

sunday times

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost
August 16, 2015



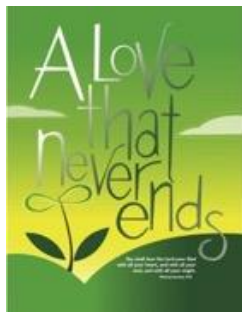
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

God's work. Our hands.

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Welcome to Calvary Lutheran Church. As our fall schedule gears up, we invite you to join us again. May our unity as the body of Christ be an ongoing blessing to one another.

If you are visiting with us today, please fill out one of the yellow "Welcome Friend" visitor forms located in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.



Welcome Camp Staff

We welcome the Calvary Cross Roads Day Camp Staff - Amanda, Haley, Hendrickson, and Phoebe. The camp staff will guide 17 of our

youth through an awesome week of action-filled camp fun! Crafts, songs, worship, games and Bible study will all be packed into an amazing day camp experience. Late registrations are welcome - forms are available in the Narthex or email lynda@calvarycranford.com.

All are invited to our Day Camp Worship Celebration with Holy Communion on Thursday, August 20 at 7:00 PM. Join us for a faith-filled evening of song, story, and Bible skits presented by our campers. Refreshments will be served.

Pastoral Prayers, Joys & Concerns

- ✠ Ben Gardner, cousin of Chuck Sherrick, had reconstructive surgery last week. We have been praying for Ben's recovery after a very serious accident.
- ✠ Tyler Hill, friend of Eddie Liecht is struggling with substance abuse.



Women's Bible Study! All ages are invited to join us on Friday, **August 21, 2015 at 1pm.**



ECLA'S God's work, Our hands Day of Service - On Sept. 13th from 9 to 10:30am we are asking that the

congregation come together in Fellowship Hall for a project in support of the **ELCA's God's work, Our hands Day of Service.** We will be assembling and decorating tote bags of personal care items for the benefit of **Jersey Cares First Night Kit Program.** The supplies will be provided, so no need to shop ahead! Instead, we are encouraging the congregation to consider making a "designated giving" donation in support of our ministries. We will also be raising money (and showing our Lutheran Spirit!), by selling "**God's work, Our Hands**" T-Shirts to wear the day of the project.



We are very happy to announce that Kathleen Jacinto began her ministry at Calvary as our new Parish Manager on August

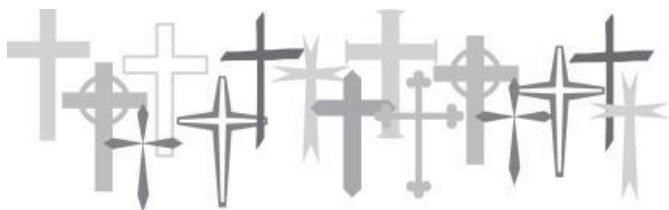
3rd. Many of you have met Kathleen at Calvary*. She and her husband, Jack, live in Roselle Park with their three-old daughter Genesis. Kathleen's new responsibilities include the management of Calvary's office and property concerns. We hope you will help us to welcome Kathleen to her new position at Calvary.



We also hope that you will help us thank Jill Garnhart for her service as our Interim Parish Manager. Jill very graciously stepped in last winter when we received an unexpected staff resignation. She has done a beautiful job handling the many tasks of our office. In addition, she has organized in recent weeks our church files which contain materials going back 50 years or more!!

Thank you, Jill, for your help, energy and inspiration in our church office and a hearty welcome to Kathleen Jacinto, Pastor Carol.

*(In accordance with our new staff policy, Kathleen will be moving her membership to another congregation.)



THOSE SERVING TODAY

9:30am
 Asst. Min. Chris Wendel
 Comm. Asst. Chuck Sherrick
 Ushers Henry Wichmann (C)
 Pat Wichmann
 Cliff Kaiser
 TBD
 Acolyte Eric Pastore
 Altar Guild Lori Gaudin

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

Sun 8/16 12th Sunday after Pentecost
 9:30am Worship w/Holy Communion

Mon 8/17-Fri 8/21

9-3pm Calvary Cross Roads Day Camp

Tue 8/18

7:30pm Church Council Meeting

Thur 8/20

1:15 pm Midweek Worship w/ Holy Communion

7 pm Day Camp Worship Celebration

Sun 8/23

13th Sunday after Pentecost
 9:30am Worship w/Holy Communion

Paper Copies of the July/August issue of Cross Currents are available in the narthex.



Hand in Hand Days

August 22nd and Oct. 24th
 9am to 3:00pm -

You are invited to come and team up with others from across the state to volunteer your time and efforts to help those who hurt, who are in need, or who have limited choices due to Superstorm Sandy. To register, please have each volunteer fill out the [Individual volunteer Form](#) or call (609) 386-7171.