ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP LUNCH

Today, following the worship service; all are welcome

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES – SIGN UP IN FOYER

- Wall Township Egg Hunt; Sat, Apr 12, 9am-10:30am
- Wall Township Touch-A-Truck; Sat, Apr 26, 10am-2pm
- Location: Wall Municipal Complex

EASTER HOPE OFFERING

- Special offering on April 13, 18, and 20
- This year's recipient: Harvest, USA
- Checks to Calvary with *Easter Offering* in memo; or on website, choose *Easter Hope Giving* in dropdown menu

EASTER AT CALVARY

- Good Friday Service: Fri, Apr 18, 7pm
- Resurrection Breakfast: 9am Easter Sunday; sign up in foyer

CALVARY FELLOWSHIP GROUPS

- Women's Bible Fellowship: Tue, 10:30-noon; contact Angela Guarracino
- Men's Coffee: Wed, 7-8am (last Wed of the month, Mariner's Cove); contact Tim Feehan
- Co-ed Group: Sat morning, 9-10am; contact Garrett Schall
- Co-ed Group: Sun evening (every other week); contact Brian Schulte
- Young Adult Men: contact Matt Brandao for schedule

STAY CONNECTED

- Weekly Connections email: contact office@calvarynj.org to be added
- Facebook and Instagram: @calv.nj; YouTube Channel: CalvaryNJ



Sunday School 9am Worship Service 10am



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"Humility isn't pretending we're unworthy because it's spiritual – it's recognizing we're unworthy because it's true." — Randy Alcorn

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship

Psalm 18:46, 49-50

Song: All Creatures of Our God and King

Confession of Faith

Psalm 19:7-9

The law of the LORD is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the LORD is sure, making wise the simple; the precepts of the LORD are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the LORD is pure, enlightening the eyes; the fear of the LORD is clean, enduring forever; the rules of the LORD are true, and righteous altogether.

Confession of Sin and Plea for Pardon

Psalm 19:12-14

Who can discern his errors? Declare me innocent from hidden faults. Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins; let them not have dominion over me! Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression. Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer.

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 130:7-8

O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with him is plentiful redemption. And he will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

Song: In Christ Alone

Dedication and Collection of Tithes and Offering

Pastoral Prayer: Congregational Needs

Nursery available for infants and toddlers, newborn through age 3.

| Sermon: <i>He Must Increase</i> John 3:22-30 (Church ESV Bible Page 1130) Celebration of the Lord's Supper Words of Institution: 1 Corinthians 11:23-27 | Rev. Tom Harr |
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| Song: Amidst Us Our Beloved Stands | No. 427 |
| Benediction | Ephesians 6:23-24 |
| Doxology | No. 733 |

SERMON NOTES

"He Must Increase" John 3:22-30

Summary: Our joy is the greatest when Jesus is the greatest.

- The Temptation of Ministry
- The Attitude of Ministry
- The Role of Ministry
- The Source of Ministry

WELCOME

Whether you are a spiritual skeptic, seeker after God, or committed Christian, we are glad you are with us today. After the worship service our pastor will be available to greet you in the foyer and tell you more about Calvary. Children are welcome in our worship service. For older children, special bulletins are available on the table in the foyer. For infants and toddlers from newborn through age 3, we offer supervised care by screened volunteers in our nursery room downstairs. Children are dismissed to Nursery during the Pastoral Prayer through the end of the service. In addition, we have a designated space for parents and their young children in a room at the back of the sanctuary. We call it the "Family Room" and it provides the ability to listen and see the service through a glass window. If you have any questions, please ask one of our greeters wearing nametags. It would be their pleasure to serve you.