

Mug 'N Muffin-Ladies high school and up, please plan on joining us on Sat, May 4, from 9-11 for our next Mug'n Muffin. Bring your own mug — there will be tea, coffee, and cocoa. Please call or email the church office if you can provide some mini muffins. Edi Halverson will be sharing some of her life experiences. Edi spent many years volunteering at Harvest

Outreach, so she would greatly appreciate it if you would bring a non-perishable food item.

We will also have Muriel Andersen and Kris Jorgensen giving us some hints on flower arranging. If you would like to pot a flower to take home, please sign up in the Connection Ctr so these ladies will have enough materials available.



**SonQuest Rainforest VBS June 24-28**—To learn more, stop by the Connection Ctr or contact Cassy Gauthier at 262.930.8294. **VBS Needs:** boxes (cardboard), brown packaging paper, craft feathers, crepe paper (need mostly green

and blue), green scrap paper, plastic tablecloths (blue, can be torn), wooden crates. Questions—contact Laura Maurer: 262.488.3662.



Saturday, May 18, 2024 - 9 to Noon

Indoor + Outdoor Projects available. Young and old, all abilities & experience are welcome!

## Thou Who Wast Rich Beyond All Splendor

Thou Who wast rich beyond all splendor, all for love's sake becamest poor; Thrones for a manger didst surrender,

sapphire-paved courts for stable floor.

Thou who wast rich beyond all splendor, all for love's sake becomes poor.

Thou Who art God beyond all praising, all for love's sake becamest man; Stooping so low, but sinners raising heavenwards by Thine eternal plan. Thou Who art God beyond all praising, all for love's sake becamest man.

Thou Who art love beyond all telling, Saviour and King, we worship Thee. Emmanuel, within us dwelling, make us what Thou wouldst have us be. Thou Who art love beyond all telling, Saviour and King, we worship thee. *Thou Who Wast Rich Beyond All Splendor*/Frank Houghton/©1934 OMF International /CCLI #112856

**Our Daily Bread**—If you take advantage of this ministry, please consider an extra gift in the offering. Please make sure it is above your regular giving and mark it clearly for *Our Daily Bread*.

## Community Groups

GREEN=meeting | RED=not meeting

Sun, 6:30-8 pm/All Ages – Peter Jansson – 262.412.6901 Crystal Bay Apartments: 3901 N Main St, Racine – Union with Christ

**Tues**, *Sisters in Christ*, 9:15-11 am – Proverbs Sally Wenzel–262.412.4798

**Tues**, Zoom, 6-7 pm/**Wed**–in person, 6-7 pm/**Fri**–in person, 10-11 am Linda Specht–262.619.1374/1216 N Osborne Blvd/Ladies — Psalms

Tues, 7:30-9 pm/Young Adults

Nate Peterson – 262.752.6053/1914 N Newman Rd, Mt Pleasant

**Thursday** Men's Bible Study – Frank Forsyth – 262.884.1101 DeRango's Restaurant: 3114 Washington Ave, Racine/9-10:30 am

**Saturday** Morning Men's Bible Study – Bob Andersen – 262.498.4602 Every other Saturday, 8-9:30 am/Room 203

## BIBLE READING: WEEK 18

**□Day 1** Lev 26:14-27:34, Ps 72:1-7

□**Day 2** Num 1, Ps 72:8-20

**□Day 3** Num 2, Ps 73:1-11

□**Day 4** Num 3, Ps 73:12-28

□**Day 5** Num 4, Ps 74:1-9

### Love Was When (Organ Meditation)

Love was when God became a Man,

Locked in time and space, without rank or place;

Love was God born of Jewish kin; just a carpenter with some fishermen.

Love was when Jesus walked in history, lovingly He brought a new life that's free, Love was God nailed to bleed and die to reach and love one such as I.

Love was when God became a Man,

Down where I could see Love that reached to me;

Love was God dying for my sin and so trapped was I my whole world caved in.

Love was when Jesus met me, now it's real;

Lovingly He came, I can feel He's real! Love was God, only He would try to reach and love one such as I.

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## **Racine Christian Softball League Schedule**

May 6 CMC – SE 6:15 May 13 CMC – NW 9 May 20 CMC – NW 8

2024 Financial Report – Week #17

Budget needs: \$10,488/Offering: \$11,731 YTD Budget \$178,296/YTD Income:\$182,473

YTD Expenses: \$158,168

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# **Calvary Memorial Church**

Equipping Building Maturing for Christ • Ephesians 4:12-13 4001 Washington Avenue • Racine WI 53405 • 262-637-7226 • cmcracine.org

## **April 28, 2024**

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

Matthew 5:3

Welcome

Pastor Ethan Davis

Announcements

Scriptural Call to Worship—Philippians 2:5-8 (Page #620)

Organ Meditation—Love Was When

Bonnie Mouw

Supplement Hymn #21

I Gave My Life for Thee

**Praise Songs** 

Scripture-Matthew 5:21-30 (Page #511)

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory—Redeemer

**Prayer of Supplication** 

Choir

Jason Wenzel

Rick Lewis

And Can It Be

 $\label{eq:children} Pre-School-1^{st}\ Grade\ Children\ going\ to\ Children\ s\ Church\ may\ be\ dismissed\ during\ the\ next\ song.$ 

Hymn

Thou Who Wast Rich Beyond All Splendor

Scripture—James 1:27-2:4 (Page #637)

Nate Peterson

Sermon A Functioning Faith: Comprehending the Gospel

Hymn #605

Benediction Postlude

Joanie Forsyth

Elders are available for prayer in the front of the sanctuary at the close of the service.

<sup>&</sup>quot;...preparing God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ." Ephesians 4:12-13

**Sympathy**—Our most sincere Christian sympathy is extended to Karl Hugo upon the death of his mother this week. Please keep Karl and his family in your prayers.

This week at Calvary Memorial Church

Sun, Apr 28	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship Service	10:30 am
Mon, Apr 29	Men's Lunch 'n Dartball-bring your lunch	12-2
Wed, May 1	(MC Awana Closing Program	6:15 pm
	CMC Ministry Fair	
	EVIDENCE	6:15 pm
	Prayer Meeting	7:00 pm
Thur, May 2	National Day of Prayer	, -
Fri, May 3	Friday Morning Men's Fellowship	9:00 am
	SonQuest VBS Prep	10:00 am
Sat, May 4	Mug'n Muffin	9:00 am
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#### **Upcoming Events**

May 18 All-Church Work Day

#### **Redeemer** (Choir Anthem)

Who taught the sun where to stand in the morning? And who told the ocean you can only come this far? And who showed the moon where to hide 'til ev'ning? Whose words alone can catch a falling star?

I know my Redeemer lives. Yes, I know my Redeemer lives. All of creation testifies, this life within me cries. I know my Redeemer lives.

The very same God that spins things in orbit Runs to the weary, the worn, and the weak. And the same gentle hands that hold me when I'm broken, They conquered death to bring me victory.

He lives to take away my sin. And He lives forever, I'll proclaim That the payment for my sin was the precious life He gave. But now He's alive and there's an empty grave.

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## **Praise Songs**

## Beneath the Cross

Beneath the cross of Jesus I find a place to stand, And wonder at such mercy that calls me as I am. For hands that should discard me hold wounds which tell me come. Beneath the cross of Jesus my unworthy soul is won.

Beneath the cross of Jesus, His fam'ly is my own. Once strangers chasing selfish dreams; Now one through grace alone. How could I now dishonor the ones that You have loved? Beneath the cross of Jesus, see the children called by God.

Beneath the cross of Jesus, the path before the crown, We follow in His footsteps where promised hope is found. How great the joy before us to be His perfect bride. Beneath the cross of Jesus, we will gladly live our lives. Beneath the Cross/Keith & Kristyn Getty/© 2005 Thankyou Music/CCLI License #112856

#### Create in Me

Create in me a clean heart, Oh God, that I might serve You; Create in me a clean heart, Oh God, that I might be renewed. So fill me and heal me, and bring me back to You. Create in me a clean heart, Oh God, that I might serve You. Create in Me/Mary Rice Hopkins/©1989 Universal Music - Brentwood Benson Publishing/CCLI #112856

**Harvest Outreach**—CMC took **38 lbs** to Harvest Outreach. Currently the greatest needs are **dry pasta**, **spaghetti sauce**, **boxes of cereal** (14 oz or smaller), and **canned vegetables**—anything but corn or green beans. Harvest Outreach also needs **empty**, **12-count egg cartons**.

**Communion**—Next Sunday is Communion Sunday. You may pick up Communion Preparation reminders at the Information Ctr, Connection Ctr, or the Ushers' table. Gluten-free wafers will be available by the organ.

### At Calvary . . . with Pastor Davis

My mind has again been drawn to the Beatitudes Jesus Christ outlines in **Matthew 5**. These have come to mind, in large part, because they speak of the kingdom standards of God that show themselves to be quite upside down from the standards of our world and whose skewed views we are prone to adopt. The Beatitudes speak of blessing that comes to acknowledging the reality of our state.

We are called to acknowledge our spiritual bankruptcy before God (that we are *poor in spirit*). But this is not an admission of despair, for we find that such is the prerequisite to receive *the kingdom of heaven* as salvation is neither sought nor received apart from recognizing this reality.

Still, we rightly *mourn* over our sin and thus respond appropriately for we grasp, at least in part, the weightiness of sin evidenced by the great cost in the sacrifice of Jesus Christ to make atonement. Yet, such mourning is met with *comfort* as our sins are forgiven and we are raised to a right standing with God that we will enjoy throughout eternity.

Contrary to the clout and deference granted the mighty, our Lord calls those *blessed* who are *meek*. In ways, a logical pairing with the humility that accompanies those who mourn over their sin (from the previous verse), though in adopting such a stance, we put ourselves in a position where we are at the mercy of others. Still, the one who governs themselves according to the teachings of our Lord (these Beatitudes being a concise example) seeks to conduct themselves in accordance with the directives and standards of our Heavenly Father seeking to please Him alone.

This one is consumed (as with *hunger and thirst*) for righteousness and, with such a focus, follow steadily after such things and are filled finding the Lord and His ways fulfilling and gratifying to the soul.

May it be found in this place a people whose lives are thus defined and merciful, pure in heart, peacemakers, and, should the Lord will it, even those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake.



- <sup>21</sup> You rebuke the proud—the cursed, Who stray from Your commandments.
- <sup>22</sup> Remove from me reproach and contempt, For I have kept Your testimonies.
- <sup>23</sup> Princes also sit and speak against me, But Your servant meditates on Your statutes.
- <sup>24</sup> Your testimonies also are my delight And my counselors. Psalm 119:21-24

## A Functioning Faith: Comprehending the Gospel

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- John 19:15

## **Prayer Bulletin**

Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men. I Timothy 2:1

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