

TODAY

Sunday, May 25

- 8:45 AM—Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Rm)
- 9:00 AM—Worship
- 10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School
- 6:00 AM—Oasis Home Group

THIS WEEK

Monday, May 26 — Memorial Day  
Church Office Closed

Wednesday, May 28  
7:00 PM—Prayer Meeting\*

Saturday, May 31  
7:00 AM—Men’s Prayer Group (Prayer Room)  
8:00 AM—Men’s Hiking Group\*

Sunday, June 1  
8:45 AM—Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Rm)  
9:00 AM—Worship  
10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School  
11:30 AM—Church Picnic\*

\*See inside pages for more details

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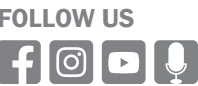
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Elder Email: Elders do not have individual CMBC emails. Please use elders@calvarymonument.org to email all the elders about elder-related items.



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2 WAYS TO GIVE FROM HOME  
CMBC Website • Mail a check




Welcome!  
If you’re a guest today...

We’d like to meet you! Please stop by the Info Desk in the lobby so we can personally welcome you.

Please fill out the communication form and place it in the offering box.

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CALVARY MONUMENT BIBLE CHURCH  
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ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

GLOBAL PARTNER UPDATE — MINDY

PRAYER — JOSH GALLANT, ELDER

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

Children in grades K-3 are dismissed for Junior Church

MESSAGE — PASTOR CHRIS LENHART  
CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED  
“IN READINESS” (COLOSSIANS 4:2-6)

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

OFFERING (GLOBAL MINISTRIES FUND)  
Please place your tithes & offerings in the boxes at the doors as you leave. See back page for info about giving from home.

Growing in a greater love for God and a greater love for each other.

# ADULTS & GENERAL INFO

**May Memory Verse:** Colossians 3:15 (ESV)  
*And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful.*

- There's an ABF for you! Current topics & locations:**
- Joshua (Lefever Hall B)
  - James: Guidelines for a Happy Christian Life (MP Rm)
  - Comparative Religions (Lefever Hall A)
  - Daniel (Rm 24A)
  - 1st & 2nd Corinthians (Rm 23 - for women)

**Summer ABF Location Changes:** Beginning June 1, Berean ABF will move to the Auditorium (sit in the mirror section), and Life Together ABF will move to the Prayer Room. This will allow the Paradise Kids Sunday School classes to use Lefever Hall as they need to!

**Prayer Meeting - Online and in the Building Wednesdays, 7:00 PM**  
Join us in the building or use the link to join on Zoom:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89198667797>  
Meeting ID: 891 9866 7797

**Donations for City Gate** may be placed in the large, white box near the “A” church mailboxes. (City Gate is a ministry meeting the inner city needs of Coatesville). Right now, they are most in need of coffee, creamer, sugar, iced tea mix, and aluminum foil (regular & wide).


**Church Picnic**  
**Sunday, June 1, 11:30 AM, CMBC**  
It's PICNIC time!!! Everyone is invited to join us on Sunday, June 1 following ABF hour at 11:30 AM for a great day! Please come to services dressed casually. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and spread out on the church lawn or in the fire pit area.  
The Fellowship Team will be providing BBQ sandwiches, hot dogs, mac & cheese, baked beans, drinks, and a lot of desserts including everyone's favorite: soft serve ice cream! Various games will be available for all ages. Please feel free to bring your favorite lawn games as well. We will have a candy scramble for children 10 and younger around 12:45 PM!  
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**Concert: The Needhams & The Hagans Family**  
**Saturday, June 7, 6:30 PM, CMBC**  
Concert featuring The Hagans Family & The Needhams. Admission is free. An offering will be received.

**Say cheese!** You may notice us taking photos on Sunday mornings for our website update project. We ask for your permission before we use any photo you're featured in.

**Higher Education Graduate Recognition**  
We would like to recognize those in our congregation who have graduated, or will graduate, from college, grad school, military school, or technical school this past year. If you would like us to include your accomplishments in the June 22 bulletin, please submit the following information to Beth Cortez ([bcortez@calvarymonument.org](mailto:bcortez@calvarymonument.org)) by Sunday, June 15: your name, degree and field of study, school, and plans for the future. Thank you!



## CHURCH BUSINESS

**REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF 5/18/25**

In-Person Worship Service Attendance	342
Family Life Hour Attendance	200
Service Livestream Views	84
Family Life Hour Livestream Views	58
Weekday Activities	61

**Offering Report (Ministries Fund)**


Checks, cash & online giving:	\$15,460.40
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**FAMILY NEWS**


**Baptized May 18:** Jackson Bollman, Jacob Bollman, Craig Chetta, Lisa Chetta

**Upcoming Milestone Anniversaries**

May 30 - Craig & Debbie Borgard - 55th
May 30 - Dave & Rose Stoltzfus - 55th
June 5 - John & Joyce Lacock - 60th
June 6 - Bob & Doris Reid - 55th
June 12 - Wayne & Pat Buckwalter - 55th



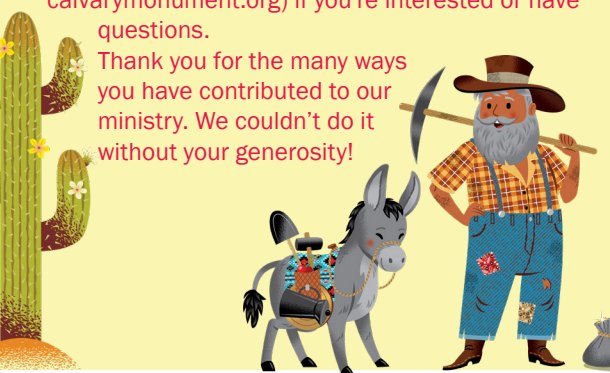
**Wonder Junction Vacation Bible School**  
**Monday, June 16–Friday, June 20, 6:00-8:30 PM**  
Howdy, partners! Get ready to depart to Wonder Junction, where we marvel at Jesus and live for his glory. From the minute your kids step off the train, they'll be encouraged to discover more about who this awesome inspiring Jesus is and what he's done for us. Grab your bandannas, dust off your boots, and get ready for a grand old time in the Wild West! Register here: <https://calvarymonument.org/ministries/children>



**How can you help us with VBS this year?**  
Visit the Children's Ministry bulletin board in the main hallway.

- Grab a prayer calendar and pray, pray, pray for all the children whose lives we will be touching!
- You can provide a snack donation. Take your pick and let us know which one you have.
- A volunteer form – we are looking for volunteers to help tear down & clean up on Friday evening, June 20.
- Or maybe you would want to prepare a grab-n-go meal for approximately 40 volunteers on Tuesday, June 17. Contact Edie ([eweaver@calvarymonument.org](mailto:eweaver@calvarymonument.org)) if you're interested or have questions.

Thank you for the many ways you have contributed to our ministry. We couldn't do it without your generosity!





**YBF (Youth Bible Fellowship) for grades 7-12**  
**Sundays, 10:30 AM, Youth Room**

**Youth Group for grades 7-12**  
**Wednesdays, 6:40-8:15 PM, Youth Room**

**CMBC Youth Summer Schedule**  
**May:** NO Youth Group - May 28th

**June:** NO Youth Group - June 4th, 11th, 18th  
6/14 - Youth Service Day  
6/22 - Youth/VBS Sunday  
6/25 - Laser Tag

## WOMEN'S MINISTRY

**Singled Out Widow Ministry**  
Singled Out, a ministry for widows, will meet on June 10 at 11:15 AM, at Dutchway Family Restaurant in Gap. Please RSVP on the communication form or call the church office if you are planning to attend.

## MEN'S MINISTRY

**Men's Hiking Group (for men age 18+)**  
**Saturday, May 31**  
**Wolf's Hollow Park (1399 Schoff Rd., Atglen)**  
Bring a friend or 5 to join us for our first monthly hike! Friendly & leashed dogs are welcome too. Meet at CMBC at 8:00 AM to carpool, or at Wolf's Hollow at 8:20. Hike will begin at 8:30. We will be doing the Park Loop (all trails). The distance is 4.7 miles and the trail is rated moderate. Our pace will be moderate at around 21 minutes per mile, with a short break around halfway. The hike will take around 2 hours and we plan to be back to the church by 11:00 AM. We will meet the last Saturday of every month. Contact Doug Bollman for more information.

# CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED

## In Readiness

Colossians 4:2-6

Pastor Chris Lenhart - 5/25/25



### Opening Thought Questions:

How does the Church, as clothed in Christ, compellingly and effectively make him known to a not yet believing world?

### (2-4) Steadfast in Prayer

#### Spiritual Benefits of a Consistent Prayer Life

1. Reminds us of God's \_\_\_\_\_ presence with and \_\_\_\_\_ for us.
2. Practices our \_\_\_\_\_ on God.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ us down.
4. Keeps us \_\_\_\_\_ of God's work.
5. Generates \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Helps us to rightly \_\_\_\_\_ our lives.
7. Grows our \_\_\_\_\_ for others.
8. Opens \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Leads us to grow in \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Guides us in \_\_\_\_\_.

Personal and Collective prayer Life discipleship opportunities at CMBC.

Personal Prayer Prompts	Public Prayer Opportunities

### (5) Walking in Wisdom

Challenging 2 circles of misguided thinking and practice in the church.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ mentality.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ aversion.

### (6) Speaking with Grace

Significant questions for evaluating our private and collective speech...

### Further Study

Ephesians  
Acts 21-28

1 Thes. 5:16-17  
Phil. 4:6-7  
Heb. 4:16

Jesus'  
Example in  
Prayer  
Lk. 3:21  
Lk. 5:16  
Lk. 6:12  
Matt. 14:23  
Jn. 17

1 Jn. 4:4  
Col. 3:12-17  
Rom. 1:16-17

Matt. 5:13  
Mk. 9:50  
Eph. 4:29

Next Week: Colossians 4:7-18 Christ be Magnified: "In Perseverance"

<p style="text-align: center;">CHRIST BE MAGNIFIED</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>In Readiness</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Next Steps: Home-Group Study and/or Personal Discipleship Guide</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Col. 4:2-6</p>
<p>Get together as a family or with a friend or group of friends this week!</p> <p>Start with <u>Prayer</u> -ask Jesus to guide our time together. Review prayer requests.</p> <p><b><u>Read the Text</u></b> – Colossians 4:2-6</p> <p><b><u>Questions for Reflection and Discussion:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Take time to discuss or journal about the characteristics and qualities of a healthy, consistent prayer life. What has helped in the development of your own prayer life?</li> <li>2. Take time to explore the various discipleship opportunities related to prayer present at CMBC. Which of these tools are you already using in your personal and public prayer life? Which could you make better use of?</li> <li>3. What are the obstacles to a consistent prayer life?</li> <li>4. In verse 5, Paul challenges the congregation to walk with wisdom <u>toward</u> outsiders. He encourages the church to move with wisdom beyond its own people, to those who have not yet believed. Discuss how we can commit to this ideal in both our personal lives and as a congregation at CMBC.</li> <li>5. How does Paul encourage the church to be prepared to answer everyone? (vs. 6) What does gracious speech sound like? (Give examples of how this might sound in disagreement). What does it mean that our speech should be seasoned with salt? (Matt. 5:13, Mark 9:50, Ephesians 4:29).</li> </ol> <p><b><u>Questions guiding Spiritual Formation &amp; Application:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. How does this text invite us to grow in a greater love for God?</li> <li>2. What lessons within this text move us towards growing in our love for one another?</li> <li>3. What principles could be applied to our family life, careers, communities, or congregational life?</li> <li>4. Consider how Jesus could use our application of the principles in this text to draw those that do not know him, unto himself?</li> <li>5. Who is currently in our lives that needs an invitation to meet Jesus or be part of a kind and gracious Christian community?</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Further Study</u></b></p> <p>Ephesians Acts 21-28 1 Thes. 5:16-17 Phil. 4:6-7 Heb. 4:16</p> <p><b><u>Jesus' Example in Prayer</u></b></p> <p>Lk. 3:21 Lk. 5:16 Lk. 6:12 Matt. 14:23 Jn. 17</p> <p>1 Jn. 4:4 Col. 3:12-17 Rom. 1:16-17 Matt. 5:13 Mk. 9:50 Eph. 4:29</p> <p><b><u>Prayer Requests</u></b></p> <p>Family</p> <p>Church</p> <p>Community</p> <p>Career &amp; Friends</p> <p>Other</p>



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