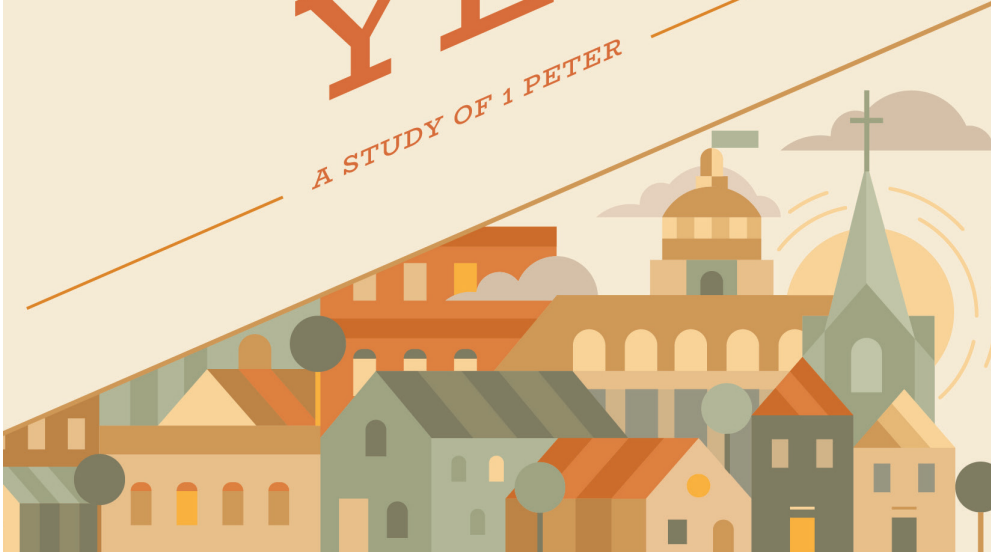




July 26,
2026

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**

Calvary Kids Returns! We're so excited to welcome Early Childhood kids (Beginners, Changers, and Pre-K) back to their classrooms next Sunday, August 2. Then, on August 23, all Calvary Kids classes will resume with promotion to new grades. More details coming soon!

Backpack Drive: For those participating, don't forget to return your filled backpack with the tag attached to a Connection Center by August 2.

The Bible can feel overwhelming. Where do you start? Join us on August 9 & 16 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.

Checkpoints help our Calvary Kids environments stay safe and secure. Guest Services is looking for Checkpoint volunteers on Sundays during the 9:30 and 11:00am services. This is a great way to interact with families while ensuring only authorized personnel have access to kids' areas. Fill out our online serving interest form for more information.

East Asia Team: We still have open spots on our short-term ministry team heading to East Asia in October. If you're interested in serving alongside long-term workers who do life with an oral-preference mountain people group, email Meagan at mlandis@calvarychurch.org.

Constitution Update: Proposed revisions to the Calvary Church Constitution are available at Connection Centers. These revisions are intended to provide greater clarity, simplify certain areas of governance, strengthen our biblical structure, and position Calvary well for future ministry. Please email elders@calvarychurch.org with any questions, comments, or feedback.

Reminders

Global & Family Prayer: Wednesday, July 29, at 6:30pm in room 317.

The following Elder and Deacon nominees will be presented for approval during the August 26 Annual Meeting, for three-year terms beginning January 1, 2027: Rick Grunden and Pat Paredes (New Elders), Cliff Hurter & Mike Smucker (Continuing Elders), Nathan Isaac and David Marshall (New Deacons), Jeff Ibach and Pam Shellenberger (Continuing Deacons). Bios are available at Connection Centers or on our website.

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

Praying For One Another

Short-Term Ministry Teams: Continue to pray for the teams serving in the Philippines and Brazil through early August.

LGH: Randy Dick, Carol Marquardt, Ken Miller

Financial Information

Week 3, July 19

	General	Global	Building	Combined
Weekly Budget	155,000	52,494	11,538	219,032
Received	110,663	27,794	10,398	148,855
Received YTD	319,728	63,454	28,904	412,086
Budget YTD	465,000	157,482	34,614	657,096

Financial summaries through June 30 are available at the Connection Centers.

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Stewardship – 4:1-11 (page 1016)

Because Christ suffered and the end is near, followers of Jesus do not return to their former way of life or waste what God has entrusted to them. Peter calls us to live for God's will and faithfully steward our minds, hearts, homes, and gifts. Everything we have has been given by God, is to be used for others, and should ultimately bring glory to Jesus Christ.

Because Christ suffered, live for the will of God (4:1-6)

Adopt Christ's Mindset (1)

Abandon Your Former Ways (2-3)

Expect Opposition (4)

Entrust Judgment to God (5-6)

Because the end is near, steward your life for the glory of God (4:7-11)

Steward Your Mind (7)

Steward Your Heart (8)

Steward Your Home (9)

Steward Your Gifts (10-11)

Reflection and Action: Which area of your life—your mind, your heart, your home, or your gifts—is God calling you to steward more faithfully this week?