## TODAY

Sunday, November 26

9:00 AM-Worship

10:30 AM-ABFs, YBF, Sunday School

### THIS WEEK

Monday, November 27

4:00-7:00 PM—Sub pickup

**Tuesday, November 28** 

7:40 PM—Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, November 29

6:40 PM-Awana\* 6:40 PM—Youth Group\* 7:00 PM—Prayer Meeting\*

Thursday, November 30

7:00 PM—Children's Min. Committee Mtg. (Rm 9)

Saturday, December 2

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

Sunday, December 3

9:00 AM-Worship 10:30 AM—ABFs, YBF, Sunday School 11:45 AM—Refugee Committee Meeting 1:30 PM—Christmas Scavenger Hunt\*

\*See inside pages for more details

## STAFF

Beth Cortez Graphic Designer

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Kristen Weber

## PASTORS & LEADERSHIP

#### **Pastors**

Chris Lenhart Lead Pastor

**Jim Davis** Pastor of Administration & Ministries. Youth **Bob Reid** Pastor Emeritus (no CMBC email address)

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**Dan Bailey** 

Michael Ensslen Secretary

**Dave Fisher** 

Frank Heverin Vice-Chairman

Les Houck

**Tom Hubbard** 

Joe Kylar Chairman

**Vince Sensenig** 

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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.

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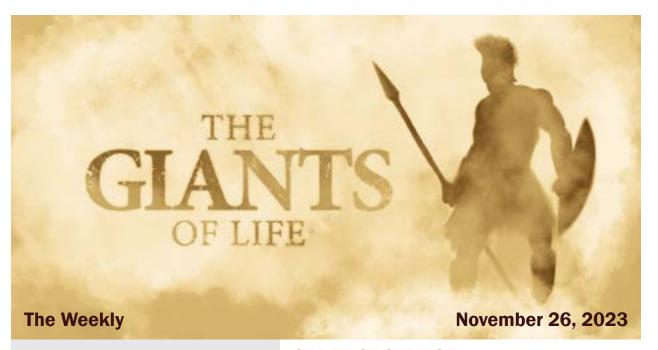


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## Welcome! If you're a guest today...

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.

Wireless internet password: cmbcguest

### **ORDER OF SERVICE**

WELCOME

**WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM** 

PRAYER — DAVE FISHER, ELDER

**WORSHIP IN MUSIC — WORSHIP TEAM** 

Children in grades K-3 are dismissed for Junior Church

**MESSAGE - JOSIAH REIMOLD** "THE GIANTS OF LIFE" (1 SAMUEL 17)

**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

November Memory Verse: Mark 13:31 (ESV)

Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

### There's an ABF for you! Current topics & locations:

- Nehemiah (Lefever Hall B)
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd John (Multi-Purpose Rm)
- Hebrews (Rm 24A)
- Gospel in Life (Rm 23 for women)

#### **Poinsettia Memorial**

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#### Christmas Scavenger Hunt Sunday, Dec. 3, 1:30-5:00 PM

CMBC Fellowship Committee invites everyone to a FREE Christmas Scavenger Hunt! Please plan to arrive in the Sanctuary prior to 1:30 PM to receive your hunt pack. Points are based per item checked off, and there are prizes! Following the hunt, all are welcomed back for refreshments of hot chocolate, apple cider, cookies and candy canes! See the insert for all the details.

# Quarterly Caregiver Connection (QCC) Wednesday, Dec. 6, 7:00-8:05 PM, MP Room Topic: Hope for the Weary & Tired Parent

We are excited to offer a new opportunity for parents and caregivers to connect and dialogue about matters relevant to training our children up in Jesus, keeping our marriages fun and resilient, and thriving in the peaks and valleys of our marriages and parenting/caregiving journeys! Enjoy casual conversations and a hot beverage in the cafe from 6:30-7:00 PM before making your way to the Multi-Purpose Room. The hour will include prayer, scripture, application, and discussion, all surrounding a different topic each quarter. No registration necessary.

#### **Save the Dates: Christmas Services**

- Sun., Dec. 17, 9 AM: Christmas Celebration Service
- Sun., Dec. 24, 9 AM: Morning Worship Service (service only no Sunday School, YBF, ABF)
- Sun., Dec. 24, 6 PM: Christmas Eve Candlelight Service (no livestream)
- Sun., Dec. 31, 9 AM: Morning Worship Service (service only - no Sunday School, YBF, ABF)

**Southern End Strollers** will begin meeting at CMBC on Tuesday, Dec. 5 at 8:30 AM. Mothers of stroller-age children are invited to come out to pray and connect with other moms. The cafe will also be open.

**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).

## MUSIC MINISTRY

#### **Christmas Eve Orchestra Ensemble**

Music will be provided for you to practice and fully know your part before we put it all together. Practice on Thursday 12/21 at 6:45 PM and a warm- up on 12/24 at 6:00 PM.

**Contact Scott Lingo** (slingo@calvarymonument.org) to sign up so he can prepare music for you.

# WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Save the date for the Singled Out Gathering Tuesday, December 12, 11:15 AM at CMBC

Singled Out, a ministry for widows, will meet on December 12 at 11:15 AM, at CMBC. Please RSVP on the communication form or call the church office if you are planning to attend.

Save the Date for the 2024 Women's Retreat!

April 19-21, 2024, Black Rock Retreat

The prices will be the same as last year!



#### Awana

#### Wednesdays, 6:40-8:15 PM

Awana aims to reach kids age 2 through sixth grade "for Christ through fun, Scripture-rich experiences that lead them to know, love and serve Him."

11/29: KWAM Night!

#### **Awana Update**

We are praising the Lord for the **25 new families** who have attended Awana at least once and the **30+ new clubbers** who are coming to club regularly! Because of our growing group of clubbers, we are looking for one or two more adults to join our Sparks leader team, sharing the love of Jesus with our Kindergarten through 2nd grade clubbers. For more information, contact Heather and Michael Ensslen at awana@calvarymonument.org.



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

**If you ordered a sub,** you may pick them up here at CMBC on Nov. 27, from 4:00-7:00 PM.

## OASIS

Oasis Young Adult Home Group Sunday, Dec. 17, 6:00 PM, CMBC

Meet at the new Cafe and Lefever Hall! Dinner, fellowship, maybe some floor hockey? Questions - see Jenna Rishel. More information to come. All high school seniors are invited to join us.

## CHURCH BUSINESS

#### REPORT FOR THE WEEK OF 11/19/23

In-Person Worship Service Attendance 311
ABF, YBF, Sunday School Attendance 194
Service Livestream views 81

#### Offering Report (Ministries Fund)

Checks, cash & online giving: \$21,743.67

#### **FAMILY NEWS**

In the Hospital/Rehab: Linda Walton

#### Sympathy

To the family of Doris Graybill, who passed away on November 19. Doris is Maggie Urban's sister-in-law.

To the family of Thelma Homsher, who passed away on November 20.

To Sam Spencer in this passing of his wife, Lorna Spencer, on November 21. Lorna is Susan Horton's aunt.

#### **Elder Board Election: Sunday, December 3**

At the end of Worship Service, members will vote to affirm one new and two returning elders (serving an additional year). As stated in the Bylaws (Article 4, section 6), "The members of the Church may nominate other candidates for the Board of Elders." Five members of the church, all in good standing, will agree upon a candidate for the Board of Elders. This nomination request will be submitted in writing to the Board of Elders in a timely fashion (minimum of 3 weeks before congregational vote). Providing the candidate satisfies the Board of Elders with respect to the requirements outlined in the Bylaws, the Board of Elders will add the name to the posted slate. Voting will be in-person only.

**Dave Hirst** has been nominated by the Board to serve a three-year term, and **Joe Kylar** and **Frank Heverin** have been nominated to return for one-year terms. We would like to thank **Pastor Tom Hubbard** for faithfully serving and concluding his 3-year term on the Board of Elders. We appreciate his wisdom, time and service to our congregation.

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