



May 10,  
2026

# NOT HOME YET

A STUDY OF 1 PETER





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)**

**Happy Mother's Day!** In honor of all moms, be sure to stop by Fellowship Hall to enjoy a snack and take a photo to commemorate the day!

**1 Peter Resources:** Visit our website for a breakdown of weekly passages, a helpful overview video of 1 Peter from The Bible Project, and a study recommendation for digging deeper on your own or with a small group.

**Women to Women:** On May 21 at 6:30pm, join us for an evening of discussion about mentorship and discipleship. We will learn what Scripture says, the impact it can have on our lives, and how to begin a mentorship relationship. Sign up online.

**Exciting news!** Our Nursery attendance is growing, and we need to open additional classrooms on Sundays at both 9:30 and 11:00am. You can give parents the freedom to worship while helping lay a foundation of faith that can grow for years to come. If you feel called to invest in the next generation, fill out the online serving interest form to get started.

**A new edition of the Global Ministries Prayer Guide is now available!**

Pick up your copy in the lobby and use it as a tool to pray for Calvary's Global Partners throughout May, June, and July.

**The Calvary Care food and clothing bank serves over 200 families each month.** You can support specific product needs by signing up to receive occasional emails about products that are in short supply at the food or clothing bank. Upon receiving an email from Calvary Care, and if you are able, you will purchase the designated item, bring it to church the following Sunday, and deposit it into the designated receptacle at a Connection Center. Scan the QR code to find out more and sign up.

**Equip others in their pursuit of Christ!** A Next Steps Facilitator/Coach Workshop will take place on June 13 from 8:00am-12:00pm. Learn what makes a great leader and how to ask good questions as you help others take next steps through Starting Point, Essentials, and baptism. Complete the online application to RSVP.

## Reminders

**Global & Family Prayer:** Wednesday, 6:30pm, Room 317.

**Baptism** is an opportunity to publicly share with your loved ones and our church body about the new life you've found in Christ. Want to take the next step of baptism? We have a place for you at our next baptism class today at 11:00am in the lobby conference room.

**Discover Calvary:** For those exploring Calvary Church, or taking a first step in membership, join us Sunday, May 17, at 9:30am in the East Room. Our staff will provide insight into who we are, where we're going, and how we all fit together. Sign up online.

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

## Praying For One Another

Join us in praying for several of our *Explore* and *Cross Training* candidates who are on an exploratory short-term trip in the Balkans through May 20.

**LGH:** Doug Morris, Richard LeBoon

**Penn State-Landisville:** John Miller

Elva Weaver went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, May 5. Please pray for her family during this time.

## Financial Information

Week 44, May 3

	General	Global	Building	Combined
Weekly Budget	147,097	52,180	11,538	210,815
Received	278,768	108,790	10,488	398,046
Received YTD	7,650,717	1,952,615	265,341	9,868,673
Budget YTD	6,472,268	2,295,920	507,672	9,275,860

*Financial summaries through April 30 are available at the Connection Centers.*

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Ukrainian interpretation at 9:30am | Sign language, Spanish interpretation,  
and WDAC FM 94.5 broadcast at 11:00am

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## ***Not Home Yet: A Study of 1 Peter***

Exiles – 1 Peter 1:1-2 (page 1014)

As we dive into 1 Peter, we'll explore what it means to live as “elect exiles.” Peter—writing to believers who felt out of place in the world around them—doesn't start with strategies or solutions; he starts with identity. In a culture that pressures us to conform, we too are reminded that we belong to God and are being shaped by His work in our lives.

### **Who is Writing?** (1:1)

Peter

An Apostle of Jesus Christ

### **Who is Reading?** (1:1)

Elect

Exiles

### **What is God Doing?** (1:2)

The Foreknowledge of the Father

The Sanctification of the Spirit

The Obedience to Jesus and the Sprinkling with His Blood

Grace and Peace

**Reflection and Action:** In what areas of your life is the world shaping you more than your identity in Christ?