



LOVE BUILDS UP

1 CORINTHIANS

THE WISDOM AND
POWER OF GOD

The Weekly

March 14, 2021

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

Music presented prior to the beginning of service is an opportunity for us to prepare our hearts and minds to worship. It also allows the worship team to introduce new songs that will be used in upcoming services. Our desire is that the lyrics of the songs will challenge and encourage us to appreciate more fully who God is and what He's done for us.

TODAY

Sunday, March 14 - Daylight Savings Begins

9:00 AM—Worship
10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School
11:40 AM—Bell Choir Practice
3:00 PM—Bible Quizzing Practice

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, March 16

6:30 PM—Ladies' Spring Bible Study*

Wednesday, March 17

9:30 AM—Ladies' Spring Bible Study*
6:40 PM—Youth Group*
7:00 PM—Prayer Meeting (Zoom)*

Thursday, March 18

6:30 PM—Bible Quizzing Practice
7:00 PM—Elder Meeting

Saturday, March 20

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

Sunday, March 21 - Global Outreach Conf.

9:00 AM—Worship
10:30 AM—Sunday School & Combined ABF/YBF
11:40 AM—Octet Practice
7:00 PM—GOC Evening Service

*See following pages for more details

ORDER OF SERVICE - 9:00 AM

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP – PASTOR JIM DAVIS

WORSHIP IN MUSIC – WORSHIP TEAM

PRAYER – NEIL FELTHAM, ELDER

WORSHIP IN MUSIC – WORSHIP TEAM

SPECIAL MUSIC – SCOTT LINGO, KATARINA LINGO

MESSAGE – PASTOR CHRIS LENHART

1 CORINTHIANS: LOVE BUILDS UP

“THE WISDOM AND POWER OF GOD” (1 COR. 1:18-25)

Sermon notes are available on our website & app

WORSHIP IN MUSIC – WORSHIP TEAM

OFFERING (MINISTRIES FUND)

Please place your tithes & offerings in the boxes at the doors as you leave. See page 3 for information about how to give from home.



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ADULTS & GENERAL INFO

Our new phone system is installed and is working properly!
You can reach us at 717-442-8161, Monday through Thursday.

March Memory Verse: Revelation 14:6

Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people.

[Click to download a graphic to use as your phone's lockscreen.](#)

[Click to download and print the memory verse bookmark.](#)

Directory Update

We're getting ready to publish an updated directory (name/contact info only)! If you've moved, changed your phone number, or acquired a new name in the last 2 years, please let us know so we can update our database before printing. Send your new info to eweaver@calvarymonument.org or call Edie at 717-442-8161 **TODAY**.

Prayer Meeting - Online Only: Wednesdays, 7:00 PM

Join us to pray on Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/729126015?pwd=dFdBU1NPdHVucWFOK25IMVJpcGhTUT09>. Meeting ID: 729 126 015, Password: 023987.

Youth Bible Quizzing

Spectators at matches are limited to immediate family members only, but the quizzers welcome your prayers, and you can follow along in Mark with them. **Mar. 14** (Mark 12-14:25), **Mar. 28** (Mark 14:26-16)

Good Friday Service: Friday, April 2, 7:00 PM

Easter Sunday Services: Sunday, April 4, 9:00 & 11:00 AM

This year, we invite you to join us in the building for one of two services on Easter morning!

Our 9:00 AM service will be just as it has always been - we ask that you wear masks, but you are welcome to remove them once you're seated in your pew. We will continue to practice social distancing. Children's ministries will operate as usual. This service will be livestreamed on [YouTube](#).

At our 11:00 AM service, masks will be required at all times and we will practice social distancing. We understand that the wearing of masks is important to many of you and we are excited to provide this opportunity for you to worship in the building and hope you will feel comfortable doing so. There will be no children's ministries.



Global Outreach Conference: March 21-28, 2021

We are expecting a wonderful week hearing from our global partners from around the world. Be sure to pick up a brochure from the table in the lobby or [download it from our website](#) to see what's happening next week, and make sure to hang on to your brochure! Please pray that God will speak to us all about how we can better reach Every Nation, Tribe, and Language.

Evening Meetings During The Week

In addition to our Sunday schedule, we will be hearing from our missionary guests Sunday through Thursday starting at 7:00 PM in the auditorium.

- **We have the opportunity to host our guests for meals** during the week. Please sign up in the lobby and online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0c4faea82babfe3-cmbc4>

- **Men's Breakfast: Saturday, Mar. 27, 7:30 AM, in Lefever Hall**
Come for a free limited breakfast, fellowship, and a challenge just for men & boys. Sign up on the [communication form](#) by Mar. 21.

Offering Schedule

Please note that the offering taken Sunday, March 28 will be a love offering for all of our missionary guests.

CHURCH BUSINESS

REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF 3/7/21

In-Person Worship Service Attendance	260
In-Person ABF, YBF, Sunday School Attendance	201
Livestream Service Views (as of Monday morning)	169
Livestream Berean ABF views (as of Monday morning)	37
Wednesday Activities	76

Offering Report (Ministries Fund)

Checks, cash & online giving: \$22,404.30

FAMILY NEWS

In the Hospital: Naomi Sauer

Upcoming Milestone Anniversary

March 24 - Lew & Ruth Denlinger - 65th

Elder Board Election: Sunday, March 14

The Elders have nominated and are presenting to the congregation Dale Swann and Dan Steinman to be voted on as elders. These men would fill the recent elder vacancies, finishing out the terms created by these vacancies (two years). Please be in prayer as we seek the Lord's will and His confirmation of these men. Members, you should have received an email or phone call this past week with voting instructions.

CMBC YOUTH

Youth Group (for students in grades 7-12)
Wednesdays, 6:40-8:30 PM

YBF (Youth Bible Fellowship - for students in grades 7-12)
Sundays, 10:30 AM, Multi-Purpose Room
This year we are studying Genesis.

Underground Church & Dinner with Missionaries
Friday, March 26, 6:00-8:30 PM

All youth, grades 7-12, are invited to have dinner and fellowship with our global partner guests then participate in an Underground Church activity with them. Please sign up by Sunday, March 21 during Wednesday Night Youth Group, YBF on Sunday morning, or by contacting Garrett Herdter at gherdter@calvarymonument.org. Students are asked to wear sneakers and dark clothing and are encouraged to bring friends! The Gospel will also be shared.



Kristen Weber Director
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Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead,
with an eternal gospel to proclaim
to those who dwell on earth,
to every nation and tribe
and language and people.

Revelation 14:6



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Pastor & Staff Emails: Unless otherwise noted, all email addresses for current pastors and staff members consist of the first initial of their first name followed by their entire last name @calvarymonument.org. [ex.: jdavis@calvarymonument.org]

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

The church office is open by appointment Monday-Thursday, 10 AM-2 PM. If you have an emergency and need to contact someone at the church, please call the **emergency number: 717-442-5154**.

Statement of Waiver of Liability and Assumption of Risk Related to Coronavirus/COVID-19

COVID-19 is highly contagious and is known to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. By attending Calvary Monument Bible Church (the "Ministry"), you agree to abide by the procedures established by the church to protect attendees and staff, and you voluntarily assume the risk that you and/or your family may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 either at the church, in the church worship service, or in the nursery or Sunday School. You agree to assume all the risks of attendance and participation for you and your family, and you waive any liability against the church and any other parties.

Mail Drop & Document Pick-Up

On the east side of the church (along Kinzer Road, close to the cemetery entrance), we have installed a Mail Drop slot and Document Pick-Up trays. If you'd like to pick up copies of the Weekly, Intercessor, prayer calendar or other church documents, let us know, and we'll make them available for you. And if you have items that you'd like to get to pastors and staff members, feel free to drop them through the mail slot. We'll be checking these locations frequently! Questions? Call 717-442-8161 or email eweaver@calvarymonument.org.

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Subscribe to our channel on YouTube!

If you would like to receive email prayer requests, email Edie Weaver (eweaver@calvarymonument.org)

4 Ways to Give from Home

- 1. CMBC app**
Search for "Calvary Monument" in the App Store or Google Play Store
- 2. CMBC Website**
www.CalvaryMonument.org
- 3. Text**
Text CMBC GIVE to 77977 (message & data rates may apply)
- 4. Mail a check to the church**
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Meet the Elder Nominees

On Sunday, March 14, the members of Calvary Monument Bible Church will vote to approve two new elders to fill the recent elder vacancies. If approved, these men will finish out the terms created by these vacancies (two years). Please be in prayer as we seek the Lord's will and His confirmation of these men. The men nominated as elders are introduced below.



DAN STEINMAN

When did you begin attending CMBC? We started to attend the first Sunday in January 2015.

How have you been involved here? I am an usher (I became an usher because I wanted to welcome people into the church and meet people), and am involved with the 50+ Club, a Community Group, BASIS, and I attend an ABF when not ushering. I am also a BASIS Ministry Assistant at Handi*Vangelism.

Family members who attend CMBC: My wife Phyllis.

Brief testimony of how you were saved: When I was 12 yrs of age, I took a catechism class with the pastor at the church we were attending. At the end we were asked, "What is your only comfort in life and in death?" We answered that, "Body and soul, in life and in death, I am not my own, but belong to my Savior Jesus Christ, through his blood on the cross, by his Holy Spirit, assures me eternal life." God humbles us, and always has the ability to change our hearts and our minds. He is sovereign.



DALE SWANN

When did you begin attending CMBC? We began attending CMBC in 2014 when we moved to Lancaster County from Chester County.

How have you been involved here? I have been involved in our sports ministry, served on the Missions Committee, went to Costa Rica on a missions trip, served with our youth ministry, and previously was on the Elder Board. We also host a Community Group.

Family members who attend CMBC: My wife Allie, who serves on the worship team, our two girls, Ivy and Sabrina and our son, Brady.

Brief testimony of how you were saved: I grew up in a Christian home with parents who truly love and follow the Lord. When I was 5, I had a conversation with my Dad and came to know what it meant to be saved. I continued to attend church with my parents, but when my faith really grew and became real to me was when I met my wife. We were attending a seeker-sensitive church where the Bible was taught but the faith was very shallow. Allie helped me realize what it meant to be a follower of Christ and to live and grow and that faith is more than just believing in God. Together we have grown in our love for God and serving wherever he needs us.



1 Corinthians: Love Builds Up
The Wisdom & Power of God
1 Corinthians 1:18-25
Pastor Chris Lenhart – March 14, 2021

Introduction:

Key Question: How do we live as disciples of Jesus and function together as his Church in an overwhelmingly unbelieving world?

How do people in the world relate to the message of the cross?

How does God's wisdom and power differ from the wisdom and power of the world?

How does God communicate and demonstrate his wisdom and power in the world?

**Supporting
Scripture**

1 Cor. 1:13

1 Cor. 13:13

1 Cor. 1:25

The Cross Divides (18-19)

Wisdom & Folly (20-23)

Jn. 17:26

Power & Weakness (24-25)

How might our lives look in light of these realities?

Next Week: Pastor Emmanuel Adomako

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>1 Corinthians: Love Builds Up The Wisdom & Power of God Growing together in a Greater Love -- Discipleship Guide</p>	<p>1 Cor. 1:18-25</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 your time together. Go over prayer requests together.</p> <p><u>Read the Text</u> -read the text together. (1 Cor. 1:18-25)</p> <p><u>Discussion Guiding Questions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What is the division identified in verse 18? 2. How should this division be motivating for those who are being saved? 3. In what ways was the message of, "Christ crucified" a stumbling block for the Jews and foolishness to the gentiles? 4. How has Jesus demonstrated both the wisdom of God and the power of God? 5. What are some systems and ways of thinking in our culture today that demonstrate a perceived wisdom and power apart from the message of the cross? <p><u>Questions towards Spiritual Growth & Discipleship:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How does this text challenge you to grow in a greater love for God? 2. How are you motivated to grow in a greater love for others? 3. How might Jesus be motivating you apply some of the principles from this passage to your family, career, community, or church? 4. How might Jesus be using you to draw those that do not know him, unto himself? 5. How will you pray for each other between now and next time you meet? 	<p><u>Supporting Scripture</u> 1 Cor. 1-13 1 Cor. 13:13 1 Cor. 1:25 Acts 4:12-13 Jn. 17:26</p> <p><u>Prayer Requests</u></p> <p>Family</p> <p>Church</p> <p>Community</p> <p>Career/Friends</p> <p>Other</p>