

Calvary United Methodist Church



prayers, presence, gifts, service & witness

Celebrate fall with us!

CALVARY CORN MAZE

at Char-Lene Farm, Mount Airy

October 27th starting at 6:00 p.m.

RSVP with Jenn Shipley
at jenn@calvary-mtairy.org by October 19th

October 2018

American Red Cross Blood Drive: November 6 from 2 PM to 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium. To sign up call Diana Newton at 848-702-7579 or 1-800-Red Cross.

Cup of Joe is Coming: Kathy Barna is looking for someone to help partner to organize our Advent Cup of Joe Outreach (Free coffee and hot chocolate in the a.m. during Advent). This community outreach will not be able to happen this advent season if it does not have the needed volunteer support. If you feel called to help Kathy Barna in this outreach, please contact her by October 28th at 301-829-0358 or Kathy@calvary-ntairy.org.

UPCOMING TRUSTEE WORK DAYS: October 20th from 9am to 12pm. Will be working on gutters, downspout and other miscellaneous items. November 17th from 9am to 12pm will be painting. No work day in December. Contact Jason Shipley at shipwrecks11@yahoo.com for more information.

Calvary would love to be able to keep in touch with our college-aged members. Do you have an 18-25-year-old that you would like Calvary to reach out to? If so, please send Kathy Barna an email with their name, email address, and cell phone number and we will start sending them some inspirational texts/emails, or just a short blurb to keep them in the loop of what's happening here at Calvary.

Calvary Corn Maze at Char-lene Farm: 2504 Gillis Road in Mount Airy. October 27th starting at 6:00 p.m. The cost is \$8 and will include a hot dog, chips and drink as well as access to all the farm's activities. Please RSVP to Jenn Shipley at jenn@calvary-ntairy.org by October 19th.

Annual Senior Banquet: Save the date! If you are 75+ wonderful years of age, please join us at noon on Sunday, November 11th in the Good Shepherd Hall for a rootin-tootin good time! Wear your Country Fair best and be ready to bid on your favorite country fair dessert (Calvary's best baked-goodies!) RSVP to Kathy Barna at 301-829-0358 or kathy@calvary-mtairy.org by November 4th.

Please Help us Prepare for the Annual Senior Banquet: We are gearing up for a Rootin Tootin Good Time at the County Fair Themed Annual Senior Luncheon (11/11) and we could use some help!

Have ever entered anything in the fair? Well you can enter your prize item in our fair where everything is a winner! All donations need to be properly labeled (name & phone number), dropped off in the box behind the connection by Sunday, November 4th, and then picked back up by Sunday, November 18th. Donated items might be jams, home canned goods, sewing, needlework, holiday arts and crafts, scrapbooking, children's arts and crafts, photography (identify subject/location, fine arts, and more! Let's turn the Good Shepherd Hall into an overflowing Country Fair Exhibit Hall!

Do you have a gift for making prize baked-goods? Enter your baked good in our Country Fair auction. Donated baked goods will be auctioned off and the proceeds will go towards supporting Calvary's general fund. If you would like to donate a baked good, please let Kathy Barna know (kathy@calvary-mtairy.org or 301829-0358)

A Harvest of Prayers: Prayer Pickers Needed!

In James 5:13-20 the Living Word tells us we should pray. We need 52 prayer warriors praying for the Women who are attending the Women's Retreat this year. Please pick an apple with a name on it off of the bulletin board (in the main stair well) and lift that person up in your prayers starting now and continuing through our retreat (October 19-21). Thank you.

Youth Group

Sunday School

8:30 High School—with doughnuts

9:20 Mid-High

October 7th—Weekend of Caring

12 - 6pm: Collecting Food at Safeway for Mt. Airy Net.

6-8pm: Youth Group—Stock Mt. Airy Net/Clean up God's Garden/Clean Up God's Cart

October 14th—First Girls and Guys Night

October 27th —Calvary Corn Maze at Char-lene Farm



Thanks to everyone who sponsored a backpack, brought in teacher supplies or donated gift cards to support the students and teachers of Mt. Airy Elementary, Mt. Airy Middle, Parr's Ridge and Twin Ridge Elementary schools. In collaboration with Calvary Assembly, backpacks were filled and distributed (27 from Calvary) which enabled **50** children to begin their school year prepared like their peers. We worked with Dan Hozhabri from Keller Williams realty to distribute donation bags to **1200** homes in the Mt. Airy area, resulting in a very large number of supplies for use by our teachers who met here at Calvary to enjoy lunch (provided by Dan), fellowship and, of course, "shopping" time. We are grateful for your continued generosity and support.



Please contact Vicki Kretschmer
at vicki@calvary-mtairy.org.
to volunteer.

FILL THE UNIT

NOVEMBER 18 TO DECEMBER 16

(No elementary classes
on December 2)

Preschool Leader and Helper

Art Leader and Helper

Cooking Leader and Helper

Games Leader and Helper

Science Leader and Helper

Unit 2: Lost and Found

October 14 to November 11

During this unit, children will be learning about
a trilogy of parables.

Bible Verse: Luke 15:7

Bible Story Reference: Luke 15

Main Idea: In the parables of the lost sheep, the lost coin, and the forgiving father, Jesus teaches us that God's love is always there for us, no matter where we go or what we do.

Station	Room	10/14	10/21	10/28	11/11
ART	206	K	4/5	1st	2/3
COOKING	Basement	2/3	K	4/5	1st
GAMES	Auditorium	1st	2/3	K	4/5
SCIENCE	205	4/5	1st	2/3	K

No Sunday school for K-5th on November 4; preschool classes will be in session on this date

BIBLE SUNDAY: We will be presenting gift Bibles to our third grade students on November 18 at the 9:20 service. Sign up online at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0448a8ab2fa02-bible>. Please be sure to have submitted a 2018-2019 Sunday school registration before signing up.

Calvary Café Fellowship Time: We are so blessed to have so many people attend the Fellowship time after the 9:20 service and before the 11:00 service! Truly a time to develop relationships with our brothers and sister in Christ! As participants in this time, our children learn to be comfortable in the Church setting. This is a wonderful thing! But sometimes the children are at risk for injury if they are running around and they bump into someone with a hot beverage while playing with their friends during Fellowship. We would ask that parents be aware of this hazard and caution their children. We **absolutely** want their presence! It is a gift from God. But they must be safe and this might involve increased vigilance of the parents, families and friends. To assist with expending energy, the designated area in Good Shepherd Hall is where the children can run safely. It will be on the back half of the basketball court or the back half of GSH. Please encourage their use of this space. We thank you for your understanding and assistance with this!

*For everything there is a season,
and a time for every matter under heaven:
a time to be born, and a time to die;
a time to plant, and a time to pluck up what is planted;
a time to kill, and a time to heal;
a time to break down, and a time to build up;
a time to weep, and a time to laugh;
a time to mourn, and a time to dance;
a time to cast away stones, and a time to gather stones together;
a time to embrace, and a time to refrain from embracing;
a time to seek, and a time to lose;
a time to keep, and a time to cast away;
a time to tear, and a time to sew;
a time to keep silence, and a time to speak;
a time to love, and a time to hate;
a time for war, and a time for peace.*

— Ecclesiastes 3 :1-8

Calvary UMC
MORE
mid-week service

7 p.m.
October 10th, 17th, 24th



JOIN US FOR THESE OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES AND SHARE THE LOVE!

Upside Down Black Friday

Free Coffee and Hot Chocolate Wal-Mart

Parking Lot 4-6 a.m.

Be the Change!

Quarter Collection for Laundromat Outreach

Scheduled for December 22nd. Please bring your quarters
to the MORE Services.

ALTAR FLOWERS & HUNGER CANDLE: To order flowers (\$30 per arrangement) or to light the Hunger Candle (\$10) in honor or in memory of a loved one, sign up on the Calvary website (choose Order Altar Flowers or Light the Hunger Candle under “resources”) or call the Church Office.

If you know of someone in the congregation who is in the hospital, someone who has died, or a new baby who has been born, please let us know! Contact Kathy Barna at Kathy@calvary-mtairy.org or call Carmen at 301-829-0358

The Sunday & Beyond is now published monthly.

If you would like to have something relating to the ministries of Calvary put into next month’s Sunday and Beyond, please provide the information to Sara by the Monday prior to the first Sunday of the month sara@calvary-mtairy.org. This means that anything you want included in November should be emailed to Sara by October 29th.



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