AUGUST 24, 2025
Pursuing Life in Christ

FIRST

LOVING GOD

LIVING GOD'S WORD

GROWING WITH GOD'S PEOPLE

INVESTING IN GOD'S WORK

GOING INTO GOD'S WORLD



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

Take advantage of opportunities to grow during the week! Starting the week of September 14, we'll be relaunching weekday ministries for kids and adults of all ages! Men's & Women's Bible Studies will dive in to our coordinated study of Proverbs, while Discovery Clubs and Student Groups for kids and teens will kick off for the school year. Scan the QR code for more info and to sign up to participate.

What if it were possible to explore faith freely, ask the questions we all have, and work together to find a new starting point for faith? If you're new to faith, just checking it out, or coming back to church after some time away, this eight-week small group is a great first step! Join us for *Starting Point* on Sundays at 9:30am, starting September 14.

Are you newly married or engaged to be married? Marriage Builders is an Adult Bible Fellowship designed to help couples build a strong, biblical foundation for a successful marriage. You'll get to know other couples while discussing and applying biblical principles related to each aspect of married life. Join us at 11:00am in room 409 on Sunday, September 7, as we begin our fall curriculum.

Looking for a different type of engagement with the Bible this fall? *Essentials* is an interactive, conversational small group elective where you'll learn how to read your Bible, understand what it says, why it's important, and what to do with it. The entire course is divided into four units. Unit I will begin on September 14 and will be offered at both 9:30 and 11:00am. Sign up and access more info online.

Fall Global Focus is coming! Visit any ABF on Sunday, September 7, to hear from a global speaker. Then, be sure to stick around for lunch to hear about a new Global Partner and from Joel & Rachel Shelley, who serve with Word of Life in the Philippines. RSVP online.

We each have an opportunity to participate in God's work by serving others! No matter your skill set, there's a place for you to serve at Calvary! Visit our Volunteer Hub online to explore specific ways you can invest at Calvary Church, and fill the serving interest form to start the conversation.

Reminders

Global & Family Prayer will not meet this week due to Calvary Family Night.

Join us for Family Night on August 27. Starting at 4:45pm, come for a free dinner, then stick around for our annual meeting (at 6:30pm), kids programming, and dessert. The following Elder/Deacon nominees will be presented for approval during the annual meeting, for three-year terms beginning January 1, 2026:

New Elders: Kevin Filler, Kevin Gushiken Continuing Elders: Brad Mullen, Scott Powell

New Deacons/Deaconess: Doug Hershberger, Brad Plank,

Ginny Rehnberg

Continuing Deacons/ Deaconesses: Dave Alshouse, Renee Alshouse,

Marian Gingrich

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

Praying For One Another

LGH: Joann Felker, Ken Miller, Joyce Rohrer

Ephrata: Joanne Kilgore

Financial Information

Week 7, August 17

General	Global	Building	Combined
147,097	52,180	11,538	210,815
107,910	21,206	4,765	133,881
804,933	233,230	32,093	1,070,256
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Financial summaries through July 31 are available at the Connection Centers.

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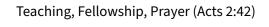
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Seek First

By Growing With God's People – Hebrews 10:22-25 (page 1007)

We each have a need to *grow with God's people* in the context of the gathered Church. We come together not just for our own growth but for the good of others in the body of Christ.

The Church Gathered



Singing to One Another (Ephesians 5:19)

Draw Near, Hold Fast, Consider (Hebrews 10:22-25)

Baptism

United with Christ (Romans 6:4)

United with His Body—the Church (1 Cor. 12:13)

Communion

Give Thanks (1 Cor. 11:24)

Remember (1 Cor. 11:24-25)

Proclaim (1 Cor. 11:26)