

2022 Ministry-At-A-Glance



Time to INVESTigate Stewardship

Calvary Baptist Church
Open to all. Closed to none.

INVESTing in Faith Worship, Music & Faith Formation



Worship

- 189 Morning Worship Volunteers & Leaders
- Healing & Wholeness Services: 6-10 participants
- Blessing of the Animals Service: 19 participants (furry and human)
- 17 Memorial or Committal Service
- 85 Livestreamed or Pre-recorded Worship Services



YouTube Channel:

- 21, 640 views (a view often represents several in a household)
- 85 new subscribers
- Highest viewed video: How to Create a Prayer Altar in Your Home (7,228 views)

Morning Worship:

- 115 average in-person worship attendance
- 7,116 views on livestream
- The Gathering Contemporary Worship (Nov-March): 1270 views
- Praise & Ritual views/participants: 356
- Virtual Christmas Pageant: 29 participants, 164 views
- Virtual Christmas Card: 57 participants, 214 views
- 29 people received imposition of ashes on Ash Wednesday
- Holy Monday digital liturgy: 213 opens, 34 clicks
- Holy Tuesday digital liturgy: 209 opens, 28 clicks
- Holy Wednesday digital liturgy: 174 opens, 58 clicks
- Maundy Thursday: 50 Attended, 97 views
- New Hope & Calvary Combined Good Friday Service: 318 views, 8 leaders



Easter Sunday



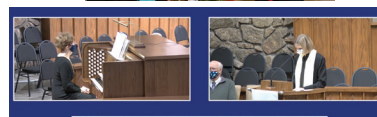
Christmas Eve



Virtual Christmas Card



Praise & Ritual



All Saints Sunday

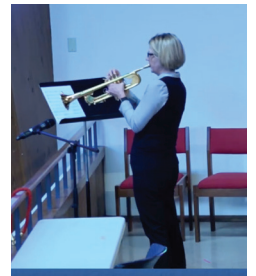
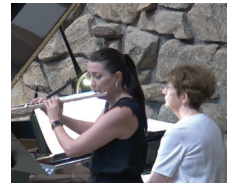


Music Ministry

"I just have to say how deeply grateful I am for the substantial financial support we've received for the Choral Assistants program as well as funding that keeps our amazing organ, piano, handbells, and other instruments tuned and working so well. Without you and your generous gifts, music at Calvary could not exist the way it does, feeding our souls and enhancing our worship. Thank you, Calvary!"
 -Dr. David Farwig

- 32 Calvary Choir Members
- 8 Jubellation Handbell Ringers
- 10 Additional lay musicians who led in worship
- 4 Choral Assistants – two new for 2022-23 (Madison Williams, soprano; Trey Fitzgerald, tenor); Funding through Dec. 2022 has continued through operating budget and one donor (Norma Wick in memory of her husband, Robert Wick)

Calvary Choir



Christmas Concert



Good Friday Service with New Hope Baptist



Bennie Williams' Reflection on "Lift Every Voice and Sing"

Choral Assistants for 2022-2023



Lilli

A.J.



Sam

A.J.

Lilli

Adrienne

Choral Assistants for 2021-2022



Dr. David Farwig wearing his two "hats": rehearsing music with Amy Kehew, Music Librarian, while printing orders of worship.



Trey

Madison

Faith Formation

- 4 New Baby Bags
- 5 Child Dedications
- 1 First Grade Bible
- 2000+ Easter Eggs
- 22 children and 21 volunteers participated in Vacation Bible School
- 8 Youth Gatherings (online & offsite)
- 4 Graduating Seniors
- 31 Students, Teachers, and Administrators blessed at Blessing of the Backpacks
- 14 adult church school classes and small groups
- 12 Monthly Faith Formation segments at Council
- 130 questions in Table Talk Part 2 boxes, cut out by 12+ volunteers, given out on Pentecost Sunday
- One candidate in the ordination process



Table Talk Boxes



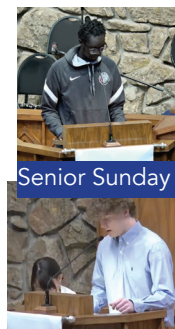
Vacation Bible School



Palm Sunday Baptisms



Blessing of the Backpacks



Senior Sunday

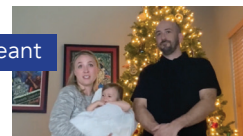
Your **Midweek Devotion & Prayer**

In September we started our midweek devotion video.



Easter Egg Hunt

Christmas Pageant



Child Dedications

INVESTing in Others Missions, Advocacy & Community Outreach

Missions & Advocacy Support

Bootstraps & Blessings – serving our community

- 24 Volunteers (2 new volunteers)
- Served 286 clients from 11/1/2021 through 10/17/2022
- 168 are experiencing homelessness
- 37 are disabled
- 17 are veterans
- 225 people are dependent on our clients.
- 853 visits from the 286 clients
- 1251 King Soopers Cards (\$6,255) and 1005 RTD Passes (\$2814)
- 349 Showers were taken and 173 people did laundry (some did more than one load a day)
- New washers/dryers were installed by Bill Warren, Ken DeHate and Gordon Pelton. Very needed and appreciated!
- Hundreds of donations of peanut butter, tuna packets, crackers, granola bars, and more!

Stedman Elementary & New Hope Partnership

With New Hope:

- provided 70 bags filled with books and educational materials to 3 teachers and 70 third graders at Stedman Elementary
- provided 3 gift cards to 3 teachers

Family Promise

- Welcomed 4 families back into our building with a 2 week shift starting August 14-28, 2022
- 74 volunteer shifts filled
- upcoming two-week shift in December

Additional Financial Support & Advocacy

- Supported 14 Calvary families in need/crisis
- Financially supported IM Global Servants Joyce & David Reed, Dwight & Barb Bolick, and Luran Bethell
- Financially supported advocacy organizations: New Baptist Covenant, Baptist Joint Committee, Association of Welcoming & Affirming Baptists, The Interfaith Alliance of Colorado, and Welcome Home
- Financially supported organizations that work with people experiencing homelessness and affordable housing: Family Promise of Greater Denver, Jewish Family Service, Kentucky Circle Village, and Habitat Helpers
- Financially supported the ministries of American Baptist Churches USA



Bootstraps & Blessings



Books & Bags for kids and teachers at Stedman

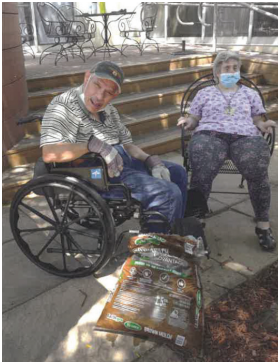


Giving Tree Donations



Family Promise

PRIDE volunteers with our table's photobooth.



The ACE (Arts and Community Exploration) program meets in our East Wing during the week.



Pride Interfaith Service



Calvary folks on a pilgrimage to Spain.



Five Points Tour



writing notes to VIPs



Evergreen Annual Gathering - Calvary being formally welcomed



Vacation Bible School



Facing Racism Alumni Cohort hosting a walking tour of Five Points Neighborhood.



Trunk'R'Treat

Community Events & Outreach

- Hosted booth at Denver PRIDEFEST, met 100+ neighbors
- 15 Calvary volunteers hosted Calvary's PRIDE table
- 22 children and 21 volunteers participated in Vacation Bible School (most of the children were not previously a part of Calvary)
- At time of printing, we were one week out from Trunk or Treat with a goal of 25 cars! Last year over 200 people came.
- Partnership with the Jewish Family Service ACE Program began in 2021 and they now use our East Wing during the week.
- JFS uses Calvary's parking lot for monthly Mobile Pet Pantry
- Evergreen (ABC-USA) Annual Gathering at First Baptist Denver: 4 van volunteers & 11 participants & 3 pastors leading

INVESTing in Our Space Property & Resource Management

- 32 volunteers on Work Day and 9 Resource Management volunteers
- Complete rebuild of Hampden sprinkler manifold
- Remodeled Prayer Room, including FOTCC sound system
- Removed pergola and remodeled Foot of the Cross Courtyard
- Upgraded Livestream Equipment in Sanctuary & Chapel
- Multiple repairs to van
- 100+ new lightbulbs throughout building
- Parking Lot cracks being filled
- New Sanctuary Lighting for Lectern and Pulpit
- Tech upgrades throughout building
- Quarterly HVAC maintenance and piano/organ tunings
- Chapel improvements
- New landscaping items
- Gardening upkeep around Welcome Sign and other flower beds
- Continual upkeep and gardening in the Foot of the Cross Courtyard
- Worked with Xcel Energy to resolve power availability issues
- Made plumbing and drainage repairs
- Hired full time Facilities & Operations Manager, Chad Lawrence and Set Up & Security staff, Ben Carroll



INVESTing in Each Other

Congregational Life, Member Care, Staff & Lay Leadership

Congregational Life

- 200 stickers made, 200 magnets made and gifted on Gathering Sunday
- 130 questions in Table Talk Part 2 boxes, cut out by 12+ volunteers, given out on Pentecost Sunday
- 90 households attended Annual Meeting in January 2022
- 14 Ushers; 6 Greeters
- 12 Monthly Men's group gatherings



Photobooths



Easter Families



Men's Group



Annual Meeting



Youth at Garden of the Gods



July All-Church Gathering



Monday Night Pub



Lunch Bunch



Funerals

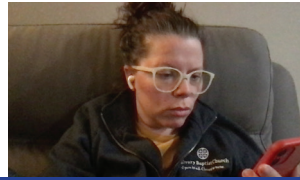


Member Care

- 429 pastoral calls via phone or in person to home or hospital
- 39 home centered VIPs (Very Inspiring People)
- 1,067 miles covered for VIP visits
- 1000 + envelopes and or post cards hand addressed and stamped
- Countless numbers of flowers delivered and meals arranged
- Quarterly deliveries to VIPs with a homemade treat (i.e. peanut butter blossoms, sugar cookies, pumpkin muffins)
- Phone calls and text messages in abundance
- Christine Zeiler, online greeter, takes prayer requests and ministers to our online viewers



Memorial Service for Dave Crane featuring Buster the Stuffed Monkey



LOTS of pastoral care happens over the phone!



Healing & Wholeness Service



Tree of Hope and Remembrance



Lifelines for our VIPs



Leadership

- 31 members on Committees & Ministry Teams
- 14 office volunteers
- 11 Council Meetings
- 4 Council Officers
- 4 Committee Chairs
- 8 At-Large Council Members



Office Volunteers



New Hope & Calvary staff attending Festival of Homilectics (preaching conference)



Rev. Doug Avilesbernal of Evergreen Association



Staff Gathering



New staff Ben Carroll and Chad Lawrence

