

**CMC Family Fellowship**—With Christmas falling on Saturday this year, we thought it might be beneficial to have a CMC Family Fellowship on Sun, Dec 26, from 9:30-10:15. Everyone is invited to participate in this fellowship time in lieu of the regular Sunday School time – children must be accompanied by a parent. This also gives our Children’s Sunday School Staff and Nursery Workers the opportunity to interact with other adults and families. There will be refreshments available for everyone to enjoy as well.

**We are blessed with many resources for those ministering here at CMC. If you want to borrow something from any part of the building or another ministry, please contact the committee responsible or the church office. Once you are finished with the item, please return it to the spot in which you found it. Thank you.**

**Christmas Tracts**—You will find Christmas tracts on the racks at the top of the stairs of both the large and small canopy entrances. Please contact the office if you need an extra supply.

**2022 Giving Envelopes**—The 2022 Giving Envelopes are in the Connection Ctr. If you are a committee member, your envelopes are in your mailbox in the office. If you are new to CMC and would like to request giving envelopes, use a pew card, or just call the church office. Please take time to read I Corinthians 16.

**Baptism Service**—If you are interested in being baptized we will have the first class on Sun, Jan 2, and the second one on Sun, Jan 16. You must attend both classes. The service is scheduled for Sun, Jan 23. Please contact the office if you are interested in baptism.

**Pastoral Search Committee**—If you have questions or concerns about the Pastoral Search, please use the following email:  
pastoralsearch@cmcracine.org

**Keep Us Informed**—If you have recently moved, changed your email address, gotten a new phone number, added a member to the family – please fill out a pew card or call the church office. Thank you.

**Leftovers**—After church events – dinners, funerals, Cup of Christmas Tea – we end up with a variety of plates, bowls, and a variety of utensils. Please check the kitchen before you head home today and take the leftover food and containers that belong to you. Thank you.

**Email Challenge**—Please be advised that if you have an email ending with **wi.rr.com**, many of them are bouncing back to the office email—or simply failing to be delivered. Just another adventure with technology, but we wanted you to know that if you have emailed us and are still waiting for a response, please call the office.

### **What Child Is This/Child of the Poor**

What Child is this, who laid to rest on Mary's lap is sleeping?  
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet  
While shepherds watch are keeping?

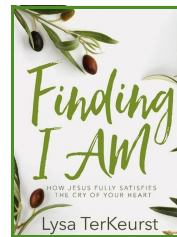
Helpless and hungry, lowly, afraid wrapped in the chill of midwinter,  
Comes now, among us, born into poverty's embrace,  
New life for the world.  
Who is this? Who lives with the lowly?

Sharing their sorrows, knowing their hunger?  
This is Christ revealed to the world in the eyes of a child,  
A child of the poor.

Who is, this stranger? Here in our midst? Looking for shelter among us?  
Who is this outcast, who do we see amidst the poor, the children of God?  
Who is this? Who lives with the lowly?

So bring Him incense, gold and myrrh, come peasant, king to own Him.  
The King of Kings salvation brings, let loving hearts enthrone Him.  
Bring the thirsty, all who seek peace, bring those with nothing to offer.  
Strengthen the feeble, say to the frightened heart fear not,  
Fear not: here is your God!  
The Babe, the Son of Mary.

What Child Is This/Child of the Poor/Lyrics by William Chatterton Dix, Scott Soper/©2017 Oregon Catholic Press Music International



### *Sisters in Christ*

#### **Finding I Am**

*How Jesus Fully Satisfies the Cry of Your Heart*  
Every Tuesday at 9:30 am  
At Calvary Memorial Church – Begins Jan 11, 2022  
Nursery Provided  
Sign up at the Connection Center by Dec 26

2021 Financial Report – Week #49  
Budget needs: \$13,285/Offering: \$21,426  
2021 Anniversary Offering/YTD: \$7076  
2021 Christmas Card Project: \$1399  
YTD Budget \$650,965/YTD Income: \$602,489  
YTD Expenses: \$540,894 (as of 11.30.21)  
Weeks’ Reserves: 22.26 (as of 11.30.21)  
To download the CMC app, scan this QR code.



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# **Calvary Memorial Church**

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## **December 12, 2021** **THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT**

*“But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, to redeem those who were under the law, that we might receive the adoption as sons.”*  
Galatians 4:4-5

Welcome Pastor Ethan Davis

Scriptural Call to Worship—John 1:1-2, 14 (Page #560)

Organ Call to Worship Bonnie Mouw

*Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence* (Hymnal #81)

Hymn #127 *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*

Scripture—Isaiah 9:6-7 (Page #363) Al Pick

Prayer of Praise

Hymn #123 (Stanzas 1-4, 6) *While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks*

Video

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Music Ministry *What Child Is This/Child of the Poor*

Moriah Davis, Kim Myrum, accompanied by Andy Lewis

Scripture—Luke 2:8-14 (Page #541)

Pre-School–1<sup>st</sup> Grade Children going to Children’s Church may be dismissed during the next song

Hymn #125 *Angels We Have Heard on High*

Hymn #126 *Angels, from the Realms of Glory*

Music Ministry Vanessa Bourne & Abby Lewis

*O Come, O Come Emmanuel*

Scripture—Matthew 1:18-25 (Page #509) Joe Czernicki

Sermon **The Meaning of the Birth of Jesus**

Pastor Ralph Wingate

*What Came When Jesus Came?*

Postlude Joanie Forsyth

*How Great Our Joy!* with *Sing We Now of Christmas*

Elders are available for prayer in the front of the sanctuary at the close of the service.

**Christmas Card Project and Anniversary Offering**—This year’s Christmas Card Project will be combined with our Anniversary Offering. Rather than sending Christmas Cards among ourselves, the Calvary Memorial Church receives an offering that represents an amount we might spend on cards and postage. Those giving to this project will be listed in a special Christmas card on Sun, Dec 26, so your donation needs to be in the office by Tue, Dec 21 at noon. (If you are using Tithely, please allow for the delayed deposit.) These gifts will be used to support Wycliffe Bible Translators’ efforts in translating the Bible for a people group in the Southern Philippines. Jeremiah and Lydia James are on that translation team. Please be generous in this year’s offering so that, soon, that people group in the Southern Philippines will have a Bible in their own language to read and share with others.

**Memorial Service Video**—Mike Childer’s memorial service has been uploaded to You Tube as an unpublished video. Anyone who wants to see the video can email/call the church office for the link.



**This week at Calvary Memorial Church**

Sun, Dec 12	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship Service	10:30 am
Mon, Dec 13	Men's Lunch 'n Dartball– bring your lunch	12-2
Tue, Dec 14	Prayer & Fasting Facilities	6:00 pm
Wed, Dec 15	CMC Awana	6:15 pm
	<b>EVIDENCE</b>	6:15 pm
	Prayer Meeting	7:00 pm
Thurs, Dec 16	Men's B'fast/DeRango's	9:00 am
	Men’s Bible Study	10:00 am
Fri, Dec 17	Friday Morning Men's Fellowship	9:00 am

**Upcoming Events**

Dec 23	Office Closed	
Dec 24	Office Closed	
	Christmas Eve Svc	3:00 pm
Jan 30 & 31	Office Closed	
Jan 2 & 16	Baptism Class	4:30 pm
Jan 23	Baptismal Service	6:00 pm
Jan 30	MISSION SEMINAR Information Mtg	4:30 pm
	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday – Sharing Night	6:00 pm

**Harvest Outreach—64 lbs** was taken to Harvest Outreach this week. The greatest needs this week are: **pasta, canned pasta, rice, and chicken noodle soup – canned items with pop-tops are a huge help.** Harvest Outreach hours will be Mon, Thur, & Fri – 9:30 to 11:30. If you need food, go to the east side of the bldg, honk twice. Someone will come out to check your ID and the number of people in your family..

**Bible Reading: Hosea 10-12**

**CMC Nominating Committee  
2022 Recommendations**

The following slate of proposed Elders and Committee members are offered for your review prior to the Annual Business Meeting per the CMC Bylaws. The committee appointments were unanimously approved by the Council of Elders.\*

**Council of Elders**

Tim Bourne  
Joe Czernicki  
**Kent Lewis**  
Howard Peterson  
Nate Peterson  
Al Pick  
Jason Wenzel  
Pastor Ethan Davis  
Pastor Pat Faulk

Nominees:

1. Rick Lewis
2. Dave Caucutt
3. David Gauthier

**Christian Education Committee**

Min. 3 members, S.S. Supt., 1 Elder, every CE Pastor except Senior Pastor  
Sherry Peterson  
Kathy Pick  
Karen Schmitt, SS Supt.  
Robert Sorenson CMC Awana  
Pastor Pat Faulk  
Pastor Ethan Davis  
1. Deena Maurer

**Facilities Committee**

Min. 4 members, 1 Elder  
**Bob Clark**  
Tom Danek  
Cody Erhardt  
Nate Peterson  
**Larry Reesman**  
**Donna Jo Wilkinson**

1. Andy Lewis
2. CJ Maurer

**Finance Committee**

Min. 4 members, 1 Elder  
**Brad Bliss**  
Rick Lewis  
Kyle Maurer  
Steve Schmitt  
Paul Van Koningsveld  
1. Rick Friesema

**Men's Ministries Committee**

Min. 5 men, 1 Elder  
**David Gauthier**  
**Nate Peterson**  
**Robert Sorenson**  
Ted Weaver  
1. Frank Forsyth  
2. Steve Lambkin  
3. Alex Schulz

**Missions Committee**

Min. 5 members, 1 Elder  
Dave Caucutt  
Cassy Gauthier  
Mark Hansen  
Vicki Hansen  
Roger Lehner  
Elizabeth Pezoldt

**Women's Ministries Committee**

Min. 5 women, 1 Elder  
Moriah Davis  
Vicki Hansen  
Laura Maurer  
Laura Stevens  
Jan Wahlen

\*Names in **bold italics** are going off the indicated committee.  
\*Names following numerals indicate newly nominated committee members.

**THE MEANING OF THE BIRTH OF JESUS  
Matthew 1:18-25**

I am going to start with 2 questions:

Question #1 \_\_\_\_\_

Question #2 \_\_\_\_\_

There are a number of things made possible because of the birth of Jesus:

I. Jesus makes \_\_\_\_\_

II. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_

III. Jesus is a great high priest who \_\_\_\_\_

IV. Death \_\_\_\_\_

V. The birth of Jesus \_\_\_\_\_

Please keep all of these people in your prayers.

## Prayer Bulletin

Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men. I Timothy 2:1

ELDERS—Tim Bourne, Joe Czernicki, Pastor Ethan Davis, Pastor Pat Faulk, Kent Lewis, Howard Peterson, Nate Peterson, Al Pick, Jason Wenzel

CE COMMITTEE—Pastor Ethan Davis, Pastor Pat Faulk, Sherry Peterson, Kathy Pick, Karen Schmitt—SS Superintendent, Robert Sorenson—CMC Awana Ministry Director, Brad Bliss, Tim Bourne

FACILITIES COMMITTEE—Bob Clark, Tom Danek, Cody Erhardt, Nate Peterson, Larry Reesman, Donna Jo Wilkinson, Rick Lewis, Howard Peterson

FINANCE COMMITTEE—Brad Bliss, Rick Lewis, Kyle Maurer, Steve Schmitt, Paul Van Koningsveld, Rochelle Czernicki – Treasurer, Kent Lewis

MEN'S MINISTRIES— David Gauthier, Nate Peterson, Robert Sorenson, Ted Weaver, Joe Czernicki

MISSIONS COMMITTEE—Dave Caucutt, Cassy Gauthier, Mark Hansen, Vicki Hansen, Roger Lehner, Kyle Maurer, Elizabeth Pezoldt, Al Pick

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES—Moriah Davis, Vicki Hansen, Laura Maurer, Laura Stevens, Jan Wahlen

SEARCH COMMITTEE—Bob Andersen, Tim Bourne, Joe Czernicki, Pastor Ethan Davis, Pastor Pat Faulk, Sue Friesema, Cassy Gauthier, Kent Lewis, Howard Peterson, Nate Peterson, Al Pick, Jan Wahlen, Jason Wenzel, Pastor Ralph Wingate

KITCHEN – Rachel Riley

LIBRARY—Vanessa Bourne, Diana Manchester

CHURCH STAFF—Pastor Ethan Davis, Pastor Pat Faulk, Jon Patton, Karen Schmitt, Linda Specht, Pastor Ralph Wingate

AV TECH SUPPORT—Bob Andersen, Bob Clark, Tom Danek , Gary & Judy Smith, Bob Stevens

MUSIC—Dan & Bonnie Mouw, Joanie Forsyth

**EVIDENCE**—Brad & Rose Bliss, Pastor Ethan & Moriah Davis, David & Cassy Gauthier, Nate & Mindy Peterson, Jan Wahlen, Jason & Sally Wenzel

HARVEST OUTREACH— Jim Barnhart, Joyce Ferrell, Melody Gustavson, Joyce Larsen, Rachel Riley, Brad Trick

HOMEBOUND—Eleanor Anderson—Primrose, Fay Jones—Parkview, Mickey Nowak—Ridgewood, Fred Schaefer

IN THE SERVICE—SFC Dan Barnhart—US Army, Robert Clark—National Guard, Jason Jorgensen—US Army, SSG Kris Knue—US Army, CJ Maurer—US Army, CH [COL] Ken Sorenson—US Army, Sam Wahlen—National Guard, Ethan Weaver—US Army

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT—President Joe Biden, Vice-President Kamala Harris, US Congressman – Brian Steil, Senator Ron Johnson, Senator Tammy Baldwin

STATE GOVERNMENT—Governor Tony Evers, Lt Governor Mandela Barnes, Senator Van Wangaard, State Legislature - Greta Neubauer, State Rep Robin Vos, State Rep Samantha Kerkman, State Rep Robert Wittke

LOCAL GOVERNMENT—Mayor Cory Mason, Cnty Executive Jonathan Delagrave, Police Chief Maurice Robinson, City Council, School Board

RECOVERING—John Anderson, Vicki Barnhart, Bill Brown, Chuck Groom, Dave Halverson, Vicki Hansen, Barb Kirk, Kris Lewis, Edwin Monfero, Ann Muller, Jack & Bev Stegman

SS & CHILDREN'S CHURCH—Amy Beaton, Brad & Rose Bliss, Anne Danek, Donna Dhennin, Maureen Ellis, Darlene Fabio, Patty Faulk, Kristi Fenkl, Ron & Julie Ferg, Sue Friesema, Joyce Larsen, Neal & Debbie Lehrer, Abby Lewis, Rick & Kris Lewis, Deena Maurer, Savannah O'Neal, Howard & Sherry Peterson, Kathy Pick, Karen Schmitt, Karen Sorenson, Kimberly Sorenson, Robert & Hannah Sorenson, Sharon Van Koningsveld, Catherine Weaver, Alana, Chloe, & Lilly Wegner, Marlie Wegner, Tera Wegner, Donna Jo Wilkinson

**CMC Awana** December 12, 2021—Joyce Bernhardt, Sue Childers, Anne Danek, Donna Dhennin, Maureen Ellis, Darlene Fabio, Jeremie Fabio, Patty Faulk, Kristi Fenkl, Ron & Julie Ferg, Joyce Ferrell, Sue Friesema, Matthew & Rachel Hall, Joyce Larsen, Neal & Debbie Lehrer, Deb Lewis, CJ Maurer, Kyle & Laura Maurer, Savannah O'Neal, Jon & Whitney Patton, Betty Shepherd, Kim Sorenson, Robert Sorenson, Bethany Van Koningsveld, Chuck & Sharon Van Koningsveld, Paul Van Koningsveld, Catherine Weaver, Tera Wegner , Donna Jo Wilkinson

Prayer Requests—When you have urgent and immediate prayer requests, you may call the church office or email the request to Pastor Faulk. If you wish to be a part of this prayer-chain ministry email list, please notify Pastor Faulk.