

Welcome to  
Calvin Presbyterian Church  
*Solus Christus*  
~ *Christ Alone*



*November 5, 2017*  
*Remembrance Sunday*  
*Calvin Presbyterian Church*  
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*As the prelude begins, you are invited to enter into quiet, and allow the music to help prepare you for worship. (\* = Please stand if you are able)*

Prelude

Welcome

The Life and Work of the Church

Time of Remembrance

Sr. Choir Anthem "*In Flanders Fields*"

Kirkland Adsett

Call to Worship

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul!

**People: And all that is within me, bless God's holy name!**

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all God's benefits.

**People: The Lord forgives all our iniquity, and heals all our diseases.**

Leader: The Lord redeems our lives from the pit,

**People: and crowns us with steadfast love and mercy.**

Leader: God satisfies us with good as long as we live

**People: so that our youth is renewed like the eagle's.**

*(Please stand and remain standing if you are able until the wreath party leaves the Sanctuary.)*

Leader: They shall not grow old as we that are left grow old. Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

**People: At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them.**

\* "*Last post*"

\* Laying of the Wreath

Leader: Eternal rest grant unto them, O God, and may perpetual light shine upon them.

**People: May the souls of the righteous, through your great mercy, rest in peace.**

\* Time of Silence

\* "*Reveille*"

\* National Anthem #833 "*O Canada*" (English & French)

\* Wreath party leaves sanctuary

Golden Verse: "*God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ.*"  
(Acts 2:36)

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Hymn #831 "*The Lord's Prayer*"

Assurance of Pardon

\* Hymn #340 *"At the name of Jesus"* (vv. 1, 3, 5)

Children's Time

Scriptures

- Isaiah 9:6-7
- Acts 4:8-13
- John 1:29-34

Congregational Response

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

**Response: Thanks be to God.**

\* Hymn #217 *"Ride on, ride on in majesty"* (vv. 1-3, 5)

Prayer of Understanding

**Lord God, you have done marvellous things in our eyes through Jesus.**

**Take the scales from our eyes that we may behold his glory.**

**Lord Jesus, you are our Saviour and Lord. There is none other to help us.**

**Reveal yourself even more to us in this hour.**

**Holy Spirit, we wait for your coming into our lives that we may understand more fully the plan of salvation.**

**Hear us, Holy Trinity, and bless us. Amen**

Golden Verse - Acts 2:36

Sermon "Solus Christus: Only Christ"

\* Hymn #357 *"How sweet the name of Jesus sounds"* (vv. 1-3, 6)

Offering

>> *Presentation of gifts, tithes and offering during the singing of the hymn*

\* Prayer of Dedication

**O Lord, as we rededicate ourselves to you in this hour, use what we have and what we are for the purpose of magnifying Jesus Christ as Lord. In his name we pray. Amen**

Prayers of the People

Golden Verse - Acts 2:36

\* Hymn #349 *"My hope is built on nothing less"* (vv. 1-4)

\* Benediction

\* Song of Blessing: *"May the Lord, mighty Lord"*

Postlude

**NOTICES FOR  
CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
November 5, 2017**

Good morning to all who are worshipping with us today. If you are visiting, please make yourself known to us. We encourage you to fill out one of the visitor envelopes in the pew and give it to an usher or put it in the offering plate. Nursery care is provided for young children.

Rev. Frank Szatmari is willing to visit with those who need pastoral support. Please call Rev. Frank for appointment request at 226-647-4705.

Next Week: Reformation 500 Ecumenical Service at 3 p.m.  
No 10:15 a.m. worship service

<b>CALVIN CALENDAR</b>	
Sun. Nov. 5	- Prayer Group, 9:15 a.m., Lounge - Worship Service 10:15 a.m., Sanctuary
Tues. Nov. 7	- Noon Encounter, 12 p.m., Lounge - Evening Encounter, 7 p.m., Lounge
Wed. Nov. 8	- Seniors Exercise Program, 1 p.m., Hall - Calvin Stampers, 7 p.m., Lounge
Thurs. Nov. 9	- Choir Practice, 7:30 p.m., Sanctuary
Fri. Nov. 10	- Badminton, 7 p.m., Hall
Sun. Nov. 12	- Reformation 500 Ecumenical Service, 3 p.m., Sanctuary - Community Meal, 4:30 p.m., Hall

**Rev. Frank** is the guest preacher in a Montreal church today.

**Fall Encounter** – Join us for a Bible Study titled "Jesus' Letter to Seven Churches" based on Revelation, chapters 2 and 3. It takes place on Tuesday at 12 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Bring your own lunch for social time. There is an evening version of the study at 7 p.m. with closing at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

- November 7 – Revelation 3:1-6 - The message to Sardis
- November 14 – Revelation 3:7-13 - The message to Philadelphia
- November 21 – Revelation 3:14-22 - The message to Laodicea

**Calvin Stampers** will meet on Wednesday November 8, 7-9 p.m. in the Lounge. You'll make 6 cards and donate 3 to the church Pastoral Care Committee. The group is for people of all ages and levels of ability, even if you've never stamped before. New members welcome! There is no cost but please RSVP to Margaret Woods at [margaretwoods777@rogers.com](mailto:margaretwoods777@rogers.com) by Monday November 6.

**Reformation 500 Service** - Sunday November 12, 3 p.m., at Calvin. All are invited to participate in this ecumenical service recognizing the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Reformation. Church members and clergy of numerous other local churches (Calvin Presbyterian, St. Francis of Assisi Roman Catholic, St. George's Anglican, Highland Baptist, Forest Hill United, and The Beautiful Church) will be attending this exciting celebration. Following the service, a community meal in Calvin Hall will be served from 4:30-6 p.m. An historical exhibition will be on display, on tour from the Hungarian Consulate. The regular 10:15 a.m. worship service will be cancelled that day. There will be no Sunday School and no Nursery Care provided during the afternoon service.

**Men's Breakfast** – Saturday November 18, 8 a.m. at Calvin Church. Come for food and fellowship.

**Family Movie Night** – Mission and Stewardship invites you to join us to watch a movie on Saturday November 18. We will gather at 6 p.m. in the Narthex for pizza. Movie starts at 6:30 p.m.

**Calvin CLARION Newsletter** – Please submit all articles for the December-February issue by Sunday November 19 to Margaret Woods – email [margaret@calvinchurch.ca](mailto:margaret@calvinchurch.ca). Rob McCuaig has resigned from the position of newsletter editor. Thanks, Rob, for all your work on the Clarion over the past 3 years!!

**Ladies Fellowship Christmas Bazaar** is being held on December 2. Handcrafted items for the bazaar will be greatly appreciated – talk to Eleanor McCabe at 519-743-8867.

**Attention parents:** Please mark your calendars! The Sunday School Christmas Pageant will be on Sunday, December 10 during worship. Watch your mailboxes for the rehearsal schedule soon.

**BUDGET REQUESTS** – It is that time of year when we ask all committees to prepare your budget requests for next year. Please submit all requests to Frank Thompson as soon as possible – in writing or by email to [frank.thompson@calvinchurch.ca](mailto:frank.thompson@calvinchurch.ca).

**Thank you** everyone who supported the Youth Fundraising BBQ on October 22. Thanks to your contributions, we raised over \$164 towards the Canadian Foodgrains Bank. See you again November 26.

**A Big Thank You!** Calvin's Canada 150 – Queen Street Singers and Calvin Presbyterian Church thank all who attended the fundraising concert on Saturday November 4, 2017. Approximately \$2,000 was raised. Your support will enable Calvin Church to be God's presence in this community, prayer partnering with House of Friendship, Habitat for Humanity, Chandler Mowat Community and many other programs. Please join us in future fun events.

**A special thank you to the PYROS Youth** who put in a long day's work setting up and cleaning up to make the annual Halloween Spook-tacular a success. On October 21,

we had a fun and somewhat spooky gathering for the children. Thanks, too, to the parents who helped during the event. Great job everyone!

Our traditional **Calvin Days** financial drive is currently underway to let us bolster Calvin's financial resilience, and to ensure our capability to deliver on our church's vision and mission is not diminished. Our goal this year is to raise \$17,500, which we hope to use to eliminate our accumulated debt. This is a small increase over what we successfully raised last year, and would finally free us from the lingering burden of the debt gathered over the past several years. If you are able, please consider contributing a little extra during our Calvin Days drive to keep Calvin the stable home that we all rely on. Every little bit helps! Special "Calvin Days" donation envelopes can be found on the table in the Narthex just outside of the doors to the Sanctuary or in your envelope box for November 26.

**Jake de Wit's Retirement** - After almost 7 years of loyal service as the custodian at Calvin Church, Jake de Wit has decided to retire. His last day will be Friday, December 1, 2017. Those of us who have worked with Jake appreciate his thoroughness and attention to detail. Jake has used his experience with service people and knowledge of our property to help guide us to cost-effective solutions to our various maintenance needs. Our facilities have been very well kept under Jake's tenure. We want to extend a heartfelt THANK YOU and BEST WISHES to Jake. In recognition of his significant contribution to Calvin, we will be providing Jake with a gift card. Anyone wishing to make a contribution to the gift card can mark it and place it in the offering plate. The Personnel has begun a search process and will advise the congregation of progress.

Margaret Woods will be on vacation the week of November 12-18. **All announcements for the November 19 bulletin** must be received in the office by Thursday November 9 at 10 a.m.

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Thanks to:  
greeters – Phil von Farra and Dean Bulloch  
scripture reader – Dave McLelland  
guest minister – Rev. Bob Duncanson

A special thanks to the wreath party: Debra Joseph and Jim McNeill. Debra is the daughter of the late Bill Joseph a veteran of World War II and a charter member of Calvin Church. Jim is a veteran of World War II who served in Great Britain and Germany.

All are welcome to Coffee Hour  
in Calvin Hall following the service.

Please notify the office by phone, 519-744-4061 or email [calvin@calvinchurch.ca](mailto:calvin@calvinchurch.ca) if you learn of any sickness, shut in, new baby or any need within the congregation.  
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