



*I still have
many things
to say to you*

JOHN 16:12

June 15, 2025

Calvary Lutheran Church
Minneapolis, MN

Welcome to Calvary Lutheran Church!

Beloved of God, each and every one of you is welcome here.

This welcome is for all of us in our multiple identities --- including all sexual orientations, gender identities and gender expressions, people of the global majority, doubters, skeptics, seekers and people of other faiths.

We seek to repair harm we have done as church.

We strive to be actively antiracist and to dismantle White supremacy in ourselves, in church, and in society.

*Calvary is a Reconciling in Christ congregation
of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA)*

As a community of faith, we at Calvary Lutheran acknowledge that our church was formed on the ancestral homelands of the Wahpekute Band and other bands of the Dakota Nation. The Dakota were forcibly removed from their homelands. With God's help, we strive to repair ongoing injustices and grow toward right relationships with Indigenous people.

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GATHER

Gathering Song

“Come Thou Fount”

Come Thou fount of every blessing
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace
Streams of mercy never ceasing
Call for songs of loudest praise
Jesus sought me when a stranger
Wandering from the fold of God
He to rescue me from danger
Interposed His precious love

Oh, to grace how great a debtor
Daily I'm constrained to be
Let Thy goodness like a fetter
Bind my wandering heart to Thee
Prone to wander, Lord I feel it
Prone to leave the God I love
Here's my heart, oh take and seal it
Seal it for Thy courts above

Welcome

Invocation

We gather in the name of God the Parent, Jesus the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Passing of the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.
Let us share the sign of peace with one another.

+ Confession and Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,
creator of the stars of night,
companion at the evening table,
breath over the deep waters.
Amen.

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

Have mercy, O God,
against you, you alone,
we have sinned.
In your compassion,
cleanse us from our sin
and take away our guilt.
Create in us a new heart
and give us a steadfast spirit.
Do not cast us away,
but fill us with your Holy Spirit
and restore your joy within us.
Amen.

As tender as parent to child,
so deep is God's compassion for you.
As high as heaven is above earth,
so vast is God's love for you.
As far as east is from west,
so far God removes your sin from you,
renewing your life through Jesus Christ.
Blessed be God who crowns us with mercy and love.
Blessed be God forever.

Prayer of the Day

Almighty Creator and ever-living God: we worship your glory, eternal Three-in-One, and we praise your power, majestic One-in-Three. Keep us steadfast in this faith, defend us in all adversity, and bring us at last into your presence, where you live in endless joy and love, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

WORD

Psalm 8

O Lord, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!
You have set your glory above the heavens.
Out of the mouths of babes and infants
you have founded a bulwark because of your foes,
to silence the enemy and the avenger.
When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars that you have established;
what are humans that you are mindful of them,
mortals that you care for them?
Yet you have made them a little lower than God
and crowned them with glory and honor.
You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;
you have put all things under their feet,
all sheep and oxen,
and also the beasts of the field,
the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.
O Lord, our Sovereign,
how majestic is your name in all the earth!

Romans 5:1-5

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand, and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our afflictions, knowing that affliction produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

+ Scripture Reading

John 16:12-15

"I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, God will guide you into all the truth, for the Lord will not speak on their own but will speak whatever God hears, and they will declare to you the things that are to come. God will glorify me because the Lord will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that our heavenly parent has is mine. For this reason I said that God will take what is mine and declare it to you.

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Kelly Sherman Conroy

Song of the Day

"Come, All You Weary"

Verse 1

**Come all you weary with your heavy loads
Lay down your burdens, find rest for your souls
'Cause my yoke is easy and my burden is kind
I'll take yours upon me and you can take mine**

Verse 2

**Come all you weary who move through the Earth
You've been spurned at fine restaurants and kicked out of church
I've got a couple of loaves, so sit down at my feet
Lend me your ears and we'll break bread and eat**

Chorus

Come all you weary
Come gather 'round near me
Find rest for your souls

Verse 3

Come all you weary, crippled you lame
I'll help you along, you can lay down your canes
We've got a long way to go, but we'll travel as friends
The light's growing bright, further up, further in

Chorus

Come all you weary
Come gather 'round near me
Come all you weary
Come gather 'round near me
Find rest for your souls

Profession of Faith

From the United Church of Canada

We are not alone,
 we live in God's world.
We believe in God:
 who has created and is creating,
 who has come in Jesus,
 the Word made flesh,
 to reconcile and make new,
 who works in us and others
 by the Spirit.
We trust in God.
We are called to be the Church:
 to celebrate God's presence,

to live with respect in Creation,
to love and serve others,
to seek justice and resist evil,
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,
our judge and our hope.
In life, in death, in life beyond death,
God is with us.
We are not alone.
Thanks be to God.

Prayers of the People

Drawn together in the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray with confidence for the church, God's good creation, and all who are in need.

*A brief silence. Each prayer petition will end with, "Lord in your mercy," and the congregation will respond, "**Hear our prayer.**"*

The prayers conclude:

We entrust our prayers to you, O God, in the sure and certain hope that your promise is revealed among the people.

Amen.

Offering Prayer

Abiding God, under the cover of darkness, you bring forth life. Nourish us with earth's bounty, that we may freely share the gifts you have first given us, through the one who gives his life for the world, Jesus Christ, our risen Savior. **Amen.**

MEAL

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Words of Institution

Prayer Jesus Taught us

Our Mother/Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

Welcome to the Table

The bread is broken, the wine is poured and all are welcome to this table of
grace.

Holy Communion Distribution

Communion Blessing

May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep
you in God's Grace

Amen

SENDING

Announcements

Blessing

The Lord bless you and keep you
The Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to you
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.
In the name of God the parent, ✠ Jesus the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Sending Song

“Jesus Lifted Me”

Sending

Go in peace. Follow Jesus.
Thanks be to God.

Welcome to Dr. Kelly Sherman Conroy

Dr. Kelly Sherman-Conroy is a Native American theologian, activist and storyteller. A member of the Oglala Lakota Nation, she is the first Native woman theologian in the ELCA to have received a Ph.D. Her work focuses on systemic theology, Lakota spirituality and racial reparations. She is an outspoken champion for social justice and healing, and her work has received national and worldwide acclaim. She is an adventurer, a mother and a friend.

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WORSHIP LEADERS		
Week of	June 15	June 22
Presiding	Pastor Jenny Sung	Pastor Jenny Sung
Preaching	Rev. Dr. Kelly Sherman Conroy	Pastor Jenny Sung
Assisting Minister	Susan Olsen	
Lector	Chris Robson	Sam Robson
Usher	Sam Robson	Chris Robson
Sacristan	Linda Mundt	Sam Robson
Livestream	Mark Smith	Tito Arizabal
Musician	Ben Larson	Ben Larson

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

Sunday, June 15

10:00 a.m. Worship

Monday, June 16

3:00 p.m. Care Team

Sunday, June 22

10:00 a.m. Worship

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We are looking for ideas for a Calvary T-shirt. What should it say? What should it look like? Send your suggestions to [Robert Bowers](#) and/or [Scott Endo](#)

In Our Prayers

- for those who live alone and are separated from their family and friends
- for all who live in fear at this time: immigrants, the disabled/differently-abled, the LGBTQ community, Muslims, Latinos, those working on eco-justice and climate change, the poor and vulnerable, Blacks & African Americans
- for the people of our sister synods, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Nigeria, and the Lutheran Church in Leipzig
- for those in our community celebrating birthdays, including Susan Olsen (6/16)
- for those in our community celebrating their anniversary, including Matthew & Carolyn Youngbauer (6/19), Scott & Angie Endo (6/21)
- for family and friends we know who are recovering from surgery, ill or grieving, for their families and caregivers:
 - Chris Robson and the Robson family, as Chris is receiving treatment for cancer
 - Todd Endo (Scott's father) and his caregivers
 - Prayers for our trans relatives and friends who need additional love at this time as hatred and fear targets them.
 - Sherri Boehlke (Carolyn Youngbauer's mother) who had knee replacement surgery, and for the family members caring for her
 - Larry Van Meter (father of Chris) as he moved into a senior personal care placement in Louisville
 - Linda Mundt - dealing with memory loss issues
 - Nancy Lee Nelson (recovering from hip fractures and a pelvis fracture)
 - Henrietta Williams (requests prayers for her strength & endurance)
 - Bonnie Rae (Good Samaritan Home, New Hope)
 - George Robson (as he recovers from a stroke)

*If you wish to add or remove a prayer request,
please email: pastorjennifer@clchurch.org*

