



# Calvary Herald

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## July Focus: Reflect

“What’s your story  
about His glory?”

Find your place  
in the history of grace!”

## Summer Movie Night

Sometimes, one of the best things we can do to get renewed as a family of faith is simply to spend time having fun together. That’s why we’re inviting everyone to join us in the church parking lot for an outdoor movie night on Friday, July 22. We’ll get things started at 7:30 that evening with an ice cream sundae social. And then at 8 o’clock, we’ll settle in to watch “Sing”—a family-friendly animated hit from 2016 that teaches about the power of friendship and music to lift our spirits and help us overcome life’s obstacles. So bring your blankets and beach chairs and join our church family for a relaxing evening together.



## Love Does

## Bible Study



In his best-selling book *Love Does*, author Bob Goff reminds us that love isn't a feeling; it's something you do! So as our sabbatical invites us to reflect on God's love, what could be better than studying together how to “do love” in our everyday lives? That’s why we’ll be offering a 5-week study based on *Love Does*, beginning on Sunday, July 10, running through Sunday, August 7, and meeting from 5 to 6 pm each week. If you’d like to read the book or study guide, you can order these resources from Amazon.com. But even more important than reviewing the course material is pondering its application! Each week, there will be a “Love Challenge” that offers a simple way to experiment with putting God’s love into practice.

Would you like to participate but can’t make Sunday nights? You can also watch the teaching sessions using the RightNow media subscription available free to everyone in our church! And if you haven’t activated your RightNow membership, just contact the church office and we’ll send you the link that will let you get started.

# Keynote Speaker in July: Tracy Radosevic

Dr. Tracy Radosevic is an internationally acclaimed storyteller, educator, and retreat facilitator, who has travelled all over the world introducing people to the power of God's Story. She has several degrees, including a Master of Religious Education from Duke University, a Master of Arts in Storytelling from East Tennessee State, and a Doctor of Ministry focusing on Spirituality for Life Together from Wesley Theological Seminary. In addition to her work in churches and universities, she has served as the editor for *The Biblical Storyteller* and as the Dean of The Academy of Biblical Storytellers. She currently lives in Baltimore, Maryland, where she enjoys volunteering with Habitat for Humanity, photography, movies, scrapbooking, playing her accordion, rollerblading, trips to the ocean, hanging out with her friends, and going barefoot.

Tracy will lead us in two workshops on the morning of Saturday, July 9. After a continental breakfast that will be served in the Fellowship Hall at 8:30, the first workshop will be *"God's Story, Our Story, and My Story."* It will begin at 9 o'clock and will teach us how stories help us to understand what God is doing in our lives, our church, and our world. The second workshop, *"Telling My Story,"* will begin at 11 o'clock and will offer some "how-tos" for finding the stories in our personal experiences and then telling those in ways that are engaging for others to hear.

That evening, we'll have a fellowship meal that begins at 6 o'clock, followed by a "Storytelling Event," in which members of our church family will get to share their stories with one another, and where Tracy will introduce us to some stories from the Bible. Tracy's visit with us will end when she leads us in worship on Sunday, July 10.



Come to me,  
all you who  
are weary and  
burdened, and  
I will give  
you rest.

Matthew 11:28





# Memorials

## In Memory of Marvin Beasley

Brenda Barfield	Mills Family
Garnett and Jan Beasley	Kenny and Amy Nowlin
Martha Jo Beasley	Kenneth and Barbara Nowlin
Todd and Kim Beverly	Russell and Billie Parsons
Juanita Clifton	Jim and Lilnette Phillips
Co-Ed 4 SS Class	Roger and Kaye Puckett
Wayne and Kay Draughn	Elizabeth Rutledge
Byron and Vicki Fields	Suzanne Simmons
Mike and Renee Francis	Jamie Smith
Linda Gordon	Guy and Mary Sparger
Phil and Sherry Hiatt	Jo Ann Surratt
Chad and Janet Hull	John and Paulette Surratt
Roger Jarrell	Sharon Thornburg
Glenda Laster	Earl and Jan Varney
Wesley and Donna Martin	Mary Jo White

## In Memory of Carolyn (Cathy Schall's sister)

Brenda Barfield

## In Memory of Dot Simpson

Anonymous

## *Notes of Thanks*

Calvary Baptist Church Members,

We cannot thank you enough for the love and support you have shown our students and staff this school year. We are truly blessed to have a church family who cares so deeply for the children in this community. We pray God will truly bless you for your generosity and love,

Sincerely,  
Margaret Spicer, Principal, Franklin Elem  
Amy Clement, Asst Principal, Franklin Elem  
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Dear Calvary,

Thank you so much for thinking of me on my birthday! I will put the Visa card to good use and think of you fondly. I am enjoying playing on Sundays and hope to set the tone for a worshipful experience. I thank God for such a wonderful group of people in my life.

Love,  
Beth Church