

Pentecost Sunday, May 28th, 2023 "We Are" (We Are Calvary Series - Episode II)

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- *We are a church that is young and young at heart.
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- **Pray** for our church.
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