

CALVARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 12, 2012 9:30 a.m.

Lord God, you have invited us here to listen to your Son, the Beloved. Clear our minds of distractions and help us turn our eyes on Jesus.

PASTOR
Douglas M. Mankell

ASSOCIATE PASTOR
Jessica S. Wietzke

PRELUDE The King of Love My Shepherd Is – Shelley Carolyn Cassidy, Organ

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Are you visiting us? We're glad you're here! We hope you experience Christian love & fellowship this morning. Please sign your name & address on the attendance registration pad as it is passed down your pew.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

Leader: Climb the heights to view the promises of God; stand in the house of God to give praise.

People: Praise God; praise the name of God. Sing to God, who is great and good and gracious.

Leader: God has chosen us, and claims our loyalty; God opens our eyes to see life's possibilities.

People: Praise God for all the wonders of creation; praise God for saving acts of mercy.

Leader: Rejoice in the God of peace who welcomes us here; God is listening to our words and to our hearts.

*OPENING HYMN 25 Immortal, Invisible

*THE CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison)

O God, your repeated invitations to us have fallen on deaf ears. Your promises are revealed before unseeing eyes. We have resisted your companionship and failed to grasp the peace you offer. We are anxious about many things, and we allow our differences to divide us. Have

compassion on us, Amazing God, and vindicate us. Center us once again on Jesus Christ and on the peace you are eager to give us. Amen.

*SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

* GLORIA PATRI *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

*PASSING THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you—
And also with you.

THE CHILDREN'S SERMON

Jeff Overway

INSTALLATION OF CHURCH OFFICERS

Elder, Class of 2014
Dave Minich

Deacon, Class of 2014
Roberta Weinstein

THE MORNING PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER (we use "debts" and "debtors")

THE OFFERING

Offertory Love Divine, All Loves Excelling Burkhardt

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

*Prayer of Dedication (in unison)

Holy God, whose name is before all names, we worship you with our offerings. They represent our labor, our investment of time and energy. We want them to be put to the best possible use. May they save many from the course of evil and turn them toward faithful discipleship. May they provide bread for body and soul. Bless and multiply our efforts, we pray. Amen.

ANTHEM Psalm to the Savior (Words on back of blue insert) Chancel Choir

OLD TESTAMENT READING Isaiah 40:21-31 (page 668)

NEW TESTAMENT READING Acts 17: 22-28 (page 137)

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: *Thanks be to God.*

SERMON I Believe in God Rev. Douglas Mankell

* HYMN 51 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

* BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE Listen, God Is Calling

Listen, listen, God is calling. Through the Word inviting, offering forgiveness,
comfort and joy. (Repeat)

POSTLUDE Recessional on "Love Divine" Young

*If you are able, please stand.

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| Worship Attendance 9:30 Service 2/5/12: 159 | |
| Calvary Financial Report (2-8-12) | |
| Actual Operating Income | \$ 81,867.81 |
| Actual Operating Expenses | \$ 46,536.28 |
| Total Session Approved Budget for 2012 | |
| Income | \$ 392,628.00 |
| Expenses | \$ 434,730.30 |
| Special Collections ** | \$ 13,055.57 |
| Special Expenses ** | \$ 2,249.64 |
| ** Special Collections include donations for Memorial Fund, Capital Improvement, Crisis & Good Samaritan Funds, Youth Mission Fundraisers, One Great Hour of Sharing, etc. | |
| CAPITAL IMP FUND: \$ 5,992.28 1/31/12 | |
| PLEDGES FOR 2012: \$335,488 | |

PRAYER NEEDS: Contact Linnie York, 735-2780. Our Mission Statement is to "Praise God and to lift you up in prayer in times of need". We will add each request with the approval of the person involved.

FUNERAL MEAL COMMITTEE: Sara Overway and Cheryl Enders

DEACON CONTACT PERSON: Sara Overway

OFFERING COLLECTOR: Linnie York

ACOLYTE: William Murray

USHERS: Roberta Weinstein, Greg Brown, Toni Fisher, and Ken Iles

NURSERY ATTENDANT: Lisa Ervin

THE FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY are given in memory of Ed Sydor by Millie Sydor and will be delivered to shut-ins by our deacon, Roberta Weinstein.

RECENTLY OR PRESENTLY HOSPITALIZED Wayne Hines, St. Vincent's, Indianapolis. Bettye Eisert, St. Vincent's, Indianapolis, Malcolm Bainbridge, St. Elizabeth's, Lafayette. Willowdean McPherson, Woodbridge Care Center, Logansport.

MONDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN began a new study January 9th, 2012 Isaiah: "Trusting God in Troubled Times," by Howard Peskett. We meet in the Davidson Library at 7:15; the study begins at 7:30.

THE 2012 PER CAPITA IS \$36.24. There is a special envelope in the 2012 box of envelopes to be used to pay this denominational expense.

STEWARDSHIP REPORT as of 1/10/2012, a total of 119 pledge cards have been returned, totaling \$335,188.00. The breakdown of 2012 pledges is as follows:

- ◆ 36 have increased their annual pledge
- ◆ 65 have remained the same
- ◆ 13 have decreased their annual pledge
- ◆ 5 are new pledges

ATTENTION PRESCHOOL THROUGH 5TH GRADE KIDS! Join us on Thursdays for Kids Club/Celebration Choir from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Each week we have a Bible story, craft or game, snack and we sing! We would love to see you there!

CHRISTIAN GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES

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| Sundays | 10:45 a.m. | Lectionary Bible Study | John Knox Room |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Drop In Class | Community Room |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Contemporary Class | Library |
| Mondays | 7:30 p.m. | Women's Bible Study | Library |
| Wednesdays | 9:00 a.m. | Craft Therapy Group | Craft room |
| Wednesdays | 5:30- 7:00 p.m. | Hot Pizza/ Hot Topics (Youth) | Bigler Hall |
| Thursdays | 8:00 a.m. | Men's Lectionary Bible Study | Gathering Room |
| Thursdays | 6:30 p.m. | Kid's Club/Celebration Choir | Lower Level |

These are activities and events which Calvary provides for the spiritual growth of its members and friends. You are welcome to participate in them!

COME TO COFFEE HOUR IN BIGLER HALL FOLLOWING THIS WORSHIP SERVICE

Visitors and guests are especially welcome. This is a wonderful opportunity for all who attend our worship services to enjoy refreshments around the round tables and to get to know each other better.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ERIN AND BILL NOAKES on the birth of their son on Thursday, February 9. Proud grandparents are Brian & Terrie VanSoest.

AN ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE beginning the Lenten season will be held in the sanctuary at 7:00 p.m. on February 22nd. Lenten worship services will be held at 7:00 p.m. on the following Wednesdays: Feb. 29th, Mar. 7, Mar. 14, Mar. 21, & Mar. 28.

CHURCH OFFICER TRAINING WILL BE SUNDAY, MARCH 4TH. It will be held in Bigler Hall from 12:30 – 3:00 p.m. It will be preceded by a light lunch beginning at 12:00 noon. Please call the church office only if you cannot attend. If we do not hear from you, we will assume you will attend.

CLASSES FOR NEW MEMBERS WILL BE HELD IN THE PASTOR'S OFFICE on Sunday, March 11th and Sunday, March 18th 10:45 – 11:45 a.m. New members will meet with the Session on Tuesday, March 20th at 7:00 p.m. and be recognized during the worship service on Sunday, March 25th. A New Member reception will follow the service in Bigler Hall on March 25th.

DARCY METCALFE AND WILLIAM MUDD are happy to announce their recent engagement and upcoming wedding, which will be held on Saturday, June 9th in the chapel at Louisville Theological Seminary.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE REPUBLICAN LINCOLN DAY DINNER on Saturday, March 3rd around 5:30 p.m. A sign-up sheet is on the Welcome Table. About 20 volunteers are needed for that evening.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR AN UPCOMING FOOD FINDERS PROJECT on Wednesday, March 7th. For those of you who have not volunteered for this before, it is a way of giving to the community who are in need. A truck from Food Finders comes and delivers food and the volunteers are responsible for set up/shopping with the guests/serving coffee and drinks/distributing numbers and registration. Please contact Tona McIntyre, 574-753-2805, if you have time to volunteer on March 7th from 9:30 to 1:30 or 2:00. If you are only able to give a couple hours of time, that is fine also, just let Tona know. Some volunteers will be working outside but not during the entire shift. Thank you in advance for considering supporting this effort. There is a sign- up sheet on the Welcome Table.

WEEK BEGINNING SUNDAY, February 12, 2012

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| TODAY | 9:30 a.m. | Worship Service with Installation of Church Officers Children's Church (grades K-3) upstairs in Gathering Room with Leeann Murray |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Sunday School |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Coffee Hour |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Confirmation Class |
| MONDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Staff |
| | 7:30 p.m. | Women's Bible Study |
| TUESDAY | 6:30 p.m. | Christian Education Committee Meeting |
| WEDNESDAY | 9:00 a.m. | Craft Therapy Group |
| | 5:30 p.m. | HPHT at Hap's East |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Boy Scouts in John Knox Room |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Men's Great Banquet Set-Up Night |
| THURSDAY | 8:00 a.m. | Men's Lectionary Bible Study |
| | 6:30 p.m. | Calvary Foundation Meeting |
| | 6:30 p.m. | Kids Club/Celebration Choir |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Men's Great Banquet begins |
| | 7:15 p.m. | Chancel Choir |
| | 8:15 p.m. | Musicians' Meeting |
| SUNDAY | 9:30 a.m. | Worship Service Children's Church (grades K-3) upstairs in Gathering Room with Steve McIntyre |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Sunday School |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Coffee Hour |
| | 10:45 a.m. | Confirmation Class |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Men's Great Banquet concludes |