

Welcome to Calvary

Sunday, June 7, 2020

1120 Market St. Denton, MD. 21629

2020 THEME: POWER, LOVE AND A SOUND MIND!

2 Tim 1:7 For God hath not given us a spirit of fear:
But of POWER and of LOVE and a SOUND MIND!

GOD MAKES NO MISTAKES

That day will never break;

I'll pin my faith,

My all in Him

He maketh no mistake

There's so much now I cannot see,

My eyesight is far too dim;

But come what may, I'll simply trust,

And leave it all to Him.

For by and by the mist will lift

And plain it all he'll make;

Through all the way, tho dark to me,

He made not one mistake.

-Author unknown

Remember: God is always good, and God is always right. Always!

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Newest Weekly Zoom Classes Day & Times

Sunday-2 p.m. "Heart and Home Class"-Wayne Wiley

--4:30 Teen Impact Church-Ashley Wilson

Tues. 7 p.m. "Iron Sharpens Iron"-Paul Twining

Wed. 7 p.m. Ladies Bible Study -Karen Jensen

Thurs. 6 p.m. Junior Church -Carrie Chirurato

Looking Ahead

1. Next Sunday, June 14th -Missionary Elmo Compton-Peru will be speaking at 10:15 & 11 a.m. Come and be an encouragement...They are doing a great work by faith!

2. Sun. June 21st -Father's Day at Calvary - 11 a.m.

"FULL CHRISTIANS"

1. FULL of the Spirit.....Ephesians 5:18
2. FULL of Comfort.....II Corinthians 7:4
3. FULL of His Joy.....II Timothy 1:4
4. FULL of Fruits of Righteousness..... Philippians 1:11
5. FULL of Knowledge of His Will.....Colossians 1:19

THERE IS GREAT COMFORT IN ACKNOWLEDGING JESUS IS LORD!

2020 GIVING UPDATE-Jan.-March \$65,022, April \$26,023

May 3rd \$5,747 May 10th \$6,751 17th \$6,390 24th \$4,353

May 31- \$12,477.53 WOW! Best offering in 2020!

2020 Building Fund YTD Giving- \$50,743

Monte Mitchell, our Treasurer reports that we were able to pay \$20,000 on the Principle of our Mortgage Monday!

I am amazed at God's people praying & giving so generously!

How Big Is God? Big Enough....

....to satisfy all the longings of your soul.

....to keep you in time of temptation.

....to lift you above every storm cloud of ill.

....to uphold you when you fall.

.....to save you to the uttermost.

Psalms 42:11-Hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise Him
who is the health of my countenance and my God.

The Unchanging Word

Feelings come and feelings go,

And feelings are deceiving

My warrant is the Word of God

Naught else is worth believing.

Though all my heart should feel condemned

For want of some sweet token

There is One greater than my heart

Whose Word cannot be broken.

I'll trust in God's unchanging Word

Till soul and body sever;

For though all things shall pass away,

HIS WORD SHALL STAND FOREVER- Martin Luther

Birthday's - June 7th -Cayden Carver, Christian R. Jensen, Ruth Jensen,
8th McKaela Stafford, 9th Joey Rampmeyer, Sophie Wright, Angie Council, Sharon Davis, Pat Schuyler, 13th Benjamin Kreiner, Beverly Tavares

In honor of Linda Rees
- by Jan Falcey

I am writing today to honor Linda Rees, without whose charitable gift, I might not be here today. On June 9th, 2010 Linda gave me her kidney! Her donation was truly the gift of Life. This June 9th is our 10th year anniversary. Such a precious gift! Such an amazing blessing! Such an act of strength and kindness! Such an act of faith! There are few words that can describe the gratitude I feel and have for Linda.

I was 55 yr. old and had a great career with Caroline County Public Schools. However, my kidneys were failing because of a hereditary disease called Polycystic Kidney Disease (aka PKD.) The options I had were to go on dialysis, have a kidney transplant or otherwise I would die. The best option for anyone needing a kidney is to receive a kidney from a live donor. This involves a series of medical tests and screenings to determine a match. Because my family members could not donate, my doctor encouraged me to spread the word of my need for a kidney. Not long after doing so, I was at Caroline County Parks and Recreation for a meeting. Linda is the Front Desk Administrator there. We had gotten to know each other through our work and had become quite friendly. On this special day, Linda selflessly came forward and offered me her kidney and asked "What do I need to do to donate?" I told her she would need to get clearance from her Doctor that she was healthy enough for the procedure. About a week later Linda told me "I went to my Doctor and I'm perfectly fine to give you a kidney. What's the next step?" Linda took action! Further tests revealed she was a Match! Linda's unselfish encouragement helped me to proceed with confidence and on June 9, 2010 the kidney transplant happened!

Linda is truly an amazing person. Her faith is strong and guides her in all she does in life. She has always said, to me and others, "God led me to do this. There were no doubts, or qualms about it." Linda is such a humble person. She is kind, charitable, loyal, loving, devoted to God, and generous beyond belief! Her faith led her to action.

I have gained not only a wonderful friend, who is now more like a sister, but my life. Because of Linda I have been able to spend time with my children, welcome and enjoy 6 grandchildren, and most importantly live life to the fullest. For Linda that is all she wanted in return. She is an advocate and supporter of people becoming live donors. She encourages people to consider kidney donation and says that donating a kidney has been an awesome experience and that she has benefitted from this knowing she saved a life and that they will enjoy a future!

I am thankful to Linda every day and my gratitude for her generous and selfless gift grows exponentially! I am so beyond blessed to have Linda in my life! So, in honor of Linda Rees, my family and I are joyfully making a donation to the Calvary Baptist Church Building Fund.

TRUSTING GOD WHEN THE GOING GETS TOUGH!

Psalm 77: 1 - 20 v.11 I will remember the works of the LORD....

Many Psalms were written to help people struggling with doubtThis Psalm is the story of a man who is nearly driven to despair because it SEEMS that God refuses to RESPOND to his prayers v.1-10

WHAT ARE WE TO DO IN TIMES OF TRIAL AND DOUBT?

- 1- REFLECT ON GOD'S AMAZING WORKS (DEEDS) v.11 I will remember the works of the Lord**
 - **Asaph was probably remembering the Exodus..that was the event that defined Israel as a nation, when God led the Israelites out of slavery in Egypt..to a place of safety and freedom.**

- 2- AFTER REFLECTING ON GOD'S AMAZING WORKS ASAPH REFLECTS ON TWO AMAZING FACTS...GOD IS HOLY AND GOD IS GREAT v. 13-15**
v.13 ...who is so great a God as our God? Thou art the God who doest wonders...

- 3- IN TIMES OF TRIALS AND DOUBT LET US ALSO LIKE ASAPH, ACKNOWLEDGE THE REALITY THAT GOD DOES MIRACLES**

Psalm 77:14 Thou art the God that doest wonders: thou hast declared thy strength...

- 4- God's works are not only GREAT, BUT ALSO REDEMPTIVE!**

v.15 Thou hast with thine arm redeemed thy people , the sons of Jacob and Joseph. Selah.

- 5- In times of trials, REMEMBER THE VERY POWERS AND FORCES THAT FRIGHTEN US ARE THEMSELVES UNDER THE COMMAND OF GOD**

Psalm 77: 16 The waters saw thee, O God, the waters saw thee; they were afraid; the depths also were trouble..

*****In verse s 17-18 the Psalmist tells us that THE FORCES OF NATURE are nothing but INSTRUMENTS IN GOD's HANDS**

LET US ALWAYS LOOK TO THE SHEPHERD OF THE SHEEP! HE SHEPHERDS HIS OWN!