

# Calvary Baptist Church

Sunday, January 7, 2024

Melody Thorpe, Musician

Glenda Rawlings, Secretary

Henry Thorpe, Sound Operator

Shannon Rawlings, Computer Operator

## Gathering to Worship

Prelude.....Melody Thorpe  
Welcome.....Bob Pipkin  
Call to Worship.....“Bless His Holy Name”.....Congregation  
Opening Prayer.....Bob Pipkin  
\*Hymn #204 “Glorious Is Thy Name”  
Morning Prayer.....Bob Pipkin

## Sharing His Ministry

\*Offertory Hymn #182 “What a Friend We Have in Jesus”  
Offertory Prayer.....Bob Pipkin  
Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory.....Melody Thorpe  
\*Doxology #253.....Congregation

## Proclaiming His Word

Scripture.....“Acts 19: 1-5; Mark 1: 4-11”.....Bob Pipkin  
Message.....“First or Second”.....Bob Pipkin  
\*Hymn of Decision #210 “My Jesus, I Love Thee”  
Closing Prayer.....Bob Pipkin  
Choral Response.....“Amen”.....Sanctuary Choir  
Postlude.....Melody Thorpe

*The Church Departs to Serve Christ in the World*

*\*Congregation Please Stand*

*Deacon of the Week ~ Randy Gillam ~ 434-594-4604*



## Activities for the Week

**Sun:** 10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Children’s Church  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
12:00 p.m. Planning Committee Meeting after services today

**Mon:** 7:00 p.m. Deacon’s Meeting

**Wed:** 7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting  
8:00 p.m. Choir Practice

## Nursery Workers

January 7<sup>th</sup> Joyce Prince

January 14 Loris Starke

## Last Week in Review

Sunday School: 44                      Worship Service: 70

General Offering for December 31<sup>st</sup>                      \$2,031.63

## Deacon’s Meeting

The Deacon’s will meet on Monday, January 8<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

## Attention Monthly Business Meeting

On Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> we will be having our monthly business meeting. All members are requested to attend.

## Planning Committee Meeting

The Planning Committee will meet today on Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup> after services in the Fellowship Hall. The following people are on this committee: Anita Jarratt, Janet Gillam, Katie Slate, Dorothy Traylor, Mike Allen and Pat Callahan.

**A Special Thank You Note**

*As we reflect on our Blessings in 2023 the  
Operation Christmas Child Ministry family  
is one of the greatest Blessings we have.*

*We are thankful for your support, dedication,  
and commitment to grow God's kingdom.*

*Romans 10:15 ISV And how can people preach unless  
they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are those  
who bring the Good News!"*

*Our Shoeboxes are used as tools for Christian leaders  
to deliver the message of Jesus Christ (the Good News)  
to the children around the world. The Southeastern Virginia Team  
is growing because of your Love for Everyone to have the  
opportunity for Hope and Salvation. We look forward to  
continuing this journey with you all in 2024. Thank You.*

*Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!*

*David and Glenda Creath*



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