

# ACTS

## The Definite Plan of God

Acts 2:14-41

### Why Pentecost: 2:14-21

A fulfillment of \_\_\_\_\_ ...

A confirmation that we are now in the “\_\_\_\_\_” ...

A display of God’s \_\_\_\_\_ with His Spirit ...

A promise that God will do \_\_\_\_\_ thru His Spirit ...

A \_\_\_\_\_ offer of salvation accompanies this outpouring of His Spirit ...

The purpose of Pentecost is the glorification of \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ through the mighty works of God the \_\_\_\_\_ in the salvation achieved and offered in God the \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

### The Gospel Preached by Peter: 2:22-36

Jesus is the pre-existent \_\_\_\_\_ of God!

Jesus was sent by \_\_\_\_\_ in power to usher in His \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ hand in accordance with \_\_\_\_\_ plan.

Jesus was raised \_\_\_\_\_ from the dead (according to the Scriptures) and is the \_\_\_\_\_.

There are \_\_\_\_\_ of these facts.

Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ to the Father where he now sits \_\_\_\_\_ as the \_\_\_\_\_.

Know this for \_\_\_\_\_!

### “What shall we do?” 2:37-41

Believe ...

Repent ...

Be baptized ...

And you will receive the Holy Spirit ...

### My response today:

### Dinner with the Pastor

Tuesday, March 1 | 6:15pm | Parlor

### Membership Matters

Wednesday, March 9 | 5:45pm | Parlor

If you are considering membership at Calvary, please join us for Dinner with the Pastor and the Membership Matters class. Contact [angie@calvarydothan.com](mailto:angie@calvarydothan.com) or call the church office to RSVP for the dinner and childcare. Childcare will be provided for 6-week-olds through 5th grade.

### Dad and Kids Campout

March 4-5, 2022 | Weartherly/Woodham Farm, Columbia, AL | Cost: \$15 per family

Join us for a weekend of bonfires, sleeping under the stars, and just plain fun! It’s a special opportunity to disconnect from daily distractions, create lifelong memories with your kids, and get to know other dads at Calvary. This Campout is perfect for first time campers. Dads and kids of all ages are welcome!

\*The full schedule, packing list, and additional details will be sent to registered campers at least one week out. Here are a few of the key items to bring: tent, camp chairs, fishing equipment, sleeping bags, flashlights, drinks, and snacks.

If you have questions, please contact Zach Daniels ([zach@calvarydothan.com](mailto:zach@calvarydothan.com)) or Justin Walters ([justin@calvarydothan.com](mailto:justin@calvarydothan.com)).

### John MacArthur Guest Speaker

Wednesday, March 23 | 6pm | Fellowship Center

We will not serve a midweek meal this night.

Calvary Kids and Students will not meet but will join their families in the service.

### Childcare for babies-K5 will be available by a reservation.

We are pleased and honored to welcome Dr. John MacArthur as our special guest on Wednesday, March 23 at 6pm in the Fellowship Center. Since 1969, Dr. MacArthur has served as the pastor-teacher of Grace Community Church in Sun Valley, California. He is also president of the Master’s University and Seminary and can be heard daily on the Grace to You radio broadcast. He has authored a number of bestselling books, including The MacArthur New Testament Commentary series, The MacArthur Study Bible, The Gospel According to Jesus, Twelve Ordinary Men, and Strange Fire.

### Joy Prom

Mark your calendar for Joy Prom on Sunday, May 1, 5-7pm. The Joy Prom is a full-scaled prom designed for people ages 13 and older with developmental or physical impairments. More information to come.

### Student Life Camp

6th-12th Grade | July 18-22 | Wilderness at the Smokies Resort, Sevierville, TN

\$75 deposit due by March 13 | Total Cost: \$319 + Food (TBD)

The students will host fundraisers over the next couple of months to raise money for camp and help reduce the total cost. Register online at [calvarydothan.com](http://calvarydothan.com).

### Spring Calvary Family Night

Sunday, March 27 | 5-7pm | Gym & ROC Parking Lot

Bring your families and lawn chairs out to enjoy some good fellowship, food, and fun together as a church family.

### Registration Open for Calvary Weekday and Calvary Preschool/Kindergarten

Calvary Weekday and Calvary Preschool and Kindergarten will have 2022-23 in-house registration for all church members, February 14-28. We look forward to ministering to your family through our excellent childcare programs! Please contact Michelle Beasley or Jaci Coleson for more information.

In today’s message, we get to interact with one of the most powerful sermons ever preached. Immediately after being filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter proclaims the gospel powerfully and effectively. A truly transformed man empowered by the Spirit of God preaches a clear gospel of transformation. And thousands become followers of Jesus as a result.

It’s critical for us today to have a well-rounded, biblically precise understanding of the Gospel. If not, we can’t rightly answer the questions: “How can I enter the kingdom? How can I be saved? What do I have to do to inherit eternal life?”, etc.

The following is a helpful gospel synopsis I’ve been reading. It’s consistent with our previous studies of Mark, Hebrews, and now Acts.

*“The gospel is that Jesus the king ...*

*preexisted as God the Son,*

*was sent by the Father,*

*took on human flesh in fulfillment of God’s promises to David,*

*died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, was buried,*

*was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures,*

*appeared to many witnesses,*

*is enthroned at the right hand of God as the ruling Christ,*

*has sent the Holy Spirit to his people to effect his rule,*

*and will come again as final judge to rule.*

The gospel is the true story of how Jesus the Son was sent by God the Father to become the saving king who now rules forever at his right hand through the sending of the Holy Spirit, fulfilling God’s promises in Scripture.

The purpose of the gospel is allegiance to Jesus the king in all the nations. Allegiance is expressed in repentance, trusting loyalty (faith), and baptism...

We must not confuse the gospel itself with its saving benefits. The gospel proper announces possible saving benefits. But only those who respond to the gospel by giving allegiance actualize these special benefits. These include forgiveness of sins, righteousness (justification), adoption, glory, and so on. Special saving benefits are received personally only when we give allegiance and receive the Holy Spirit. This unites us to others who already possess these benefits—the true church.”

Taken from: *Gospel Allegiance* by Matthew Bates (pp. 227-229).

Today in worship, let’s honor God for the Good News of Jesus. Let’s sharpen our understanding of that Good News and our ability to communicate it. And let’s purpose to fulfill our calling of His witnesses.

If you’re here today and you are not a Christian, I pray you’ll hear the Gospel, believe the Gospel, and experience the blessings of the Gospel as you enter into God’s promises through faith in Christ!

### 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

February 27, 2022

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

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Spouse

Spouse's Birthdate (mm/dd/yy)

### Children:

Name / Date of Birth

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

**February 27, 2022**



### I'm New Here

To fill out a digital Connect Card or learn more about Calvary, please use your smartphone camera to scan the QR Code.

### How to Become a Christian

Want more information about how to become a Christian? Go to [calvarydothan.com/become-a-christian/](http://calvarydothan.com/become-a-christian/).

If you would like to view a pdf of today's sermon notes, go to [calvarydothan.com/podcast](http://calvarydothan.com/podcast) or use Calvary's MobileMission app.

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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...

#### February 20

Life Groups: 504  
10:00 Worship: 563  
Hispanic Church: 149  
Grace City Church (NY): 30

### THE PEOPLE GAVE...

#### General Fund

Given February 20: \$56,801  
January Budget  
Surplus (Deficit): \$23,382.53

### DAILY SCRIPTURE READING

#### Sunday, February 27:

Gen 11, Mt 10, Ezr 10, Acts 10

#### Monday, February 28:

Gen 12, Mt 11, Neh 1, Acts 11

#### Tuesday, March 1:

Gen 13, Mt 12, Neh 2, Acts 12

#### Wednesday, March 2:

Gen 14, Mt 13, Neh 3, Acts 13

#### Thursday, March 3:

Gen 15, Mt 14, Neh 4, Acts 14

#### Friday, March 4:

Gen 16, Mt 15, Neh 5, Acts 15

#### Saturday, March 5:

Gen 17, Mt 16, Neh 6, Acts 16

### Midweek Schedule

5:15pm Midweek Meal, Fellowship Center  
6:00pm Midweek Worship, Sanctuary  
Preschool, Birth-K5, Preschool Building  
Children, Grades 1-5, ROC  
Students, Grades 6-12, Student Room  
7:00pm Adult Choir

### 4 Ways to Give

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

### Ministry Staff

Paul Thompson.....Senior Pastor  
Charles Uptain.....Executive Pastor  
Dan Tankersley.....Discipleship  
Tommy Perry.....Community

### STAFF ON CALL

#### Sunday, February 27:

Dan Tankersley | 334-655-8765

#### Saturday, March 5:

Randy Hunt | 334-791-7986

#### Sunday, March 6:

Randy Hunt | 334-791-7986

### SERMON SCHEDULE

#### Wednesday, March 2 | 6pm

Genesis: Where Grace Began  
Message by Paul Thompson

#### Sunday, March 6 | 10:00am

Acts: Would You Join a Church Like This?

Acts 2:42-47

Message by Paul Thompson

#### Wednesday, March 9 | 6pm

Genesis: Where Grace Began

Message by Paul Thompson

#### Sunday, March 13 | 10:00am

Acts: Give the Healing You Have

Acts 3:1-26

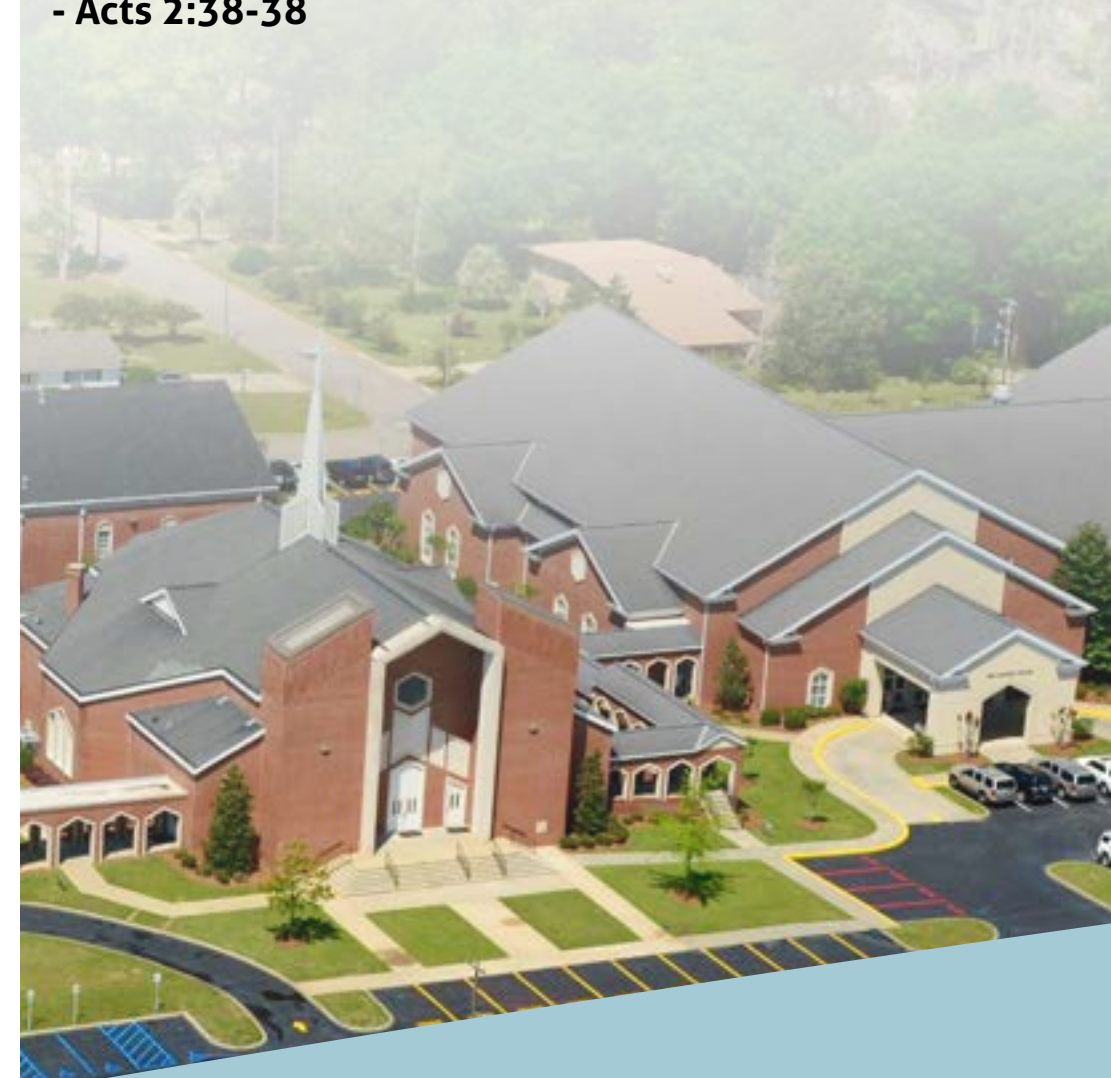
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### Sunday Morning Schedule

8:00am Call to Prayer, Sanctuary  
8:30am Life Group  
10:00am Worship, Fellowship Center  
Kid's Worship, Grades 1-5,  
Chapel (except 1st Sunday)  
11:00am Worship Broadcast on JoyFM  
94.3/96.1 with a 1 wk delay.

*<sup>38</sup> And Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.  
<sup>39</sup> For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself."*

**- Acts 2:38-38**



WELCOME TO  
**Calvary**  
BAPTIST CHURCH