

LONGING for MORE

#### SUNDAYS IN DECEMBER

We want to warmly invite you to join us this Christmas at Calvary Church. Advent is a word from the Latin for "coming" or "arrival." The coming of God's promised Messiah is the eager expectation and longing of God's people. The Bible tells us the good news that Jesus Christ came to rescue and redeem us and will come again to reign and restore all things. Our prayer is that the Sunday services and special events in this season stir your heart's affection & mind's attention toward the coming of Jesus-and for more of His hope, peace, joy and love.

SantaAnaChristmas.com

#### **WORSHIP IN GIVING**

There are several ways you can give to support the ministry of Calvary:

In Service using envelope in seatback

Online at calvarylife.org/give

Mobile with "SecureGive" App

Text 888-280-4456 with amount and keyword: General, Missions, ENF, GP

Thank you for helping reach Orange County and the World for Jesus.

## WELCOME TO CALVARY CHURCH OF SANTA ANA

**OUR VISION** · Who we will be on the road ahead:

Calvary seeks to be a church family that is better together, being changed by the Gospel to love like Jesus across all cultures and generations.

**OUR PURPOSE** · What we do together along the way:

Calvary is a community where we CONNECT with God and others to GROW in our faith so we REACH Orange County and the world for Jesus Christ.

**WORSHIP SERVICES** · Join us each Sunday morning to worship together.

#### **Worship Center**

9:00 am & 11:00 am (ASL Available)

#### Chapel

11:00 am (en Español)

Discover more about Sundays at Calvary at calvarylife.org/sundays

**NEXT GENERATION** • Calvary has a unified spiritual formation ministry, partnering with families to see the next generation have a thriving faith in Jesus.

#### Children's Ministries

Calvary Town | 9:00 am + 11:00 am
For kids from Birth-5th Grade.
Details at calvarylife.org/children

#### **Student Ministries**

Middle School | Sundays 9:00 am High School | Sundays 9:00 am Details at calvarylife.org/students

TAKE A NEXT STEP · Go beyond the Worship Service

Calvary offers many ways for you to CONNECT, GROW and REACH. Learn about LifeGroups, Equipping Classes, Life-Stage ministries, and special events by picking up the latest Quarterly or visiting Connection Point in the Lobby.

## CONNECT WITH US

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# CURRENT HIGHLIGHTS // December 10, 2017



#### Meet Your Pastors | Wednesday, Dec. 13

Join us this Wednesday at 7pm in the Lobby for the Meet Your Pastors Ugly Sweater Party. Come connect with our pastors and hilarious guest MCs, featuring lots of funny stories, plus coffee and cookies! calvarylife.org/classes



## The Longest Night | December 21

Experience a reflective service on the longest night of the year, 12.21.17, at 7pm in the Chapel to encourage any in the midst of grief, loss, loneliness, or pain as we look to Christ together. calvarylife.org/longestnight



#### Christmas Eve Services | December 24

Reach out and invite others to come celebrate the birth of Jesus and end this season of Advent together at one of our Candlelight Services on **Sunday**, 12.24.17:

- Worship Center | 10:00 am + 5:00 pm
- Chapel | 10:00 am (en Español)
- Chapel | 11:00 pm (Midnight Service)
   Learn more by visiting calvarylife.org/candlelight



#### New Year's Eve One Service | December 31

Come wrap up 2017 and worship Jesus together in a special One Service Sunday on New Year's Eve!
Everyone 1st grade and up will be together in the Worship Center on 12.31.17 at 10:00am.

## GIVING UPDATE

Thank you for your faithful giving and please continue to pray for God's direction in the financial life of our church. Learn more and give online at **calvarylife.org/giving** 

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# MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES & RESOURCES



## 12 Ways to Serve Orange County

Pick up a "12 Ways to Serve" brochure in the Lobby and learn about the different ways you can show Christ's love to Orange County this Christmas season. Learn more by visiting calvarylife.org/12ways



Thank You Notes to Pastor Dave | Return by Dec 31 Help bless Pastor Dave for his 22 years as Senior Pastor and encourage him as he realigns his role, continuing to minister with our church family in the years to come. Pick up a blank *Thank* You sheet in the Lobby today and return it by the end of December to express your gratitude.



## Calvary to Israel | November 5–17, 2018

Begin planning now and save the date for the experience of a lifetime by joining our trip to Israel. This life-changing, first-hand experience will truly transform your view of the people, places, and events of the Bible. Discover more and reserve your spot today at calvarylife.org/israel



#### RightNow Media | Free Video Library

Calvary values equipping you and your family to grow in your faith. So, we've partnered with RightNow Media to give you FREE access to great videos and discipleship content for kids, youth, adults, parents, married couples and more. Sign up at calvarylife.org/rightnow

## CONNECT IN PRAYER

**Share Requests:** Use 'The Card' in the chair rack to share a prayer request, visit one of the Prayer Points at the end of today's service or go to **calvarylife.org/prayer** 

**Shut Ins:** Bettye Hansen, Lavonna Hopkins, Ethel Johnson

Hospitalized: Char DuMars-Kaiser (Anaheim), Kent Deutsch-Long Beach VA

#### LIFEGROUP Highlight:

Marital Journey meets on Sundays at 9:00am in Room S-5. This LifeGroup is a friendly community who pray, study God's Word, and live life together with a focus on the marital journey. This class is for younger couples, married for 2-10 years, many with babies and toddlers.

Learn more about Calvary LifeGroups at calvarylife.org/lifegroups

## **BOOKSTORE** Highlight:

ESV Study Bible

Every year at Christmas, Crossway makes one of their ESV Study Bibles available at a reduced price for a limited time. Regularly: \$80, now \$39.97 (while supplies last).



#### **REACH Highlight:**

Randy & Susan Clark South Africa 1 Hope Ministries

The Clarks are an integral part of a

church plant in inner-city Pretoria assisting the church to develop biblical strategies to impact the congregation and community for the Gospel. Randy is training and walking alongside pastors for the purpose of church planning. They also support orphan care through the operation of a baby home and children's ministry.

Learn more about our Calvary
Missionaries at calvarylife.org/missions