



**May 10, 2026**

**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!*

**Songs of Worship:**

*Praise You Anywhere*

*Praise You in the Storm*

*Hallelujah Anyway*

*On Thing Remains*

**Today's Message:**

*Practicing the Way:*

*On the Via Dolorosa*

Romans 5:1-5

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.*



**May 10, 2026**

**10:55 AM**

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**Gathering God's People**

Prelude

Welcome to Worship

\* Welcome Chorus ..... "Lead Me, Lord " .....No. 84

\* Invocation ..... Mike Francis

**Worshiping God's Glory**

\* Hymn of Praise ..... "How Firm a Foundation" ..... No. 456  
(Verses 1 and 2)

The Prayers of God's People

\* Hymn of Giving ..... "It is Well with My Soul " ..... No. 447

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

\* Prayer over the Offering

Offertory

**Hearing God's Word**

Scripture .....Romans 5:1-5

Choral Anthem ..... "Goodness of God " ..... Ashley, Cassidy & Teresa

Message ..... "Practicing the Way" ..... Rev. Alex Martin  
On the Via Dolorosa

**Answering God's Call**

\* Invitation ..... "His Strength is Perfect " .....No. 460

\* Closing Prayer

Postlude

## Church Life Updates

- **Happy Mother's Day!** All of us in the Calvary family are grateful for the mothers, grandmothers, and other women who have taught us, encouraged us, and prayed for us. And so, in honor and in memory of these faithful servants of God, today's flowers have been placed on the altar, and a contribution has been made to The Legacy Center, Mount Airy's crisis pregnancy ministry.
- **Youth on Mission:** Our "Bulletin Board Fundraiser" for this year's youth mission trip to Florida is underway! To support our students, select an envelope from the bulletin board in our children's hallway, fill it with the suggested amount, and return it with your regular offerings. If you have any questions about our youth ministry or this trip, please contact Alex Bracey.
- **Blood Drive:** Calvary will host a Red Cross Blood Drive on Sunday, May 17 from 11 am to 3:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. To assist, please contact Mary Jane Shelton (336/401-5849). To schedule a donation slot, please visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org).
- **Habitat Fundraiser:** 13 Bones is hosting a Habitat for Humanity fundraiser on Tuesday, May 19. A portion of the proceeds from sales on that day will help make it possible to provide housing for those in need.
- **Pinkies Up:** Everyone is welcome to join the Faith, Fun & Fellowship group at 11 am on May 20 for a "Tea Party". Wear your favorite hat and join us for High Tea. Bring your favorite cup and saucer (we have extras). Refreshments will be provided.
- **Coffee Mugs for a Cause:** Michael and Flora Havet, who are part of the Calvary family, have donated a case of steel travel mugs engraved with the Calvary logo. The mugs normally retail for \$20, but you can get a mug by making a donation of your choosing, and the entire amount will support our upcoming sanctuary renovations. To get your mug, contact Hannah in the church office.
- **Coming Soon:** Mark your calendars for these upcoming events!
  - Our next "One Calvary Sunday" will be May 31. Join us for breakfast at 8:30, Bible study at 9:30, and worship at 10:30.
  - Vacation Bible School will be May 31 to June 4, with a snack supper at 5:30 each evening followed by VBS activities from 6 to 8:15 pm.

## Church Statistics

| <b>Budget Year</b><br><b>2026</b><br><b>As of 4/21/2026</b> | Budget<br>to Date | Receipts<br>to Date | Expenditures<br>to Date         | Receipts<br>minus<br>Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| General   | \$211,174.46      | \$195,277.86        | \$185,040.56                    | \$10,237.30                       |
| Transportation  | \$923.08          |                     |                                 |                                   |
|   |                   |                     | Endowment Fund as of 4/21/2026: | \$176,521.63                      |

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

| Date     | Sunday School | Uplift | Traditional | Total Worship |
|----------|---------------|--------|-------------|---------------|
| 5/3/2026 | 179           |        | 204         | 204           |

## Calendar of Events

### Sunday, May 10

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

### Sunday, May 17

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

### Tuesday, May 12

6:30 PM BYW

### Wednesday, May 13

5:45 PM Midweek Ministries  
 6:15 PM Handbells  
 7:15 PM Choir Practice

### Wednesday, May 20

11:00 AM Faith, Fun & Fellowship  
 5:45 PM Midweek Ministries  
 6:15 PM Handbells  
 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, Claudia Bryant, Cindy Flanagan, Lauren Francis, Mary Lynn Goins, Vernell Goins, Lillie Mae Haynes, Danielle Hull, Jennifer Joyce, Carol Lowe, Karen Moser, Doug Nichols, Becky Payne, Veda Payne, Pam Peake, Natalie Puckett, Sherry Riddle, Jack Stanley, Owen Stone, Rainey Taylor
- **Friends with Long-Term Needs:** Jean Arrington (Nicole Harrison’s grandmother), Jane Burgess (Cristina Montgomery’s grandmother), Glenn Filius (Amy Moser’s father), Tom Keiss (David Stephens brother-in-law), Cindy McHone (Scott McHone’s sister), David McKnight (Mike McKnight’s brother), Nancy Moore (Beth Church’s mother), Wayne Musmann (Karl Wade’s brother-in-law), Mary Pope (Betty Wagoner’s daughter), Carole Simmons (Jarod Simmons’ mother), Debra Walker (Judy Meinecke’s sister-in-law)
- **Friends of Calvary (5/3):** Family of Mollie Thompkins
- **Friends of Calvary (5/10):** Nancy Moore (Beth Church’s mother),

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| Deacon of the Week                            | Mike Francis                   | Bob McPherson               |
| Safety Team—Uplift<br>Safety Team—Traditional | Jill Puckett<br>Steve Simandle | Ralph Hiatt<br>Sherry Hiatt |

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