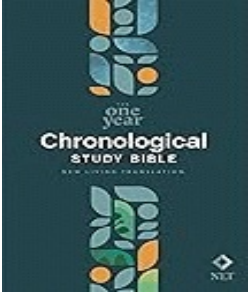


Please note: In order to have gifts attributed to 2025, they must be POST MARKED by Wed, Dec 31, 2025. If you are using Tithely, please allow for the delayed deposit. Giving statements for 2025 will be sent out in January.

2026 Giving Envelopes—If you are new to CMC and would like to request giving envelopes, use a pew card, or just call the church office. Please take time to read I Corinthians 16.

Ladies—Let 2026 be the year you dive deeper into the story of the Bible! Whether it’s your first read-through or one of many, there’s always something new to discover. God’s Word fuels evangelism, discipleship, missions, and apologetics—and it never stops working. Together, we’ll uncover how the story changes everything. We will be using the *One Year Chronological Study Bible* and it starts Jan 6. We will follow the meeting schedule you see above. Please call Linda Specht for more details.



Ladies—Have you ever wanted God to answer a specific prayer and then waited much longer than you wanted or would have ever expected? *Sisters in Christ* will be studying the Old Testament book of Habakkuk. We kick off the study Jan 13 with a post-Christmas party, followed by 10 weeks of digging into the Bible to see how the truths shared in Habakkuk are still relevant to us today. Sign up in the Connection Ctr. Contact Sally Wenzel for details: 262.412.4798.

Community Groups **GREEN=meeting/ RED=not meeting**

Tue–Ladies—Zoom & in-person–6-7 pm
Wed—in person, 6-7 pm Linda Specht–262.234.8553/1216 N Osborne Blvd
Fri—in person, 10-11 am/Edi Halverson–5128 Kinzie Ave

Tue–6-8 pm/**Young Adults**
Nate Peterson – 262.752.6053/1914 N Newman Rd, Mt Pleasant

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

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

Sat—GRIEFSHARE—Bernie Mann–262.498.2700 or Sue Childers – 262.748.3010.
10 am to noon/Room 121

GRIEFSHARE—Are you grieving a loss? You can find hope and healing after the death of a loved one at a weekly GRIEFSHARE support group. CMC will once again be hosting such a group beginning Jan 3, 2026 from 10 am to noon. For more information, go to griefshare.org or call Bernie Mann at 262.498.2700 or Sue Childers at 262.748.3010.

WEEK 1 – Dec. 28

- ☐ Day 1: Gen 1-2, Ps 1-2
- ☐ Day 2: Gen 3-4, Ps 3
- ☐ Day 3: Gen 5-6, Ps 4
- ☐ Day 4: Gen 7:1-9:17, Ps 5
- ☐ Day 5: Gen 9:18-10:32, Ps 6

2025 Financial Report – Week #51
Budget needs: \$10,925/Offering: \$10,027
YTD Budget \$557,175/YTD Income: \$616,246
YTD Expenses:\$406,441
Anniversary Offering (Window Project): \$101,710

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Eldon & Becky Porter – Missionaries-at-large – eldon.becky@gmail.com
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“...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

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“And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins.” Matthew 1:21

Doxology

Welcome & Announcements Pastor Ethan Davis

Scriptural Call to Worship—John 6:68 (Page #564)

Prayer of Praise

Choir *Oh, What a Beautiful Name* with *What Child is This?*

Hymn #126 *Angels, from the Realms of Glory*

Scripture – Ezekiel 2:8-3:11 (Page #436) Pastor Isaac Soriano

Organ & Piano Vanessa Bourne & Abby Feiler

Go, Tell It on the Mountain (Hymn #143)

Hymn #150 *As with Gladness Men of Old*

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *On Christmas Night* and *Bring a Torch Jeanette Isabella*

 Alistair Davis, Moriah Davis, Andy Lewis, Kim Myrum

Prayer of Supplication Dave Caucutt

Pre-School–1st Grade Children going to Children’s Church may be dismissed during the next song.

Hymn #140 *Jesus Came to Dwell Among Us*

Scripture—Psalm 119:1-16 (Page #325) Pat Faulk

Sermon **Fasting, Snacking, or Digging In?**

Hymn #163 *Wonderful Words of Life*

Welcome of New Member

Benediction

Postlude—*Angels From the Realms of Glory* Joanie Forsyth

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

This week at Calvary Memorial Church

Sun, Dec 28	Sunday School	9:00 am
	Worship Service	10:30 am
Mon, Dec 29	Men's Lunch 'n Dartball— bring your lunch	12-2
Wed, Dec 31	Office will be Closed	
Thur, Jan 1	Office will be Closed	
Fri, Jan 2	Friday Morning Men's Fellowship	9:00 am

Harvest Outreach—Currently the greatest needs are **canned fruit** and **spaghetti sauce**. Harvest Outreach hours are Mon, Wed–Fri, 9:30 to 11:30; and Tue, 1-3.

Security Reminder—When coming to the church building at any time, please remember to lock your car doors.

Oh, What a Beautiful Name with What Child Is This?

I know of a name, a beautiful name
That angels brought down to earth.
They whispered it low one night long ago,
To a maiden of lowly birth.

Jesus, Jesus; Oh, what a beautiful name.
Jesus, Jesus; forever will be the same.

I know of a name, a beautiful name
That unto a Baby was giv’n.
The stars glittered bright throughout that glad night,
Angles praised God in heav’n.

This, this is Christ, the King, Whom shepherds guard and angels sin;
Haste, haste to bring Him laud, the Bab, the Son of Mary.

Oh, What a Beautiful Name/Jean Perry, Ray Boltz, Steve Millikan/©1997 Shepherd Boy Music;/CCLI #112856
What Child Is This?/Public Domain

Fasting, Snacking, or Digging In?

- ☐ Fasting
 - to go _____ for personal _____
 - to _____
- ☐ Snacking
 - a scant _____
 - to _____
- ☐ Digging in
 - to _____
 - to _____

_____ God’s words

Ezekiel 2 & 3

- an unflattering _____
 - *rebellious* (2:3&5 and 3:9)
 - *impudent* (2:4 & 3:7)
 - *stubborn* (2:4),
 - *hard-hearted* (3:7)

- a pointed _____ (2:8)
 - *hear what I say*
 - *Do not be rebellious*
 - *open your mouth and eat what I give you.*

- indicators of
 - ✓ the state of my _____
 - ✓ my _____
 - ✓ my _____
 - ✓ where I look to be _____

- to be _____ (3:1-3)
 - a _____
 - an _____

Jeremiah 15:16

- the _____ of a quiet, inward _____

Ezekiel 3:10

- instruction to
 - ☞ _____
 - ☞ _____

Proverbs 1:20-2:12a

My son, if you receive my words, And treasure my commands within you (2:1)

- instruction to
 - ☞ _____
 - ☞ _____

- pivotal word: _____

On Christmas Night and Bring a Torch Jeanette Isabella

On Christmas night all Christians sing to hear the news the angels bring;
News of great joy, news of great mirth, news of our merciful King’s birth.

Then why should men on earth be sad,
Since our Redeemer made us glad?
When from our sin He set us free, all for to gain our liberty?

When sin departs before His grace, then life and health come in its place;
Angels and men with joy may sing, all for to see the newborn King.

All out of darkness we have light, which made the angels sing this night;
“Glory to God and peace to men, now and forevermore. Amen.”

Bring a torch, Jeanette, Isabella! Bring a torch, to the cradle run!
It is Jesus, good folk of the village; Christ is born and Mary's calling.
Ah! ah! beautiful is the Mother! Ah! ah! beautiful is her Son!

Softly to the little stable. Softly for a moment come;
Look and see how charming is Jesus,
How He is warm, His cheeks are rosy.
Hush! hush! see how the child is sleeping;
Hush! hush! see how He smiles in dreams.

On Christmas Night/Public Domain/Bring a Torch Jeanette Isabella/E. Cuthbert Nunn/Public Domain

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

ELDERS—Dave Caucutt, Joe Czernicki, Pastor Ethan Davis, Pat Faulk, Frank Forsyth, David Gauthier, Rick Lewis–Chairman, Pastor Isaac Soriano, Jason Wenzel

CE COMMITTEE—Pat Faulk, Deena Maurer, Nancy Lambkin–Finance, Sherry Peterson, Karen Schmitt—SS Superintendent, Karen Sorenson—CMC Awana Ministry Director

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MEN’S MINISTRIES—Frank Forsyth–Elder, Dan Raasch, Alex Schulz, Jim Terwall, Ted Weaver

MISSIONS COMMITTEE—Jeff Beaton–Finance, Dave Caucutt, Pastor Ethan Davis, Cassy Gauthier, Roger Lehner, Kris Lewis, Ted & Judy Pallock

WOMEN’S MINISTRIES—Moriah Davis, Susan James, Laura Maurer, Sherry Peterson, Rachel Riley, Linda Specht

CHURCH STAFF—Pastor Ethan Davis, Jon Patton, Karen Schmitt, Pastor Isaac Soriano, Linda Specht

MUSIC—Tim & Vanessa Bourne, Abby Feiler, Joanie Forsyth, Kim Myrum

EVIDENCE—Brad & Rose Bliss, Moriah Davis, David Gauthier, Nate & Mindy Peterson, Pastor Isaac & Sarah Soriano, Jason & Sally Wenzel

COLLEGE STUDENTS—Hosea James, Josias James, Abbey Myrum, Hannah Myrum, Wesley Riley, Willem Riley, Lydia Weaver, Chloe Wegner, Lilly Wegner, Daniel Wilkinson

COMMUNITY GROUP LEADERS—Bob Andersen, Frank Forsyth, Nate Peterson, Linda Specht

AV TECH SUPPORT—Bob Andersen, Tom Danek , Jacob Honebein, Luke Peterson, Dan Riley, Gary & Judy Smith, Bob Stevens

LIVESTREAM PRODUCTION TEAM—Justin Beaton, Nathan Bourne, Luke Peterson, Nate Peterson

LIBRARY—Vanessa Bourne, Susan James, Diana Manchester

KITCHEN – Rachel Riley

HARVEST OUTREACH—Jim Barnhart, Jane Dorf, Joyce Ferrell, Melody Gustavson, Joyce Larsen, Rick & Kris Lewis, Ted Pallock, Brad Trick

SS & CHILDREN’S CHURCH—Brad & Rose Bliss, Anne Danek, Donna Dhennin, Maureen Ellis, Patty Faulk, Joyce Ferrell, Cassy Gauthier, Joyce Larsen, Neal & Debbie Lehrer, Emily Lewis, Deena Maurer, Laura Maurer, Savannah O’Neal, Judy Pallock, Whitney Patton, Howard & Sherry Peterson, Cheryl Reesman, Karen Schmitt, Karen Sorenson, Kimberly Sorenson, Abigail Tarwater, Sally Wenzel, Donna Jo Wilkinson

IN THE SERVICE—Destiny Klinkhammer—US Army, Sam Wahlen—National Guard, Ethan Weaver—US Army, Hudson Wegner—US Marines

HOMEBOUND—Roger Jones, Marion Placko, Fred Schaefer, Betty Shepherd, Bev Stegman

RECUPERATING—Vicki Barnhart, Eric Ellis, Camille Hammer, Barb Kirk, Priscilla McCullough, Ron & Ann Muller

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT—President Donald Trump, Vice-President JD Vance, US Congressman – Brian Steil, Senator Ron Johnson, Senator Tammy Baldwin

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