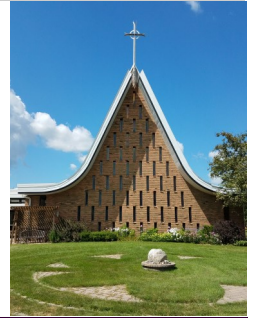


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Shirley Tulberg Memorial Concert Series

Final concert of the season!

	REGINA STRONCEK soprano
	TAYLOR BURKHARDT pianist
SATURDAY MAY 4TH 7 PM \$10	
works by Jocelyn Hagen, Edie Hill, Rebecca Clarke, & Helza Camêu	
 Shirley Tulberg Memorial Concert Series at Calvin Presbyterian Church	
Calvin Presbyterian Church 177 Glendale Drive Long Lake, MN	



MUSIC SUNDAY

FEATURING
THE CALVIN PRESBYTERIAN
CHANCEL CHOIR AND HANDBELL CHOIR

Come celebrate the music ministry
at Calvin during worship
on Music Sunday,
May 19th at 10:00am.



Pastor Carol's Corner

There is no way around it, Lent is a long season followed by a busy Holy Week, and Easter Day celebration. It takes a concerted group effort to make it work in a church the size of Calvin – and a huge thank you to all! Here are names I would like to call out, in no particular order, for all their work over the previous weeks:

- Thank you to Mark Bilyeu for choosing such a wonderful variety of music and to the choir for practicing and performing an amazing number of pieces, working extra hard during Holy Week. Thank you to Jared Miller for his skills at the piano and for helping assist Mark with the choir. Thank you to Savannah Heigl for her gifts of music and leadership as well with the choir.
- Thank you to everyone who brought soup to the Wednesday evening meals, to Dave Kearin who supplied the homemade bread, to everyone who helped purchase supplies, set-up, and clean-up – especially Kathy Berg and Ann Shaughnessy for overseeing the weekly meals. Thank you again to Kathy Berg and Ann Shaughnessy, along with Jim Rettinger who coordinated the Palm Sunday Brunch.
- Thank you to John Manro for managing all the paraments and banners in the sanctuary, and to Kathy Berg for the arranging of the Easter morning flowers.
- Thank you to Pam Vande Vegte for helping choose and for directing the dramas during the mid-week worship services, Palm Sunday, Holy Week, and Easter morning. Thank you to Pam, Laura Rettinger, and Jim Rettinger for their work recruiting drama participants.
- The longest list is those who took parts in the dramas! We are blessed with an amazing amount of talent in this congregation. Thank you to: Susan Baker, Walter Baker, Krista Berbig, Zach Berbig, Mark Bilyeu, Ron Bowman, Stephanie Coe, George Funk, Jay Gagner, Vanessa Gagner, Anita Goman, Gary Keller, Doug Potter, Jim Rettinger, Laura Rettinger, Judy Rogosheske, Joel Settles, Dave Shaughnessy, Skelly Shaughnessy, Maighread Shaughnessy, Todd Wood, Arlo Vande Vegte, and Pam Vande Vegte.
- We were glad to have the participation of First Presbyterian Church of Maple Plain and for the help of Rev. Meg Newswanger and Rev. Rick Newswanger.

These weeks following Easter are known in the church as the season of Easter. Blessings to everyone as we continue to move into spring, worshipping and serving our risen Lord.

Carol



One Great Hour of Sharing
amount given to date: \$973.46.
Thank you!

*In
Loving
Memory*

Theresa (Tressie) Marie Weege
December 9, 1976 - April 25, 2019
Memorial Service is Saturday, May 4th at 11:00am,
Howard Lake Presbyterian Church

Tressie grew up at Calvin Church and is the daughter of Jim Dillman, sister of Katie Dillman. She died tragically from a blood clot that travelled to her heart. She is preceded in death by her mother, Linda Dillman; and younger brother, Jacob Dillman; and leaves behind three young children. Please keep the entire family in your prayers during this difficult time.

Greeter/Liturgist Schedule

May 5 - Communion

Greeter - Margot Garin
 Liturgist - Dwight Chamberlain

May 12

Greeter - Bonnie Boylan
 Liturgist - Anita Goman

May 19

Greeters - The Gagner Family
 Liturgist - Susan Baker

May 26

Greeters - Bob & Jan Solheim
 Liturgist - Susan Manro



Congratulations to proud parents Jennifer and Nick Schadewald, big sister Stella; proud grandparents Ron and Candy Bowman, and aunt Alison Bowman! Bodhi was born on April 25, 2019 at Maple Grove Hospital. The new family of four is home and doing well.

Spring Schedule

9:00am Adult Education, Fellowship Hall

9:30am Chancel choir practice, Choir Rehearsal Room

10:00am Worship

10:00am Sunday school

11:00am Coffee Fellowship in Fellowship Hall

Weekly Activities

Sunday

9:00am Adult Education
 9:30am Chancel choir rehearsal
 10:00am Worship
 11:00am Fellowship time

Tuesday

3:00pm SPARKS program

Wednesday

6:00pm Handbell practice
 7:00pm Chancel choir practice

Thursday

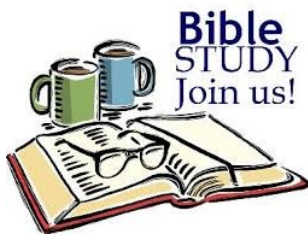
3:00pm SPARKS program

Monthly Activities

Men's Breakfast	1st Tuesday	8:00am
Session Meeting	1st Tuesday	6:30pm
Lunch Bunch	1st Wednesday	12:00pm
PW Meeting	2nd Monday	9:00am
Ruth Circle	2nd Thursday	2:00pm
Mary & Martha Circle	4th Wednesday	9:30am



"The Sculptor" Lenten drama from Good Friday, April 19th. Actors (from left): Judy Rogosheske, Tammy Wenz, Lenny Berg, Zach Berbig, Todd Wood, Savannah Heigl, Arlo Vande Vegte, and Sharon Keller.



**Bible
STUDY**
Join us!

ADULT EDUCATION

Fellowship Hall - 9:00am
Everyone is welcome!

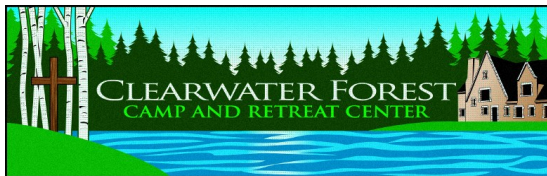


A Bible Study Series on the theme
NEW TEACHING
Unit Three: *The True Gospel*

Led by Rev. Dwight Chamberlain & Rev. Dr. Carol Reed

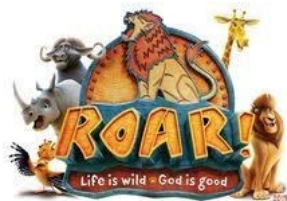
Sunday, May 5 - Lesson 11, The Gospel: Faith in Christ -- Galatians 3:15-25
Sunday, May 12 - Lesson 12, Heirs Because of the Gospel -- Galatians 3:26-4:7
Sunday, May 19 - Lesson 13, The Gospel in Action -- Galatians 6:1-10

As time permits we will also highlight the lives of several early 2nd century Christian leaders. These persons are important in early Church History and our heritage as Christians.



Visit www.clearwaterforest.org for the camp schedule and online registration, with programs for youth in 3rd grade through recent graduates, as well as intergenerational programs like Grands Camps.

Do you think you are too old to come to Clearwater, but still love camp? Consider one of our family programs, volunteering a week this summer, sponsoring a counselor, or financially supporting a family member or friend to come to Clearwater. To register or for more information, give the office a call at #218-678-2325, or visit their website.



VBS 2019

At Roar, kids will explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life.

Where: Trinity Lutheran Church

When: June 10-13 | 9:00am - noon

Cost: \$35 per child (*Scholarships available*)

Youth in Grade 5 & up and adults are needed as helpers.

Register at www.trinitylonglake.org/VBS



Saturday, April 13, 2019: Judy Rogosheske, Jared Miller (our choral accompanist), and Arlo Vande Vegte posing for a photo at the University of MN School of Music's Ferguson Hall, where Jared performed a variety of works for his final Master's recital. Congratulations Jared!



**Calvin Women’s Association
Annual Spring Salad Supper**

Join us for our annual Calvin PW Spring Salad Supper on Monday, May 20th at 6pm. All the women of the church, their spouses, and friends are invited for an evening of good food and entertainment provided by Singleton Street - an award-winning, local band of musicians that play a mix of gospel, Celtic, bluegrass, and Americana music.

This dinner is a gift of the PW to the members of the church as a ‘thank you’ for everything you do to make our church a wonderful place to belong. The members of the PW coordinating team provide the meal, but an offering will be taken to help defray costs. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the Gathering Hall.



Thursday, May 23, 2019

5:30-6:30pm

St. George Catholic Church

ALL ARE WELCOME!

There is no cost for these meals, but donations will be accepted. Join us!

Birthdays

- May 1 Vanessa Gagner
- May 3 Jeff Brown
- May 6 Bob Gehrman
- May 9 Lois Potter
- May 11 Evan Manro
- May 13 Lucia Stubbs
- May 14 Marj Kvale
- May 17 Wilma Hagan
- May 29 Rachel Wenz
- May 31 Doug Potter
Ed Oliver



Celebrate!



There’s something for everyone! Calvin’s spring rummage sale is here!

Baked goods may be dropped off Tuesday, April 30th or Wednesday, May 1st; and shopping for Calvin members is Wednesday, May 1st from 6-7pm.

The sale is Thursday, May 2nd (9am-6pm), Friday, May 3rd (9am-3pm, half price day), and Saturday, May 4th (9-12pm, Bag day/\$5 a bag).

Volunteers are still needed to help organize donations, to help during the sale, and to clean-up on Saturday, May 4th after the sale ends. Even a few hours would be greatly appreciated!

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Ruth Circle Meeting on May 9th

PW Meeting on May 13th

Mary & Martha Circle Meeting on May 22nd





Lunch Bunch will meet on Wednesday, May 8th at 12pm - *if someone signs up to host*. Bring a dish to share, *but no need to bring your own place settings*. Please join us - everyone is welcome! *If you would like to host the meal, please sign up in the Gathering Hall. If all participants sign up to host at least once, the entire year should be covered!*



Weight Warriors support group - A support group has formed at Calvin and meets every Saturday morning at 8am. Weigh in and stay for an informal meeting to get support on your weight loss journey. The group is open to anyone (men or women) that are interested in losing weight, getting back on track with healthy eating, or looking for support to maintain their weight loss. Questions? See Kathy Berg or Tammy Wenz.



Spring clean-up day - The Buildings and Grounds Committee is planning a spring clean-up day for Saturday, May 18th from 9:00-11:00am. We particularly need help cleaning up the front gardens after winter, but would welcome any non-gardeners help with a few extra inside projects.



Dear Calvin Presbyterians - Thank you for including us in your Lent and Good Friday services and meals. We enjoyed the opportunities for fellowship, the delicious soups, and the meaningful worship. May God continue to bless your ministry! ~In Christ's Love, The Session of FPC Maple Plain



Lending closet - Just a reminder that the church has a lending closet. Walkers and small transfer wheelchairs are available to be borrowed. If anyone has a need, please contact the church office to make arrangements.



Thank you to all who purchased butter braids or cookies during the youth fundraiser. We raised \$620 that will be used for future youth events, as none of our youth are able to attend Triennium. We will be planning a family event this summer to include our younger children as well. Stay tuned!



Greetings from the Music Department!

May brings the end of our very busy music season! First, on May 4th, our first choral scholar - Gigi Stroncek and former choral pianist Taylor Burkhardt will present the final installment of the first full season of the Shirley Tulberg Memorial Concert Series. I ask you to please come support this program and these artists, who have already contributed so much to our community. Tickets are only \$10!

Our Music Sunday is scheduled for May 19th. This is also our current scholar - Savannah's - graduation day, so be sure to say an extra thank you to her for all she has brought to Calvin over this past year. The chancel choir will sing, and the handbells will once again ring, and continue on through the summer!

With many thanks for your constant support of the music at Calvin!

MAY 2019

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
 <p>Fellowship Time is on Sundays at 11:00am (following worship)</p>			<p>1 9am - 12pm Rummage Sale set-up</p> <p>6- 7pm Calvin family shopping hour</p> <p>7pm Choir practice</p>	<p>2 9am - 6pm Rummage Sale</p> <p>3-5pm SPARKS (middle school)</p>	<p>3 9am - 3pm Rummage Sale</p>	<p>4 9am - 12pm Rummage Sale</p> <p>7pm Shirley Tulberg Memorial Concert</p>
<p>5 Communion</p> <p>9am Adult Education 9:30am Choir rehearsal 10am Worship</p>	6	<p>7 8am Men's breakfast</p> <p>3-5pm SPARKS (middle school)</p> <p>6:30pm Session meeting</p>	<p>8 12pm Lunch Bunch</p> <p>6pm Handbell choir practice</p> <p>7pm Choir practice</p>	<p>9 2pm Ruth Circle</p> <p>3-5pm SPARKS (middle school)</p>	10	11
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<p>19 Music Sunday</p> <p>9am Adult Education 9:30am Choir rehearsal 10am Worship</p>	<p>20 6pm PW Spring sal- ad supper</p> <p></p>	<p>21 3-5pm SPARKS (middle school)</p>	<p>22 9:30am Mary & Martha Circle</p> <p>7pm Choir practice</p>	<p>23 3-5pm SPARKS (middle school)</p> <p>5:30pm Community Meal @ St. George</p>	24	25
<p>26 9:30am Choir rehearsal 10am Worship</p>	<p>27 Office Closed</p> <p></p>	28	<p>29 7pm Choir practice</p>	30	31	

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Connect with us!



OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
10:00am - 2:00pm

*Pastor Carol is in
the office Tues - Fri
(or can be reached at
her home phone #)*



Please recycle

*We extend a most cordial invitation
to you to participate in worship,
study and the many other activities in
the life of our Calvin family.*



Church Staff

- Pastor - Rev. Dr. Carol Reed
- Parish Associate - Rev. Dwight Chamberlain
- Pastor Emeritus - Rev. Douglas Potter
- Clerk of Session - Walter Baker
- Music Director - Mark Bilyeu
- Handbell Director - Mark Bilyeu
- Choral Accompanist - Jared Miller
- Choral Scholar - Savannah Heigl
- Office Administrator - Angela Coccoluto
- Treasurer - Pat King
- Financial Secretaries - Marj Eisinger & Tammy Wenz

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Calvin Connection deadline: Second Friday of the month
Sunday Bulletin announcements deadline: Thursdays at 10am
*Email articles and/or announcements for the Calvin Connection & Sunday bulletins to Angela
(see email address above), or drop them off in the church office. Any questions, please call
Angela at 952-473-5419.*