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**Sunday, September 25, 2011  
8:30 AM Worship Service**

Welcome to ***Uplift!*** We're glad you're here today! If you are our guest today, we have an Uplift guest card in the pew pocket for you to complete. For your small children, a nursery is located through the right front sanctuary door. **Hearing assistance devices are also available from our Uplift sound team.** We welcome you and look forward to worshipping with you today. We invite you to enter into worship just as you are. Now is the time to worship!

Message..... Rev. Alex Martin  
**Mark 1:9-15 (Pew Bible Page #707)**

**During the time of commitment, 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.**

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**Worship, Sound, and Technical Assistance provided by Uplift Worship Team**

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### 10:55 AM Worship Service

\*Congregation please stand.

#### THE CHURCH...GATHERING FOR WORSHIP

Prelude ..... "St. Anthony Chorale" ..... arr. Mallory  
Calvary JoyBells

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..... Lee Mills

\*Hymn ..... "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee".....No. 13

#### THE CHURCH...REFLECTING ON CHRIST'S GLORY

Scripture Reading ..... **Hebrews 11:1-12, 12:1-3** ..... Rev. Alex Martin  
(Pew Bible Page # 851-852)

Choral Meditation..... "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"..... arr. Wyrzten

The Church Family at Prayer..... Rev. Alex Martin

Pastor's Time with Young Disciples .....

(Children 4 years through 2nd grade may exit for Children's Worship.)

#### THE CHURCH...OFFERING THANKS

\*Hymn ..... "Jesus Shall Reign" .....No. 303  
(stanzas 1,2, & 4)

\*Offertory Prayer.....

Offertory ..... "Morning Has Broken" .....arr. Williams  
Calvary JoyBells

\*Doxology ..... No. 668

#### THE CHURCH...HEARING GOD'S WORD

Video Meditation..... "Season Of Thanks" .....

Message ..... "**The Greatest of These**" ..... Dr. Michael C. Blackwell

Scripture focus: **1 Corinthians 13**

\*Hymn ..... "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" .....No. 110

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#### THE CHURCH...DEPARTING TO SERVE

\*Closing Comments & Prayer..... Rev. Alex Martin

\*Congregational Response ..... "His Strength is Perfect".....No. 460

\*Postlude ..... "Marche-Sortie"..... arr. Lemmens

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## Prayer Concerns (as of September 22 PM)

Use our On-line Prayer Concern Form at:

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

### Recent Additions to our Prayer Concerns

**Joseph Bevard**, son of Susan & Mark Brevard; **Charles Calhoun**, friend of George & Debbie Howlett and Wade & Libby Marion; **Dakota Davis**, son of friend of Sylvia Faw; **Jeanette Easter**, Catha Stroupe's mother; **Andrew Jones**, Fred & Lynn Jones' son; **Golie Southern**; **Lavon Thompson**; **Margie Uttormark**, Eric Hiatt's cousin

### Remember the Bereaved

The Family of Ruth Shelton in her death, Rachel Jackson's mother

The Family of Michele Simmons in the death of her mother

The Family of Daylon Wilhoit in his death, great grandson of Daylon & Carolyn Greene

*"And now these three remain:*

**FAITH,  
HOPE  
and  
LOVE.**



*But the greatest of these is  
LOVE."*

*1 Corinthians 13:13*

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



## iFaith: Essentials Apps for the Human OS

October 7– November 13, 2011

Put a few “apps” on your mobile device and you can get it to do almost anything you want. Ever wish there were “apps for living?” The Bible says there **are** things we can add to our lives that will keep us from being “ineffective and unproductive.” Come worship as we discover the essential apps for the human operating system!

Gray Shelton, chair of the Board of Deacons, brought a recommendation that, since the following men had indicated that they would no longer be serving as active deacons, the church recognize them as Deacon Emeritus: Howard Shelton (ordained in 1960), Howard Hull (ordained in 1952), Owen Stone (ordained in 1965), Gene Gravley (ordained in 1965), J. A. Bryant (ordained in 1957), and Don Byrd (ordained in 1991). While these men will no longer be serving actively as deacons, the Board of Deacons will be able to call on them for wisdom and guidance. The vote to recognize these men was unanimous. They will be presented with a plaque on October 2.



### Staying Up-to-Date on Baptist Life

Because we want resources given to God through Calvary Baptist to be used in the most fruitful way possible, our budget for the coming year eliminates funding for subscriptions to the *Biblical Recorder* (the NC Baptist paper). However, we still believe in the value of staying informed about Baptist life. If you wish to get your own subscription to one of our fine Baptist publications, you can contact:

- The Biblical Recorder: 919-847-2127 or [www.biblicalrecorder.org](http://www.biblicalrecorder.org); OR
- Baptists Today: 478-301-5655 or [www.baptiststoday.org](http://www.baptiststoday.org).



### Calvary Baptist Invites You to Be a Blessing

As we enter a new church year, we want everyone at Calvary to be aware of several wonderful ways that you can be a blessing to folks in our community, our state and around our world:

- **Franklin Elementary Backpack Program:** By donating nutritious and convenient food items, you can help fill backpacks that are sent home with kids in need to insure that they’re able to eat healthy over the weekend. In October, we’re collecting single-serve breakfast items (Pop-Tarts, Nutri-Grain or Granola bars, single-serve cereal boxes, oatmeal packets, etc).
- **Mile of Pennies Offering:** Today we kick-off our annual “Mile-of-Pennies” offering to benefit the North Carolina Baptist Children’s Home. Our goal this year is to collect **2 and ½ Miles of Pennies** (\$2,112)! The deadline to participate is Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- **Operation Christmas Child:** It may be almost 3 months until Christmas Day, but it’s not too early to start thinking about this year’s Operation Christmas Child. More details will be coming out soon, but our goal this year is to prepare 130 shoeboxes that will share Christ’s love around the world. Our collection deadline will be Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>.

Helpful	September 25	October 2
Youth Snack	Randy & Karen Beasley	Brenda Barfield, Angela Brown
Nursery	Uplift	Uplift
	September 25	October 2
Bed Babies—4	Craig & Buffy Inscore	TBA
Children’s	TBA	TBA
	Traditional	Traditional
Bed Babies /	Sandy Nowlin, Evelyn Nowlin	Danielle Sechrist, Rachel Hull
2 - 4 Year Olds	Kent/Kyle Moser, Dawn Stanley	Cathy Stevens, Denise Cain
Children’s	TBA	Sherry Hiatt, Lori Hiatt

# WELCOME

our guest speaker for the 11:00 AM service.

**Dr. Michael C. Blackwell**  
**President**  
**Baptist Children's Homes of NC**



## *Church Statistics*

Budget Year 10/01/10 thru 09/18/11	Budget to Date	Receipts to date	Expenditures to date	Receipts minus Expenditures
General	\$431,307.00	\$400,270.63	\$354,606.94	\$45,663.69
Debt Retirement	\$16,473.00	\$16,535.70	\$6,958.04	\$9,577.66
Transportation	\$12,495.00	\$4,196.51	\$2,891.16	\$1,305.35
Debt Reduction Funds Available: \$19,811.76				
Loan Balance as of September 1, 2011: \$47,932.06				
If you have questions concerning the budget contact any member of the Finance Committee.				
Date	Bible Study	Uplift	Traditional	Total Worship
09/18/11	191	65	169	234



## *Calendar of Events*

### Sunday, September 25

- 8:30 AM Uplift
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 10:55 AM Traditional Worship
- 5:00 PM Women's Bible Study
- 5:30 PM Youth Hangtime

### Tuesday, September 27

- 10:30 AM Women In Mission
- Medical Ministry

### Wednesday, September 28

- 5:30 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 29

- 7:00 PM Praise Team Rehearsal

### Sunday, October 2

- 8:30 AM Uplift
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 10:55 AM Traditional Worship
- 5:00 PM Women's Bible Study
- 5:30 PM Youth Hangtime
- 6:00 PM Youth Minister Dialogue

### Monday, October 3

- 12:00 PM Prayer Cottage @ Stone's

- 6:30 PM SS Council Meeting

### Wednesday, October 5

- 12:00 PM J.O.Y. Luncheon
- 5:30 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
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### Thursday, October 6

- 6:30 PM Deacons Banquet

### Friday, October 7

- 6:30 PM Choir Retreat

### Saturday, October 8

- 9:00 AM Choir Retreat





Please check the table at the kitchen entrance downstairs for any dishes that may belong to you.

The Women's Bible Study will be held tonight at 5:00 PM in Calvary's Fellowship Hall.



Mission Friends, RAs and GAs will be going to *His House of Bounce* on Wednesday night from 5:30 until 7:30p.m. A permission form must be turned in before loading the bus. There is a \$5 charge and older Mission Friends must bring a parent. This activity will take the place of the regular Wednesday night classes.

Next Sunday (October 2<sup>nd</sup>) at 6 PM, there will be a time for dialogue concerning our upcoming search for a Minister to Youth and Families. Our conversation will seek the congregation's input on the kind of person we should seek to fill this role and the duties that person should perform. Everyone is invited to participate.



The prayer cottage scheduled for Monday, September 26 has been rescheduled for Monday, October 3, at 12:00 noon. It will be held at David Stone's house located at 468 Pine Creek Trail. For more information, call David at 336-789-1177.

There is a Sunday School Council meeting scheduled for Monday, October 3rd, at 6:30. We will meet in the Men II Sunday School classroom.



The annual Deacon/Pastor/Staff and Spouse Banquet will be held on October 6 at 6:30 PM in the church fellowship hall.

There is still time to reserve your tickets for the 2011 NC Baptist Wake Forest Football Church Day Event to be held on Saturday, November 19th. Each ticket is \$25. Contact Danny Lineberry at (336) 745-1320 for more details.



The J.O.Y. group is planning a luncheon trip to Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theatre on Tuesday, November 29, to see their "Holiday Spectacular." Tickets will be \$30 for Calvary and J.O.Y. members and \$40 for others. All ticket money is to be given to Frances McBride. This includes lunch, tip and show. You may call Frances at 368-5648 to reserve your ticket.

**CALLING ALL SINGERS!**

The adult choir will be holding a mini-retreat on October 7-8 to begin preparations for their new Christmas musical, "Tapestry of Light" by Joseph Martin. Anybody who loves to sing and enjoys beautiful Christmas music is invited to join us for either the Friday night (6:30-8:30pm) or Saturday morning (9:00am-11:30am) sessions.



If you have any questions, you may contact our Music Minister, Stephen Farrar, or any of our choir members. Let's welcome Christ in together with a joyful noise this holiday season!



**FAMILY LIFE MARRIAGE CONFERENCE**  
Greensboro October 28, 29 & 30, 2011  
Sheraton Four Seasons Hotel



The Weekend to Remember is not a large counseling session, and you will not be asked to participate in small groups. Rather, you will receive marriage-changing principles that you can take home and apply to your daily lives to strengthen your marriage.

Please speak to Travis and Kristi Stevens or Bob and Pam Peake if you want to know more about the marriage getaway.