



Calvary Episcopal Church

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THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER 2, 2018

WORSHIP SCHEDULE & CALENDAR

SUNDAY	8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite One	<i>Advent 1</i>
<i>Dec 2</i>	9:45 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	
	10:00 a.m.	Intergenerational Advent Event	
	10:00 a.m.	LEM Meeting	
	11:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite One	
	12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	
	12:15 p.m.	Music Committee	
MONDAY	9:30 a.m.	Food and Clothes Closet	
<i>Dec 3</i>			
TUESDAY	9:30 a.m.	Food and Clothes Closet	
<i>Dec 4</i>	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting	
	12:00 Noon	Wardens' Meeting	
	3:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Suzuki Violin Lessons	
Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Food and Clothes Closet	
<i>Dec 5</i>	10:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study at Panera Bread, 1801 Rudy Lane	
	6:30 – 8:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal	
	8:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting	
THURSDAY	9:30 a.m.	Food and Clothes Closet	
<i>Dec 6</i>	12:05 p.m.	Holy Eucharist with Anointing	
	3:30 p.m.	Calvary's Well Ministry	
FRIDAY		Office Closed	
<i>Dec 7</i>	7:00 p.m.	Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting	
SATURDAY		Office Closed	
<i>Dec 8</i>			
SUNDAY	8:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite One	<i>Advent 2</i>
<i>Dec 9</i>	9:45 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal	
	10:00 a.m.	Adult Forum	
	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School – Grades 6-12	
	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School – Grades K-5	
	11:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist, Rite Two with Baptism	
	12:15 p.m.	Coffee Hour	
	5:30 – 7:30 p.m.	Youth Gathering: Caroling at The Episcopal Church Home	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements for the bulletin should be submitted to Verger@CalvaryEpiscopal.org by the preceding Tuesday at noon.

Please remember to turn your cell phones off before the worship services out of respect for those in quiet meditation and prayer. If you enter or leave during the service, please try to do so during hymns and other congregational activities. Please avoid doing so during readings, the anthem, and the sermon.

COFFEE HOUR IN FRAZIER HALL: The Calvary Coffee Hour invites all to join us every Sunday following the 11:00 service. Today the Hospitality Committee hosts CCH, "Sweets for the Sweets". Next week, December 9, the Hospitality Committee will host a reception for our new Rector.

RECEPTION FOR THE REV. DR. LEE F. SHAFER: A reception for our new Rector, the Rev. Dr. Lee F. Shafer, will be held after the 11:00 service on December 9. If you are interested in providing food or drink for our reception for Dr. Shafer, please contact Linda French. Happy hands needed!

ADULT FORUM SCHEDULE: Please join us for Adult Forum each Sunday at 10:00 in Parker Hall. Today the Intergenerational Advent Event will take place. Next Sunday, December 9, the Reverend Dr. Lee F. Shafer will conduct Q and A at the Adult Forum. Please take note that there will be NO ADULT FORUM on December 23 or December 30.

2019 EVERY MEMBER CANVASS: Even though the official Every Member Canvass period has ended, pledge cards are still available or you can make your pledge on line at calvaryepiscopal.org. We have much to which to look forward with the arrival of our new Rector. As of Nov. 28: Pledge Goal-97 pledges, \$241,335; Received- 71 pledges, \$209,768.

STAFF APPRECIATION AT CHRISTMAS: Please help our wonderful staff have a Merry Christmas! You can make a contribution to the Staff Christmas Gifts Fund by sending a check for that purpose. If you wish to help in this effort, please place cash or a check (made out to Calvary Episcopal Church, notated for Staff Christmas Gifts in the memo line) in an envelope marked "Staff Christmas Gifts". These may be mailed to Calvary or placed in the collection plate.

FLOWER DELIVERY: Are you interested in brightening the day of a Calvary parishioner who is homebound, in the hospital, or is experiencing a crisis? If so, please consider signing up to be a part of this most important ministry. Please see Jim Barnes or Margaret Dickinson TODAY so we can gratefully put you on the flower delivery rotation. This is a tremendously rewarding ministry.

CALVARY'S WELL: We especially need MEN'S CLOTHING: jeans, hoodies, sweatshirts, long johns, warm **SOCKS**, and boxer shorts (packaged) in addition to warm clothing for women. Please take a few minutes to empty your closet of warm clothing you no longer want or need. We need them every day! See Linda French (LFrench444152@gmail.com or 502-422-1980) or Jim Barnes if you have questions.

REPORTS FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING IN JANUARY: All reports for the 2019 Annual Congregational Meeting are due to Jim Barnes by January 6, 2019. The date of the meeting congregational meeting is January 20, 2019.

NOMINATIONS FOR ELECTION TO THE VESTRY: The Nominating Committee is in the process of establishing the slate of nominees for the 2019-2021 class of the Vestry. National Church Canon (1:17.1-3), together with Canon 21 of the Diocese of Kentucky, list the following requirements for election to a vestry: the nominee is age sixteen or older, has been confirmed or received by the bishop, is a communicant in good standing [i.e.: must have been faithful in corporate worship, unless for good cause prevented; must have received Holy Communion at least three times during the preceding year; and must be faithful in working, praying and giving for the spread of the kingdom of God. The Calvary By-laws also require that nominees must have contributed regularly in some way for at least a year (committee/ministry service, pledge support, etc.)]. If you are interested in serving on the Vestry, please contact Dorn Crawford, Michael Patterson, Sally Reisz, Harvey Turner, or Don Snow before December 29, 2018.

YOUTH GROUP: Youth group for 6th-12th grades meets the second Sunday of every month from 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. On December 9, the Youth Gathering will be meet at the Episcopal Church Home (7504 Westport Road), followed by a Christmas party at St. Mark's Episcopal Church (2822 Frankfort Ave.) For any other questions

regarding Sunday School and children/youth events, please email Britt Shelton at britt.shelton@calvaryepiscopal.org.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: If you are interested in volunteering to teach or to be a door person for Sunday School, please contact Britt Shelton as above. You may also register your children by emailing Britt for a new registration packet. St. Nicholas is scheduled to arrive for Sunday School on December 9. Please note that there will be NO SUNDAY SCHOOL on December 23 or December 30.

WARNER-SNYDER MUSIC FUND: Would you like to help provide for the growth of our music? The Warner-Snyder Music Fund is looking for more donations in order to continue to broaden our musical options in worship by purchasing new music. Donations are received in the Calvary Office.

THE FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS: Mark your calendar for the Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols at 4:00 p.m. on December 16 here at Calvary.

CALVARY'S WE'RE GOING PLACES! Calvary's dining group will gather for our Christmas holiday luncheon on Wednesday, December 12, 2018 at 11:30 am at Lilly's restaurant located at 1147 Bardstown Road, Louisville, KY 40204. Please join us for fun, food and festivities! If you'd like to attend, send your RSVP to Ruth Robins: ruth.robins1@gmail.com or (502) 893-223 no later than December 10.

MESSIAH SING-ALONG: Our Savior Lutheran Church, (8305 Nottingham Pkwy) on Tuesday, will present a Messiah Sing-Along December 4th at 7:30 pm. **Alexander Redden** will be performing the bass solos and **Emily Redden** will be making her debut performing the soprano solos. Free and open to the public. Come and Listen. Come and Sing.

ATTENDANCE UPDATE 11/25/2018

	Sanctuary/Altar	Chancel	Nave	Total
08:30 am	2	1	8	11
11:00 am	6	18	76	100
Total	8	19	84	111
Adult Forum				12
11/29/2018	HE/Laying on of Hands			9

CALVARY'S WELL: 11/29/2018 48⁰. Hot chocolate 160 cups; Water 140 cups; Socks, Jackets, clothing 42; toothbrushes, toothpaste, etc. 27 items; popcorn 88 bags; cookies/PBJ sandwiches 198.

PASTORAL (clergy and lay) Visits week of November 25: 3; communed in 2018: 88; cards 3.

CLOTHES AND FOOD MINISTRY: October 300 bags. November 198 bags. 2018 to date: 2595 bags of food.

CALVARY CLERGY AND STAFF

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The Rev. E. Benjamin Sanders, Rector Emeritus
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