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Title: "Getting Your Bearings"

Speaker: Rev. Dr. Rex McDaniel

Date: November 24, 2013

Scripture: Galatians 6:2, NRSV

"Bear one another's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ."

What burden are you carrying with you to worship this morning?

If you decided you wanted to share this burden, how would you do it?

What do you think would happen if you followed that plan and shared that burden?

TO ALL CALVARY'S WOMEN AND THEIR FRIENDS: You are warmly invited to be part of our Inspired Living Fellowship! There are two sections, and everyone is welcome to come to either or both. One meets on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Elizabeth von Bibra and is currently studying the Gospel of Mark. Please contact Elizabeth at elizabethvonbibra@yahoo.com for further information.

The other meets in the church library on Friday mornings at 10:00 a.m. and is currently studying the Gospel of Luke. Please contact Margot Cameron at (626) 793-2929 for further information.

Both groups are informal and filled with friendship and truly welcome those who have little or no knowledge of the Bible, as well as those who have more.

THE WORST TYPHOON IN RECORDED HISTORY HIT THE PHILIPPINES THIS WEEK. The human tragedy is immense. It's hard to watch the news. But, truly, we can help! Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, (to whom our church recently responded generously with "Gifts of the Heart,") has set up a separate account for the victims of this monstrous typhoon. If you are moved to give, you may do so by sending your check of any amount to:

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance
P.O. Box 643700
Pittsburgh, PA 15254-3700

Please clearly mark: "For Account #DR 000012

Or, if you wish to give \$10.00 online, the account # is 000012. We thank God that we have received word that all Presbyterian missionaries and other workers in the area are safe. And please keep the hundreds of thousands of desperate victims in your prayers. --Calvary's Church in the World Committee

THANK YOU FOR ADDING CANNED GOODS TO THE BOXES PROVIDED BY THE DEACONS FOR THE ST. JAMES FOOD LOCKER. The St. James Food Locker has received food items to tide them over for the holidays. However, they continue to appreciate any individual items collected by our congregation. Additionally, please consider adding money to the green Food Bank envelopes during this season (and before the end of the year). We will continue quantity shopping for the Food Bank beginning in January. Finally, the monetary contributions will be available for any community emergency needs that come to the attention of the Calvary staff and the Board of Deacons and needs that come to the attention of MEC Caring Friends for Egyptian Christian refugees. If you have any questions, contact any Deacon or Nathana Schooler @ nathana.schooler@gmail.com.

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CALVARY COURIER

November 24- December 1, 2013

TO OUR MEMBERS, FRIENDS, AND VISITORS we extend a warm welcome. Please let us know of your attendance this morning by completing the "Welcome to Calvary Presbyterian Church" card located in the pew. If you have a prayer request or hymn request, please let us know by completing the "Prayer Request" section. If you want your prayer request lifted up during our Prayers of Petition and Intercession this morning, please give the card to Pastor Rex during the Passing of the Peace. If not, please place the completed card in the offering plate as it is circulated.



HEARING ASSISTANCE RECEIVERS are available from our ushers. If you use a receiver, please be sure to return it to the ushers following worship.

A VERY SPECIAL THANKS to our Ushers, Greeters, Acolytes, and worship service leaders who assisted with today's service. Our greeters are Bob and Ferne Nichols. Our Ushers are Orville Houg, Ken Whitehead, and Conrad von Bibra. Our Acolyte is Lucy Callahan. Our worship service leaders are the Rev. Millason Dailey and the Rev. Dr. Rex McDaniel.

WE REMEMBER THIS MORNING Evelyn Moorhead at 1550 Diamond Avenue, South Pasadena, CA 91030.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS are given by Lucy Callahan in memory of her parents.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR immediately following each service. The first coffee hour will follow the traditional worship service at 11 a.m. in the courtyard. Coffee is served before and throughout our contemporary worship service in the Fellowship Hall from 10:45 am until noon. If you would like to add other beverages and/or snacks to either worship experience (no need to bring half & half or crackers), please schedule this hosting with Alyssa at the office at cpc.southpas@gmail.com or 626-799-7148, or sign up on the bulletin board outside the office.

THANKSGIVING IS A TIME WE REFLECT UPON OUR BLESSINGS AND GIVE THANKS. It is interesting that we also think about those who are suffering from the lack of blessings and give to those in need through our Calvary Angel Families program. This Sunday and the next the loose offering and the offerings in Thanksgiving envelopes will be designated to the Calvary Angel Families fund. Thank you for your generosity in making life better for these families that we serve.

MONDAY NIGHT PRAYER MOMENT FELLOWSHIP ON DEC. 2ND will be cancelled for the next week.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD boxes will be collected until tomorrow, the 25th. Have fun choosing things you think a young boy or girl would love to have and remember that this is a meaningful way to give children the message of God's love for them. If you need more information, please call Pat von Bibra (799-0326) or Peggy Ingraham (281-6781).

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1ST, 4:00 P.M.: MESSIAH PERFORMANCE. Join us for the 13th Annual Messiah Sing-along Concert in the Sanctuary on the first Sunday in December! Reception to follow after the performance. Rehearsals are every Saturday from 9:00-11:00am if you would like to participate!

CHILDREN'S ADVENT NIGHT, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1ST, 6:30- 8:30 p.m. Join us as we make advent wreaths, drink hot coco, and watch "A Charlie Brown Christmas". Please RSVP by calling Pastor Millason. A donation of \$10 is suggested to cover the cost of the wreath.

PROGRESSIVE DINNER: Our annual Progressive Dinner is Saturday, December 14th at 5:30 pm. We hope you can join us for a fun evening progressing from one home to another for Salad/Appetizer, Main Course and Dessert & Caroling. This is an adult only evening. Please sign up at Coffee Hour or contact Holly Bruce at 626-799-9014 or jeffhollybruce@earthlink.net.

JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON, we have a big present for you... a new website! You can now find us at:

www.cpcsouthpas.org

Check frequently for updated news, events, and other resources. We are excited about this change, and hope you are too!

CALLING ALL CALVARY'S ARTISTS, CRAFTERS, WRITERS, CREATORS OF ANY SORT! Please consider donating some of your work to our Mission Market Artisans table! You price your articles and you choose which of our Mission Market ministries the money will go to. Please contact Lisa Reynolds, Mission Market chair, or Holly Vecchio, artisan table coordinator, to reserve a spot on the artisan table. It's a fun way to make a contribution!

ORDER YOUR SEE'S CANDY NOW. See's Candy order forms can be picked up at the Welcome Table. Proceeds benefit Calvary's Angel Family Fund. Orders are due December 1st, and delivery will be on December 8th. Because of the short turnaround time, if you would like to turn in the order form today you can pay at time of delivery. There will be someone at each coffee hour collecting orders. Contact Linda Kopperud with any questions: [\(626\)403-1579](tel:6264031579) or linda.kopperud@yahoo.com



CALVARY CALENDAR November 24- December 1, 2013

TODAY, SUNDAY 11/24/13

8:45 a.m. CHOIR - Chancel Choir Loft
10:00 a.m. TRADITIONAL WORSHIP- Sanctuary
11:00 a.m. CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP- Fellowship Hall
12:30 p.m. MEC WORSHIP- Sanctuary
3:30 p.m. MEC THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION- Fellowship Hall

MONDAY 11/25/13

9:30 a.m. WORSHIP PLANNING MEETING- South Parlor
6:30 p.m. PRAYER MOMENT FELLOWSHIP- Library
7:00 p.m. BOY SCOUTS- Fellowship Hall
7:00 p.m. MEC WORSHIP PRACTICE- Sanctuary

TUESDAY 11/26/13

10:00 a.m. PRESCHOOL THANKSGIVING CHAPEL- Sanctuary
10:30 a.m. CARING TOGETHER- North Parlor
7:00 p.m. INSPIRED LIVING- The home of Elizabeth von Bibra
7:00 p.m. TOASTMASTERS- Fellowship Hall

WEDNESDAY 11/27/13

10:00 a.m. PRESCHOOL THANKSGIVING CHAPEL- Sanctuary
10:30 a.m. PAPER TIGERS (A MEN'S GROUP) - South Parlor
11:00 a.m. KIWANIS - Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY 11/28/13

Happy Thanksgiving!
4:00 p.m. MEC TUTORING- Fellowship Hall
7:45 p.m. AL-ANON- South Parlor

FRIDAY 11/29/13

10:00 a.m. INSPIRED LIVING- Library
3:30 p.m. SOUTH PASADENA STRINGS- Fellowship Hall
7:30 p.m. MEC TEAM AWESOME- South Parlor

SATURDAY 11/30/13

8:00 a.m. MESSIAH REHEARSAL- South Parlor, Sanctuary, Fellowship Hall
9:00 a.m. SIP N' STITCH - B6

SUNDAY 12/1/13

8:45 a.m. CHOIR - Chancel Choir Loft
10:00 a.m. TRADITIONAL WORSHIP- Sanctuary
11:00 a.m. CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP- Fellowship Hall
12:00 p.m. MESSIAH REHEARSAL- Sanctuary
1:15 p.m. MEC WORSHIP- Fellowship Hall
3:00 p.m. STRIKERS- South Parlor
4:00 p.m. MESSIAH PERFORMANCE- Sanctuary
5:00 p.m. MESSIAH RECEPTION- Fellowship Hall
6:30 p.m. CHILDREN'S ADVENT NIGHT- Fellowship

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY: BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES!

BIRTHDAYS

Peggy Tutor	11/25
Eric Smith	11/29
Iris Chau	12/1

MUSIC@NOON | FRIDAYS will be dark Friday, November 29th. Please join us as we continue on Friday, December 6th.

CALVARY'S MISSION MARKET WILL BE HELD IN TWO WEEKS ON DECEMBER 8, 2012 AT 11:15 A.M., IN FELLOWSHIP HALL. You will have a chance to make donations to wonderful organizations like: Habitat for Humanity, Presbyterian Relief Fund, Heifer Project International, Living Waters for the World, Angel Interfaith Network, Calvary Angel Families, Mary Magdeline Project, Sip n' Stitch, World Vision, and our very own Calvary Artisans. In return for your donation, you can have a beautiful card made in honor/memory of someone. We will have lunch as well for you, and there will be an area for kids to have fun. *Many hands make light work – we need people to volunteer for set up on Saturday, December 7, and clean-up as well. In addition, we will need volunteers to sit at the tables and "sell/tally" as "shoppers" come by your table.* Please see Lisa Reynolds or call her at 818.653.3495 to talk to her about how you can make this event a really great opportunity for Calvary to once again, hit the mark with our mission giving. We exceeded our hopes and wishes last year, let's top that!