

DECEMBER 27, 2020

**Welcome & Announcements**

*O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL*

*FOR ALL THAT YOU HAVE DONE*

**Confession of Sin**

**Scripture Reading**

*Luke 1:11-17, p. 1085*

**Congregational Prayer Time**

**Sermon**

*#31 THOU DIDST LEAVE THY  
THRONE*

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Benediction**

**Threefold Amen**

**THIS WEEK AT CALVARY**

*\*\*The Church Office is closed this  
week (12/28-1/2)\*\**

Wednesday, 12/30  
*No Adult Bible Study*  
*No CSM*

Friday, 1/1  
HAPPY NEW YEAR!  
*No Men's Prayer Breakfast*

Sunday, 1/3  
*Communion Sunday*  
*No Sunday School or Confirmation*  
10:30 AM Worship & Live Stream

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**Are You Ready? Part 2**

Luke 1:76-80, Page 1089

Pastor Eric Rasmussen

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1. The Prophet P\_\_\_\_\_ to J\_\_\_\_\_ v.76
2. The Prophet P\_\_\_\_\_ the Way v.76
3. The Prophet Educates about S\_\_\_\_\_ and  
F\_\_\_\_\_ v.77
  - a. As a prophet, John was to educate the people  
about Salvation
  - b. As a prophet, John was to educate the people  
about forgiveness of sins
4. The Prophet R\_\_\_\_\_ about God's Mercy  
v.78
5. The Prophet Directs our Attention to the  
L\_\_\_\_\_ v.78-79



*Two unstaffed nursery rooms are available throughout the service for  
parents who may need them (past the kitchen on the north end of the  
building).*



*We have assisted hearing devices for the hearing impaired. Please  
inquire at the sound booth in the back of the sanctuary. Audio  
recordings of the sermons are available at calvaryfergusfalls.org*

## OPPORTUNITIES

FOR GROWTH AND FELLOWSHIP

### Annual Meeting & Reports

Our Annual Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM. A virtual option will be available for those who cannot attend in person. Children's Sunday School will be held at 9:00 AM that Sunday (rather than the normal 9:30 AM time).

Annual reports are due to the church office by Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup>. Those groups required to provide reports have been emailed and the list is also on the bulletin board.

### January Newsletter

The January Newsletter was mailed, emailed, and/or placed in church mailboxes this week. Please contact the church office if you did not receive your copy or would like to receive the newsletter in a different form.

### Church Office Closed This Week

The church office will be closed the week of December 27- January 2. The pastors will be on vacation, but if you need something, someone will be checking the calvary office email or you can contact one of the deacons (Bryan Morlock, Rod Scheel, or Paul Christenson).

## PRAYER CONCERNS

- > Praise God for Jesus, who came "to give knowledge of salvation to his people in the forgiveness of their sins" (Luke 1:77)
- > Nation: Pray that people looking for new hope in the New Year will realize that Jesus is the only one who can bring new life.
- > World Missions: Josh and Ruthie Wagner serving with Lutheran Bible Translators – pray for Ruthie's health to be restored as they are on medical leave in MN from their ministry in Sierra Leone.
- > Home Missions: Living Faith Free Lutheran, Boyertown, PA, Pastor David Johnson - pray for renewed vision and energy for the New Year.
- > AFLC: Lutheran Ambassador magazine, Pastor Bob Lee and Ruth Gunderson, Editors
- > Additional Requests:

AND YOU, CHILD, WILL BE  
CALLED THE PROPHET OF  
THE MOST HIGH; FOR YOU  
WILL GO BEFORE THE LORD  
TO PREPARE HIS WAYS.

TO GIVE KNOWLEDGE OF  
SALVATION

TO GIVE LIGHT TO THOSE  
WHO SIT IN DARKNESS  
AND IN THE SHADOW OF  
DEATH.

TO GUIDE OUR FEET TO THE  
WAY OF PEACE.

LUKE 1:76-79

## WELCOME to CALVARY

*The purpose of Calvary Free Lutheran Church is to proclaim  
and live the Gospel of Jesus Christ in a way that will impact  
our families, our community, and the world to the glory of God.*

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