

# Calvary Lutheran Church

May 2024



April Showers (or should I say) Aril down-pours bring May flowers. April certainly has been a wet month. God is once again quenching the earth. We pray the farmers will soon be back in the fields planting the seed.

The rain has ushered in the green, blossoming and fragrant beauty of the earth. You and I are a beautiful fragrance to God through our life in Christ. 2 Corinthians 2:15 says, "For we are the aroma of Christ to God among those who are being saved..."

Theologian C.H. Spurgeon says it like this, "In Jesus I find not only fragrance, but a bed of spices; not one flower, but all manner of sweet flowers. He is to me my rose and my lily my heartsease and my cluster of camphire. When He is with me, it is May all the year round, and my soul goes forth to wash her happy face in the morning-dew of His grace, and to solace herself with the singing of the birds of His promises." C.H. Surgeon "Morning and Evening Devotions"

May your life be the sweet aroma of Christ to others.

Blessings In Christ,  
Pastor Mark



May 5,12,19,26 - Worship Service 9:00 am  
May 5,12,19,26 - Fellowship coffee 10:00 am  
May 5,12 - Sunday School 10:00 am  
May 1,8,15,22,29 - Confirmation 6:30 pm  
May 7 - Bible Study @ PMNH 2:00 pm  
May 8- Bible Study 9:30 pm  
May 13 - Quilting 9:00 - 3:00  
May - PMNH Worship 2:00 pm  
May - Sunset Manor Bible Study 2:00 pm

## What Is A Mother?

*A mother can be almost any size or any age. A mother has soft hands and smells good. A mother likes new dresses, music, a clean house, her children, an automatic dishwasher and Daddy.*

*A mother doesn't like to have her children sick, muddy feet, temper tantrums, loud noise or bad report cards. A mother can read a thermometer, and like magic, kiss the hurt away.*

*A mother can bake good cakes and pies, but likes to see her children eat vegetables. A mother can stuff a fat baby into a snow suit in seconds, and can kiss sad little faces and make them smile.*

*A mother is underpaid, has long hours and gets very little rest. She worries too much about her children---but she doesn't mind at all. No matter how old her children are, she still likes to think of them as her babies.*

*She is the guardian angel of the family, the queen, the tender hand of love. A mother is a best friend anyone ever had. A mother is love!*

## Altar Guild

Donna Viergutz & Berniece Hansen



**Head Usher** Bob Satter



## Acolytes

May 5 - Hayden Hansen

May 12 - Keeley Jatón

May 19 - Micah Girad

May 26 - Chris Radford



**Our Country, Val Helmer,**

**Tim Kribell, Megan Gauer,**

**John Brockmueller, Jackie Murray,**

**Roger Nielson Jr., Kobee Sherman,**

**Lance Spieler, Peggy Nyhaug,**

**Carol Hansen, Daryl Erickson,**

**Janice Erickson, Marvin Hinseth,**

**Ron & Cathy Fystro,**

**Erin Christensen, Shelly Iams,**

**Theo Soll, Matt Kuchta,**

**Sharyn Ostrem, Roger Saylor,**

**Harper Lucas, Lily Shields,**

**the Elderly and Shut-Ins. If you would like to add names or remove names to this list contact Pastor**

**Mark or Vicki.**

## Readers

May 5 - Barb Satter

Acts 10:44-48

1 John 5:1-6

May 12 - Sunday School

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

1 John 5:9-13

May 19 - Susie Learning

Acts 2:1-21

Romans 8:22-27

May 26 - Keli Stelley

Isaiah 6:1-8

Romans 8:12-17



May 1 Meldon Kroeger  
Matt Rempp

May 5 Gerald Jensen  
Lorie & Becky Kjergaard (A)

May 6 Landon DuBois

May 8 Dan Lyngstad

May 12 Gary Skogen

May 13 Marsha Skogen

May 14 Andrea Hinker  
Tucker DuBois

May 16 Coralee Jorgensen

May 17 Chris Olson

May 21 Beverly Sorensen  
Wanda Lyngstad  
Jessie Davis

May 23 Jared Brockmueller  
Mark Ostrem  
Sharyn Ostrem

May 25 Kaden Mork

May 27 Sheryl Hinseth  
Kaylee Hansen

May 30 Audrey Jorgensen  
Tate Gale



*These Calvary 5th graders are taking 1st Communion classes and will have their first communion on May 12th. Emmett Anderson, Oliver Anderson, Corbin DuBois, Estie Kuchta, Samantha Radford & Jon Radford (6th grade),*

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*You can now view our live Sunday Worship Service on Facebook again. There is also a link on our website page.*



We have 3 Graduates this year from Calvary.

Congratulations to  
Zoey Anderson  
Emerson Flynn  
and Exchange Student  
Valentine Grevin

Senior Recognition Sunday  
is May 5th.



## Memorial Day Prayer

Dear Heavenly Father,

With a sober heart we come before You this Memorial Day. We pause for a moment and call to mind all the men and women who have died in the service of our nation since 1776.

Dear God, please look with mercy on our brave and selfless brothers and sisters, who did not shirk from their task but gave themselves completely to the cause of defending and protecting us all. Bless all who have given their lives for the sake of liberty, and grant them eternal rest with You.

We remember also our brave men and women now serving in our Armed Forces, both at home and abroad. Dear God, send out Your angels to protect them all. Help them discharge their duties honorably and well. Please bring them safely home to their families and loved ones. Please bring Your peace and mercy to our troubled world.

We ask this, Father, in the name of Jesus, Your Son.  
Amen.



Calvary & Trondhjem Confirmation  
Students did yard work on a Wednesday Confirmation Night  
Here they are with Norma Gran after they did her yard.



Jack Gregory Teeslink was baptized  
on April 28th  
He is the son of Dillon & Hannah Teeslink  
His sponsors are Garrett & Payton Anderson,  
Heidi Teeslink and James Teeslink



Boone Anderson was baptized  
on April 13th  
He is the son of Garrett & Payton Anderson  
His sponsors are Creighton & Kensey Allen