

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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THE CONNECTION



June, 2016

Children's Church is offered at both 8:00AM and 11:00AM services for ages 2-11.

Club J (co-ed) is offered the 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month for grades 6—12 in the White House.

Young Ladies Ministry is offered every 2nd Sunday of the month for grades 6—12 in the White House.

Young Men's Forum is offered 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays for grades 6—12 in the White House.

All are welcome!

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"Stan" Freeman, Brother Rayford McEachern, Brother
Quentin Ervin

Brother LaVel Divers & Brother Michael Johnson, Sextons

Order of Service

8:00AM & 11:00 AM

"Please remember to "Mute" all electronic devices"

PRAISE & WORSHIP

INVOCATION

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it. Malachi 3:10

SELECTION

PREACHED WORD

INVITATION TO CHRIST

COMMUNION

(1st Sunday Only)

BENEDICTION

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Sick & Shut In

- ◇ **Bro. William Brooks**, 2122 Tucker Lane, Apt. B6, 21207
- ◇ **Sis. Zelma Bruce**, 2831 Rona Road, 21207
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- ◇ **Bro. Gregory Smith**, 1230 Stamford Road, 21207
- ◇ **Sis. Betty Solomon**, 3501 Howard Park Avenue, #122, Baltimore, MD 21207

We Welcome Our New Members!

- ◇ **Sis. Bernice Covington**
- ◇ **Bro. Dominic Wade**
- ◇ **Sis. Whitney Shaw**

Condolences

- ◇ **Bro. Charles Harris & Deaconess Doris Faulkner** in the passing of his sister/aunt, Gertrude.
- ◇ **Bro. Ronnie Boyd, Sis. Sharon Cook, Brother Evander McLean & Sis. Patricia Williams** in the passing of his wife/aunt, Sister Juanita Boyd.

Members Away From Home

- ◇ **Bro. Earl Gray**, United States Marine Corps
- ◇ **Sis. Janet Sellman**, 7014 Maczali Drive, Missouri City, TX 77489
- ◇ **Sis. Cinnamon Dorsey**, UMES, 30665 30665 Student Service Center, PO Box 3875, Prince Anne, MD 21853
- ◇ **Sis. Lakeshia Renae Ferebee**, St. Mary's College of Maryland, 18952 E. Fisher Road, St. Mary's City, Maryland 20686-3001

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CBC BACK2SCHOOL TEAM

PRESENTS:

1ST ANNUAL YOUTH BENEFIT CRAB FEAST

Saturday, June 25, 2016

7:00PM—11:00PM

Tiffany's East

4116 East Lombard Street

Baltimore, MD 21224

Tickets: \$55.00

Menu Includes: Steamed Crabs, Crab Soup, Corn on the Cob, Swedish Meatballs, Green Beans, Pork BBQ, Fried Chicken, Whipped Potatoes, Potato Salad, Tossed Green Salad, Turkey Breast, American Cheese, Relish Dish, Imported Ham, Salami, Swiss Cheese and Dessert

Contact Team Members for Tickets

Sister Annette Jacks, Sister Dionna Joseph, Sister Carena Smith, Sister Kelli Tucker, Sister Chennelle Clanton, Sister Lettia Trusty, Sister Christina Achampong, Sister Rosalind Holloway, Sister Della Mitchell and Sister Wendy Johnson.

Music, Raffles and More!

All Proceeds benefit Back2School Giveaway

Sermon Notes: 2nd Sunday, June 12th

The Connection—June, 2016

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Celebrating Our 1st Family

Supporting the 10th Pastor & People Anniversary

**WAYS TO SAY
"I LOVE
YOU"**

Pick an envelope and donate the amount on the outside of the envelope. If you choose the envelope number 1 your donation is \$1.00, if you choose envelope numbered 10, your donation is \$10, all the way up to number 150.

All donations will support 10th Pastor & People Anniversary activities.

Contact: Sis. Lettia Trusty, Sis. Dionna Joseph, Min. Nichole Zivuku,
or contact the Church Office.

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CALLING ALL 2016 GRADUATES!

(Pre-K to Post Graduate)

CELEBRATE YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS!

If you are a member of Calvary Baptist Church and graduating in 2016, we will be celebrating you on **Sunday, July 17th** at the **11:00AM Worship Service**. Please complete the form located in the back of your Connection by **Sunday, June 26th**. Additional copies are provided in the Narthex.

A photo should be sent to nwhite@calvarybaltimore.com in JPEG, PDF or WORD format. If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Swakuu Karim at 443-804-0930 or you may contact the church office.

Calling all "High School Graduates"

The Scholarship Ministry is taking applications for those who will be pursuing their education career. Applications are located in the Narthex. Please see Rev. Swakuu Karim for any questions regarding deadlines.

WELCOMING OUR NEW MEMBERS!



Bro. Christopher Thomas; Sis. De Jackson; Sis. Bernice Covington; Sis. Marcia Holmes-Maye; Sis. Sharon Durant; Sis. Whitney Shaw; Sis. Shayae Smith; Sis. Jacquelyn Williams; Sis. Stephanie Hull; Bro. William Shird & Sis. Beverly Robinson. Not shown: Sis. Linda Zivuku

HONORING OUR 90 AND OVER MEMBERS!



Bro. Elmore Chavis



Sis. Bernice Parker



Deacon Clarence Jackson



Deaconess Millie Blanding



Sis. Ailene Carter



Sis. Mary Ware



Sis. Johnsie Powell



Sis. Mary Dixon

REMINDERS

- ◆ Right Hand of Fellowship (RHOF) and/or Baptisms, **Sunday, June 12th at 11:00AM.**
- ◆ New Life & Care (NLC) will meet on **Saturday, June 18th at 10:00AM.** If you joined Calvary and have not yet taken this class, please contact the church office.
- ◆ Focus 2020 **WILL NOT** meet on **Saturday, June 18th.** We will meet on **Saturday, July 16th at 10:00AM.** Please mark your calendars and let other ministry leaders aware of this change.
- ◆ Our next baby dedication service will be **Sunday, June 19th at 11:00AM.**
- ◆ Connection deadline for July's publication will be **Monday, June 20th.**
- ◆ **SAVE THE DATE:** Calvary's Annual Cookout. **Saturday, July 30th.**

WORDS OF APPRECIATION

The family of Earl-Leon Gray is deeply grateful to the Calvary Family for praying for him during his arduous training in the US Marine Corps. We are happy to inform that Earl has successfully completed training, also, doing exceptionally well academically for his graduation in April, and has now embarked on his first assignment, which will last for four years. This is the Lord's doing and it is wonderful for us to see (Psalm 118:23). Thanks be to God! Please continue praying for him, and, indeed, all military personnel! Thank You!

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Hello, Calvary,
 We thank you, Pastor Russell, for allowing us the opportunity to participate in celebrating Calvary's 95th Anniversary. We are proud of a committee who worked very hard, and we are as equally proud of our varied program participants. Our "Afternoon with the Arts" was received very well, and the "Historical Walk Thru" was illuminating. We were enthusiastically blessed with two, all inspiring, messages from Rev. Dr. Jerry Carter from Morristown, New Jersey. Thank you, Calvary and friends, for helping us show that Calvary is indeed "95 and Still Unified". Praise God for blessing us with a weekend of enthusiastic and memorable services and events. It is our prayer that we have inspired someone to get further involved in working with one of Calvary's many serving ministries; they provide an opportunity for individual Christian growth and strengthen Calvary as a Church. God gets all the glory, and we are just blessed and thankful for being a part of the activities.

Monica Watkins Co-Chair	Calvin J. Graves Co-Chair
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What a wonderful time we shared welcoming our new members last month! We would like to thank everyone who volunteered to serve and/or contributed in making this event a success! We especially give thanks to Sis. Robin Barnette, Sis. Hazel Tillman, Dr. Dorothea James, Sis. Wendy Johnson & The Culinary Team, Sis. Caresa Smith & The Ushers and Greeters, Sis. Carolyn Robinson, Arts & Sign Ministry, Sis. Kelly Tucker, Beautification, Bro. Lavel Divers & Bro. Michael Johnson, Sextons and First Lady Rita Russell. Lastly, we would like to thank our Pastor, Dr. Stephen J. Russell, Jr. for allowing us the opportunity to fulfill the vision. Please do not forget to stay in touch with the new member(s) that you were able to connect with during the "Getting To Know You" game. If you missed this event, don't worry. We will be hosting another New members Brunch in November 2016!

Natalie W. White Executive Administrator	Patricia Hunter Co-Chair	Karen Thomas Co-Chair
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Calendar of Events

Sundays: Services are held at **8:00AM & 11:00AM.** New Life Continuation Class, **10:00AM** in the White House. All Welcome! Communion is served the **1st Sunday** of the month. Baptism and/or Right Hand of Fellowship (RHOF) is extended the **2nd Sunday** of the month. Children's/Men's Choir sing the **5th Sunday** of the month.

Mondays:

- 10:00AM: Praisercise, Fellowship Hall (**SUMMER HAITUS AFTER JUNE 27TH**)
- 6:00PM: Deaconesses Fasting & Praying (**Every 3rd Monday**)
- 7:00PM: Drama Rehearsal (Please email Deacon Terry Stanley, t1s9000@hotmail.com if interested)
- 7:00PM: Adult Bible Study (**WILL RESUME IN SEPTEMBER**)
- 7:00PM: Trustee Board Meetings (**Every 2nd Monday**)
- 7:00PM: Joint Board Meeting (**Every 4th Monday**)
- 7:00PM: Scholarship Committee Meeting (**Every 3rd Monday**)

Tuesdays:

- 10:00AM: Staff Meetings
- 6:00PM: Band Rehearsal
- 7:00PM: Voices of Victory Choir Rehearsal. All are welcome!

Wednesdays

- 11:00AM: Prime Age Ministry (**SUMMER HAITUS AFTER JUNE 15TH**)
- 12:00PM: Noon Bible Study with Pastor Russell
- 6:00PM: Midweek Prayer (**Prayer line available at 6:00AM by dialing 1-218-339-0838 code #133379**)
- 7:00PM: Bible Study with Pastor Russell

Thursdays

- 7:00PM: Men's Bible Study
- 7:00PM: New Life Continuation Class

Fridays

- 10:00AM—1:00PM: Food Pantry, White House
- 6:00PM: Narcotics Anonymous, White House
- 6:30PM: Intermediate Ushers (**2nd and 4th Friday only**)
- 7:00PM: Men's Fellowship (**1st Friday only**)
- 7:00PM: Prison Prayer Ministry Meeting (**Every 3rd Friday**)

Saturdays

- 9:00AM: Missions Ministry Meeting (**Every 2nd Saturday**)
- 9:30AM: Deacons/Deaconesses Ministry Meeting (**Every 1st Saturday**)
- 10:00AM: New Members Class (**Every 3rd Saturday**)
- 10:00AM: Focus 2020 (**Every 4th Saturday**), followed by **Grace & Deliverance Meeting @ 11:00AM**
- 10:30AM: Greeters Ministry (**Every 2nd Saturday**)
- 12:30PM: Julia Reed/Senior Ushers Meeting (**Every 3rd Saturday**)



Theme: "Your Body is the Temple of God"

1 Corinthians 6:19

Monday, July 11th—Friday, July 15th

9:00AM—4:00PM

**Breakfast , Lunch, Daily Arts & Crafts
Included**

**Swimming, Bowling, Skating, Miniature Golf
(Will require a nominal fee.
Additional details to follow)**

Registration Forms in Narthex!

