



June 7,  
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)**

**Festival of Favorites V:** You're invited to join the Calvary Choir and Orchestra on Saturday, June 13, at 3:00pm as they perform some of their favorite songs from the past five years. No tickets required. Doors will open at 2:30pm.

**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.

**Summer Global Focus is almost here!** Join us for an ice cream social on Friday, June 12, at 6:30pm for a chance to interact with Global Partners. Then, on Sunday, June 14, we'll host a lunch to hear from Juan and Rose about their ministry at The Haven. RSVP online today.

**The Bible can feel overwhelming. Where do you start?** Join us on July 12 & 19 at 9:30am for *Introduction to Essentials*. In just two one-hour sessions, you'll discover the big picture of the Bible, understand how the Old and New Testaments fit together, and learn simple ways to make reading Scripture a meaningful part of your life. No prior Bible knowledge required—just curiosity. Sign up online.

**Ladies, we'd love to see you at our four-week summer Bible study: *Backwards Calling*.** In this study, we'll look at encounters where individuals were asked to go back to where they came from, but as changed people. Join us on Wednesdays at 6:30pm from June 10-July 1—for all four sessions, or whichever week(s) suit your schedule. Sign up online.

**We're Hiring!** Have you ever thought about using your gifts and skills to further the Kingdom of God? Do you have a passion for discipling others through the context of the local church? We'd love to talk with you. Open positions include Pastor/Director of Family Ministries, Social Media & Photography Specialist, and more! Visit our website to learn more and apply.

## Reminders

**Global & Family Prayer:** Wednesday, June 10, at 6:30pm in room 317. Krista (Global Partner) & Rory Bonte will share about their ministry.

**Want to take the next step of baptism?** We have a place for you at our next baptism class on Sunday, June 14, at 11:00am in the lobby conference room. Sign up online to let us know you'll be there.

**Discover Calvary:** For those exploring Calvary Church, or taking a first step in membership, join us Sunday, June 21, 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

**LGH:** Denise Miller

Please take time to pray for the spouses and families of these loved ones who have recently gone home to be with the Lord:

Wendy Guthridge - May 30

Cindy Ritter - June 1 *Husband: Larry Ritter; Daughters, Laura (Nic) Rudy & Lena Ritter*

Ruth Hurst - June 2

## Financial Information

Week 48, May 31

	General	Global	Building	Combined
Weekly Budget	147,097	52,180	11,538	210,815
Received	281,763	50,029	4,663	336,455
Received YTD	8,267,881	2,065,422	281,747	10,615,050
Budget YTD	7,060,656	2,504,640	553,824	10,119,120

*Financial summaries through May 31 are available at the Connection Centers.*

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*Ukrainian interpretation at 9:30am | Sign language, Spanish interpretation,  
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## ***Not Home Yet: A Study of 1 Peter***

Love – 1:22-2:3 (page 1014)

As followers of Jesus, we are called to live out of the reality of our new identity in Christ. Today, Peter reminds us that our new life in Christ should produce both a growing love for God's people and a growing hunger for God Himself.

### **A Growing Love for God's People (1:22-25)**

Love one another earnestly (v. 22)

What does love require?

Do the next right thing

Perishable vs. Imperishable

Flesh, grass, flower, withers, falls

Living, abiding, Word of God, remains, forever

### **A Growing Hunger for God Himself (2:1-3)**

Put away malice, deceit, hypocrisy, envy, slander

Long for pure spiritual milk

Taste that the Lord is good

**Reflection and Action:** Are you cultivating a growing hunger for God, and how is it shaping your life in Christ?