



THE HISTORIC
CALVARY
BAPTIST CHURCH
OF DOVER, DELAWARE

Announcements – Sunday, March 1, 2026
Second Sunday of Lent (Purple)

Please Note: All weekly meetings and rehearsals will continue to be held at the Downtown Campus unless otherwise specified. Sunday School and Sunday Morning Worship will take place at the West Dover Campus.

Current Weekly Schedule

Sundays

Sunday Breakfast Outreach – Downtown Campus – 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM
Sunday School – West Campus – 8:45 AM
Youth Sunday School – West Campus – 9:00 AM
Sunday Worship Service In-Person – West Campus – 10:00 AM
Sunday Worship Service – Online – CalvaryEverywhere (YouTube) – 10:00 AM
Youth Church – West Campus – **Fourth Sunday ONLY** – 10:00 AM

*The Nursery is available during Sunday Worship Services for children ages 4 and under.
Baptisms are held on the second Sunday of each month at 10:00 AM
Baby Dedications are held on the third Sunday of each month at 10:00 AM*

Mondays

Grief Share – Downtown Campus – 6:00 PM
For more information, please contact Griefshare@calvaryforward.org

Wednesdays

Wednesday Noon Day Bible Study – Downtown Campus - 12:00 Noon
Intercessory Prayer – Downtown Campus - 5:15 to 5:45 PM
*SOS Tutoring Ministry – Downtown Campus – 5:30 to 6:45 PM
Wednesday Evening Bible Study – Downtown Campus – In-Person - 7:00 PM
Wednesday Evening Bible Study - CalvaryEverywhere (Facebook) – 7:00 PM

For further questions/ inquiries, please contact the Church Office at (302) 736-6654 or info@calvaryforward.org.

*The SOS Tutoring Ministry serves students from kindergarten to college. All are welcome to participate in this FREE tutoring program held on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:45 PM in the Avant auditorium at our Downtown Campus. ALSO, additional tutors and administrators are needed. For questions or to volunteer, please contact Sis. Denise Hicks Barns at sosministry@calvaryforward.org

*****EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY:**

**ALL MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS SHOULD BE SENT TO
ANNOUNCEMENTS@CALVARYFORWARD.ORG**

We will only announce events 2-3 weeks prior to the event UNLESS it is a ticketed event or requires advanced reservation. Please do not send announcements more than three weeks in advance, as they may be inadvertently misplaced.

BEREAVEMENT NOTICES: Please submit to this email address as well. Please include the name of the deceased, along with the names of immediate family members **who are members of CBC** and their relationship to the deceased. If funeral services are scheduled, please include date, time, and location.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We're excited to announce that **Small Groups** are launching in **Sunday School** next quarter! This is more than a new format; it is a chance to connect more deeply, grow in faith, and build meaningful relationships with others on the same journey. Whether you are new to Sunday School or have been attending for years, **Small Groups** are designed for everyone. Come ready to participate, listen, and grow! Don't just attend—connect, grow, and belong. If you are interested in leading a small group, please contact Sister Candyce Rogers.

The **Mighty Men of Song Male Chorus** is looking for new members. Rehearsals are held each Thursday at 7:00 PM at our Downtown campus. If interested, please see Bro. James Howard.

The **Sanctuary Choir** is looking for additional members. Rehearsals are being held on Thursdays at 6:00 pm. All are welcome. If you are interested, please see Bro. Henry Greene, Sis. Markeita Simmons, or Rev. Brigitte Alston.

The **CBC Missionary Ministry** is seeking members – male and female - who have a heart for service and outreach to become a part of this vital ministry. For more information, please contact Sis. Alzada Harris, Sis. Olga Spears, or Sis. Lynetta Charity.

The **CBC Soup Kitchen** is now open! We are open **every MONDAY** until May 11th at the Downtown Campus. Coffee is available from 9:00 to 10:30 AM, and lunch is served from 11:30 to 12:30 pm. We will also be accepting gently used clothing donations for men, women & children on Mondays ONLY from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM.

Calvary Bible College & Seminary's next class, "Historical Creeds," will be taught by Dr. Rebecca Batson. The class will be held from **Thursday, March 19, through Saturday, March 21, 2026**. In-person registration is Wednesday, March 4, 2026, from 6-7 pm in the Avant Auditorium. You can also register by phone at (302) 698-7131 from 6-8 pm on Wednesday, March 4, 2026, through Wednesday, March 11, 2026. For more information, email CBCS@CalvaryForward.org.

The IMA Lenten Series will continue this **Wednesday, March 4, at 7:00 PM**. This service will be held at the **Bibleway Temple Church of God In Christ, 56 S. Kirkwood Street**. Superintendent Stephan Holsey will be the preacher. **NOTE: CBC Wednesday Evening Bible Study is suspended during the Lenten Season.**

Join us for **Saturday Morning exercise classes with Olga**. Classes will be held at the Downtown Campus in the Avant Auditorium once a month on a Saturday from **10:00 am to 11:00 am**. The next class will be on **March 14th**. Please bring water. Here is the 2026 Exercise Class Schedule:

4 April | 2 May | 6 June | July No Class | August 1 | September 5 | October 3 | November 7 | December 12

Please pick up a flyer for more detailed information.

Preparations are now underway for **Women's Day!** The women of CBC are invited to join the **Women's Day Choir**. Rehearsals will be held on **Thursdays at 6:00 PM** at the Downtown Campus. For more information, please email womensministry@calvaryforward.org or see Sis. Deborah Hawkins.

Please join the **Healing Hearts Ministry** for their "Resilience and Emotional Healing" session with presenter, Elder Presenter, Director, "Without Walls – Restoration Ministry," on Saturday, **March 7, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.** at the Downtown Campus in the Avant Auditorium. For more information, contact: healinghearts@calvaryforward.org.

Please join us on **Sunday, March 8, at 3:30 PM** as we will be the special guests of **New Macedonia Baptist Church, 518 Young Street, Pocomoke City, MD**. Pastor Jermaine C. Scott, Sr., is the host Pastor. Bishop is the guest preacher. Transportation will be provided. Our Worship Ministries (i.e., choir, ushers, etc.), congregation, ministerial staff, and officers are asked to support this engagement.

Please join us on **Sunday, March 15, at 4:00 PM** as we will be the special guests of **Mount Olive AME Church, 24840 Lambs Meadow Road, Worton, MD**. Pastor Monique Upshur Davis is the host Pastor. Bishop is the guest preacher. Transportation will be provided. Our Worship Ministries (i.e., music, ushers, etc.), congregation, ministerial staff, and officers are asked to support this engagement.

For copies of your **Annual Contribution Statement**, please contact Trustees Adrienne Purdie, Sherry Garrison, or Inez Howard in the Finance Office at finance@calvaryforward.org or call (302) 943-7318.

The **Memorial Brick Campaign** is back!! The price of a brick is as follows:

* \$150.00 - 4x4, 3 lines 19 characters

* \$200.00 - 8x8, 6 lines 19 characters

The website to place an order online: <https://www.bricksrus.com/donorsite/calvaryforward>.

(Please note the new link.) Please contact Trustee Inez Howard if you have questions.

The **CBC Marriage Enrichment Ministry** invites you to journey with us to the Sight & Sound Theater for the production “Joshua” on **Thursday, May 14, 2026**. Transportation will leave our West Campus at 8:00 AM. The cost is \$175.00 per person and includes the show, followed by lunch at Miller’s Restaurant. **FINAL PAYMENT is due April 1**. This event is open to CBC family and friends. For more information, contact Deacon-elect Dexter or Deaconess-elect Althea Perry at (302) 387-9392.

The **CBC Young Adult Book Club** is back. Please join us every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month via Zoom as we continue to journey through “Battlefield of the Mind” by Joyce Meyer. If you would like to join, please email youngadults@calvaryforward.org for more information and login credentials.

On Duty Week This Week

Deacon on Duty – Deacon Linda Hines

For all pastoral care matters (prayer, sickness, hospitalizations, deaths, etc.)

Trustee on Duty – Trustee William Lewis

For all facility matters (lock, unlock, maintenance issues, etc.)

Prayer Requests

Bro. Philip Anthony
Sis. Delores Gay
Rev. Rivers McCreary
Deaconess Consuelo Foster
Sis. Jennifer Sampson
Sis. Lois Thomas
Bro. Michael Frederick
Bro Charles Brewington
Sis. Valerie Davis
Sis. Bessie Bryant
Revs. James Morman
Bro. Lewis McCall
Bro. John Watlington
Sis. Cynthia Clark
Sis. Ann Johnson
Rev. Edward Tatum

Sis. Mary Boyd
Sis. Hattie Stroman
Deaconess Gloria Reddick
Sis. Cathy Moore
Bro. Frank Headley
Sis. Trudy Wilson
Sis. Regina Bowers-Jackson
Sis. Linda Hill
Bro. Daryl Brown
Bro. Herman Wood
Sis. Sylvia Watson
Sis. Christine Reed
Bro. Bobby Canada
Sis. Barbara Barnes
Sis. Monalisa Norris
Rev. Donald Gaffney

Rev. Larry Fennell
Trustee Leon Battle
Bro. Damani Young
Sis. Mildred Morrison
Sis. Bernice Lucas
Bro. Keith Sharon
Bro. Carrington & Sis. Phyllis Bolden
Sis. Christine Lifftridge
Sis. Beverly Young
Deacon Joe Sudler
Bro. Richard Hill
Sis. Mary Terrell
Sis. Denise Cheek
Sis. Sheronda Justice
Deacon Larry Snead
Bro. Meade Gordon
Sis. Annette Key

Deaconess Barbara Rogers
Sis. Bettye Bellamy
Bro. Thomas Clark
Sis. Veronica Beckett
Sis. Alverta Taylor
Sis. Anna Quail
Sis. Bernice Gooch
Sis. Tanya Terrell
Bro. Richard Taylor
Sis. Carrie Nash
Rev. Nellie Foster
Sis. Vincere Taylor
Bro. Cliff Jackson
Bro. Carl Batson
Sis. Valerie Lacy
Min. Linwood & Sis. Martha White
Sis. Deborah Hinton

Bereavement(s)

The family of Trustee William Lewis (passing of brother, Gregory Lewis)
The family of Sis. Brenda McCreary (passing of sister, Darrisa Harrison)
The family of Sis. Lois Thomas (passing of her sister, Elizabeth Hardy)
The family of Sis. Robin Baker (Trustee Calvin Baker) (passing of sister, Mary Harmon)

Homegoing Celebration(s)

No Homegoing celebration information has been submitted for publication.

Thank You Card(s) Received

No "Thank You" has been received in the Church Office this week.