

TODAY

Sunday, October 13

8:45 AM—Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Rm)  
9:00 AM—Worship & Communion  
10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, October 15

6:30 PM—Women’s Bible Study

Wednesday, October 16

9:30 AM—Women’s Bible Study  
6:40 PM—Awana\*  
6:40 PM—Youth Group\*  
7:00 PM—Prayer Meeting\*

Thursday, October 17

6:15 PM—Men’s Discipleship (MP Rm)\*  
7:00 PM—Elder Meeting (MP Rm)  
7:00 PM—Choir Practice (Aud)

Saturday, October 19

7:00 AM—Men’s Prayer Group (Prayer Room)

Sunday, October 20

8:45 AM—Pre-Service Prayer (Prayer Rm)  
9:00 AM—Worship  
10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School  
5:00 PM—Oasis Home Group\*

\*See inside pages for more details

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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.



The Weekly

October 13, 2024

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

PRAYER — FRANK HEVERIN, ELDER

COMMUNION

WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM

Children in grades 1-3 are dismissed for Junior Church

MESSAGE — PASTOR CHRIS LENHART  
A FAITH THAT WORKS  
“MATURING” (JAMES 3:1-12)

OFFERING (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.



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# ADULTS & GENERAL INFO

**Family Life Hour**  
**Sunday, Nov. 10, 10:30-11:30 AM, Auditorium**  
Join us for Family Life Hour, a time to celebrate significant church-family related events including parent & child dedications, baptisms, and new members to CMBC.

**Baptism Opportunity**  
Our next baptism opportunity is Nov. 10 during Family Life Hour. If you would like to be baptized, please mark the communication form or call the church office. Plan to attend the baptism class on **Sunday, Nov. 3** with Pastor Chris or Pastor Jim.

**Parent & Child Dedication**  
If you would like to dedicate your child(ren) during the Nov. 10 Family Life Hour, please mark the communication form or contact the church office.

**Meet & Greet with Elders & Pastors**  
**Sunday, Nov. 10, 11:30 AM, Cafe**  
If you've recently started attending CMBC, we would like to meet you! Sign up on the communication form to join the elders and pastors for the opportunity to talk one-on-one with CMBC leaders in a relaxed setting and ask any questions you may have regarding life at CMBC.

**October Memory Verse:** James 3:17 (ESV)  
*But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere.*

- There's an ABF for you! Current topics & locations:**
- Letter to the Galatians (Lefever Hall B)
  - Traveling Light (Multi-Purpose Rm)
  - *Kitchen Conversations not meeting today*
  - Life Together (Lefever Hall A)
  - Appearances of Christ in the O.T.
  - Proverbs (Rm 23 - for women)

**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

**During the Awana season,** the back parking lot will be closed on Wednesday nights. Please park in the main parking lot. Thank you!

**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 BUSINESS



<b>REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF 10/6/24</b>	
In-Person Worship Service Attendance	295
ABF, YBF, Sunday School Attendance	203
Service Livestream views	65
Weekday Activities	183

<b>Offering Report (Ministries Fund)</b>	
Checks, cash & online giving:	\$19,179.85

**FAMILY NEWS**  
**In the Hospital:** Lois Ferguson  
**Surgery:** Reta Esch (10/14)  
**October Milestone Anniversary**  
October 2 - Clarence & Sharon Umbel - 60th

## GLOBAL MINISTRIES

**Global Partner Housing Need**  
J&T (2 adults, 2 children) are in need of housing (preferably furnished & two bedroom) July 2025 through Jan. 2026. If you have any possible information regarding this need, please contact Amanda in the church office (avargas@calvarymonument.org, 717-442-8161).



**Awana**  
**Wednesdays, 6:40-8:15 PM**  
Awana aims to reach kids age 3 through sixth grade for Christ through fun, Scripture-rich experiences that lead them to know, love and serve Him.  
**10/16: Balloon Night** - Bring a balloon to club and enjoy some balloon themed games! *Note: Balloons will be collected during check-in to be used for game time and will not be returned.*

**Join the Awana Team!**  
We currently have the following opportunities available:

- T&T Girls Leaders (3rd-6th Grade): 2-3 people needed
- Sparks Leader (K-2nd Grade): 1 person needed
- Listeners and Substitutes

For more information or to sign up, contact Michael & Heather Ensslen (awana@calvarymonument.org).

## MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP

**Men's Discipleship Hour**  
**Thursday, October 17, 6:15-7:30 PM**  
Men are invited for coffee, snacks, fellowship, prayer, and discussion surrounding the book, "How to Tell the Truth" by Preston Perry. We will cover one chapter of the book each month. Please purchase your copy in advance (there will be a few copies available in the CMBC office for those who wish not to purchase their own copy). Reading the book is not required to attend! All men 18 and up are welcome and encouraged to participate. ***If you are reading the book, please read chapter 1 so we can discuss it on Thursday.***

# CMBC YOUTH

**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**

**October Schedule**  
10/12: Open Gym Night (Flannel Night) 6-8 PM  
10/26: Barn/Costume Party 6-9 PM @ TBD  
**10/13-10/27: Sub Fundraiser**  
It's that time of year again! Help out the youth ministry by purchasing a delicious Yoder sub. Money raised goes towards retreats and mission trips for the youth. Thank you for your support! Pickup Oct. 28, 5-7 PM @ CMBC

**November Schedule**  
11/9: Open Gym Night 6-8 PM @ CMBC  
11/15-11/16: Reverb @ Giant Center  
11/24: Turkey Bowl 1-4 PM @ CMBC

## OASIS YOUNG ADULTS

**Oasis Young Adult Home Group - October**  
**Sunday, Oct. 20, 5:00 PM**  
Held at the home of Rachel and Emma Henry. Includes supper, fellowship and a light study.

## 50+ CLUB

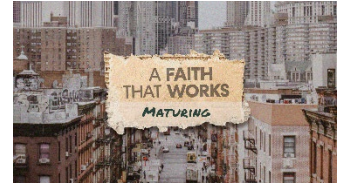
**Soup on Sunday**  
**Sunday, Nov. 3, 12:00 PM, Lefever Hall**  
Fellowship and Eating! Sign up in the lobby or on the communication form Oct. 13-27.

James: A Faith that Works

# Maturing

James 3:1-12

Pastor Chris Lenhart - 10/13/24



## Opening Thought Question:

How can we use our words for good and avoid the destructive consequences of undisciplined speech?

## What and how we speak matters... (1-2)

Maintaining the posture of a humble, teachable, learner...

## Our words can motivate and inspire... (3-6)

Our speech has the power to \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ others.

Our words carry \_\_\_\_\_ that can steer or direct.

## Our words can poison and divide... (7-10)

Are my words truth in love? When I speak am I promoting unity, peace, gratitude, or praise, or am I stoking fear, anxiety, division, anger, hostility, and hatred?

## Spiritual Formation Activity: 1 Corinthians 13:4-7 (Taking inventory of my speech)

Are my postures, tones, and words, patient, kind, free from envy, humble, gentle, others-minded, are they peaceable, forgiving, merciful, righteous, and true? Do my words, tones, and postures, communicate perseverance, steadfast hope, and long-suffering? (Which three require my attention most?)

## What are our words producing? (11-12)

7 practical suggestions towards using our mouths for good.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.
- 7.

Our postures, tones, and words should be a clear and compelling reflection of Jesus, as we seek to glorify God and love those he has placed in our lives.

**Next Week: James-A Faith that Works "Peaceable" 3:13-18**

## Further Study

Matthew 5-7  
James 1:26

Matt. 15:10-11

1 Cor. 13:4-7

Luke 6:43-45

Gal. 5:22-23  
Eph. 4:15-32  
1 Thess. 5:11

Proverbs  
13:3; 15:1, 4;  
16:24; 17:9;  
18:21; 27:2

Psalms  
12:3-4; 34:13-  
14; 78:36;  
137:6; 141:3

Follow along with today's sermon using your smartphone. Download the "CMBC" app (search for "Calvary Monument" in your app store) and click on "Sundays" at the bottom of the screen.

<p style="text-align: center;">James: A Faith that Works</p> <h2 style="text-align: center;">Maturing</h2> <p style="text-align: center;">Next Steps: Home-Group Study and/or Personal Discipleship Guide</p>	<p>Jms. 3:1-12</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. Go over prayer requests together.</p> <p><b><u>Read the Text</u></b> – James 3:1-12</p> <p><b><u>Questions for Reflection &amp; Discussion:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Before you begin this week’s reflection and discussion take time to complete the <u>spiritual formation activity</u> on the front of this sheet. Upon completion, journal or share your takeaways.</li> <li>How does James use the first 2 verses in chapter 3 to set the tone regarding the seriousness of how we speak and what we say? What do these verses suggest about the matter of disciplined speech?</li> <li>In verses 3-8, James gives several illustrations and figures of speech to clarify the power of the tongue. Drawing observations from these verses, what does James communicate about our tongues?</li> <li>Verses 9-10 give insight into the divided ways that we sometimes use our words. Share or journal about an experience in your own life where you saw the power of words used to either divide or unite people. Take time to discuss how congregations can cultivate an environment that is conducive to speech that unites, empowers, and equips.</li> <li>What is the product of wise and disciplined speech? (vss. 11-12) Go into the gospels and discuss the example of Jesus. How did Jesus use his postures, tones, and words to effectively communicate the truth in love? What can we learn from his example? Which of his words have been most significant or impactful to you?</li> </ol> <p><b><u>Questions guiding Spiritual Formation &amp; Application:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How does this text invite us to grow in a greater love for God?</li> <li>What lessons within this text move us towards growing in our love for one another?</li> <li>What principles could be applied to our family life, careers, communities, or congregational life?</li> <li>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>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>Matthew 5:7 James 1:26 Matt. 15:10-11 1 Cor. 13:4-7 Luke 6:43-45 Gal. 5:22-23 Eph. 4:15-32 1 Thess. 5:11</p> <p><b>Proverbs</b> 13:3; 15:1, 4; 16:24; 17:9; 18:21; 27:2</p> <p><b>Psalms</b> 12:3-4; 34:13-14; 78:36; 137:6; 141:3</p> <p><b><u>Prayer Requests</u></b></p> <p><b>Family</b></p> <p><b>Church</b></p> <p><b>Community</b></p> <p><b>Career/Friends</b></p> <p><b>Other</b></p>