



June 18, 2023
9:30 a.m.

CHURCH NEWS

FROM PASTOR LAVARIN: THE CHURCH AND CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON TOMORROW, MONDAY, JUNE 19TH. Enjoy Juneteenth!

DISCOVER THE VISION HAPPENS EVERY WEDNESDAY, at 7PM. This is at Bible Study time, but it's so much more than Bible Study! In-Person (please wear a mask) and on Zoom and Facebook. Join us these **final 2 Wednesdays in June...and Let's "Discover the Vision" together!**

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT: FOR THE ENTIRE MONTH OF JULY, THERE WILL BE NO DISCOVER THE VISION OR WEDNESDAY NIGHT SESSIONS. TAKE THE MONTH TO SPEND TIME WITH YOUR FAMILY. AFTER THIS JULY BREAK, DISCOVER THE VISION WILL RETURN ON AUGUST 2ND.

LADIES ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE WOMEN'S BAPTIST HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY CONVENTION ON THE FINAL DAY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 26TH. PASTOR LAVARIN WILL BE THE GUEST PREACHER FOR THE CLOSING SESSION AT 10AM. THE EVENT WILL BE HELD ON THE CAMPUS OF FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY IN FAYETTEVILLE, NC. Email lindsay@firstcalvary.org to register and ride the Church Bus to the event. Please wear white and register today as seats are VERY limited. Car driving is welcome, however, please still send an email of your attendance for reserved seating at the service.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY! Fathers, Grandfathers, Godfathers, Uncles, and men of influence....thank you for the role you play! Enjoy your day and come to the fellowship hall for the "Father's Day Café" after service today.

CALLING ALL OF OUR CHILDREN & YOUTH- Save the Date! JUNE IS YOUTH MONTH AT FIRST CALVARY! June 23rd-25th- Children and Youth Weekend Activities include: June 23rd- Sneaker Ball, 6:30pm - 9:00pm; June 24th-Children/Youth Conference and Showcase, followed by Cookout, 9am - 3pm; June 25th-Youth Sunday - Join us in worship service at 9:30am led by our children and youth. Dress down in a white shirt and denim jeans. Children and Youth, get ready for a power-packed time, celebrating YOU at Youth Weekend 2023. PLEASE REGISTER with this link: <https://bit.ly/YOUTHMONTH2023>

GIRL SCOUT LEADERS ARE NEEDED: You'll be the role model that they'll always remember....their cheerleader, their mentor, their guide. Watch them grow more confident, witness their transformation from little girls to leaders in their world. And, you will find that you've grown too. Our Daisy Troop are grades preK-1st grade, Brownie Troop- 2nd grade-3rd grade, Junior Troop- 4th grade-5th grade, Cadette Troop-6th, 7th, & 8th grade, Senior Troop- 9th, 10th, 11th, & 12th grade. The ministry will cover your registration fees and will make sure you are trained. We meet from September-April/May. We break for the summer. We meet the 1st Tuesday of each month from 6pm-7:30pm here at the church. Please contact Deaconess Janet Squires at (919)606-4801 or scouting@firstcalvary.org.

BOY SCOUT LEADERS NEEDED: There are 12 principles a Boy Scout lives by which are considered the Scout Law: "A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent." All leaders must have and live by a set of values. We are in need of leaders who like the outdoors and who love working with our young children/youth to instill in them good values. There are three steps to becoming a trained leader: Set up a My.scouting account, take youth protection training, select your boy scout position as a leader. We will take care of your registration fees.

We meet from September-April/May and we meet every 1st Tuesday of the month from 6pm-7:30pm here in the fellowship hall. Please contact Scout Master Portia Sidberry at (919)812-0534 or scouting@firstcalvary.org.

THERE WILL BE NO SUNDAY SCHOOL ON TODAY.

THE MALE SUMMIT will meet virtually on Tuesday, June 20th, at 7pm. We will study chapter 11 from the book Spiritually Fit to Run the Race by Kenneth C. Ulmer.

Zoom information: Topic: FCBC Male Summit
Time: 7:00 PM Eastern Time

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88484194912?pwd=eVhWekpiSytpbHdtZTFJa0JUd2RQdz09>

Meeting ID: 884 8419 4912 Passcode: 300052

Dial by your location: +1 646 876 9923 US

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FROM THE COMMUNITY: There will be an interest meeting concerning a 2024 short-term mission trip to Uganda via Zoom on Sunday, June 25th at 5pm. If you would like to receive an invitation to attend this meeting and/or learn more about this mission trip or a future mission trip, please email to Min. Cecelia Horton at cecehorton@gmail.com.

FROM THE COMMUNITY: THE WESTEND NEIGHBORHOOD JUNETEETH CELEBRATION is on Monday, June 19th, from 2pm to 6pm at Carroll Street Park (815 Carroll Street). Celebrate the holiday with old gospel singing, vendors, food, activities, and more!

HEALING AND RECOVERY

Remember our sick & shut-in members with prayers, cards, visits, & calls and share this information with the Pastor and Deacons. Contact the church office with sick & shut in information.

HOSPITAL & CARE FACILITY		
Sis. Anne Adams	Brian Center 6000 Fayetteville Road 27713	
Sis. Blanche Burgess	Treyburn Rehab Center 2059 Torredge Road 27712	
Sis. Rachelle Nelums	Pruitt Health Erwin Road 27707	
Bro. Michael Wilson	Tower Rehabilitation & Nursing Center 3609 Bond Street Raleigh, NC 27604	
AT HOME CARE		
Sis. Mary Bailey	1505 Palmers Grove Church Rd, Hillsborough	27278
Bro. Danny Blackwell	1 Lucas Drive	27703
Sis. Iris Blackwell	1 Lucas Drive	27703
Sis. Betty Borden	718 Wortley Drive	27713
Sis. Wilhemenia Foster-Long	117 Briarhaven Drive	27703
Bro. Gus Forte	1 Rosedawn Court	27703
Sis. Shirley Jackson	2420 Glenbrook Drive	27707
Sis. Deborah Jolly	904 Arnette Avenue	27701
Sis. Mary Liverman	6 Warfield Court, Greensboro	27406
Bro. Frank Lloyd	7 Gwendolyn Circle	27703
Sis. Princess Matthews	1127 Briar Rose Lane, Apt. 103	27704
Sis. Bettie Sanders	323 Crooked Creek Parkway	27713
Dea. John Smith	1405 Timber Wolf Drive	27713
Sis. Lillie Trice	1 Duck Pond Court	27703
Sister Zandra Turner	816 Tumeric Lane	27713
Bro. Kevin Young	1027 Moreland Avenue	27707

Happy Father's Day

MINISTRY MEETING SCHEDULE

CFLR –Community Family Life Center at Lyon Park
CFR –Conference Room **CRM** -Choir Room
CR I -Classroom 1 **CR II** -Classroom 2 **CR III** -Classroom 3
FH – Fellowship Hall **LIB** – Library **Sanct**-Sanctuary

SUNDAY		
7:00 am	Intercessory Prayer Service (4 th Sun)	Sanct
1:15pm	Health & Wellness Ministry (2 nd Sun)	CR I
1:15 pm	Evangelism Ministry (2 nd Sun)	CR II
1:15 pm	Daughters of Calvary (3 rd Sun)	CR II
1:15 pm	Computer Ministry (2 nd Sun)	CR III
4:00 pm	Associate Ministers (each 2 nd Sun)	CR II
5:00 pm	Deacons & Trustee Ministry Mtg. (2 nd Sun)	CR III/LIB
6:30 pm	Official Leadership Team (2 nd Sun)	FH
MONDAY		
6:00 pm	Tots of Praise Rehearsal (after 1 st)	CRM
6:30 pm	Psalms 150 (after 3 rd & 4 th Sun)	CRM
6:30 pm	Young Adult Choir (after 2 nd Sun)	CRM
6:30pm	Children's Church Committee (after 2 nd Sun)	LIB
6:30 pm	Sunday School Teachers (1 st Mon)	CR I
6:30 pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
7:00pm	Entrepreneur Ministry (TBA)	CR III
7:00pm	Visionary Ministry (3 rd Mon)	LIB
7:30pm	Male Chorus (after 2 nd & 3 rd Sun)	CRM
7:30pm	Young Adult Choir (before 3 rd Sun)	CRM
TUESDAY		
6:00pm	Scouting Ministry (every other Tues)	ALL AREAS
6:30pm	Hospitality Ministry (2 nd Tues)	CR I
6:30pm	Praise Team	CRM
6:30pm	Circle of Care (COC) (2 nd Tues-Quarterly)	LIB
6:30pm	Beauty for Ashes	LIB
7:00pm	Male Summit (Tuesday after 3 rd Sun)	LIB
7:30pm	Music Council (2 nd Tues)	CR II
7:30pm	The Encouragers (1 st Tues)	CR III
WEDNESDAY		
12:00pm	Noon Day Prayer	Conf. Call
6:30pm	Youth Bible Study	Zoom
7:00pm	Bible Study	Zoom/FB
THURSDAY		
6:00pm	Nursery Ministry (1 st Thurs)	Nursery
6:30pm	Calvary's Anointed/Vessels of Praise	FH/Sanct
6:30pm	Beautification Committee (2 nd Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	Couples' Ministry (4 th Thurs)	CR II
6:30pm	Youth Council (4 th Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	ACT Ministry (3 rd Thurs)	CR I
6:30pm	Young Adult Ministry (3 rd Thurs)	CR II
6:30pm	Emergency Response Team (ERT)	CR II
7:00pm	Singles in Love with Christ (4 th Thurs)	LIB
7:00pm	Sunday Service Choir Rehearsal	CRM
7:30pm	Drama Ministry	CR III
SATURDAY		
9:30am	Pearls of Praise (2 nd Sat)	CRM
10:00am	Scholarship Ministry (before the 2 nd Sun)	CR II
10:00am	PROJECT F.I.N.E.	CFLR
10:00am	Onesiphorous Prison Ministry (3 rd Sat)	CR I
10:30am	Deaconess Ministry (1 st Sat)	LIB/Sanct
11:00am	Senior Missionary Ministry (3 rd Sat)	LIB
11:00am	Senior Usher & First Aid Ministry (2 nd Sat)	CRM/ Sanct
11:30am	Culinary Arts Ministry (4 th Sat)	LIB

PRAISE & ADORATION

Praise & Worship.....Praise Team

Scripture.....Minister

Prayer..... Deacon

Hymn.....#285....."His Name is Wonderful"

CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Church News

Offertory Prayer

Offering/Giving

Offertory Song

CARE & CONCERNS THROUGH PRAYER

Pastoral Concerns/ Recognition of Sick/Prayer Concerns

Altar Call & Prayer

The Word in Song

WORSHIP THROUGH INSTRUCTION

****The Sermon.....Pastor Marc A. Lavarin**

*Invitation to Christian Discipleship/ Invitational Selection
If you would like to unite with our Church Family, you can do so during the Hymn of Invitation following the sermon. You may join by Baptism, Christian Experience, Letter, or as an Associate Member.

*Benediction

***PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE and remain standing.**

****Please refrain from walking during The Sermon.**



Our Mission: E³
Empower spiritual lives,
Enhance quality of life,
& Evangelize the lost

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

I am experiencing my first Father's Day today, so I am right along with all the blessed fathers, Godfathers, grandfathers, uncles, and other men of influence that are honored on today. Happy Father's Day, my brothers. We remember those men that have impacted our lives that are no longer with us. I experience moments of joy as I look at my son and remember my father. Thank you to our hospitality ministry for the "Father's Day Café" after service on today. Men, enjoy the day.

We certainly had an exciting and power-packed week to celebrate together. Vacation Bible School, with its "Twists and Turns" was a blessed time of study and fellowship. My thanks go out to all of the VBS leadership and volunteers, from administration, to teaching, to culinary...your hard work was evident. I also have to thank the Staff/Team for all of the support and behind the scenes that took place to help things run smoothly. THEN, what a great time we had on yesterday at our Annual Family Fun Day! The food, the music, the fellowship, the games, the prizes, the vendors, it was all blessed. And the Saints was dunking the Pastor!! Thank you, Church Celebrations Committee, Culinary Arts, and Church Staff Team, for all the hard work that went into the event.

Young people, children and youth, are you ready? That time is coming.... Youth Weekend 2023 is almost here! We look for you to be in the place at the first ever FCBC Sneaker Ball....let's see 'em on your feet! There is also the Youth Conference and Showcase to look forward to, as well as Youth Sunday. Parents, thank you for your support and for allowing us to pour into your children. We look forward to the weekend's activities and events.

Discover the Vision will happen this week and next week. Then, there will be a new change. We will take a break from Discover the Vision for the entire summer month of July, and everyone is challenged to "Discover the Family". Spend some quality family time in July....take a "Wednesday selfie" and share it with us each week!

Because of Calvary,
Pastor Marc

THE DEACON'S MESSAGE

What if you feel like you don't measure up? I don't think any of us ever could standing next to Christ. The good thing is that it is not required. We have to do the best we can and be obedient to God. Jesus died for all of our sins. King David certainly made some mistakes in his life, but in Psalm 89, God talks about keeping His promise to David. "But I will never stop loving him nor fail to keep my promise to him. No, I will not break my covenant; I will not take back a single word I said. I have sworn an oath to David and in my holiness I cannot lie..." Psalm 89:32-35, NLT There are some promises with your name written on them child of God! Become familiar with them. What has God promised you? Has He promised that He will make a way? Believe it! In His holiness God cannot lie. His promises to you are your armor and protection for the day. When dismay creeps in let it hit your armor and not your heart. When doubt chases you hurling arrows of dissent, that sound you hear is not your world coming crashing down. It is your armor working, deflecting the lies that shout you have been defeated. Remember you have God's protection.

STEWARDSHIP STATISTICS

Our **Tithes & Offerings** must be \$36,810.84 per Sunday to meet our budget. Thank you for giving!

June 11, 2023

Discover the Vision **N/A** Sunday School **27** New Members **N/A**
In-Person Worship **399** Worship Service (Streaming) **203**

Tithes and Offering	\$10,978.00
Sacrificial Offering	\$359.00
Food Pantry	\$130.00
Scholarship	\$55.00
Sunday School	\$34.00
Online Giving	\$12,099.02
Total Giving	\$23,655.02

LET US PRAY: MATURE ADULTS, AGE 60 & UP, join "Noon Day" midweek prayer & devotion, **EVERY WEDNESDAY at 12:00 p.m.** Call 712-432-1000, enter access code 616729948#. Others are invited to attend as well.

TIME FOR THE "MID-WEEK TUNE UP"! Join the Prayer Conference Call on Wednesdays at 7:00 a.m., call 712-432-1001, enter code "494132935#". **This call is led by Pastor Lavarin.** Please ONLY use the above listed number for this Wednesday call. Additionally... **AND THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT....PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOUR PHONE IS MUTED ON THE CALL AND YOU CANNOT BE HEARD.**

Come to Intercessory Prayer on the 4th Sundays, 7:00 a.m.-Zoom Access: Meeting ID: 874 6010 4604, Passcode: 386584.

Hey Parents, the Guest Room/Family Room on the balcony level is now available for baby changing and baby nursing during worship service. Also, remember, other restrooms throughout the facility have baby-changing tables available.

PLEASE REMEMBER: YOU WILL NEED TO STILL WEAR A MASK WHENEVER YOU COME TO THE CHURCH.

COME BACK TO CHURCH FOR WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS! WE WILL ALSO CONTINUE TO LIVE STREAM WORSHIP VIA THE CHURCH WEBSITE AND FACEBOOK AT 9:30 A.M. EACH SUNDAY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

—HAPPY—
Father's Day

YOUTH MONTH

June 2023

3	9:00 AM	NEW MEMBER CONNECT
SUN 4	9:30 AM	Worship Service Stream on Facebook & Website
	11:00 AM	VBS TRAINING No Sunday School
7	12:00 PM	PRAYER CALL-MATURE ADULTS
	7:00 PM	DISCOVER THE VISION
SUN 11		GRADUATES & RECOGNITION SUNDAY
	9:30 AM	Worship Service Stream on Facebook & Website
	11:00 AM	Sunday School on Zoom
14	12:00 PM	PRAYER CALL-MATURE ADULTS
14-16	5:00 PM	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
17	11:00 AM	FAMILY FUN DAY
SUN 18		FATHER'S DAY
	9:30 AM	Worship Service Stream on Facebook & Website
		JUNETEENTH-CHURCH CLOSED
19	12:00 PM	PRAYER CALL-MATURE ADULTS
21	7:00 PM	DISCOVER THE VISION YOUTH WEEKEND
23-25		SNEAKER BALL
23	6:30 PM	SNEAKER BALL
24	9:00 AM	YOUTH CONFERENCE
SUN 25		YOUTH SUNDAY
	9:30 AM	Worship Service Stream on Facebook & Website
	11:00 AM	Sunday School on Zoom
28	12:00 PM	PRAYER CALL-MATURE ADULTS
	7:00 PM	DISCOVER THE VISION

TODAY'S MINISTRY THROUGH SERVICE

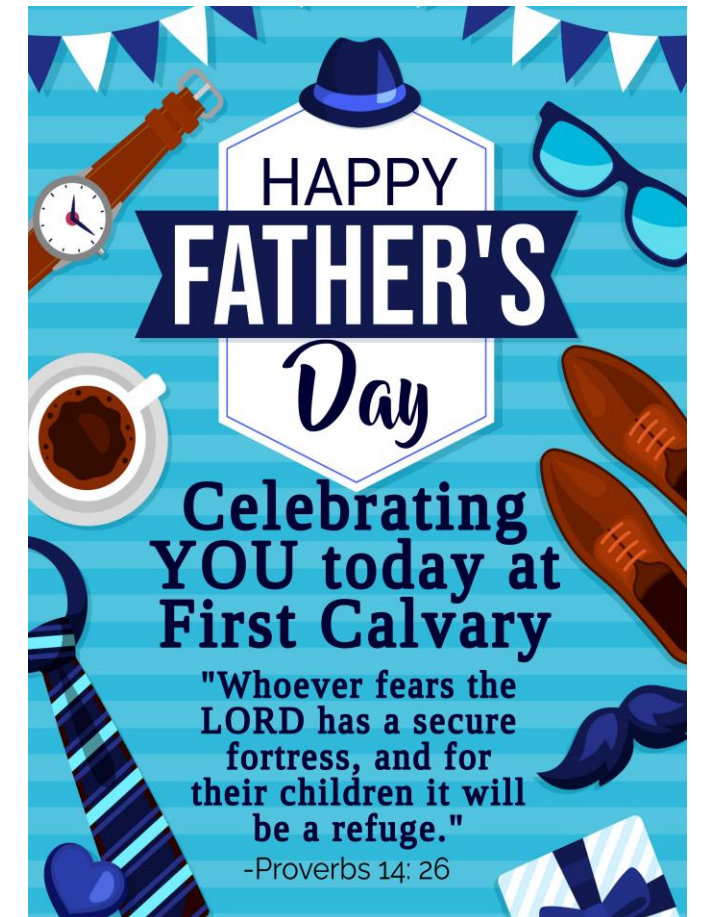
Music:	Praise Team
Director of Music Ministries:	Minister Michael Dotson
Senior Church Musician:	Brother Tony Rhodes
Bass Player:	Brother David Cannady
Percussionist:	Brother Andre Sanders
Saxophonist:	Brother Lynwood Jones
Videographers:	Sister Hilary Fearrington/ Dr. Toni McIntosh/ Sister Gail Hendricks/ Sister Barbie Bolden
Audio Team (1 per Sunday):	Brother Ivan Holloway/ Deacon Darryll Gadson/ Deacon Xavier Cason/ Brother Michael Hill/ Deacon Calvin Squires/ Brother Derrick Garrett

FACEBOOK: First Calvary Baptist Church, Durham, NC

If you are having a medical procedure, or are sick at home for over a week, please contact the church office so that Pastoral contact can occur as soon as possible or at your request.



"An Exciting Church Excited About Its Mission"



Youth Month
"Building Honor"
June 18, 2023

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SUNDAY-Worship- 9:30am ♦ Sunday School-11am
WEDNESDAY-Mid-Week Tune-Up Prayer Call-7am
Discover the Vision-7pm

"BUILDING ON GOD'S FOUNDATION"

SERMON NOTES

DATE: _____ Text: _____

SUBJECT: _____



"DISCOVER THE VISION"

Wednesdays, 7pm
In-Person

(Please wear a mask)

Also via Zoom (Meeting ID: 932 281 4455,

Passcode: 573710)

or the Church Facebook page

(First Calvary Baptist Church, Durham, NC)

Reminder: WHEN YOU COME TO THE CHURCH, EITHER DURING THE WEEK OR ON SUNDAYS, PLEASE WEAR A MASK.



WHEN TO CALL OR EMAIL THE CHURCH OFFICE

*When you need to schedule an appointment to see the Pastor.

*When there is death in your family.

*To make a prayer request.

*When you are going to have surgery.

*When you a question regarding scheduling a room for a meeting.

*If you need to contact your deacon and you don't know who he is.

*When you have a baby or to arrange a Baby Dedication.

*To set up marriage or pre-marital counseling.

*If you desire your wedding ceremony to be performed by the Pastor.

*When you have questions regarding your financial giving.

*To change your address or telephone numbers when you move!

NOTE: Some of the above items are altered due to Church schedule and availability.

Thank you for all the ways you go above and beyond everyday for your family, friends and community.
Thank you for being a great father, bonus dad, big brother and mentor to all those touched by your love, guidance and unconditional support.

Today the Hospitality Ministry would like to honor you with a "Grab & Go" breakfast in the Fellowship Hall immediately after worship service today.

HAPPY
Father's
DAY

FIRST CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1311 Morehead Avenue
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CHILDREN & YOUTH WEEKEND

JUNE 23-25, 2023

"I Know Who I Am"
2 Corinthians 5: 17



SNEAKER
Ball & Glow
Party

FRIDAY, JUNE 23RD
6:30PM - 8:30PM



CONFERENCE
& SHOWCASE

SATURDAY, JUNE 24TH
9AM - 3PM



YOUTH
SUNDAY

SUNDAY, JUNE 25TH
9:30AM

Service led
by children
& youth

YOUTH SUNDAY ATTIRE:
DRESS DOWN-WHITE SHIRTS &
DENIM JEANS

ALL EVENTS ARE AT FIRST CALVARY
& INCLUDE FREE FOOD, ENTERTAINMENT,
FELLOWSHIP, & GAMES.



YOUTH SUNDAY GUEST:
MINISTER JASMINE MITCHELL

Children & Youth,
PLEASE REGISTER BY JUNE 18TH:
<https://bit.ly/YOUTHMONTH2023>

Or use the QR Code

