



**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCHES**  
**Babbtown (Meta 8 am)**  
**Schubert (Jefferson City 10 am)**

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**Last Sunday After Epiphany**  
**Transfiguration Sunday**

**February 19, 2023**

**Order of Worship:** Printed below  
(with P for Pastor, C for Congregation)  
or

found on page 15 in The Lutheran Hymnal TLH

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**Ringing Of The Bell**

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**Opening Hymn:** TLH #135 "Tis Good Lord To Be Here"

'Tis good, Lord, to be here, Thy glory fills the night;  
Thy face and garments, like the sun, Shine with unborrowed light.

'Tis good, Lord, to be here, Thy beauty to behold  
Where Moses and Elijah stand, Thy messengers of old.

Fulfiller of the past, Promise of things to be,  
We hail Thy body glorified And our redemption see.

Before we taste of death, We see Thy kingdom come;  
We fain would hold the vision bright And make this hill our home.

'Tis good, Lord, to be here. Yet we may not remain;  
But since Thou bidst us leave the mount, Come with us to the plain. Amen.

**Invocation:** p. 15 [*Responses Sung*]

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

C: **Amen.**

P: Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God, our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.  
Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C: **Who made heaven and earth.**

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord.

C: **And Thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin.**

**Confession:** *[Spoken]*

**ALL:** O almighty God, merciful Father, I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto Thee all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended Thee and justly deserved Thy temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray Thee of Thy boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Thy beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

**Absolution** p. 16

**P:** Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.

**C:** *[Sung]* Amen.

**Introit**

**Gloria Patri:** p.16 *[Sung]*

**C:** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

**The Kyrie:** p.17 *[Sung]*

**C:** Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

**The Gloria in Excelsis:** p. 17-19 *[Sung]*

**C:** Glory be to God on high; And on earth peace, good will toward men.

We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee,

We glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.

O Lord God, heav'nly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,

That takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sin of the world, receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us.

For Thou only art holy; Thou only art the Lord.

Thou only, O Christ, with the Holy Ghost, art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

**Salutation And Response:** p.19

**P:** The Lord be with you

**C:** *[Sung]* And with thy spirit.

**The Prayer Of The Day:** *[Spoken by all]*

O God, in the glorious transfiguration of Your beloved Son You confirmed the mysteries of the faith by the testimony of Moses and Elijah. In the voice that came from the bright cloud You wonderfully foreshowed our adoption by grace. Mercifully make us co-heirs with the King in His glory and bring us to the fullness of our inheritance in heaven; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Response** *[Sung]:* Amen.

**Old Testament Reading:** Exodus 24:8-18

<sup>8</sup> And Moses took the blood and threw it on the people and said, "Behold the blood of the covenant that the LORD has made with you in accordance with all these words." <sup>9</sup> Then Moses and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel went up, <sup>10</sup> and they saw the God of Israel. There was under his feet as it were a pavement of sapphire stone, like the very heaven for clearness. <sup>11</sup> And he did not lay his hand on the chief men of the people of Israel; they beheld God, and ate and drank. <sup>12</sup> The LORD said to Moses, "Come up to me on the mountain and wait there, that I may give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction." <sup>13</sup> So Moses rose with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. <sup>14</sup> And he said to the elders, "Wait here for us until we return to you. And behold, Aaron and Hur are with you. Whoever has a dispute, let him go to them. <sup>15</sup> Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. <sup>16</sup> The glory of the LORD dwelt on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it six days. And on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the midst of the cloud. <sup>17</sup> Now the appearance of the glory of the LORD was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. <sup>18</sup> Moses entered the cloud and went up on the mountain. And Moses was on the mountain forty days and forty nights.

**Epistle Reading:** 2 Peter 1:16-21

<sup>16</sup> For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. <sup>17</sup> For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, "This is my beloved Son,<sup>[a]</sup> with whom I am well pleased," <sup>18</sup> we ourselves heard this very voice borne from heaven, for we were with him on the holy mountain. <sup>19</sup> And we have the prophetic word more fully confirmed, to which you will do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts, <sup>20</sup> knowing this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture comes from someone's own interpretation. <sup>21</sup> For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.

**Gradual**

**Sentence Of The Season**

**The "Triple Hallelujah":** *[Sung]*

**C: Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

**P:** The Holy Gospel that is appointed to be read for today is from the Gospel of St. Matthew, chapter 17, beginning with the 1st verse.

**C: [Sung] Glory be to Thee, O Lord!**

**The Gospel Reading: Matthew 17:1-9**

<sup>1</sup>And after six days Jesus took with him Peter and James, and John his brother, and led them up a high mountain by themselves. <sup>2</sup>And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became white as light. <sup>3</sup>And behold, there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. <sup>4</sup>And Peter said to Jesus, "Lord, it is good that we are here. If you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah." <sup>5</sup>He was still speaking when, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them, and a voice from the cloud said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." <sup>6</sup>When the disciples heard this, they fell on their faces and were terrified. <sup>7</sup>But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and have no fear." <sup>8</sup>And when they lifted up their eyes, they saw no one but Jesus only. <sup>9</sup>And as they were coming down the mountain, Jesus commanded them, "Tell no one the vision, until the Son of Man is raised from the dead."

P: Here ends the reading of the Holy Gospel.

C: *[Sung]* **Praise be to Thee, O Christ!**

**Babbtown: The Apostles' Creed p. 12**

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; The third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father almighty; From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Ghost; the Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; The forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Schubert: Sacrament of Holy Baptism – Braxton William Dippold**

Hymn: TLH # 300, "Dearest Jesus, We Are Here"

**Dearest Jesus, we are here, Gladly Thy command obeying;  
With this child we now draw near In accord with Thine own saying  
That of Thee it shall be given As a child and heir of heaven.**

**Yea, Thy word is clear and plain, And we would obey it duly:  
"He who is not born again, Heart and life renewing truly,  
Born of water and the Spirit, Can My kingdom not inherit."**

**Therefore hasten we to Thee, In our arms this infant bearing;  
Let us here Thy glory see, Let this child, Thy mercy sharing,  
In Thine arms be shielded ever, Thine on earth and Thine forever.**

**Gracious Head, Thy member own; Shepherd, take Thy lamb and feed it;  
Prince of Peace, make here Thy throne; Way of Life, to heaven lead it.  
Precious Vine, let nothing sever From Thy side this branch forever.**

**Now into Thy heart we pour Prayers that from our hearts proceeded.  
Our petitions heavenward soar; May our warm desires be heeded!  
Write the name we now have given, Write it in the book of heaven. Amen.**

Hymn Following Baptism: "More Precious Than Silver"

**Lord, You are more precious than silver, Lord, You are more costly than gold.  
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds And nothing I desire compares to You.**

*(and God said)*

**Braxton, you are more precious than silver, Braxton, you are more costly than gold.  
Braxton, you are more beautiful than diamonds, And nothing I desire compares to you.**

**Sermon Hymn: TLH #133 "Within The Father's House"**

**Within the Father's house The Son hath found His home,  
And to His Temple suddenly The Lord of Life hath come.**

**The doctors of the Law Gaze on the wondrous Child  
And marvel at His gracious words Of wisdom undefiled.**

**Yet not to them is giv'n The mighty truth to know,  
To lift the earthly veil which hides Incarnate God below.**

**The secret of the Lord Escapes each human eye,  
And faithful pondering hearts await The full epiphany.**

**Lord, visit Thou our souls And teach us by Thy grace  
Each dim revealing of Thyself With loving awe to trace,**

**Till from our darkened sight The cloud shall pass away  
And on the cleansed soul shall burst The everlasting day,**

**Till we behold Thy face And know as we are known  
Thee, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, Co-equal Three in One. Amen.**

**Sermon: "Eye Witnesses" Text: 2 Peter 1:16-21**

*(Usual time for The Offering – offering plates will be collected from the entrances and brought forward for dedication.)*

**Offertory p. 22 [Sung]**

**C: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation; And uphold me with Thy free spirit.  
Amen.**

**Prayers**

*[Babbtown will conclude with The Lord's Prayer, Hymn – TLH #128, Prayer, The Benediction and Closing Hymn – TLH #87.]*

## **THE ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNION**

*[We invite those who are communicant members of sister Lutheran Congregations, in the fellowship of LC-MS, and are repentant, to commune with us.]*

**The Preface: p. 24 [Responses Sung]**

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

**C: And with thy spirit.**

**P: Lift up your hearts.**

**C: We lift them up unto the Lord.**

**P: Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.**

**C: It is meet and right so to do.**

**P: It is truly meet, right and salutary that we should at all time and in all places give thanks unto  
Thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God ....**

**The Proper Preface, p. 25**

P: .... therefore with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Thy glorious name, evermore praising Thee and singing:

**The Sanctus: p. 26 [Sung]**

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth; Heav'n and earth are full of Thy glory;  
Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, Blessed is He,  
Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna, Hosanna,  
Hosanna in the highest.**

**The Lord's Prayer: p. 27**

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name;  
Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven;  
Give us this day our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;  
And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil;**

*[Sung]* **For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen**

**The Words of Institution: p. 27**

Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread; and when He had given thanks, He brake it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of me."

After the same manner also He took the cup when He had supped, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of it; this cup is the New Testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the remission of sins. This do, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of Me."

**The Pax Domini: p. 27**

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: *[Sung]* **A - - - - men.**

**The Agnus Dei: p. 28 [Sung]**

**O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us.  
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that takest away the sin of the world, Grant us Thy peace.  
A - - - - men.**

**The Distribution**

**Distribution Hymns: TLH #128 "Brightest And Best of The Sons of The Morning"**

**Brightest and best of the sons of the morning, Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid;  
Star of the East, the horizon adorning, Guide where our infant Redeemer is laid.**

**Cold on His cradle the dewdrops are shining; Low lies His head with the beasts of the stall.  
Angels adore Him in slumber reclining, Maker and Monarch and Savior of all.**

**Shall we not yield Him, in costly devotion Odors of Edom and off'rings divine,  
Gems of the mountain and pearls of the ocean, Myrrh from the forest and gold from the mine?**

**Vainly we offer each ample oblation, Vainly with gifts would His favor secure.  
Richer by far is the heart's adoration; Dearer to God are the prayers of the poor.**

**Brightest and best of the sons of the morning, Dawn on our darkness and lend us thine aid;  
Star of the East, the horizon adorning, Guide where our infant Redeemer is laid. Amen.**

Hymn: TLH # 657 "Beautiful Savior"

**Beautiful Savior, King of Creation, Son of God and Son of Man!**

**Truly I'd love Thee, Truly I'd serve thee, Light of my soul, my Joy, my Crown.**

**Fair are the meadows, Fair are the woodlands, Robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;  
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer; He makes our sorr'wing spirit sing.**

**Fair is the sunshine, Fair is the moonlight, Bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer Than all the angels in the sky.**

**Beautiful Savior, Lord of the nations, Son of God and Son of Man!**

**Glory and honor, Praise, adoration, Now and forevermore be Thine. Amen.**

**The Nunc Dimittus: p. 29 [Sung]**

**Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy Word, For mine eyes have seen Thy Salvation: which Thou hast prepared before the Face of all people, a Light to lighten the Gentiles and the Glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**The Thanksgiving: p. 30**

P: Oh, give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.

C: [Sung] **And His mercy endureth forever.**

**The Thanksgiving Prayer: pp. 30-31**

P: We give thanks to Thee, Almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift; and we beseech You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith towards You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.

C: [Sung] **A- - - - men.**

**The Benedicamus: p. 31**

P: The Lord be with you.

C: [Sung] **And with thy spirit.**

P: Bless we the Lord.

C: [Sung] **Thanks be to God.**

**The Benediction: p. 31**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you, The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

C: [Sung] **Amen, Amen, Amen!**

**Closing Hymn: TLH #87 "Joy To The World"**

**Joy to the world, the Lord is come! Let earth receive her King;  
Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room And heav'n and nature sing,  
And heav'n and nature sing, And heav'n, and heav'n and nature sing.**

**Joy to the earth, the Savior reigns! Let men their songs employ,  
While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains, Repeat the sounding joy,  
Repeat the sounding joy, Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.**

**No more let sins and sorrows grow Nor thorns infest the ground;  
He comes to make His blessings flow Far as the curse is found,  
Far as the curse is found, Far as, far as the curse is found.**

**He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness, And wonders of His love,  
And wonders of His love, And wonders, wonders of His love. Amen.**

**Silent Prayer**

**Announcements**

***Have A Blessed Week!***

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BAPTISM BIRTHDAYS: Schubert – Isabelle Marble.

(NOTE: Please call or text Pastor with prayer requests and birthdays.)

PASTOR: Rev. Gerald Scheperle; Office phone: 573-395-4591; Cell: 573-353-9540.

ORGANISTS: Babbtown – Kathy Bauer; Schubert – Keith Bohl.

USHERS this Sunday: Kurt Boeckmann and Mike Forbis.

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COMMUNION ASSISTANTS: Allan Forbis and Mark Russell.

ACOLYTE this Sunday: Landon Marion.

ACOLYTE next Sunday: Graham Boeckmann.

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WELCOME to each of you in the Name of Jesus. Today we commemorate the Transfiguration of Jesus. It is an event in the life of our Lord, when Jesus revealed His divine glory to three of His disciples. Jesus is true God and true man who came to rescue the dying world from sin.

If you are a guest we greet you with special joy. Please be sure to introduce yourself, sign the guest register and come back again soon!

HOSPITALIZED: Gretchen Junkans, Capital Region, recovering from surgery. Remember her in your prayers.

WE REJOICE today as we witness Braxton William Dippold receiving the Sacrament of Holy Baptism. He is the son of Hailey and Cole Dippold. We remember him in our prayers as we are reminded of God's grace and the work of the Holy Spirit. Sponsor/witnesses are: Gracie Cook and Evan Brock

TODAY: March Newsletter items are due.

WEDNESDAY: Weekday/Confirmation Classes, 6:00 p.m.

- ASH WEDNESDAY is the beginning of the Lenten season. We have worship at 7:00 p.m. with the imposition of ashes and the celebration of Holy Communion. This will be the first in our Lenten series "Glittering Vice's". Come and worship with us and bring guests.



NEXT SUNDAY a brief meeting will be held following worship concerning the renovation of the playground.

NEXT SUNDAY: Babbtown Chili Supper, 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., eat in or carry out.

POINSETTIAS: Anyone who would like to take a poinsettia home today, please do so. Thanks to all who provided these plants in celebration of the Christmas/Epiphany season.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN SCHOOL, Honey Creek, will be hosting an Open House Kindergarten Roundup for students entering Kindergarten for the 2023-2024 school year. Come to the Kindergarten classroom anytime between 3:30-5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February, 22nd. All interested families are invited and encouraged to attend.

TIGERFEST is quickly approaching! In case you aren't familiar, Tigerfest is Trinity Lutheran School's fundraiser and fellowship event. This year's event is the "Tigerfest Luau" on Saturday, March 4. Doors will open at 4:30 p.m. at St. Martin's Knights of Columbus. Dress in tropical – luau attire, if you desire. For a \$60 ticket, you will enjoy a fully catered meal from Argyle Catering Co. including 3 meats, 2 sides, roll, salad, dessert and all the fixings! Your ticket also includes access to a special "Vacation/Travel/Destination" trivia night – and closes out with a dance party. Both silent & live auctions will take place, along with a 50/50 raffle. Tickets are available at [www.tlsptl.com](http://www.tlsptl.com) or by talking to Morgan Householder!

**SAVE THE DATE! Plan to attend!** The annual meeting of Lutherans For Life of Missouri will be held on May 6, at Trinity Lutheran Church in Columbia, MO from 9:30 am to 1:00 pm. Rev. Scott Licht, the CFO/COO of Lutherans For Life, will speak about 'care at the end of life'. The essay and poster contest winners and the recipients of the Leonard Wallenmeyer award will be announced at that time. Registration begins at 9:00 am. The registration fee of \$10 includes morning snacks and lunch. Everyone is invited to this central location in MO. For planning purposes, please contact Diane Albers ([lflofmo@yahoo.com](mailto:lflofmo@yahoo.com)) (314-240-2018) or Sylvia Glenn ([glennhaven.mo@gmail.com](mailto:glennhaven.mo@gmail.com)) (573-592-7866) by May 1st if you plan to attend. **Hope to see you there!**

LIFE THOUGHTS IN THE CHURCH YEAR: – The transfigured Jesus came down the mountain. He did not camp His glory in a comfortable status quo but put it to work accompanying His loved ones into adversity. So let us take hold of this Gospel and invite our neighbors to leave behind the seeming ease of abortion or assisted suicide. And let us find the blessed life Jesus reveals even in surprise pregnancy and terminal diagnosis.

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY: Babbtown, 21; Schubert, 95.

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**Thanks be to God that we have the opportunity to gather in worship each week.  
Make worship and Bible Study and the Lord's Supper a high priority in your life.**

**Babbtown**

**Schubert**

**8:00 a.m. Sunday Worship  
9:10 a.m. Sunday School  
and Adult Bible Study**

**9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
10:00 a.m. Worship Service**

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Hymn # 135: Scripture: Matthew 17:4; 'Tis Good Lord To Be Here; Author: Joseph Robinson (1888); Tune: Potsdam; Composer: Johann S. Bach, died 1750, ad.

Hymn # 300: Scripture: Mark 10:13-16; German: Liebster Jesu, wir sind hier; Dearest Jesus We Are Here; Autor: Benjamin Schmolck (1704, cento); Translator Catherine Winkworth (1863, alt.); Tune: Liebster Jesu; Composer: Johann R. Ahle (1664).

Hymn # 133: Scripture: Luke 2:41-52; Within The Father's House; Author: James R. Woodford (1863); Tune: Franconia; Source: Harmonischer Liederschulz" Frankfurt, 1738.

Hymn # 128: Scripture: Matthew 2:11; Brightest and Best Of The Sons Of The Morning; Author: Reginald Heber (1811) ; Tune: Morning Star; Composer: John P. Harding (1892).

Hymn # 657: Scripture: Psalm 45:2; German: Schonster Herr Jesu; Beautiful Savior; Author: Unknown (1677); Translator: Joseph A. Seiss (1878) ; Tune: Schonster Her Jesu; Source: "Schlesische Volkslieder" Leipzig, 1842.

Hymn # 87: Scriptures: Luke 2:10; Psalm 98; Joy To The World, The Lord Is Come; Author: Isaac Watts (1719); Tune: Antioch; Composer: Georg F. Handel (1742, arr.)

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## CALVARY NEWS

### **CALVARY INSIDER –** What happened at Calvary in the past week?

- Wednesday afternoon was our annual Witness Workshop where students exercised sharing their faith by talking through real-life scenarios to witness guided by area pastors.
- Pastor Knippa led chapel.
- The Calvary Drama Department performed three shows; “Women of Lockerbie,” and two student-written pieces; “An Average Murder in Regina, Saskatchewan” and “Dumptopia” both Friday and Saturday evening!
- Faculty members traveled to St. Louis on Friday for a professional development and an opportunity to connect with other Lutheran teachers.

**CRIMSON & SILVER DINNER AUCTION –** Tickets are now available for the 2023 Crimson and Silver Dinner Auction at the St. Martin’s Knights of Columbus Hall on Saturday, April 29, beginning at 4:00pm. Ticket price is \$50 per person, and tables of 8 are available for \$375. Purchase tickets online at [www.calvarylhs.org/auction](http://www.calvarylhs.org/auction).

**OPEN HOUSE IS TUESDAY –** Considering high school options for your student? You are invited to “Consider Calvary” at Open House to hear first-hand from current students and parents about their experiences at Calvary. The last of these events will take place at 7:00 p.m. this Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>. Call the office at 573-638-0228 to reserve your spot today!

**POSITION AVAILABLE –** Calvary is seeking a mission-minded assistant baseball coach for the 2023 Spring season. Interested individuals should contact Erich Ahlers, [principal@calvarylhs.org](mailto:principal@calvarylhs.org) or Kerri Morris, [athletics@calvarylhs.org](mailto:athletics@calvarylhs.org) or call 573-638-0228. Resumes will be accepted until the position is filled.

**TUTORING AVAILABLE FROM CALVARY A+ STUDENTS –** Calvary is providing after-school tutoring to K-12 students and their families for those who would desire extra help. Interested families can contact Erich Ahlers at (573)638-0228 or [principal@calvarylhs.org](mailto:principal@calvarylhs.org).

**BLOOD DRIVE THIS WEEK! –** It will take place from 1PM to 6PM on Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, in the Café at Calvary. Please consider donating to help save a life! Download the Red Cross Blood Donor App or text BLOODAPP to 90999. Schedule appointments, view your blood type and results of your mini-physical, and track your donations.

**CALVARY’S GIFT OPPORTUNITIES –** Calvary’s Gift is a unique upscale thrift store located at 722 Jefferson Street, 100% volunteer run, and help is needed! Calvary’s Gift benefits EVERY Calvary student in the form of “bridging the gap” of the cost of education and the price of tuition. If you have a few hours each month and would like to be a part of a dynamic group of people, reach out to John at Calvary’s Gift at 573-821-8875 for more information or to apply.

### **SAVE THE DATE –**

Feb. 21 Calvary Blood Drive  
Apr. 29 Crimson & Silver Dinner Auction  
May 27 Graduation, 10 AM  
June 2 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Benefit Golf Tournament  
June 10 Alumni Basketball Game