

Calvary Baptist Church

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

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Mount Airy, NC 27030
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The beautiful flowers at the front of the church have been placed in
memory of Carlos Surratt and Bill & Beatrice Caudle
by JoAnn Surratt & family.

Sunday, September 11, 2011
Service of Remembrance: 9/11
10:30 AM Combined Worship Service
***Congregation please stand.**

THE CHURCH...GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

Prelude..... "A Mighty Fortress" arr. Smith
Welcome to Worship Rev. Alex Martin
*Fellowship & Greeting Time

THE CHURCH...OFFERING OUR WORSHIP AND OURSELVES

*Opening Chorus "Here I Am to Worship" No. 130
*Invocation Brent Hull
*Song of Praise & Worship..... "Blessed Be Your Name" No. 26

THE CHURCH ...REMEMBERING THOSE AFFECTED ON 9/11

*Scripture Reading..... **Psalms 46** Gray Shelton
(Pew Bible Page #403)
Choral Meditation "Be Still" Beebe
Visual Meditation..... "Why We Remember"
Recognition of First Responders
Litany of Remembrance & Hope..... Rev. Alex Martin & Congregation
(see back of bulletin for responsive reading)

THE CHURCH...OFFERING THANKS

*Hymn "Day by Day" No. 517
(Stanzas 1 & 3)
*Offertory Prayer
Offertory "His Glory" arr. Sikes
*Doxology No. 668

THE CHURCH...HEARING GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading **Romans 8:22-27** Rev. Alex Martin
(Pew Bible Page # 800)
Message "**With Groans that Cannot Be Uttered**" Rev. Alex Martin
Solo "Blessings" arr. Story
Teresa Martin
*Hymn "All the Way My Savior Leads Me" No. 474

**At this time you are invited to make public any decision you may have
regarding acceptance of Christ as Lord and Savior, rededication of life, or
church membership. You may also come to the altar to pray.**

THE CHURCH...DEPARTING TO SERVE

*Closing Comments & Prayer Rev. Alex Martin
*Congregational Response..... "How Great is Our God" No. 5
(chorus only)
*Piano Postlude Teresa Martin

Hearing assistance devices are available. Please see an usher.
Please turn off cell phones during the worship service.

Deacon of the Week: Brent Hull (786-7992)
Good Shepherds: Earl Varney (789-2249) Debbie Howlett (789-9696)
First Care Team: Guy & Mary Sparger (786-6906)



Welcome to Calvary Baptist Church

If you are a guest today at Calvary, we are so glad that you are here. Thank you for worshipping with us. A guest card is inserted in the pew pockets; please complete it and drop it in the offering plate so we will have a record of your visit. Several information centers are located throughout the building filled with information about our church, its ministries and a map of our facility. We also have a website with daily Bible readings and devotionals for adults and children: www.calvarybcmtairy.org

For those with babies and/or small children, we provide a nursery and children's church during both services.

Below is a listing of our Sunday School classes. Please take the opportunity to visit one or several of these over the next few weeks.

If you have any questions about Calvary, please see one of the ushers today or contact the church office during the week (786-4778). Again, thank you for being with us today. We are glad that you are here.

"Worship the Lord in the splendor of his holiness;"
Psalm 96:9

SUNDAY SCHOOL MINISTRY WE HAVE A CLASS FOR YOU

<u>Class</u>	<u>Room</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Room</u>
NURSERY BED BABIES	211	YNG ADULTS 1	20s - 30s	202B
2 YEAR OLD CLASS	212	CO-ED 1	20s - 40s	117
3 - 4 YEAR OLD CLASS	213	CO-ED 3	30s - 40s	114
KINDERGARTEN	217	CO-ED 4	40s - 50s	FELLOWSHIP HALL
1 ST - 2 ND GRADE CLASS	121A	CO-ED 5	50s - 70s	115
3 RD GRADE CLASS	121B	PAIRS&SPARES	40s - 70s	113
4 TH - 5 TH GRADE CLASS	119	LADIES 1	50s - 60s	118
6 TH , 7 TH , 8 TH GRADE CLASS	102	LADIES 2	50s - 60s	112
9 TH - 12 TH GRADE CLASS	103	LADIES 3	50s - 70s	111
College & Career	Chapel Prayer Room	LADIES 4	60s - 70s	120
		LADIES 5	75+	201
		MEN 1	40s - 50s	116
		MEN 2	60+	200



Join A Class!

Ministers	Our Church Family
Pastor	Rev. Alex Martin (e-mail— pastoralex@calvarybcmtairy.org)
Minister of Music	Rev. Stephen Farrar (e-mail— steve@calvarybcmtairy.org)
Administrative Assistant	Billie Doyle (e-mail— billie@calvarybcmtairy.org)
Office Assistant.....	Ann Richardson (email— ann@calvarybcmtairy.org)
Organist	Carolyn Greene
Pianist	Jean Williamson
Custodian.....	Carlos Delfin
Audio Engineers	Phil Hiatt, Danny Lineberry

Prayer Concerns (as of September 8)

Use our On-line Prayer Concern Form at:

<http://www.calvarybcmntairy.org/Forms/PrayerForm.htm>

Recent Additions to our Prayer Concerns

Mike Doby; Rebecca Mabe; Catha Stroupe; Lavon Thompson; Margie Uttormark, *Eric Hiatt's cousin*

Remember the Bereaved

The Family of Daylon Wilhoit in his death, great-grandson of Daylon & Carolyn Greene
The Family of Michele Simmons in the death of her mother

A Litany of Remembrance and Hope



- **Pastor:** Our Father and our God, You are our refuge and strength, an ever-present Help in times of trouble; and because of Your faithfulness, You have called us to remember.
- **All: We remember Your power. We remember Your mercy. We remember Your love.**
- **Pastor:** As we worship You today, we recall the darkness that struck our nation and our world ten years ago this morning. But we remember in faith, trusting that You can use our memories to lead us toward Your light.
- **All: Let Your Spirit remind us that Your light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.**
- **Pastor:** When we remember firefighters who rushed into burning buildings as others rushed out, we can say together...
- **All: We remember and celebrate the light of courage.**
- **Pastor:** When we recall police officers who protected and defended others until the towers came down on top of them, we can say together...
- **All: We remember and celebrate the light of selfless sacrifice.**
- **Pastor:** When we remember emergency medical personnel who risked their own lives to tend the wounds of others, we can say together...
- **All: We remember and celebrate the light of healing love.**
- **Pastor:** But Lord, even the brightest of our virtues cannot undo the terrible events of the past. Neither our courage nor our sacrifice can restore the innocence that was crushed in the wreckage of those fallen planes. Not even our love can bring back the lives that were lost. And so we look to You for hope. In the face of continued hatred and sin...
- **All: We hope for Your forgiveness.**
- **Pastor:** In the face of uncertainty and divisions that pull us apart...
- **All: We hope for Your purpose.**
- **Pastor:** In the face of violence and fear rob us of joy...
- **All: We hope for Your peace.**
- **Pastor:** But perhaps most of all, Great God, we hope for You. Only Your presence can heal our hearts. Only Your Truth can heal our world. Only Your Son, Jesus, can create a new future by reconciling us to each other and to You - through his blood, shed on the cross. So it is Jesus we remember. It is Jesus in whom we hope. And it is in the name of Jesus that we offer our prayer, joining together in the words he taught us.
- **All: Our Father, who art in heaven...**



Be Still

Adapted from Psalm 46

*Be still, and know that I am God,
I will be exalted in the nations;
I will be exalted in the earth.
Be still, and know that I am God.*

*Come, behold the works of the Lord,
What desolations he hath made in the earth,
He maketh wars to cease on the earth,
He breaketh the bow, He cutteth the spear,
He burneth the chariot.*

*The Lord of hosts is with us,
The God of Jacob is our refuge.*

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HungerEnds Backpacks

Weekend Food Program at Franklin Elementary

Because of economic hardship, there are children in our immediate community whose most nutritional meals come when they are at school. This means, however, that weekends can be times when they are unable to eat properly. Franklin Elementary School's "HungerEnds" Backpack Food Program addresses this need by sending children home on Friday afternoon with a backpack filled with nourishing foods. On Monday, the backpacks are returned and filled again for the next weekend.

Calvary Baptist has decided to support this valuable ministry. As this new school year has begun, the school has enrolled 44 children in the program, representing 26 area families. This marks a dramatic, 40% increase in the number of children served compared to last year.

Won't you help by donating items for these children? This month's emphasis is "pop-top pasta cans" (like those made by Chef Boyardee and Campbell's). A donation box will be available at the church. For more information, please contact Kent Moser.

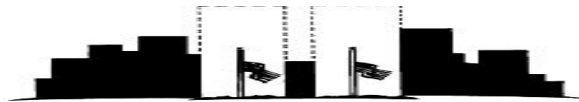
Thank you for your continued support!

BYW is collecting school supplies to give to the local schools in our community to help those who are struggling and in need. Loose leaf notebook paper, composition books, pens, pencils, crayons, large and small book bags (new or slightly used), erasers etc..... they can drop them off in a box outside the nursery. We will be collecting these items through the month of September. Any questions can be referred to Hope Lineberry or any member of BYW.



Helpful Reminders	September 11	September 18
Youth Snack Supper	Kelly Smith, Cathy Stevens	Anita & Brent Hull, Deena & Tony Martin
Nursery Workers	Uplift	Uplift
	September 11	September 18
Bed Babies—4 years	Tony & Melissa Varney	Randy & Karen Beasley
Children's Church	Mary & Greg McCormick	TBA
	Traditional	Traditional
Bed Babies/Toddlers	Janet McPherson, Thelma Shelton	Anne Forrest, Carolyn Underwood
2 - 4 Year Olds	Johnny & Mary Lynn Goins	Lee & Judy Mills
Children's Church	Mary & Greg McCormick	Judy Meinecke

<i>Church Statistics</i>				
Budget Year 10/01/10 thru 09/04/11	Budget to Date	Receipts to date	Expenditures to date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	\$414,393.00	\$386,289.53	\$345,161.46	\$41,128.07
Debt Retirement	\$15,827.00	\$16,372.61	\$6,079.47	\$10,293.14
Transportation	\$12,005.00	\$4,046.94	\$2,268.86	\$1,778.08
Debt Reduction Funds Available: \$19,648.76 Loan Balance as of August 9, 2011: \$48,734.23 If you have questions concerning the budget contact any member of the Finance Committee.				
Date	Bible Study	Uplift	Traditional	Total Worship
09/04/11	175	67	154	221



Calendar of Events

Sunday, September 11

Remembrance Service
Deacon Elections
9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Combined Worship

11:00 AM Blood Drive
4:00 PM Church Council Meeting
5:00 PM Women's Bible Study
5:30 PM Youth Hangtime

Tuesday, September 13
Directory Photography Day
6:30 AM Prayer Cottage @ Calvary
6:30 PM B.Y.W.

Wednesday, September 14

Directory Photography Day
5:45 PM Fellowship Meal
6:15 PM Handbell Rehearsal
6:30 PM Children & Youth Activities
6:30 PM Wednesday Night SS
6:30 PM Unpacking our Mission
6:30 PM Outlive Your Life
7:15 PM Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 15

5:00 PM Friends Feeding Friends
7:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal

Friday, September 16

8:30 PM High School "5th Quarter" Fellowship

Sunday, September 18

8:30 AM Uplift
9:45 AM Sunday School
10:55 AM Traditional Worship
5:00 PM Business Meeting

5:30 PM Youth Hangtime

Monday, September 19

6:00 PM Finance Meeting

Tuesday, September 20

6:15 PM Grief Share

Wednesday, September 21

5:45 PM Fellowship Meal

6:15 PM Handbell Rehearsal

6:30 PM Children & Youth Activities

6:30 PM Wednesday Night SS

6:30 PM Unpacking our Mission

6:30 PM Outlive Your Life

7:15 PM Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 22

6:45 PM Prayer Cottage @ the Lowes

7:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal





Today is National Grandparents Day!

Today is Deacon Elections. A ballot is inserted in your bulletin. Church members are asked to vote "yes" or "no" and drop it in the offering plate during worship.

Our Blood Drive is being held today in the Fellowship Hall from 11:00 AM until 3:30 PM. All blood types are needed.

There will be a Church Council meeting today at 4:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

The Beth Moore study on David will be at Calvary this Sunday evening from 5:00p.m. until 7:30p.m.

Today is the deadline to reserve and pay for your tickets to the 2011 NC Baptist Wake Forest Football Church Day. The event will be held on Saturday, November 19th. Each ticket is \$25 and includes a speaker, meal voucher, and ticket to the game. Our church bus will provide transportation to this event. To reserve your ticket, contact Danny Lineberry at (336) 745-1320.

Remember your photo appointments for the church directory on Tuesday, September 13 & Wednesday, September 14.

Join us for a Prayer Cottage to be held at Calvary Baptist Church on Tuesday, September 13, at 6:30 AM. For more information, call Gray Shelton at (336) 789-5821.

A B.Y.W. meeting will be held Tuesday, September 13, at 6:30 PM.

The annual Deacon/Pastor/Staff and spouse banquet is scheduled for Thursday, October 6, at 6:30 PM. The banquet will be held in the church fellowship hall and catered by Soppers. The menu consists of beef tips, chicken, green beans, mashed potatoes, baked macaroni and cheese, rolls, and two desserts. The cost will be \$10.00 per person, payable in advance or at the door. Please contact Gray Shelton as soon as possible, but no later than next Sunday, September 18. You may contact Gray at 789-5821 or grayandmary@embarqmail.com.

FAMILY LIFE MARRIAGE CONFERENCE COMING AGAIN TO GREENSBORO October 28, 29 & 30, 2011 Sheraton Four Seasons Hotel



Life has a way of overwhelming a marriage. Jobs, kids, activities, errands. Before you know it, checking your email is more important than carving out a date night. Family Life's Weekend to Remember marriage getaway is a chance to make a change. It's a time to rediscover each other. Step away from the daily life. You'll find a warm, engaging environment that's all about making progress in your marriage!

Calvary is putting together a "group" to attend. Contact Bob or Pam Peake (REPeake@surry.net or 320-3222) if you are at all interested. You will leave the weekend with encouragement, hope and practical tools to build and grow your relationship.