

The Gospel of the King

The Compassionate Shepherd

Mark 6:30-44 (ESV)

What this passage tells us **about Jesus**:

He is the _____ ...

He will tend his flock like a shepherd; he will gather the lambs in his arms; he will carry them in his bosom, and gently lead those that are with young. - Isaiah 40:11

He is more than _____ (Numbers 11:21-23)

He exceeds _____ (1 Kings 17:8-16, 2 Kings 4:42-44)

He calls us to an _____ ...

“Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. - Isaiah 55:1-2

He is the _____ ...

He _____ us to be HIS _____. (Psalm 100:3)

He _____ us and our needs intimately. (Ezekiel 34:1-6)

He _____ for us and _____ for us. (Psalm 23)

We _____ from Him by _____ against him. (Isaiah 53:6)

He _____ and _____ us by _____ for us. (John 10:11-15)

Implications for us:

The solution to our helpless, hurting, hopeless condition is _____.

If you are a Christian, you _____ and can _____ what people need most.

Sometimes we need more than just a _____ from life’s struggles. We need to see _____.

We may not even _____ a miracle is happening right now around us, but God is always _____.

The conclusion:

Jesus does more than _____ bread. He ____ bread.

Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.” - John 6:35

My response:

Sunday Worship Schedule

As we continue our slow return to relative normalcy at Calvary, let’s commit to praying for our church family and for a soon-to-come reunion of the body of Christ known as Calvary Baptist Church. Let’s also commit ourselves to intentional unity in the face of all the controversy, mixed messages, and varying opinions during this Covid-19 affected season. And, let’s purpose to love one another well by caring for each other’s needs, considering each other’s weaknesses, and giving up our perceived ‘rights’ for the sake of the health of the body of our church. Let’s make every effort to emerge from these trying times better and healthier than we were when we began!

Worship will continue in-person at 10am in the Fellowship Center with appropriate social-distancing and sanitation steps taken. For those unable to, or not-yet-ready to join us, **we will continue to offer virtual worship live online on Facebook Live and YouTube at 10am.** We will also broadcast our services on a 1-week delay on **The JoyFM 94.3/96.1 every Sunday at 11am.**

To help us maintain capacity guidelines, please register to attend worship each week on CalvaryDothan.com. Also, if you plan to utilize our childcare, please register for that as well.

Finally, help us spread the word by inviting people to worship and by sharing our services online with your friends. There’s no better time than now to get the Good News out there!

Life Groups Resume on Campus June 14

Life Groups will be able to resume meeting on campus on June 14. Each Life Group is deciding what meeting format will work best for them. See today’s insert for a list of Life Groups and their plans going forward.

Midweek Worship Schedule

Midweek Worship will be available via live stream through our website, Facebook, and YouTube through June 24. There will be no Midweek worship in July. Midweek worship will resume on campus on August 5. There will be no Family Night Supper or choir.

Preschool Ministry Safety Measures

We have miss you in Preschool! We hope to see you in Life Groups on June 14. We are implementing these safety measures in Preschool during this time.

- Teacher’s and children’s temperatures will be taken upon arrival.
- Each family will be asked a set of health questions upon arrival.
- Parents are not allowed in the preschool building.
- Teachers and children must wash hands upon entering class room.
- Rooms and playground equipment will be sanitized prior to children arriving.
- Anything your child brings must be in a labeled Ziploc bag. No back packs or diaper bags
- Classes will remain at 8 children and 2 adults per room

Preschool and Calvary Kids Sweet-n-Cold Drive-By Event Thursday, June 4 | 4-6pm | Fellowship Center Covered Drive

PARENTS! Preschoolers and Kids, we would love to see you THIS Thursday, June 4 for a drive-by visit anytime from 4-6PM. We’re inviting Calvary preschoolers and kids to drive over and meet us in the Calvary front parking lot for a socially distanced, drive-by visit! In addition to the chance to see your smiling (and very missed) faces, we’ll also have “Sweet-n-Cold” treats and surprises for everyone.

Vacation Bible School 2020 | July 27-31 | For K3-Grade 5

The Children’s Ministry of Calvary Baptist Church is primarily committed to reaching children with the good news of Jesus Christ. One of the ways we do this is through hosting Vacation Bible School. Each year, more than 500 children have come for five days of music, games, crafts, and teaching designed to point them to Jesus.

If you’re wondering how you can get involved, there are several practical ways you can help. First, we’re looking for volunteers to serve during the week of VBS. Our team has already been working enthusiastically to plan the event, and there are many opportunities for you to serve our church family and the community.

Visit, <https://vbspro.events/p/events/calvarydothan2020>, to register!

Student Ministry Summer Plans

Students will begin meeting on campus every Wednesday night beginning June 3 at 6pm in the Sanctuary for their midweek Bible study and worship time. Social distancing guidelines will be followed.

WEIRD Week | June 22-24 | 6th-12th Grade | \$50 | Deadline: Sunday, May 31

Wired has been cancelled so we are going to have WEIRD Week instead! If your students are already signed up for Wired, please email brooke@calvarydothan.com to let us know if you will still participate in WEIRD week with Calvary Students. You can still sign up if you weren’t already registered for Wired.

Community Ministry Outreach Needs

Alabama Baptist Children’s Home

Life Groups or individuals are encouraged to take one or two items from the list below to donate monthly for a year. If you or your Life Group is interested, let Tommy Perry know at tommy@calvarydothan.com or 334.792.5159.

- disinfecting wipes (due to current situation these may be difficult to obtain)
- Swiffer Wet Jet pads & spray cleaner (purple box and bottle)
- hygiene products (lotion, mouthwash, body wash, deodorant, hand soap, & feminine hygiene products-pads only)
- individually packaged snacks (chips, animal crackers, peanut butter crackers, goldfish, etc.)
- cases of bottled water
- spaghetti sauce & noodles
- ranch dressing
- canned vegetables (tomatoes/tomato sauce, green beans, & corn)

Dothan City Schools Child Nutrition Program (donations accepted through June 4)

- individually packaged snacks (chips, animal crackers, peanut butter crackers, goldfish, granola bars, etc.)

The Harbor (ongoing ministry opportunity)

- canned meat, veggies, fruits
- ramen noodles
- peanut butter
- rice, dry pasta, and sauce
- fruit cups
- any non-perishables

Wiregrass Hope Group

(Ongoing ministry opportunity)

- disinfecting Wipes (due to current situation these may be difficult to obtain)
- sleepers, bibs, spoons, pacifiers, diapers, & plug protectors

Donations can be dropped off in the church office.

I WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION ABOUT:

My Decision Today:

- I trusted Jesus as Savior.
- I’d like to join Calvary Baptist Church.
- I believe God is calling me into ministry/mission.

- Please have a pastor or elder contact me.

If you would like to speak with someone about one of the items noted above, please visit the Next Steps Kiosk before you leave today.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- Pastors & Prayer Team Only
- Churchwide

Connect Card

May 31, 2020

Please complete this tab, tear it off and drop it in an offering plate.

- Please update my information
 Please contact me about membership

I am a:

- First Time Guest Guest
 Member

Name

Address

City

State/Zip

- Male Female

- Married Single

Birthdate (mm/dd/yy)

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Spouse

Spouse's Birthdate (mm/dd/yy)

Children:

Name / Date of Birth

Name / Date of Birth

Name / Date of Birth

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Please complete the additional information on the back of this tab, if applicable.

May 31, 2020

Ever feel worn out, exhausted, at the end of your proverbial rope?

Maybe in your prayers to God you are asking Him to give you a break, some rest, or just some momentary relief from the stress or pressure of life.

What if He wants to give you much more than that? What if there's a bigger answer to the rest you need and seek? What if Jesus is about to do something far bigger than offer a brief respite? What if he is about to do something that will forever change how you see him and believe him?

In today's message, **Our Compassionate Shepherd**, we'll revisit one of the best-known miracles of Jesus in the Gospels – the feeding of 5,000. As we do, I hope you'll see something of Jesus' heart for his own, his understanding of our needs – both *present* and *future* needs – and his amazing ability and grace-filled willingness to meet them.

What if Jesus is about to create an Ephesians 3:20 moment in your life as he did for the disciples and the thousands of others who experienced it that day? Wouldn't that be awesome?

"Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen." (Ephesians 3:20-21)

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FIRST TIME GUEST?

We're so glad you've joined us for worship today and would love to be able to share more with you about our church. Please fill out the Connect Card to the left and place it in one of the offering plates when they are passed. Be sure to stop by our Next Steps kiosk after the service for a gift from us!

THE PEOPLE CAME...

May 24

Life Group (via Zoom): 115
Worship: 178

THE PEOPLE GAVE...

General Fund

Given May 24: \$50,236
Given Y-T-D: \$1,036,586
Y-T-D Required: \$1,080,692.34
Adoption Assistance Fund: \$2,590

STAFF ON CALL

Sunday, May 31:

Charles Uptain | 334-797-7191

Saturday, June 6:

Matthew Dorsey | 919-495-9483

Sunday, June 7:

Randy Hunt | 334-791-7986

DAILY SCRIPTURE READING

Sunday, May 24:

Lev 24, Ps 31, Eccl 7, 2 Tim 3

Monday, May 25:

Lev 25, Ps 32, Eccl 8, 2 Tim 4

Tuesday, May 26:

Lev 26, Ps 33, Eccl 9, Tit 1

Wednesday, May 27:

Lev 27, Ps 34, Eccl 10, Tit 2

Thursday, May 28:

Neh 1, Ps 35, Eccl 11, Tit 3

Friday, May 29:

Neh 2, Ps 36, Eccl 12, Tit 4

Saturday, May 30:

Neh 3, Ps 37, Eccl 13, Heb 1

4 Ways to Give

- Give online by using the MobileMission app for Apple or Android or go to calvarydothan.com/GiveOnline.
- On Sundays, drop in the collection boxes near the Fellowship Center exit doors
- Mail to 901 Montezuma Avenue, Dothan, AL 36303
- Bring to church office, M-F, 8am-12noon & 1-4:30pm

UPDATED GUEST INFORMATION

In this interim period as we are trying to respond as responsibly as we can to the threat of Covid-19 around us, we are intentionally limiting up-close, face-to-face encounters where possible. Therefore, our "Next Steps" kiosk is temporarily closed and we are not passing offering plates for the time being. But if you are a guest, we still want to hear from you and meet you! So please complete the attached Connect Card and place in the offering collection boxes at the exits. Also, if you have prayer needs or personal needs, please share those with us as well. You may also email us at info@CalvaryDothan.com or call or text anytime to (334) 708-0513. We'd love to hear from you, pray with you or for you, or talk with you about any spiritual questions you have or decisions you have made.

SERMON SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 31

10:00 am

The Gospel of the King
The Compassionate Shepherd

Mark 6:30-44

Message by Paul Thompson

Wednesday, June 3

6:00 pm

The Conspicuous God - Psalm 19

Message by Paul Thompson

Live Stream on Facebook & YouTube

Sunday, June 7

10:00 am

The Gospel of the King
Endless Needs and Hard Hearts

Mark 6:45-56

Message by Paul Thompson

Wednesday, June 10

6:00 pm

How God Sees Me - Psalm 25

Message by Paul Thompson

Live Stream on Facebook & YouTube

Sunday, June 14

10:00 am

The Gospel of the King
Our Sacred Traditions

Mark 7:1-13

Message by Paul Thompson

Wednesday, June 17

6:00 pm

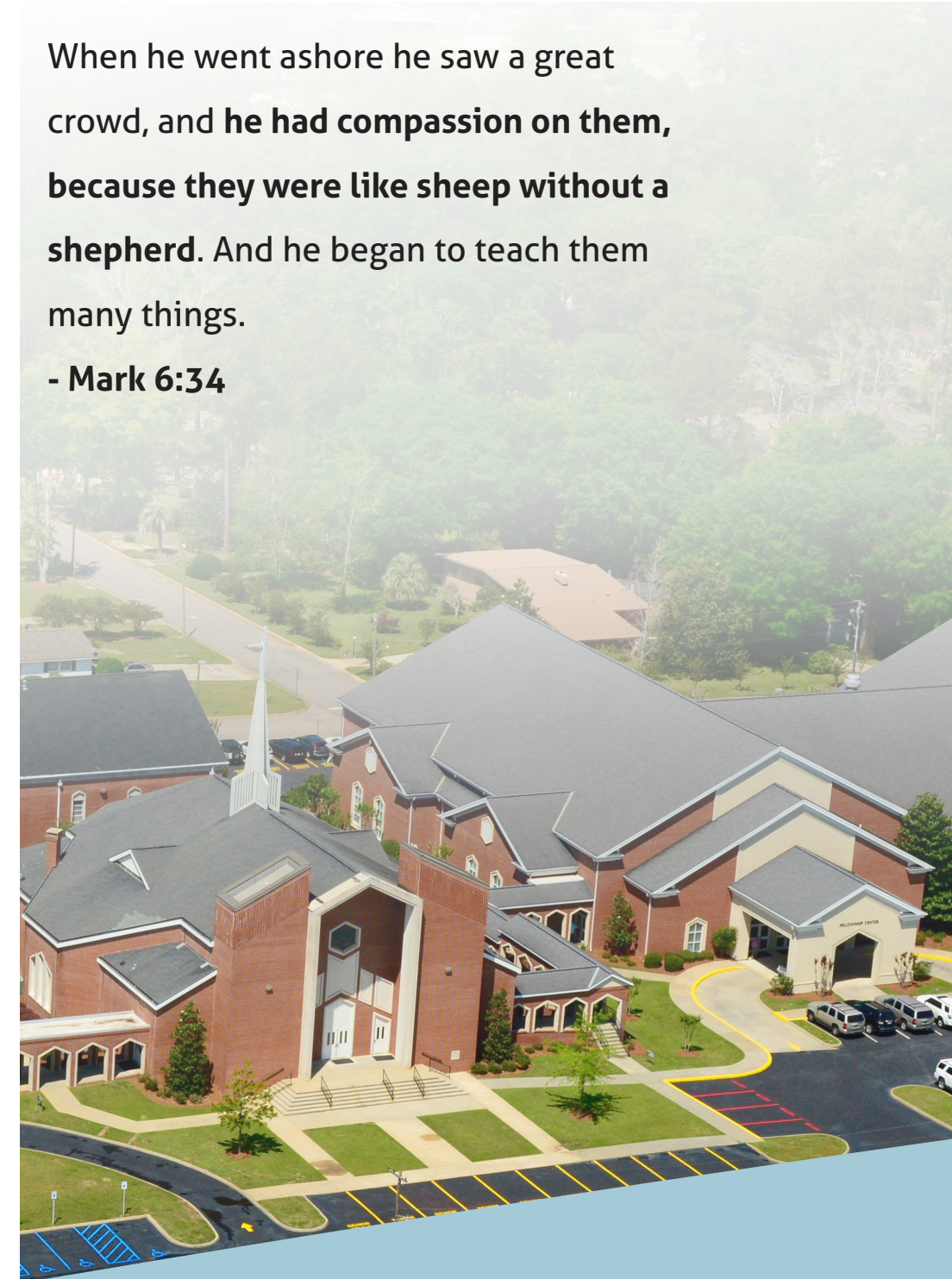
Hope for the Downcast Soul - Psalm 42

Message by Paul Thompson

Live Stream on Facebook & YouTube

When he went ashore he saw a great crowd, and he had compassion on them, because they were like sheep without a shepherd. And he began to teach them many things.

- Mark 6:34



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BAPTIST CHURCH

Life Group Meeting Plans

<u>Life Group Class</u>	<u>On Campus</u>	<u>Other</u>
College	The Cafe	
<u>Adult Open Enrollment</u>		
Pam Brooks	G-312	
Donnivan Jones/Rodney Lawrence International	G-311	Zoom
<u>Young Married</u>		
Chuck & Donna Arney	GR-006	Zoom
Jed & Abby Downs	GR-001	
Key & Beth Mahone	GR-003	
J. Riley / J. Robertson	GR-004	
Campbell / Welsh (Tues PM)		Zoom
<u>Married with School Age Children / 1st-9th Grade</u>		
Eric Donop	O-205	Zoom
Lee Braswell / Sam Robinson	O-207	Zoom
John & Lee Searcy	O-209	
Charles & Melody Uptain	O-206	
Stephen Powell / Ian Worrell	O-210	
<u>Married with High School/College Children</u>		
Bill Davis / Chris Suddarth	R-318	
Tommy Perry	O-200	
Phillip McCoy (Tues PM)		Not Meeting
<u>Married with Adult Children or No Children</u>		
M. Childree / D. Glover / K. Nunnally		Zoom
Steve Good	G-316	
Don Mills	G-320	
Al Stefin	O-211	
Cal Turner		Zoom
<u>Singles</u>		
Dan Tankersley (Young Professionals)	G-321	
Mike & Sheila Azar / Bill & Marilu Smith		Zoom
<u>Senior Adults</u>		
Philip Baker	Craft Room	
Lillian Campbell	R-308	
R. Cooper / K. Folsom / H. Parrish	R-302	
Joe Copeland / Jeff Spears	R-306	
Anndra Fualk	R-304	
B. Hardy / L. Latta / O. Wood		Not Meeting
Votie Hodges	O-105	
Dave & Judi Lindey	In Lindey Home	
Joy Whaley	R-301	