



**November 2, 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**

Prophet Margin:

Divine Direction for Discouraged Disciples

*1 Kings 19:1-12*

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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*Hearing assistance devices are available; please see an usher.*

*Please silence cell phones during the worship service.*



**November 2, 2025**

**10:55 AM**

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**Gathering God's People**

Prelude ..... "In Heavenly Light Abiding" ..... Calvary Joybells

Welcome to Worship

\* Welcome Chorus ..... "In Moments like These " ..... No. 451

\* Invocation ..... Mike Francis

**Worshiping God's Glory**

\*Hymn of Praise ..... "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee " ..... No. 13  
(Verses 1, 3 and 4)

A Renewal of Baptismal Commitment

The Prayers of God's People

\*Hymn of Giving ..... "'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus " ..... No. 502  
(Verses 1 and 4)

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

\* Prayer over the Offering

Offertory ..... "Nothing But the Blood" ..... Calvary Joybells

**Hearing God's Word**

Scripture ..... 1 Kings 19:1-12

Anthem..... "I Set My Hope" .....Sanctuary Choir

Message ..... Prophet Margin: .....Pastor Alex Martin  
*Divine Direction for Discouraged Disciples*

**Answering God's Call**

\* Invitation ..... "Be Still My Soul " .....No. 514

\* Closing Prayer

\* Postlude..... "Fanfare " .....Calvary Joybells

## Church Life Updates

- **Faith, Fun and Fellowship:** Everyone's invited to join us for a "Salad and Potato Bar" this Wednesday, November 5, beginning at 11 AM in the Fellowship Hall. If you'd like to sign up to bring a dish or dessert, or if you have questions, please contact Kathy McKnight or Beth Church.
- **Church Business Meeting:** The Calvary Church family will meet on Sunday, November 9, at 6 PM to discuss our proposed budget for 2026 and to discuss and vote on the slate of ministry leaders being proposed by our nominating committee.
- **Christmas Post Office:** Beginning next Sunday and running through December 12, you're invited to use our "Christmas Post Office" to send holiday greetings to our Silver Circle members. Just complete your cards, write the recipients' names on the outside, drop them in one of the collection boxes, and we'll make sure they get delivered. No stamps or postage required.
- **Calvary Thanksgiving Dinner:** You're invited to a Thanksgiving Dinner for everyone in our church family on Wednesday, Nov. 19, beginning at 6 o'clock. The meal is being provided, but we are inviting folks to bring a dessert to share. If you'd like to participate in this way, please contact Mary Jane Shelton (336/401-5849), so we can plan accordingly.
- **Angel Tree Ministry:** It will soon be time for individuals, families, and Sunday School classes to sign up as sponsors for this year's "Angel Tree" ministry. If you'd like to bless a child in need by providing some items on their Christmas wish list, please contact Jan Varney (336/401-5640) or be on the lookout for the sign up announcement.
- **Mentors Needed:** Mount Airy Middle School is currently seeking volunteers who can meet with a student for 15 to 30 minutes a week to provide encouragement, guidance, and a positive role model. If you'd like to volunteer or learn more, please contact Antonia Cawley (910/316-1603).
- **Communication Changes:** We're in the process of changing the systems we use to deliver phone and email messages to our church family. If you've *stopped* receiving messages you want...if you've *started* receiving messages you don't want...or if you have any other issues, please contact the church office to let us know. And if you're not receiving "Today's Word from Pastor Alex" and/or our prayer updates, this would be a great time to sign up!

## Church Statistics

| <b>Budget Year<br/>2025<br/>As of 10/26/2025</b> | <b>Budget<br/>to Date</b> | <b>Receipts<br/>to Date</b> | <b>Expenditures<br/>to Date</b> | <b>Receipts<br/>minus<br/>Expenditures</b> |
|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| General                                          | \$567,531.37              | \$536,930.53                | \$474,694.89                    | \$62,235.64                                |
| Transportation                                   | \$2,480.77                | \$915.00                    |                                 | \$915.00                                   |
| Endowment Fund as of 10/26/25:                   |                           |                             |                                 | \$176,392.56                               |

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

| <b>Date</b> | <b>Sunday School</b> | <b>Uplift</b> | <b>Traditional</b> | <b>Total Worship</b> |
|-------------|----------------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| 10/26/2025  | 150                  | 146           |                    | 146                  |

## Calendar of Events

### **Sunday, November 2**

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

### **Sunday, November 9**

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

### **Tuesday, November 4**

10:00 AM Women in Mission

### **Tuesday, November 11**

6:30 PM BYW

### **Wednesday, November 5**

11:00 AM Faith, Fun & Fellowship  
5:45 PM Midweek Ministries  
6:15 PM Handbells  
7:15 PM Choir Rehearsal

### **Wednesday, November 12**

5:45 PM Midweek Ministries  
6:15 PM Handbells  
Choir Rehearsal

## 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, Nakota Chandler, Mike Flanagan, Lauren Francis, Mary Lynn Goins, Vernell Goins, Lillie Mae Haynes, Mary Ruth Lewis, Mary McCormick, Karen Moser, Doug Nichols, Veda Payne, Natalie Puckett, Sherry Riddle, Owen Stone
- **Friends of Calvary (10/19):** Jean Arrington (Nicole Harrison's grandmother), Kenneth Coe (Mary Jane Shelton's brother), Ripkin Cooke (Hassell Cooke's great grandson), Carole Simmons (Jarod Simmons' mother), Debra Walker (Judy Meinecke's sister-in-law)
- **Friends of Calvary (10/26):** Family of Jenny Forrest (wife of Jo Lynn Johnson's nephew); Nancy Moore (Beth Church's mother)

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|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Deacon of the Week                            | Mike Francis                 | Danny Lineberry               |
| Safety Team—Uplift<br>Safety Team—Traditional | Mike Francis<br>Sherry Hiatt | Choppy Cawley<br>Gray Shelton |

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