

A Message from Pastor Dave

Dear Calvary Family,

To have a Happy New Year is something we all hope for, with new beginnings and new possibilities for what might happen in the year to come. It is also a time to reflect on the past and ways we want to change in the future. This past fall, we celebrated 85 years of God at work through Calvary Church. We also unfolded our new vision for Calvary with a look at the road ahead. I think so many aspects of our vision will truly offer each of us the hope of a joyful and fulfilling life as we seek to be a church family that is better together, being changed by the Gospel to love like Jesus across all cultures and generations.

In this edition of the Quarterly, please look for ways you can live out this vision as we all follow Jesus together. Consider ways you can connect with others by investing in their lives or inviting friends and neighbors to be part of our church family. I think as you step out and connect with others in need, you will find the person most blessed in this spiritual family is yourself. We are also called to be continually changed by the gospel in order to grow. As disciples of Jesus, we are on a journey to become more like Him in every area of our lives. This does not occur because of self-effort alone, but by abiding in Christ and cooperating with the Spirit's work to mature us. Consider circling one or two ministries you can take part in to help you grow in 2017. Finally, it is so exciting to know we are part of a larger story that God is unfolding locally and globally. In fact, we are part of a growing family that can achieve ministry that will last for eternity. Please underline where you can make a difference for someone from a different culture or generation this year. As you do, you will be blessed to experience that life is better together.

Pastor Dave

David Mitchell | Senior Pastor

Growing in 2017

Resolve to grow in your fitness, finances, and relationships



Cal Fit: Mondays · Wednesdays · Fridays · 5:45 am - 6:30 am · Gym
We are Stronger Together! Join a FREE fitness community built around a dynamic strength-training workout. Adults at any level of fitness welcome. Discover more about Cal Fit and all of Calvary's Athletics Ministries at calvarylife.org/athletics



Generous Living · Grateful Hearts · Generous Lives
Take a next step in your journey toward Generous Living. This financial discipleship ministry has a passion for people to experience the blessing that comes from living a balanced and generous life. Learn more at calvarylife.org/generous



Calvary Care Ministries + Counseling Center
We exist to walk this journey with you by offering biblically-based, Christ-centered resources, counseling, recovery, support groups and more to help you grow in your faith as you face challenging seasons in your life. calvarylife.org/care

Check out the latest events, activities and service opportunities! Find out more about any of the events listed inside and even more ways to connect at calvarylife.org/calendar

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Beyond This Quarter

Save the Date for these events in 2017



'Reach Global' Week: March 24 - April 2
A week of events highlighting Calvary missionaries and expanding our focus to reach Orange County and the world for Jesus Christ. calvarylife.org/missions



Easter at Calvary: April 9 - 16
April 9: Palm Sunday. **April 13:** Passover Seder. **April 14:** Good Friday.
April 15: Egg Hunt Outreach. **April 16:** Easter Sunday Services. calvarylife.org/easter



Memorial Weekend One Service Sunday: May 28
Make worshiping at Calvary part of your Memorial Day Weekend as we gather together as one church family for One Service at 10:00 am. calvarylife.org/sundays



Camps & Retreats
April 21 - 23: Women's Retreat **May 19-21:** Man Camp
June 25 - July 1: Family Camp **July 8-15:** Houseboat (College)
July 16-22: Hume Lake (Middle School + High School)



Short-Term Trips
Come be a part of changing the world on a short term missions trip. Potential trips are planned for 2017 to go to Albania, Costa Rica, Mexico, Thailand and more. Find out more about going on a trip, or supporting those who are, at calvarylife.org/trips



Church Picnic: June 11
Join the whole Calvary family for an old-fashioned church picnic (potluck style) with games, relays and fun. Learn more at calvarylife.org/picnic



'Fun Factory' VBS Week: July 24 - 28 **VBS One Service:** July 30
At VBS 2017, kids will discover they are created by God for a purpose in daily FREE adventures! And, don't miss the One Service Sunday at 10:00 am. calvarylife.org/vbs



Beach Baptisms and Party: August 20
Come to be baptized or celebrate with those being baptized at Corona Del Mar. Then, wrap up the summer with hot dogs, s'mores and fun! calvarylife.org/baptism



Light The Night: October 31
Free fall festival for the whole community from 5:30-8:30 pm with game booths, cake walks, giant inflatables, live music, food trucks, candy and more! calvarylife.org/ltn



Thanksgiving at Calvary: November 23 + 26
Thanksgiving Day Service: A morning of testimonies, singing + giving thanks together.
One Service Sunday: Join as one church family to express our gratitude to God. calvarylife.org/thanksgiving



Christmas at Calvary: December 24 + 25
Join us Christmas weekend as we celebrate the birth of Jesus! calvarylife.org/christmas



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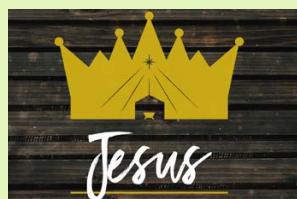
December

12 Ways to Reach Orange County this Christmas:

Find local outreach opportunities in this brochure, located in the Lobby or at calvarylife.org/local

Calvary Christian School Coffee Talk: December 1 · 8:30 - 9:30 am · Fireside
Join Dr. Troy Wathen discussing nurturing academic, spiritual and emotional health. ccschool.org

Sing Christmas! December 3 + 4 · 3:00 + 6:00 pm · Worship Center
We are better together when we sing together... especially at Christmas time! Join us for an hour of Christmas carols and songs in our beautiful chapel. You'll lift your voice with orchestra, choir, ensembles, handbells, and ring in the season with joyous music. Stay for hot chocolate and Christmas cookies on the patio. Discover more about this FREE event at calvarylife.org/sing



'Christmas at Calvary' Sunday Series:

December 4, 11, 18 · 9:00 am + 11:00 am

Come celebrate the birth of Jesus as King over Satan, over history, over Caesar, and over everything. Discover the life-giving way of Jesus' kingdom this Christmas season. calvarylife.org/christmas

Christmas Open House: December 4 · Sherman's House (214 E Santa Clara Ave, Santa Ana)
Bring a dessert/appetizer to serve 6+ people. Christmas music & fellowship. calvarylife.org/adults
SAM (age 66+): 1:30 - 3 pm | IMPACT (age 50-65): 3 - 4 pm | Adults (age 40-50): 4 - 6 pm

The Spot Christmas Party (Middle School): December 7 · 6:30 - 8:30 pm · Fellowship Hall
A fun + formal night celebrating Jesus' birth! Cost: \$12 for dinner, prizes, fun. calvarylife.org/thespot

EDL Dinners (High School): December 7 · 6:30 pm · Student Underground
A time to connect over a meal before our Wednesday night services. calvarylife.org/edl

Angel Tree Christmas Party Lunch: December 10 · 10:30 am - 2:00 pm · Fellowship Hall
Wrap presents for kids whose parents are incarcerated. Contact Matt at mdoan@calvarylife.org

Retirement Home Ministry: December 10 · 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Visit and serve seniors at Groves Retirement Village. Contact Bob at rdbrowning@msn.com

Praying for Your Grandchildren (Adult Ministries): December 11 · 7:00 pm · N-1
Benefit from a greater vision of the role you have with your grandchildren. calvarylife.org/impact

EDL Christmas Party (High School): December 14 · 6:30 - 8:30 pm · Fellowship Hall
Join for Christmas dinner + the LifeGroup music video contest! Cost: \$12. calvarylife.org/edl

Foundation Christmas Banquet (College): December 15 · 6:45 pm · Fellowship Hall
Free dessert and Christmas fun! Reunite with school friends who are home! calvarylife.org/college

CCS Christmas Program: December 15 · 7:00 - 8:30 pm · Worship Center
Enjoy a music and drama presentation from our K-8th students at CCS! ccschool.org

Longest Night: December 21 · 7:00 - 8:00 pm · Chapel
This season can be difficult dealing with loss or loneliness. On the longest night of the year, look to Christ in a service of comfort and hope in the midst of grief or pain. calvarylife.org/longestnight

Mary's Kitchen: December 24 · 7:30 am - 2:30 pm · 517 W Struck Ave, Orange, CA 92867
Host breakfast/lunch for homeless men, women, kids. Contact Crystal at calvarez@calvarylife.org



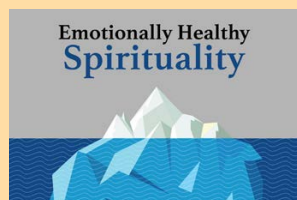
Christmas Eve Candlelight Services: December 24 - 25 · Worship Center
Celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ! Both will be the same Candlelight service.

- December 24 · 5:00 pm
- December 25 · 10:00 am

January

New Year's Day One Service Sunday: January 1 · 10:00 am · Worship Center
Come begin 2017 by building your trust in God and His reign over every area of life.

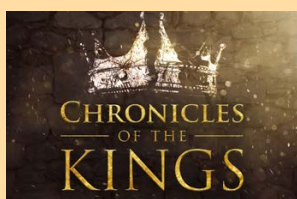
EDL Dinners (High School): January 4 · 6:30 pm · Student Underground
A time to connect over a meal before our Wednesday night services. calvarylife.org/edl



'Emotionally Healthy Spirituality' Course

Wednesdays, January 4, 11, 18, 25 · 7:00 pm · Fellowship Hall

In this 8-week equipping course (going through February), find transformation to mature in your faith, filled with authenticity and a profound love for God. Learn more at calvarylife.org/grow



'Chronicles of the Kings' Sunday Series:

Sundays, January 8 - March 19 · 9:00 am + 11:00 am

Join us for the 'Chronicles of the Kings' series looking into the kings of the Bible. Learn more at calvarylife.org/series

Praying for Your Grandchildren (Adult Ministries): January 8 · 7:00 pm · N-1
Benefit from a greater vision of the role you have with your grandchildren. calvarylife.org/impact



'New to Calvary' 20-Minute Tour

January 11 · 10:20 am · Meet at Connection Point Central

Take a next step and connect on a behind-the-scenes tour to get a glimpse into the life and ministry at Calvary beyond the Worship Center. calvarylife.org/connect

Dave Ramsey 'Financial Peace University': January 11, 18, 25 · 7:00 pm · W-209
Change your view and learn practical aspects of managing your money. calvarylife.org/fpu

Family Housebuilding Trip to Mexico: January 13 - 15
Join other families to build houses for families in Tijuana. Contact Shameeron: spaur@socal.rr.com

Child Dedication Class: January 15 · 10:45 am · Warehouse
Required one-time class for Child Dedications on Sunday, January 22. calvarylife.org/dedications

Adult Ministry Dinner (SAM & IMPACT): January 17 · 6:30 pm · Fellowship Hall
Hear from guest speaker Gene Roberson. Learn more at calvarylife.org/adults

Women with a Mission: January 19 · 9:00 am + 7:00 pm · Fireside
Hear from Calvary missionary Grace Goreth. calvarylife.org/global

'Budget & Get Out of Debt' Workshop January 21 · 8:45 am - 12:00 pm · Fellowship Hall
Training, tools and biblical principles to gain financial peace and margin. calvarylife.org/generous

CCS Kindergarten Preview Night: January 24 · 7:00 pm · Fellowship Hall
Preview our Kindergarten classes and meet our wonderful Kindergarten team! ccschool.org

The Spot - Broomball (Middle School): January 27 · 7:30 - 10:00 pm · Meet at the Gym
Play ice hockey in your shoes! Cost: \$10. Permission form required. calvarylife.org/jrhgh

Mary's Kitchen: January 28 · 7:30 am - 2:30 pm · 517 W Struck Ave, Orange, CA 92867
Host breakfast/lunch for homeless men, women, kids. Contact Crystal at calvarez@calvarylife.org

February

Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Course: February 1, 8, 15, 22 · 7:00 pm · Fellowship Hall
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EDL Dinners (High School): February 1 · 6:30 pm · Student Underground
A time to connect over a meal before our Wednesday night services. calvarylife.org/edl

Pinewood Derby (1st - 3rd grade): February 4 · 8:00 am - 1:00 pm · Gym
Children and their dads make and race their own pinewood derby cars. calvarylife.org/junction

Calvary Christian School Coffee Talk: February 9 · 8:30 - 9:30 am · Student Underground
Dr. Troy Wathen discusses navigating your child's developmental stages. ccschool.org

'Love Santa Ana' Initiative: February 11 · 8:00 am - 1:00 pm
Partner with 10 churches to serve our community. For project info + time, visit calvarylife.org/local

Retirement Home Ministry: February 11 · 10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Visit and serve seniors at Groves Retirement Village. Contact Bob at rdbrowning@msn.com

Praying for Your Grandchildren (Adult Ministries): February 12 · 7:00 pm · N-1
Benefit from a greater vision of the role you have with your grandchildren. calvarylife.org/impact

Adult Ministries Dinner (SAM & IMPACT): February 14 · 6:30 pm · Fellowship Hall
Enjoy dinner together in celebration of Valentine's Day. Contact Beth Greene at 714.914.1644.

Hume Lake Winter Camp (High School): February 17 - 20 · Hume Lake Christian Camps
A weekend at Hume Lake. Connect with God and make lifelong memories! calvarylife.org/edl

Women with a Mission: February 18 · 9:00 am + 7:00 pm · Fireside Room
Hear from a Calvary missionary. Learn more at calvarylife.org/global

Tim Hawkins LIVE - Comedy Show: February 18 · 3:00 pm + 7:00 pm · Worship Center
A genuinely funny comedy show that caters to the entire family (ages 10+). calvarylife.org/hawkins



Discover Calvary (Membership)

Sunday, February 19 · 12:30 - 4:00 pm · Fireside

Learn more about Calvary's beliefs, purpose, history, ministries and how to become a member. Lunch provided. Learn more at calvarylife.org/membership

CCS Open Enrollment (Calvary Christian School): February 21 - March 3
Open enrollment for all Kindergarten through 8th grade classes. ccschool.org

'Refreshing Your Marriage' Conference: February 24 - 25 · Worship Center
Refreshing Your Marriage offers a yearly tune-up for your marriage, giving you valuable tools and perspective to keep your relationship growing in the right direction. calvarylife.org/marriage

The Spot - L.A. Urban Trip (Middle School): February 24 - 26
Students step out of their comfort zone to serve others in downtown LA. calvarylife.org/students

Mary's Kitchen: February 25 · 7:30 am - 2:30 pm · 517 W Struck Ave, Orange, CA 92867
Host breakfast/lunch for homeless men, women, kids. Contact Crystal at calvarez@calvarylife.org

'Planning Now for Beyond 65' Workshop: February 25 · 9:00 am - noon · Fellowship Hall
Determine if your retirement plans will meet expectations. For all ages. calvarylife.org/generous

Sons of Korah Concert: February 26 · 6:00 pm · Chapel
Worship night based on Old Testament Psalms, with a New Zealand band. calvarylife.org/concert