



February 23, 2025

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 worshipping with us!

Message

For You, Theophilus:

"Live Transfigured"

Luke 9:28-43

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.



February 23, 2025

10:55 AM

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Gathering God's People

Prelude..... "The Center of Grace" arr. Sorenson

Welcome to Worship

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

*Invocation..... David Stone

Worshiping God's Glory

* Hymn of Praise "Great is Thy Faithfulness" No. 96
(Verses 1 and 3)

The Prayers of God's People

*Hymn of Giving..... "Majesty" No. 297

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

* Prayer over the Offering

Offertory "He Hideth My Soul" arr. Hayes

Hearing God's Word

Scripture..... Luke 9:28-43

Anthem..... "Lead Me to the Rock" Sanctuary Choir

Message..... For you, Theophilus Alex Bracey
"Live Transfigured"

Answering God's Call

* Invitation "Purer in Heart, O God" No. 591

* Closing Prayer

*Postlude "Heaven Came Down" arr. Peterson

Church Life Updates

- **New Sunday School Option:** Today (Feb. 23), the Coed 1 class will begin a new unit of study about "How to be Rich," by Andy Stanley. What if "being rich" is less about what you have, and more about what you do with what you have? Anyone is welcome to participate, and if you have any questions, please contact Kim Morrison or Benny Lisk.
- **Celebrating One of Our Own:** Carolyn Greene was the organist here at Calvary for more than 20 years before her retirement a few years ago. Since then, health issues have made it difficult for her to stay connected to our church family. However, Carolyn's 85th birthday is this Thursday (2/27), and we'd love to let her know that we still value her and her ministry. If you'd like to send her a note, she is currently staying at her daughter's house: 117 Forest Oaks Drive, Dobson NC 27017.
- **Ministry Opportunity:** The AV Team is seeking volunteers who can help advance worship slides during the traditional service. Volunteers do not need any special computer knowledge; and if you can press a button, you can serve in this important way. To ask questions or to sign up, please contact Phil Hiatt, Bodey Fields, or Danny Lineberry.
- **Ash Wednesday:** The season of Lent begins on Wednesday, March 5, and Calvary invites you to start the season by participating in a special time of worship called "The Seven Symbols of Ash." Using interactive prayer stations, worshipers will meditate on some of the lessons that ashes can teach. But to allow everyone to consider these lessons at their own pace, the service will be "self-guided." Beginning at 4 o'clock and running until 7 o'clock, the sanctuary will be open, and Pastor Alex will be present to get you started, so that you can pray for as little time (or as much time) as you need. We hope you can join us, and—as an added incentive—those who participate will receive a devotional guide for Lent that will help you continue your preparation for Easter.
- **Special Request from Pastor Alex:** Pastor Alex would like to borrow some small tables (approximately 2 feet x 4 feet) for the self-guided Ash Wednesday service that Calvary will host on Wednesday, March 5. If you have a table that he can borrow, please contact him by phone or email at your convenience.

Church Statistics

Budget Year 2025 As of 02/16/2025	Budget to Date	Receipts to Date	Expenditures to Date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	\$81,822.06	\$74,377.97	\$75,427.11	(\$1,049.14)
Transportation	\$403.85	\$80.00		\$80.00

Endowment Fund as of 02/16/25: \$156,712.37

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

Date	Sunday School	Uplift	Traditional	Total Worship
2/16/2025	157	136	71	207

Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 23

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

Wednesday, February 25

- 5:45 PM Mid-Week Ministries
- 6:15 PM Handbells Practice
- 7:15 PM Choir Practice

Sunday, March 2

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

Tuesday, March 4

- 10:30 AM Women in Mission

Wednesday, March 5

- 5:45 PM Mid-Week Ministries
- 6:15 PM Handbells Practice
- 7:15 PM Choir 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, Glenda Beasley, Lore Beckom, Claudia Bryant, Lauren Francis, Vernell Goins, Lillie Mae Haynes, Mark Leftwich, Teresa Martin, Greg McCormick, Karen Moser, Devra Neal, Jerry Nowlin, Mark Puckett, Sherry Riddle, Owen Stone, Nancy Transou, Kendra White, Mary Jo White
- **Friends of Calvary (2/9):** Kenneth Coe (Mary Jane Shelton’s brother), Jodi Hicks (Sam Critz’s coworker), Bo Randolph (employee of Mike Francis), Family of Laurie Rector (wife of Roger Jarrell’s son-in-law’s brother)
- **Friends of Calvary (2/16):** Family of Brenda Beasley (George Howlett’s aunt), Bonnie Bowman (Loretta Flake’s sister), Paula Dylanback (Lorretta Flake’s daughter), Family of Ken Harrold (father of Jim Phillips’ friend), Joanne Martin (Alex Martin’s mother)

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Deacon of the Week	David Stone	Mike Francis
Safety Team—Uplift Safety Team—Traditional	Doug Odell Gray Shelton	Mike Francis Roger Jarrell

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