

Calvary Methodist Church

Pastor: Rev. Tom Tidwell Office: 478-237-2191 Cell 706-551-1697
December 21, 2025 Fourth Sunday of Advent - Color: Purple

Prelude.....Mrs. Amanda Goodman
Chiming the Hour (The Altar Candles Are Lighted) 11:00
Welcome and Announcements.....Mrs. Marsha Riner
(Nursery provided 0-4 yrs. of age)
Call to Worship*.....Special
Affirmation of Faith*.....881 Red Hymnal
Congregational Praises and Prayer Requests.....Mrs. Marsha Riner
Pastoral Prayer.....Brother Tom
Lord's Prayer and Response to Prayer (*Words on Screen*)
Advent Meditation and Lighting of the Advent Candle.....George & Missy
Children's Moment.....Elaine Black
Hymn.....Hark! The Herald Angels Sing (1,3).....240 Red Hymnal
Worship in Tithes and Offering.....Brother Tom
Doxology*.....95 Red Hymnal
Hymn.....Love Came Down at Christmas.....242 Red Hymnal

Scripture Reading: 1 John 4:9-11
"This is the Word of God for the People of God - Thanks Be to God"
Message.....Jesus Brings Love.....Brother Tom

Closing Hymn*.....Infant Holy, Infant Lowly.....229 Red Hymnal
(*The Altar Is Open for Prayer and Renewal*)

Benediction*.....Brother Tom

***Please Stand As You Are Able**

Welcome! Great to Worship with You.

NEWS YOU CAN COUNT ON

- We want to thank Amanda for joining us and filling in for us today.
- Thanks to the ladies - we will be having a special Call To Worship for our service this morning.
- Today is the Fourth Sunday of Advent. Volunteers for Advent Readings: Today - George & Missy, 12/24 - Pam & Zaylee.
- Y@H Bible Study - Cancelled for Tuesday 12/23
- Christmas Eve Communion Service - 12/24 at 6:00 PM.
- Church office will be closed Thursday 12/25 and Friday 12/26.
- Church office will be closed Thursday 1/1 and Friday 1/2.

Church and Chapel are available to stop in and pray all day Wednesday. If you aren't able to stop by the church, take time during each day for your prayers and your prayer life.

This week (12/21 - 12/27)

Sunday	Sunday School	9:45
	4th Sunday of Advent	
	Mission Sunday	
	Worship	11:00
Tuesday	Y@H Bible Study	Cancelled
Wednesday	Christmas Eve Service	6:00
Thursday	Christmas Day	
Thursday & Friday	Church Office	Closed

Next week (12/28 - 1/3)

Sunday	Sunday School	9:45
	Worship	11:00
Tuesday	Y@H Bible Study	10:30
Thursday	New Years Day	
Thursday & Friday	Church Office	Closed

Stewardship Moment

Attendance (12/14/25): Sunday School: 16 Morning Worship 41, Evening Worship N/A:
Giving (12/14/25): Morning SS: \$65.00, Worship: Received \$2562.05, Needed: \$2109.00
Missions: N/A,

Our Prayer Concerns

Georgia Kate Anderson ^{12/7}
Australia Victims ^{12/14}
 Anjanette Bingham ^{12/9}
 Carolyn Brown ^{12/9}
Brown University Victims ^{12/14}
 Linda Carmichael ^{11/23}
 Lisa Carmichael ^{11/23}
Jack & Sheila Clark ^{12/14}
 James Edward Cole Family ^{11/12}
 Darrel Dukes Family ^{11/30}
 Jody Ennis ^{12/2}
Amber Fields Family ^{12/14}
 Eddie Flanders ^{11/30}
 Jeroy Fruitticher ^{12/2}
 Butch Frye ^{12/7}
 Connie Goss Family ^{11/30}
 Charlene Goss ^{11/30}
 Bonnie Griffin ^{11/30}
 Nancy Griffin ^{11/30}
 Robert & Rene Hall ^{12/9}
 Glenn & Judy Hancock ^{12/7}
 Jay Hood ^{12/2}
 Larry Hubbard ^{11/23}
 Frank Hutchison ^{11/23}

Brittany Kersey ^{12/14}
 Joshua, Amanda, Olivia, & Sara Kapp ^{12/2}
 Annette Lindsey ^{12/9}
Joe Livingston ^{12/14}
 Angie Metz ^{11/30}
 Tita McGee ^{11/23}
 Wayne & Virginia McRee ^{12/2}
 Ansley Moxley ^{11/30}
 Marti Mulling ^{11/23}
Vickie Perryman ^{12/14}
 Marie Perry Family ^{11/30}
 Beck Reddick Family ^{12/8}
 Bubba & Becky Renfro Family ^{12/2}
 Audrey Riggins ^{12/1}
John D. Scott Family ^{12/14}
 Billy Wayne Shurum ^{11/21}
Natalie Sherrod Sills Family ^{12/17}
 Mitch Stafford ^{11/30}
 Roy Thompson ^{11/30}
 W.V. National Guard ^{11/30}
 Rita Warnock ^{12/9}
 Chase Womble ^{12/2}
Vickie Youmans ^{12/15}
 Rev. Karen Zeigler Family ^{12/5}

Long Term Prayer Requests

Patricia Allen
 Georgia Kate Anderson
 Brian Angel
 Jean Annis
 Edna Averett
 Tracy Avery
 Brad Baxter
 Richard Bedgood
 Ginger Brantley
 Carolyn Brown
 Harley Brown
 Susan Brown
 Deborah Coleman
 David Lee Davis
 Steven Davis
 Susan Derriso
 Danny Dowless
 Annette Evans

Kylan Evans
 Ruby Fagler
 Laurie Fizer
 Butch Frye
 Gracie Gibson
 Catherine Grabenbauer
 Van Harris
 Kourtney Hayslip
 Debra Henry
 John Holtz
 Jerry Hooks
 Jerry Howell
 Blake Johnson
 Lucas Johnson
 Patricia Kuhnert
 Annette Lindsey
 Gene McBride
 Lexy McRae

Betty Minton
 Christopher Morris
 Joy Nasworthy
 Oakley Petty
 Tammy Powers
 Chris Riner
 Charles Schwabe
 John Terwilliger
 Helen Thain
Roy & Gail Thompson
 Connie Thurman
 Addi Vickers
 Damon Ward
 Tammy Whitaker
 Anthony Williams
 Frank Worsham

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*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ who flourish in
 scriptural holiness as we worship passionately,
 love extravagantly, and witness boldly*