* sound team.

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Please silence cell phones during the worship service.



August 20, 2023

10:30 AM

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"Gathering the People of God"

Prelude "Meditation" arr. Yang

Welcome to Worship

Welcome Chorus..... "His Strength is Perfect" No. 460

Invocation Debbie Howlett

"Celebrating Our Unity in Christ"

Hymn of Praise "Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know"No. 282
(verses 1, 2 and 4)

The Prayers of God's People

Hymn of Giving "Abide with Me " No. 88
(verses 1 and 3)

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

* Prayer Over the Offering

Offertory "His Eye is on the Sparrow" arr. Bozard

"Hearing the Word of God"

Scripture Colossians 1:9-14

Worship Thru Song "Hope of the Broken World" Teresa and
Windham Martin

Message..... Wholly Broken & Heaven Bound.....Alex Martin
The Call

"Answering the Call of God"

* Invitation "Come, All Christians, Be Committed" No. 371

* Closing Prayer

* Postlude "Salvation and Strength"arr. Wilson

*Congregation please stand.

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Church Life Updates

- **Wednesday Night Activities:** Calvary's Midweek Ministries begin this Wednesday night (Aug 23). Activities start each week at 6 pm with a brief time of prayer in the Fellowship Hall, followed by growth opportunities for all ages. Adults will have three study options.
 - Carol Lowe will lead a study on "*Responding with Grace on Divisive Issues*."
 - Becky Critz will lead "*The Way of the Chosen*," a study based on Season 3 of "The Chosen" TV series about the life of Jesus.
 - Pastor Alex will lead a study on "*The Book of Revelation*." (Note: This study will not begin until Wednesday, Sept. 6. It will be repeated each Thursday at 10 am, beginning Sept. 7)
- **Pastor Alex Out of the Office:** Beginning this Wednesday (8/23) and running potentially into early September, Pastor Alex will be out of the office on weekdays so that he can support his mother while she has hip replacement surgery. He will continue to be in the pulpit on Sunday mornings. However, during this time he will not be sending out his daily devotional thought, nor will he be available to respond in person to other pastoral needs. You can continue to reach him, however, by phone and email. And you can call the church office or one of Calvary's deacons if you need assistance.
- **Pancake Breakfast:** The Surry Baptist Men will hold their next Pancake Breakfast here at Calvary on Saturday, September 9, from 7 am to 10 am. All proceeds support the local Handyman ministry.
- **Blood Drive:** Calvary will host its next Red Cross Blood Drive from 11 am to 3:30 pm on Sunday, September 17. To sign up as a donor or as a volunteer, please contact Mary Jane Shelton.
- **Budget Planning in Process:** Calvary's Finance Committee has begun developing our church budget for 2024. To aid in this process, all committees and ministry teams are asked to submit their budget requests no later than this Friday (8/25). Budget worksheets can be obtained from any member of the Finance Committee: Charlotte Hudson, Tony Martin, Karen Moser, Clay Nowlin, Lilnette Phillips, and Steve Simandle.

Church Statistics

Budget Year 2023 As of 08/13/23	Budget to Date	Receipts to Date	Expenditures to Date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	\$351,807.39	\$372,601.32	\$318,701.94	\$53,899.38
Transportation	\$1,867.80	\$2,505.00	\$4,509.77	(\$2,004.77)

Endowment Fund as of 08/13/23: \$74,169.93

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

Date	Sunday School	Uplift	Traditional	Total Worship
08/13/23	160	127	92	219

Calendar of Events

Sunday, August 20, 2023

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

Wednesday, August 23, 2023

Mid-Week Activities Begin
6:00 PM Mid-Week Activities
7:15 PM Choir Practice

Thursday, August 24, 2023

7:00 PM Praise Band Practice

Sunday, August 27, 2023

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

Wednesday, August 29, 2023

Mid-Week Activities Begin
6:00 PM Mid-Week Activities
7:15 PM Choir Practice

Thursday, August 30, 2023

7:00 PM Praise Band Practice

We'd Love to Have You Join Us!

Membership at Calvary is open to everyone who has placed their trust in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and has 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, Brenda Arnder and her daughter Peggy, Gray Beverly, Ray Dunbar, Vernell Goins, Anita Greene, Jacob Hart, Lillie Mae Haynes, Norris Hodge, Brent and Anita Hull, Rachel and Lonnie Jackson, Norris Jarrell, Tony Martin, Greg McCormick, Carter McPeak, Devra Neal, Howard Shelton, Craig Slate, Owen Stone, Kendra White
- **Friends of Calvary (08/06):** Lianna Beckom (Tom Beckom's daughter), Isabel Delfin (Carlos Delfin's daughter), Courtney Payne (Troy & Becky Payne's daughter), Maude Spate (Audry Nowlin's grandmother)
- **Friends of Calvary (08/13): Family of Clay Anderson** (Sue Westmoreland's brother), Michael Flanagan (Mike & Cindy Flanagan's son), Joanne Martin (Alex Martin's mother); Nancy Moore (Beth Church's mother), Kaye Rogers (Norris Jarrell's daughter), Max Vaughn ("Adopted Son" of Alex Martin's brother)

	August 20	August 27
Deacon of the Week	Debbie Howlett	Kent Moser
Safety Team—Uplift Safety Team—Traditional	Bill Norman Lowell Layman	Jill Shelton Jim Byrd



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Striving to glorify God by being a Christ-centered, caring church through worship, discipleship, missions and ministry.