

# BEHOLD THE KING

HIS AUTHORITY CHALLENGED



March 23,  
2025



# We're so glad you've joined us today!



**Learn more** about the opportunities below:

- Scan the **QR code**
- Stop by a **Connection Center**
- Visit **[calvarychurch.org/learnmore](http://calvarychurch.org/learnmore)**

**A Run for the Haven 5K** will take place on Saturday, April 5, at 8:00am, right here at Calvary Church. Come participate as a runner, walker, or volunteer. For more information or to register, visit our website.

**Do you have a heart for vulnerable children?** While not everyone is called to foster or adopt, there are ways for everyone to support adoptive and foster families. Care Communities come alongside these families by providing practical care through meals, prayer, childcare, and more! Join us on Saturday, April 12, at 10:30am to learn how you can get involved. Sign up online, or contact Nancy at [ndanehower@gmail.com](mailto:ndanehower@gmail.com) with any questions.

**Book lovers, mark your calendars!** Our annual book sale is taking place on Wednesday, April 2, from 10:00am-8:30pm, and Thursday, April 3, from 10:00am-1:00pm! You'll find thousands of paperbacks for \$1 and hardbacks for \$2. On Thursday, all books will be half price. We hope to see you there!

**Sound of Hope Movie:** Next Sunday, March 30, the Adoption and Foster Ministry will be hosting a free viewing of *The Sound of Hope: The Story of Possum Trot*, at 3:00pm in the Lower Auditorium. This film is an inspiring true story about a church in Texas that ignited a movement to transform their community. Join us to learn more about the needs of vulnerable children and how the church can come together to help meet their needs. Popcorn will be provided. Find out more and sign up online.

**Do you care for a child who has experienced trauma?** On Saturday, April 5, we're partnering with Keystone Family Alliance to host the *Hope for the Journey* Conference. We'll equip you with tools to build stronger connections and bring healing to kids by introducing a proven approach to parenting and caregiving that transforms everyday interactions. If you're a foster or adoptive parent, educator, ministry leader, or simply someone who cares for kids, we hope you'll join us! Sign up for free online.

**Join us for a Calvary Homes Benefit Dinner** on Friday, April 11, at 5:00pm in Fellowship Hall. Enjoy an evening of fellowship, music, dinner, and a keynote message from Roger North, founder and former CEO of North Group Consultants. Proceeds support resident care. Register online by March 31.

# Reminders

**Global & Family Prayer:** Wednesday, 6:30pm, Room 317. Global Partners, Jeff & Laurie, will share about their ministry with the “S” people group.

Scan the QR code to view our church calendar and find out what’s happening this week.

## Praying For One Another

**Hospitalized:** Matt White, Judah White  
**LGH:** Phyllis King, John McConnell, Courtney Stork

Please take time to pray for the spouses and families of these loved ones who went home to be with the Lord on Friday, March 14:

**Eugene Sensenig**  
**Shelly Null**


## Financial Information

Week 37, March 16

	General	Global	Building	Combined
Weekly Budget	134,027	51,142	9,615	194,784
Received	104,835	29,397	3,170	137,402
Received YTD	5,857,605	1,418,287	246,789	7,522,681
Budget YTD	4,958,999	1,892,254	355,755	7,207,008

Financial summaries through February 28 are available at the Connection Centers.

## Stay connected!

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**Watch Live** on the MyCalvary App, Facebook, or calvarychurch.org/live  
Ukrainian interpretation at 9:30am | Sign language, Spanish interpretation,  
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## ***Behold the King***

His Authority Challenged - Mark 11:27-12:44 (p. 848)

After entering Jerusalem triumphantly and cleansing the temple, Jesus faces relentless opposition from religious leaders who aim to trap and discredit Him. Yet, in every challenge, Jesus demonstrates His divine authority and wisdom, fully aware that each interaction brings Him closer to the cross.

### **Behold, the Authoritative King** (11:27-12:12)

Authority Challenged

Authority Displayed

### **Behold, the Wise King** (12:13-12:44)

Wisdom Challenged

Wisdom Displayed

**Reflection and Action:** In what ways am I submitting to or resisting the authority and wisdom of Jesus in my life? How does my life reflect a love for God and others as a citizen of the Kingdom of God?