

Loving God with Your Worship

2 Samuel 6:1-23; Psalm 24

Restoring God to the Center of the Kingdom (2 Samuel 6:1-5)

The _____ of God’s Holiness (2 Samuel 6:6–7)
The hard, but necessary lesson is learned: God is _____, and His holiness governs how He is _____.

David’s Anger and the Necessary _____ That Followed (v. 8-9)
That fear becomes a ____ that will carry over in David’s (and the nation’s) worship.

Worship on _____ Terms (v. 13-15)
David’s heightened _____ produces clarity, safety, and confidence in approaching God, and that makes _____.

Michal, Saul, and _____ Worship (v. 16, 20-23)
Michal despises David’s worship. Her response reflects _____ legacy – fear of people, concern for appearance, and disregard for obedience.

Psalm 24 and Authentic* Worship
*Authentic worship is the reverent and joyful response of a Godward heart to God’s revealed glory, offered through Christ and ordered by God’s Word.

What We Can Learn from David as a Worshipper
Authentic worship begins with a _____ of _____ we are worshipping!
How you see God will have a profound impact on how you approach Him and respond to Him.

The _____ or _____ of authentic worship are determined by God Himself.
The holy God sets the boundaries and direction of acceptable worship.

Authentic worship is the fitting _____ to God’s _____.
God makes Himself known through His Word, and His people answer that revelation with humble submission, faithful obedience, and glad delight.

Recognize the difference between God-honoring _____ worship and God-honoring _____ worship.
Private worship invites full, _____ before God.
Corporate worship calls for _____ governed by love, truth, and edification.

Authentic worship brings together _____ and _____.
He is worthy of both deep thoughts and expressive emotion.

Authentic worship is ultimately _____.
Worship finds both its access and its aim in Jesus Christ, who alone brings us into God’s presence and reveals God’s glory.

My/Our Response:

Sunday, February 8

10am Worship

To God Be The Glory
Scripture Reading & Prayer of Adoration.....Reagan Farris
Psalm 24

24 The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof, the world and those who dwell therein, ² for he has founded it upon the seas and established it upon the rivers. ³ Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord? And who shall stand in his holy place? ⁴ He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false and does not swear deceitfully. ⁵ He will receive blessing from the Lord and righteousness from the God of his salvation. ⁶ Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob. ⁷ Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. ⁸ Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle! ⁹ Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. ¹⁰ Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory!

O Church Arise
The Solid Rock

Prayer of Thanksgiving..... Steven Whitfield

Offering

Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

MessagePaul Thompson
Loving God with Your Worship
2 Samuel 6:1-23; Psalm 24

Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken

Members Meeting..... Charles Uptain

Facing A Task Unfinished

Benediction.....Zach Daniels
Ephesians 3:20-21
²⁰ 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, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Sunday, February 8 Schedule

8:30am Life Group
10am Worship, Fellowship Center
5pm Student Super Bowl Fellowship, ROC
There will be no PM worship.

If you don't have other plans and would like to join the students for the fun, all are welcome. Bring a snack to share.

2026 Bible Conference | February 21-22
The Invisible War: Battling the Spiritual Forces of Evil
Speaker: Chuck Lawless
Saturday, February 21
6pm Bible Conference Session with Chuck Lawless, Sanctuary
Sunday, February 22
8:30am Adult & Student Joint Life Group with Chuck Lawless, Sanctuary
10am Worship Service, Fellowship Center
Message by Chuck Lawless
5pm Panel Discussion, Sanctuary

Women's Coffee & Connect
Sunday, February 8 | 3pm | ROC Lobby
All women are invited to an afternoon of fellowship, meaningful conversation, encouragement and connection.

Coffee with an Elder Night
Friday, February 13 | 6:30-8:30pm | Mural City Coffee
Come spend some time with one or more of our elders. The time will begin with open conversation and questions and then move into talking about “Thinking Deeply About God.”

Calvary Weekday Ministries
Calvary Weekday Ministries will be accepting in-house registration for Fall 2026 for current students and Calvary church members February 2-13. To enroll or for more information, contact:
Michelle@calvarydothan.com for babies-age 2
Jaci@calvarydothan.com for K3-Kindergarten

Mission Trip Opportunities
Bennington, Vermont | April 25-May 2
Purpose: Assist NEBC with construction of housing duplexes and various non-construction related projects
Deadline to sign up: Sunday, February 15
Number of participants: Limited to 12
Team Leader: Roger Simpler (334) 701-6668
Portland, OR | June 20-27
Purpose: VBS & working with Solid Rock Baptist Church
Team Leader: Randy Hunt (334) 791-7986

Empty Nesters Retreat
May 1-3 | Shocco Springs in Talladega
As a church we've been looking at the life of David and learning how to love God in every season of life. Now we have a special opportunity for some of our adults in a specific season of life where there aren't many books or resources available for marriage or parenting after the kids are grown.
This weekend is all about encouragement, connection, and growing in wisdom for life after the kids have grown.
Cost is \$370 per couple. Cost includes 2 nights stay and 5 meals. Register online at calvarydothan.com/event/empty-nesters-retreat.

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 8, 2026

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

Name / Date of Birth

Name / Date of Birth

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

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February Missions Spotlight

The Harbor (Local Missions Partner)

The Harbor's mission is to transform the heart of Dothan through the love and power of Jesus Christ. Guided by Scripture, they seek to serve those in need both physically and spiritually. To learn more about the ministry of The Harbor, visit theharbordothan.org or facebook.com/theharbordothan. Prayer needs for The Harbor are available on prayer cards at the mission kiosk in the Fellowship Center foyer.

B and M (Global Missions Partner)

B and his team work alongside the South Asian church to encourage local stewardship of the Great Commission and the Great Commandment, particularly among Muslim populations that remain unreached and unengaged with the gospel. To learn more about their ministry, contact Tommy Perry at tommy@calvarydothan.com who can provide additional information. Prayer cards with specific requests are available at the mission kiosk in the Fellowship Center foyer.

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THE PEOPLE CAME...

February 1

Life Group: 566
10:00 Worship: 621
5:00 Worship: 152
Hispanic Church: 107
Neighborhood Church (NY): 25

THE PEOPLE GAVE...

General Fund

Given February 1: \$46,181.25
2025 Surplus: \$16,597.53 as of 12/31/25

BIBLE READING PLAN

February 8-14

- Ps 38, Gen 35, 2 Chr 12, Acts 4:32-6:7
- Ps 39, Gen 36, 2 Chr 13, Acts 6:8-7:60
- Ps 40, Gen 37, 2 Chr 14, Acts 8
- Ps 41, Gen 38, 2 Chr 15, Acts 9:1-31
- Ps 42-43, Gen 39, 2 Chr 16, Acts 9:32-43
- Ps 44, Gen 40, 2 Chr 17, Acts 10:1-11:18
- Ps 45, Gen 41:1-36, 2 Chr 18:1-19:3, Acts 11:19-30

Sunday Schedule

- 8:30am Life Groups & Open Classes
- 10:00am Worship, Fellowship Center
Kid's Worship, Grades 1-5,
Chapel (except 1st Sunday)
- 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
Charles Uptain..... Executive Pastor
Dan Tankersley..... Discipleship Pastor
Steven Wilson..... Interim Worship
Tommy Perry..... Missions

Lay Elders

Don Mills (elder chairman) Jed Downs
David Glover

STAFF ON CALL

Sunday, February 8:

Reagan Farris | 504-319-6986
Saturday, February 14:
Joyce Alexander | 334-798-4791
Sunday, February 15:
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SERMON SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 15

10am

Loving God for His Covenant Faithfulness
2 Samuel 7:1-17
Message by Paul Thompson

5pm Worship

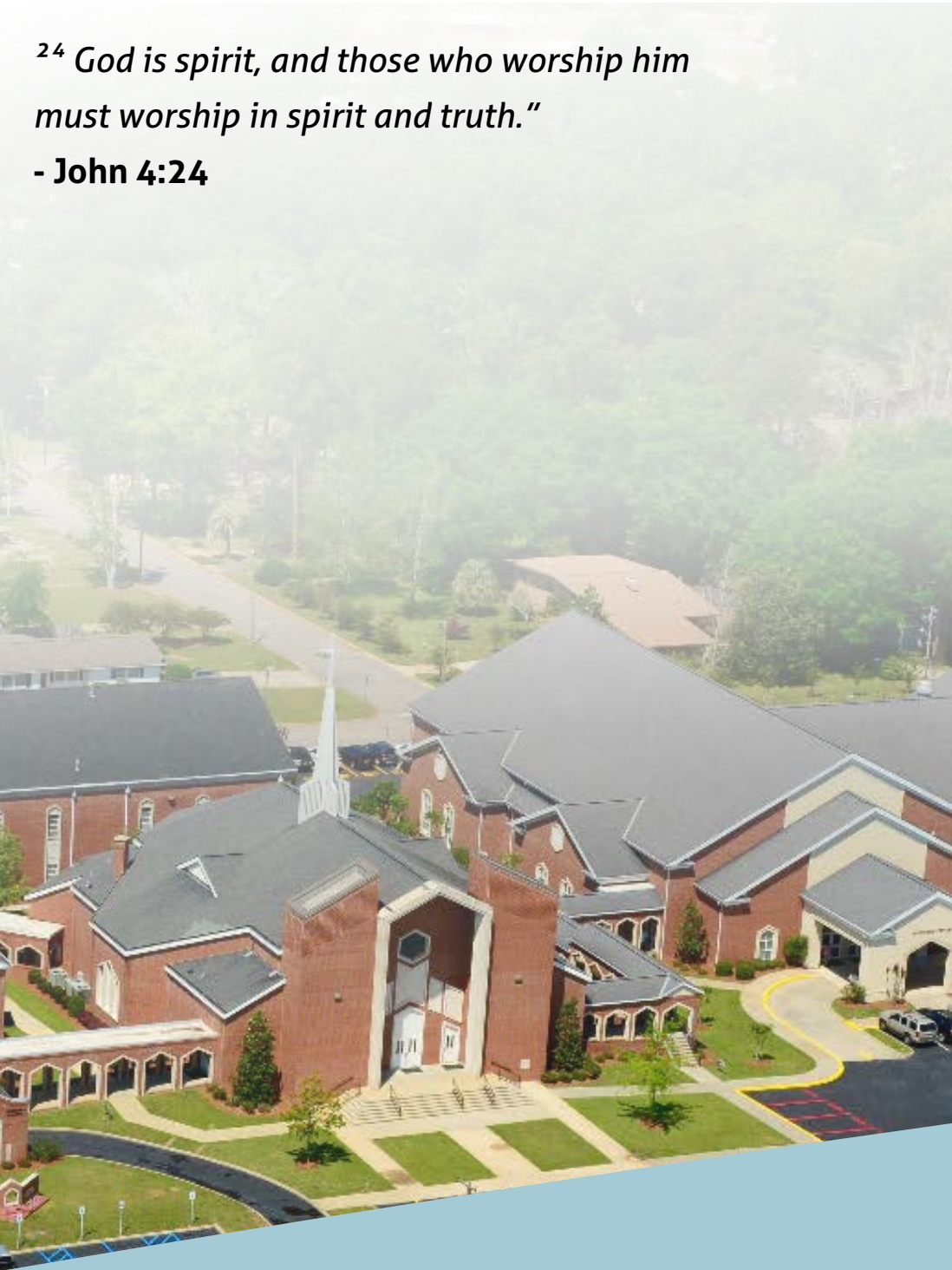
He Was Forsaken That We Might Feast
Psalm 22
Message by Paul Thompson

Wednesday Schedule

- 6:00pm Open Classes, D-Groups, & ESL
Classes
Birth-K5, Preschool Bldg
Grades 1-5, Chapel
Grades 6-12, Student Room
- 7:00pm Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

²⁴ God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth."

- John 4:24



WELCOME TO
Calvary
BAPTIST CHURCH