

## FROM THE LAPTOP

November 12, 2017

Welcome to church! If you are a guest today, please stop by the *Welcome Centre*, which is located at the coffee stop in the fellowship foyer. We have an informational booklet and gift we would like you to have. Please do come again!

### Today at Calvary

As we gather and worship today in freedom, many churches are meeting today without freedom. They are the persecuted and suffering church. They are our brothers and sisters. We will remember and pray for them in the service. We will also share together in communion as we remember the sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the cross for the forgiveness of sins.

In the midst of a troubled and tumultuous world, is the church. What is God saying to the church and where is God leading? Those are the questions that have been on my heart lately and have helped shaped the message this morning. May the truth of God's word speak to your heart?

At 12:00 noon, African Church service takes place in the Upper Room. At 2:30 pm the Singing Christmas Tree praise team practices, and at 3:30 pm, the adults practice.

### Thursday 10:00 AM – Senior's Café

If you are a senior, you are invited to join the pastors for coffee and pastries in our fellowship foyer. There will be a short devotional based upon *Joy* from Philippians.

### Thank You for Giving Generously

There has been a great response from businesses' sponsoring the Singing Christmas Tree. This is very encouraging. Also, last Sunday good offerings were received for the general fund and the missions fund. Together, we can finish the year strong. Thank you for supporting the ministries of Calvary Temple. Bless You!

### Singing Christmas Tree – December 7-10

Take note of the following ways you can help make this ministry happen:

**Sponsorship** – Business owners can become a SCT sponsor. There are many expenses each year, but we have never charged admission to any of the presentations, only a free-will offering is received. By becoming a sponsor, this helps with the additional costs of putting on this ministry. If you would like to become a SCT sponsor, please call Kathryn Anne (204-728-8500) at the church office. All businesses giving \$100.00 or more will be recognized in the SCT bulletin. The deadline is Friday, December 1. Thanks to all who sponsored in the past. What a blessing you have been!

**Advertising** - In the literature rack there are posters and handbills available for you to distribute. Please remember to get permission before you put up posters.

**Volunteers** – Please see the sign-up sheets on the volunteer table in the foyer. For each presentation we need 6 ushers, 4 parking lot attendants, 2 greeters, 1 nurse, and 4 who will help with janitorial duties. If you have any questions regarding the area you would like to be involved in, the leaders' name and phone number is on each volunteer list.

**Work Day** – On Friday, November 24 beginning at 8:30 am volunteers are needed to help prepare the church and transport the SCT steel structure and materials. Possibly even begin construction. Then, the next day, Saturday, November 25, the work continues. Lots of volunteers will be needed throughout the day. We will begin at 8:30 am with breakfast, and then get down to work. Please come whenever you are able and stay as long as you are able. Lunch will be provided on the Saturday.

If you are new to Calvary Temple, why not join the work crew? Working together is a great way to get to know each other.

Every blessing on you this week,

Pastor Gary Jennings

(Lead Pastor)