SPECIAL GIFTS

- To R & R by Ray & Marsha Smith, James Kim, Marty Mulligan and Gary Childers.
- To CROP WALK by Henry & Lauretta Forrest, Ray & Marsha Smith and Marty Mulligan.
- To CUMC in memory of Alice Jarrell by Harding Shinn, Ted & Brenda Alexander, Tom Phillips, Billy & Linda Hefner, Ann Jarrell, Donnie & Donna Butler, Donnie Smith, Patrick Gravitta, Christopher & Jane Ward, Andy & Jan Phillips, Carla Cornelius, and Terry Frye.
- To R & R in memory of Alice Jarrell by June Severs, Henry & Lauretta Forrest, and Ray & Marsha Smith and Bill Cobb Sunday School Class.
- To Project Agape Shoes by June Severs.
- To UMCOR International Disaster Response (#982450-Bahamas)by Ray & Marsha Smith and Earl & Becky Beckham.
- To UMAR by Ray & Marsha Smith, Henry & Lauretta Forrest, Ted & Brenda Alexander, Jae & Kim Lee, and Calvary UMW.
- To R & R in memory of Hazel Crump & Alice Jarrell by Ruby Vincent.
- To CROP WALK in memory of Bill Pressley by Hub & Pat Tesh.
- To CUMC in memory of Stella Schlagowsky by Harding Shinn, and June Severs.

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WELCOME HOME, CALVARY FAMILY!

Now as they went on their way, [Jesus] entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha **welcomed him into her home**.(Luke 10:38)

Welcome home, Calvary family and friends! Calvary congregation and I are very pleased to have you on our Homecoming Sunday.

It will be our celebration of 154 year ministry in Christ Jesus our Lord. Through the years, many saints at Calvary have served the Lord and our local community with their faithful presence and passionate hearts. Above all, we give thanks to our God who has journeyed with us.

We will have Rev. Bob Boggan, one of our most beloved former pastors, as our guest preacher, and we are excited to have Pat as well.

As Martha and Mary welcomed Jesus and his disciples into their home and served them, we welcome Christ our Lord and our friends. After our worship service, all worship participants will continue our joyous fellowship in the fellowship hall.

Let us make a memorable homecoming together!

Blessings and love, Jae

CONGRATULATIONS



Erin Johnson and Spencer Smith will marry on Oct. 5th, Saturday at 4pm in the church. We pray and bless this young couple as they begin a new journey as husband and wife. We are so happy for you!



OCTOBER

Annie Bailes	2	Daisy Dunlap	7
Faye Smith	14	Jim Jeffries	15
Shirley Weeks	18	Shea Johnson	24
Isabella Browning	24	Sharyn Johnson	25
Betty Pinion	27	Theresa McLendon	28
Marty Mulligan	29		



Calvary members: Betty Matthews, Harding Shinn, June Severs, Ruby Vincent, Henry Forrest, Annette James, Stella Schlagowsky, Donnie Smith, Wade Cobb, Shirley Weeks, Brenda Alexander, Kathleen Shaw, Daisy Dunlap, Margaret Bumgardner, Buck Bailes, Alice Jarrell, Dale Harton, Betty Pinion, Henry McCannon, Preston Savage, Mason Butler, Faye Smith.

Friends of Calvary: Helen Braswell, Everleigh Parker, Chuck Comer, Mary Arnold, Betty Bradley, William Hart, Michael Morgan, Marianne Sabo, Suzanne Severs, Danyel Healy, Dean Edwards, Dina Faquin, Mary Stockton, Cheryl Rogers, Elliott and Louise Cramer, Laura Krown, Brian Dobbins, Brenda Markham, Merwin Foard, Paul Brackbill, Brendon Boxler, Dillon Webb, Dale and Dawn Hauser, Mary Anne Koon, Linda Baucom, Millie King, Joyce Puckett, and Tom Phillips.

Community and beyond: All the students, teachers, school administrators, and parents in this back-to-school season, Wilmore Neighbors, and all those who serve for our community and country.

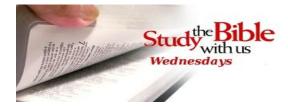
IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM TRUSTEES

As you may know, for the last several years, our Repair & Replace (R & R) Lunch Fund and other donations paid the bills for our church facility repairs. Due to the age of our church buildings, our repair expenses have been more than our budget. We are \$ 19,300 behind in our R & R Fund. We also have a quote of \$13,200 for needed repairs to our church roof. This puts our R & R Fund "minus" \$32,500. For the next several months, we would like to ask your generous support to raise this money.

Calvary UMC Trustees



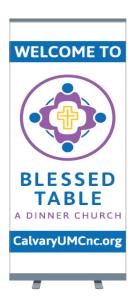
Calvary will celebrate its 154th Homecoming on Oct. 13th, and our guest preacher is Rev. Bob Boggan, one of our beloved former pastors. Please attend with your family and friends. After service, all worshipers will have fellowship lunch together.



We have a Bible Study every Wednesday at 11am in the church fellowship hall. Please bring your lunch bag so that we share fellowship together after Bible study. We have studied *Judges* from the Old Testament, and we will learn together our favorite *Psalm 23* in the month of October. If you want to grow your relationship with God, please come and join us.

^{*}If there is any change, please let church office know.

BLESSED TABLE ON OCT. 27TH



Calvary's dinner church, "Blessed Table" was held on September 29th with 32 participants. We deeply appreciate guest speakers, Fletcher Bateman and Justin Boyd, and our working teams for dinner meal, decoration, sound system and hospitality!

Next dinner church will be on October 27th at 5:30 pm. Please invite your FRANKs (friends, relatives, associates, neighbors, and kids) to the Blessed Table!



There will be Annual Charge Conference on Nov. 10 in the sanctuary to approve our lay leadership, pastor's compensation, and 2020 church budget. All church members are requested to attend the Charge Conference.

CROP WALK LUNCHEON & BASKET AUCTION



In order to raise funds to support CROP WALK, there will be a Luncheon & Basket Auction on Oct. 6th after our worship service. CROP WALK is a combined community effort to stop hunger in our local communities, and it will be on Oct. 20th.

Patty Pressley, Calvary's CROP WALK Coordinator



Our dear friend, Stella Schlagowsky was receieved into God's eternal home, and we had a graveside service on Oct.1st. Please keep her family in your prayers.



The Outreach Team will meet on October 23 at 12:30 pm in Pop Smith's classroom.

Brenda Alexander, Chair

PROJECT AGAPE FALL SHIPMENT



Our fall shipment for Project Agape was 27 boxes consisting of clothing, school supplies, and shoes.

Our personal shopper, Marsha Smith, purchased **92 pair of children's** shoes for the children served by Project Agape. This is our largest shipment of shoes. We appreciate Marsha's dedication to this special shoe project.

The Outreach Team appreciates the donations from our congregation because your monetary donations make this special shoe project shipment possible.

Brenda Alexander, Chair

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN GENERAL MEETING



United Methodist Women's General Meeting will be after worship on Sunday, October 20. We will have our usual salad luncheon, and husbands are invited to join us for lunch. Remember to bring donations for the Relatives.

Brenda Alexander, President

