

**There are different kinds of gifts, but the  
same Spirit distributes them.**

1 CORINTHIANS 12:4



**May 28, 2023**

**“Now there are varieties of gifts,  
but the same Spirit.”  
1 Corinthians 12:4**

**Pentecost**

Liturgists: Rev. Kelly Buist and Rev. Brad Zwiers  
Preaching Pastor: Rev. Rebecca Jordan Heys  
Organist: Dorothy Frisch  
Ministry of Music: Kurt Frisch  
Scripture Reader: Kyle Heys  
Audio/Video: Brian Netz, Steve Triezenberg  
Japanese blessing: Carol DeJonge  
Spanish blessing: Jubilee Heys  
German blessing: Donna Houskamp  
Turkish blessing: Sufi Stoner

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**Ten o'clock**

**May 28, 2023**

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**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP**

Prelude: Five Settings of “Come, Holy Ghost, Our Souls Inspire”  
J. S. Bach, Johann Walther, George Lachenauer, and Gerhard Krapf

Welcome and Announcements

Spoken Call to Worship: Acts 2:1-4

Call to Worship: “The Call”

Music: R. Vaughan Williams  
Words: G. Herbert

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: Such a Way as gives us breath:  
Such a Truth, as ends all strife: Such a Life, as killeth death.

Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: Such a Light, as shows a feast:  
Such a Feast, as mends in length: Such a Strength, as makes his guest.

Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: Such a Joy, as none can move:  
Such a Love, as none can part: Such a Heart, as joys in love.

\* Opening Hymns: “Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid”  
“Spirit, Working in Creation”

**#523:1-3**  
**#235:1-3**

\* God’s Greeting

## WE CONFESS OUR SIN

### Prayer of Confession

#### Call to Confession

Leader: Generous God,  
you send us the Spirit of courage,  
but we have been afraid.  
You send us the Spirit of truth,  
but we cling to our illusions.  
You send us the Spirit of healing,  
but we cannot let go of our hurts.

**All: Holy Spirit of forgiveness, come to us again:  
shake our hearts, set our souls on fire with your love.  
Send us out into the world rejoicing in your power.**

Leader: We hold out to you  
all our particular burdens of guilt and sin,  
and we ask for your help  
as we strive to live the way of your justice and love.

**All: Amen.**

Hymn of Confession: "Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

**#747:1-3**

\* Assurance of Pardon

\* Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

front cover of hymnal

\* Song of Response: "Glory Be to the Father"

**#961**

(Children may come forward during this hymn.)

## GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

### Message for Children

#### Blessing for Children

Leader: People of God, what is your prayer for these children?

**All: The Lord be with you.**

Children: And also with you.

**All: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.**

Anthem: “Salve Festa Dies”

Music: R. Vaughan Williams  
Words: Venantius Honorius Fortunatus

*Refrain*

Hail thee, festival day! Blest day that art hallowed forever,  
Day when the Holy Ghost shone in the world with God’s grace.

Lo in the likeness of fire, on those who await his appearing,  
He whom the Lord foretold suddenly, swiftly descends:

Forth from the Father he comes with seven-fold mystical offering,  
Pouring on all human souls infinite riches of God:

Hark! For in myriad tongues Christ’s own, his chosen apostles,  
Preach to the ends of the earth Christ and his wonderful works:

Praise to the Spirit of Life, all praise to the fount of our being,  
Light that doth lighten all, life that in all dost abide:

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession, concluding with the Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come. Your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.  
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever  
Amen.**

\* Hymn of Preparation: “Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God”

**#746:1-3**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 12:1-13

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Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**All: Thanks be to God!**

Sermon: **GENEROUS SPIRIT**

Prayer of Application

## WE RESPOND IN GRATITUDE

\* Hymn of Response: “Dwell in Me, O Blessed Spirit”

**#745:1-2**

\* Offertory Prayer for Community Care: Bob Houskamp

\* Benediction

\* Doxology: “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**#965**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise him, all creatures here below.**

**Praise him above, ye heavenly host.**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

**Amen.**

\* Postlude: “Come, Holy Ghost, Our Lord and God”

Dietrich Buxtehude

## **Calvin CRC Announcements for May 28, 2023**

### **WORSHIP Today, 10 AM, Pentecost**

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*Morning worship:* Rev. Rebecca Jordan Heys preaches from 1 Corinthians 12:1-13, and Kurt and Dorothy Frisch lead us in ministry of music.

### **WORSHIP Next Sunday, June 4**

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*Morning worship:* Rev. Brad Zwiers will preach from Matthew 28:16-20, we will celebrate the sacrament of communion, and we will welcome Henk Ottens to lead us in ministry of music. The offering will be for Benevolence.

*Evening worship:* We will gather in the Fellowship Hall for a service of singing and prayer. This informal time together includes song requests and prayer requests from the congregation.

### **COUNCIL NEWS**

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In our continued discernment as leaders about how best to welcome LGBTQ+ people into the life of Calvin Church, the Council has developed a document called "Loving and Learning Together." This document does not represent a policy of Calvin Church, but a posture to encourage dialogue as a congregation. You will find a letter explaining more and the document itself in your church mailbox. If you need a copy mailed to you, please contact the church office.

### **CHURCH FAMILY**

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**85+ YEAR OLD BIRTHDAYS:** 6/6 Marilyn Bratt (90), Marcia Brouwer (88)

6/9 Ruth Kamps (88)

6/14 John VanLaar (91)

6/18 June Klanderman (93)

6/23 Ann Boermans (93)

6/24 Warren Boer (85)

6/26 Fran Hamstra (87)

6/26 Catherine VandeZande (89)

6/27 Jean VerHulst (91)

**COLLEGE AGE BIRTHDAY:**

6/29 Tyler Stafford (22)

### **CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRIES**

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**JUNE BIRTHDAYS:**

6/11 Luke Schipper (4)

6/13 Javin Love (15)

6/23 Marquay Price (7)

### **MEETINGS, ACTIVITIES, AND EVENTS**

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**Calvin Church Book Club Members:** Please, bring your best suggestions for books for next year, 2023-2023, to our last meeting on June 5.

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY COORDINATOR:** We are seeking qualified candidates to fill our newly created Children's Ministry Coordinator position. In this 10-hour per week position, the Children's Ministry Coordinator will foster an atmosphere of welcome for our youngest members (newborn through 5<sup>th</sup> grade) as well as oversee and coordinate children's ministries. To learn more about the

position and see the full job description, visit the Calvin Church website. Please email your cover letter and resume to Suzi Steketee, Chair of the Education Committee (sjstek3@gmail.com) by June 5, 2023, or pass the word on to anyone you think may be interested in this position.

**DISPLAY CASE:** In the front display case we have textiles, wood carvings, and a brass coffee set collected by Bert and Sally DeVries in Jordan.

**GALLERY WALL:** Check out the exciting plans for the northwest yard, which will be our Sacred Grounds garden, and the patio renovation scheduled for this year.

## CALENDAR

	<i>Today, Pentecost Sunday, May 28</i>
9:40a	Nursery Lead: Tom Prince
	Nursery Volunteers: Cindy Lanning Burch, Hannah Triezenberg
11:15a	Library Volunteer: Barb Hoekwater
	Coffee Servers: Mark and Julie DeKoster
12:00p	St. Luke A.M.E. Zion Church meets in the Sanctuary
	Calvin host for St. Luke: Gwen Overbeek
	<i>Monday, May 29</i>
	Church office is closed
	<i>Tuesday, May 30</i>
9:00a	Family Assistance
	<i>Thursday, June 1</i>
9:00a	Family Assistance
	<i>Next Sunday, June 4</i>
9:40a	Nursery Lead: Sue Hoekstra
	Nursery Volunteers: Tim Molenbeek, Lane Molenbeek
	Nursery Alternate Volunteer: Tamara Baker
11:15a	Library Volunteer: Norma Spears
	Coffee Servers: Dale and Joanie Rosema
12:00p	St. Luke A.M.E. Zion Church meets in the Sanctuary
	Calvin host for St. Luke: Judy Jongsma



## **Growing in Discipleship ... ...Transformed for Ministry**

### **Welcome to Calvin Church**

#### **In Worship:**

- Our worship proceeds unannounced and follows the printed liturgy.
- Reprint and streaming licenses are One License A-730126, CCLI#2532147, and CSPL#175060.
- The symbols of the dove and flames on the Pentecost banner convey the coming of the Holy Spirit. The shimmering effect suggests the presence and action of the Holy Spirit.
- Large-print resources are available at the Information Desk.
- Our facility is equipped with the Loop hearing system.



#### **For Children:**

- Infant and toddler nurseries are available.
- Busy Bags for young children are on the picket fence in the Atrium.
- Bulletins for older children are in the rack in the Narthex.

#### **Fellowship and Information:**

- Everyone is invited to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments following the morning service.
- “Like” us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/CalvinChristianReformedChurch](http://www.facebook.com/CalvinChristianReformedChurch)
- Subscribe to our YouTube channel: [youtube.com/@calvincrc/streams](http://youtube.com/@calvincrc/streams)

Church office hours: 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM, Monday—Thursday

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday Noon

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