

Sheep Without a Shepherd

Matthew 9:35-38

A reminder from context: Jesus’ primary ministry was _____. (v.35)

³⁵ *And Jesus went throughout all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and healing every disease and every affliction.*

Why preaching? (And what is “the gospel of the kingdom”?)
And why the miracles?

The lens thru which Jesus sees us is His _____.

³⁶ *When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them ...*

At the root of every sermon, every miracle, and every person-to-person encounter was his _____ and _____ expressed as compassion.

His compassion was/is tied to their (and our) _____:

... because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.

They were _____.

People without Jesus are subject to the wearying, ultimately devastating _____ of the _____.

They were _____.

People without Jesus may be _____ and even _____ for change but are _____ on their own of remedying their situation.

What do *you* see when you look at people?
Our first response to lost people should be _____ (not _____, _____, or _____).

How can I cultivate compassion? (Or how can I restore it?)

- _____ *God’s compassion towards you and in His Word*
- _____ *a more compassionate attitude/heart*
- _____ *empathy by actively _____ so that you can _____ and _____*
- _____ *with acts of _____ and _____*
- _____ *and his mercy and compassion in salvation*

The tragic condition of the lost has one solution – a Good _____!

Therefore ...

³⁷ *Then he said to his disciples, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸ therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.”*

_____ and see the condition of people with _____ eyes.
_____ for people to be _____ and to obey the _____.
_____ the _____ to your own prayer when God sends you.

Sunday, November 10

10am Worship

Pass The Promise

Scripture Reading & Prayer of Supplication..... Eric Donop
James 1:27

²⁷ *Religion that is pure and undefiled before God the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world.*

Orphan Sunday Video

O Church Arise (Arise Shine)

I Stand Amazed

Interview with Moses Odhiambo, Kenya Missionary..... Paul Thompson

Prayer..... Paul Thompson

Offering

Facing A Task Unfinished

Message Paul Thompson
Shepherd Without a Shepherd
Matthew 9:35-38

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Benediction..... Keston Trammell

John 14:18-19

¹⁸ *“I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. ¹⁹ Yet a little while and the world will see me no more, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live.*

5pm Worship

Scripture Reading & Prayer Paul Thompson
1 John 3:16-18

¹⁶ *By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers. ¹⁷ But if anyone has the world's goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God's love abide in him? ¹⁸ Little children, let us not love in word or talk but in deed and in truth.*

All Creatures Of Our God And King

Nothing But The Blood

I Will Follow

Corporate Prayer Eric Donop

Interview on Fostering & Adopting Eric Donop, Jamie & Nancy Messer

Message Chris Woodall
Reflecting God's Character and Commitment in the Care of Orphans
James 1:27

Wherever He Leads I'll Go

Operation Christmas Child

Shoebox Collection Sunday: November 17

Pack a shoebox and send good news and great joy around the world. Shoeboxes are available in the Fellowship Center, ROC, and Preschool Building.

Senior Adult Mid-month

Thursday, November 21 | 11am

Charles Uptain will be speaking. Lunch will be served immediately following the service.

Thanksgiving Meal Opportunity

Jeff and Staci Spears want to offer a Thanksgiving meal for Calvary members who might be eating alone or have no family/special plans for Thanksgiving. If you would be interested in sharing lunch on Thanksgiving with some of your Calvary family, contact the church office or look for the sign-up link online. Registration will be available until November 20. Details are still to be determined as we gauge the interest from the congregation for this type of event.

Parent-Child Commitment Service

Sunday, December 8 | 10am Worship

Email joyce@calvarydothan.com if you would like to be a part of this special commitment time with your child. There is a parent-child commitment meeting on Wednesday, November 20, at 6pm in the office building conference room.

Deacon & Widow Lunch

Sunday, December 8 | Speaker: Joe McKeever

All deacons and widows are invited to lunch in the Fellowship Center immediately following morning worship.

Do you like to decorate for Christmas?

If you can help put up Christmas decorations at the church on mornings of Monday, November 25 and/or Tuesday, November 26, call Rebekah in the church office or email rebekah@calvarydothan.com.

Thanksgiving Week Schedule

Sunday, November 24

- 8:30 am Life Groups/Open Classes
Calvary Kids LG in Sanctuary
- 10:00 am Worship, Fellowship Center
No Kids Worship
- 5:00 pm Thanksgiving Communion Service,
Sanctuary

Wednesday, November 27

No Midweek Activities

Sunday, December 1

- 8:30 am Life Groups/Open Classes
- 10:00 am Worship, Fellowship Center
No Kids Worship
- 5:00 pm Family Worship, Sanctuary

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

November 10, 2024

Please complete this tab, tear it off and drop it in an offering plate, or in the boxes by the exits.

- Please update my information
- Please contact me about membership

I am a:

- First Time Guest
- Attender
- 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

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Name / Date of Birth

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

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November Missions Spotlight

Steve & Toni Chambers (Neighborhood Church UWS)

Steve and Toni moved to NYC in the Fall of 2017 with the intent of planting a church in the city. By God's grace, that became a reality, and Neighborhood Church was born. Steve's mission for the church is simple: Love God and Love Your Neighbor. If you would like to see how you can pray for the ministry work of the Chambers, pick up a prayer card at the missions kiosk in the Fellowship Center foyer. Additionally, if you would like to learn more about the ministry work of the Chambers in NYC, visit facebook.com/neighborhoodchurchuws or neighborhoodchurchuws.com.

Alabama Baptist Children's Homes & Family Ministries (Local Missions Partner)

Alabama Baptist Children's Homes & Family Ministries aims to protect, nurture, and restore children and families through Christ-centered services. The result we desire to see is hope and wholeness for children and families through knowing God. If you would like to see how you can pray for the ministry work of the ABCH, pick up a prayer card at the mission's kiosk in the Fellowship Center foyer. To learn more about the ministry endeavors of ABCH, you can contact Kim McGainey at kmcgainey@alabamachild.org or visit facebook.com/alabamachild or alabamachild.org.

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THE PEOPLE CAME...

November 3

Life Group: 505
10:00 Worship: 749
5:00 Worship: 130
Hispanic Church: 127
Neighborhood Church (NY): 25

THE PEOPLE GAVE...

General Fund

Given November 3: \$55,693.29
Given Y-T-D Surplus (Deficit):
(\$183,622.99) as of 09/30/24

NAVIGATORS BIBLE READING PLAN

November 10-16

- John 8:48-59, 2 Pet 3:10-18, Job 7, Ezek 20-21
- John 9:1-12, 1 Jn 1:1-4, Job 8, Ezek 22-23
- John 9:13-25, 1 Jn 1:5-10, Job 9:1-20, Ezek 24-26
- John 9:26-41, 1 Jn 2:1-11, Job 9:21-35, Ezek 27-28
- John 10:1-10, 1 Jn 2:12-17, Job 10, Ezek 29-30
- John 10:11-21, 1 Jn 2:18-23, Job 11, Ezek 31-32

Sunday Schedule

- 8:30am Life Groups & Open Classes
- 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.
- 5:00pm Family Worship, Sanctuary Childcare for Babies-K3

I'm New Here



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.

To fill out a digital Connect Card or learn more about Calvary, please use your smartphone camera to scan the QR Code or you can fill out the Connect Card in this bulletin and place it in the offering plate.

Also, be sure to stop by our Next Steps table in the foyer after the service for a gift from us!

How to Become a Christian

Want more information about how to become a Christian? Go to calvarydothan.com/how-to-become-a-christian/.

If you would like to view a pdf of today's AM sermon notes, go to calvarydothan.com/messages.

Ministry Staff

Paul Thompson.....	Senior Pastor	Joyce Alexander.....	Preschool
Charles Uptain.....	Executive Pastor	Zach Daniels.....	Children
Dan Tankersley.....	Discipleship Pastor	Reagan Farris.....	Students
Patrick Lima.....	Worship	Randy Hunt.....	Senior Adults
Tommy Perry.....	Missions		

STAFF ON CALL

Sunday, November 10:

Reagan Farris | 504-319-6986

Saturday, November 16:

Joyce Alexander | 334-798-4791

Sunday, November 17:

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SERMON SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 17

10am

A Template for Disciple Makers

Matthew 10:1-15

Message by Paul Thompson

5pm

Fellowship With God: The Teacher

Message by Paul Thompson

Wednesday Schedule

- 6:00pm Open Classes, D-Groups, Life Groups
- Birth-K5, Preschool Bldg
- Grades 1-5, Chapel
- Grades 6-12, Student Room



⁵ Gracious is the Lord, and righteous;

our God is merciful.

– Psalm 116:5

