



September 3, 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: Isaiah 55:1-5

Message: Work Matters

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.



September 3, 2023

10:30 AM

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!

"Gathering the People of God"

Prelude "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"arr. Harris

Welcome to Worship

Welcome Chorus..... "Sanctuary" No. 588

Invocation Kent Moser

"Celebrating Our Unity in Christ"

Hymn of Praise "Make Me a Channel of Blessing"No. 375
(verses 1 and 2)

The Prayers of God's People

Hymn of Giving "Serve the Lord with Gladness" No. 382
(verses 1 and 2)

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

* Prayer Over the Offering

Offertory "All Creatures of Our God and King"arr. Ware

"Hearing the Word of God"

Scripture Isaiah 55:1-5

Anthem "Redeemer and King" Sanctuary Choir

Message..... Work Matters.....Alex Martin

"Answering the Call of God"

* Invitation "My Jesus, I Love Thee" No. 552

* Closing Prayer

* Postlude "Morning Song"arr. Wagner

*Congregation please stand.

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Church Life Updates

- **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.
- **Servant Sunday T-Shirts:** You're invited to show your church spirit when we set out to bless our community on Servant Sunday by wearing a Calvary t-shirt. Each shirt costs \$10 and is available in youth sizes XS through XL and in adult sizes S through 5 XL. Order forms are available in Sunday School, the sanctuary lobby, and the church office. Deadline to order is Sunday, September 10.
- **Short Term Bible Study:** The Narrow Gate Sunday School class will begin a new short-term study on Sunday, September 17. *The Way of the Chosen*, which follows Season 3 of The Chosen TV series and will run eight weeks. Please email (bcrizt1129@gmail.com) or text (336-341-8249) Becky Critz if you'd like to join; books will be ordered by September 12.
- **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.
- **The Backpack Challenge Rides Again:** With students back in school, Calvary will soon be serving kids in need by providing weekend food through the Franklin Backpack Program. To support this vital ministry, we hope to raise \$6000 during the month of September. You can make your gift through the regular offering or by giving online. Just be sure to designate your gift for "Franklin Backpack." Thank you for making it possible for our church to be a blessing.
- **College Student Update:** Our College Ministry team wants to get updated contact info for all of our college students. If you have a student currently enrolled in college, please send to Debbie Hiatt (hiattde@surry.k12.nc.us) his/her name, home address, college attending, college address, email, phone number, and birthday.

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.

Church Statistics

Budget Year 2023 As of 08/27/23	Budget to Date	Receipts to Date	Expenditures to Date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	\$373,129.05	\$391,160.32	\$334,353.32	\$56,807.00
Transportation	\$1,981.00	\$3,005.00	\$4,509.77	(\$1,504.77)

Endowment Fund as of 08/27/23: \$74,194.93

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

Date	Sunday School	Uplift	Traditional	Total Worship
08/27/23	178	121	90	211

Calendar of Events

Sunday, September 3, 2023

8:30 AM Uplift

9:45 AM Sunday School

10:55 AM Traditional Worship

Tuesday, September 5, 2023

10:30 AM Women in Mission

Wednesday, September 6, 2023

6:00 PM Mid-Week Activities

6:15 PM Hand bell Rehearsal

7:15 PM Choir Practice

Thursday, September 7, 2023

7:00 PM Praise Band Practice

Saturday, September 9, 2023

7:00AM— Pancake Breakfast

10:00 AM CBC Fellowship Hall

Sunday, September 10, 2023

8:30 AM Uplift

9:45 AM Sunday School

10:55 AM Traditional Worship

Tuesday, September 12, 2023

6:30 PM Baptist Young Women

Wednesday, September 13, 2023

6:00 PM Mid-Week Activities

6:15 PM Hand bell Rehearsal

7:15 PM Choir Practice

Thursday, September 14, 2023

10:00 AM Pastor Led Bible Study

7:00 PM Praise Band Practice

Prayer Concerns

- **The Calvary Family:** Our Homebound Members, Brenda Arnder and her daughter Peggy, Lore Beckom, Gray Beverly, Ray Dunbar, Lauren Francis, Renee Francis, 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 (08/13):** 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)
- **Friends of Calvary (08/20):** Lianna Beckom (Tom Beckom's daughter), Family of Gracie Boyd, Isabel Delfin (Carlos Delfin's daughter), Courtney Payne (Troy & Becky Payne's daughter), Amolene Poindexter (Jack Stanley's sister), Rachel Puckett (Sherry Riddle's friend), Betty Wright (Becky Payne's friend), Kaylee (Jenny Moorefield's granddaughter)

	S e p t e m b e r 3	S e p t e m b e r 10
Deacon of the Week	Kent Moser	Kenny Nowlin
Safety Team—Uplift Safety Team—Traditional	Clay Nowlin Gray Shelton	Duke Gregory George and Deb Howlett



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