

AG Calvary News

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This month at Calvary we celebrate family. We kick our celebration off with our annual church picnic in Harter Park. Everyone has been so supportive by providing many good dishes to eat and we all enjoy our fellowship and families. It seems every year we have new people come to our picnic. If you have recently started attending Calvary, it would be our delight to see you at this year's church picnic.

The *D.O.G. Days of Summer* are upon us. Rather than taking an in-depth look at apologetics each year, we will spend eight weeks every summer focusing on the vital doctrines of our faith—what they are and how to share them with others. As we learned in our *Foundations of Apologetics* videos this spring, fantasy is just something you believe in your mind, faith has real evidence. Join us beginning Sunday night, July 12th at 6:00 PM.

Pastor Brian will be taking a 3-day getaway to *The Dunes* with Susan during their anniversary. Then, beginning in August, they will go to see their son, Stephen, in Springfield, Missouri for summer vacation.

Our preaching series for July is *Family Matters*. Our nation has gone crazy for the lack of understanding about what constitutes a marriage and a family these days. We must get into the Word more than ever to rediscover God's ways. Also we must be able to share with others why God's ways are higher than our ways. (Isaiah 55:9) Let us be a force for the restoration of marriage in our community.

Finally, signs are all around us that it is either the soon return of Jesus or a coming time of great suffering and hardship. Prepare yourself for the times ahead by living according to God's Word in everything you do. ❖



God's Abundant Provision Operating in God's Financial Plan

An important aspect of our Christian lives is how we handle money. The biblical principle behind this is that if you are not faithful with the things of this world, who will give you true spiritual riches. (Luke 16:11) At Calvary we work hard to be faithful to the Lord and operate in his ways. The Lord has been good to us, in spite of difficult times. Above, Pastor Brian burned the church mortgage, which was paid off this year, preparing us for greater works.

We are committed to operating responsibly. We want you to enjoy these blessings too. We have materials to help you get your house in order, enjoy God's financial blessings, and protect your family against the coming hardships. ❖



Annual Church Picnic Sunday, July 5th at 2:00 PM Main Shelter House in Harter Park

On Sunday, July 5th, at 2:00 PM we will gather at Harter Park under the main shelter house for our annual church picnic. Calvary will provide the grilled hot dogs and hamburgers, along with the buns, ice, condiments, and tableware. Bring a side dish to share and your favorite drink and join us for this great afternoon of food, fun, and fellowship. There will be games for kids and adults alike. There will be no evening service at Calvary that day. ❖



D.O.G. Days of Summer July 12th through August 30th Sunday Nights at 6:00 PM

In times when our doctrines are being challenged on every front, we need to be firmly rooted and established in what we believe. For years we just accepted these fundamental doctrines. Now we must defend them! Join us as we look at topics such as the resurrection, the virgin birth, creation, marriage, judgement, sin and more in this eight week series on Sunday nights. ❖



Pastor Brian and Susan Jenkins

I Am Concerned

Pastor Brian Jenkins

Now I know my patience is very limited, and its limit has been reached. However, God's patience must be limited too. Because, just like a parent of children, continued patience begins to look like permission. We have to understand God will put a stop to the homosexual perversion in our nation. He has to, before they begin to turn their attention towards indoctrinating our children to this sin.

Already too many children grow up institutionalized by the government. Some have never known the protection and provision a godly family affords. Sadly the church has not been on the forefront of teaching godly family values to this generation. We have been too involved in treating the symptoms, rather than fixing the problem.

The men of our nation will be held to account for each child born out of wedlock and every mother who has had to "do it alone." As godly men, we need to stand up to our responsibility to restore our families and guide our children into what is right and good and holy. Without fathers laying this duty out for their children, they won't even know what that means.

I also find that I must repent for not seeing this sooner and teaching other men the disciplines I have learned from raising two sons of my own. I even have to repent and ask forgiveness from my sons for not being more steadfast in my faith.

I can almost count every compromise along the way, which left an indelible mark on the Christian character of my sons. Fortunately God has stepped in and corrected many of those shortcomings in them, now that they are men before him as well.

Waxing bold by the obvious sinfulness of our nation and now the government itself, as believers our voice must be united in saying, enough is enough! You can do what you want, *"but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord."* (Joshua 24:15)

There's a lot I do not understand about politics, but that's okay. A nation's morality does not come from a government decree—good or bad. It comes from the willingness of the church to rise up and be the voice of conscience in our land. God's voice must be heard. His ways must be taught.

This mandate defines the mission of Calvary. On the heels of a purpose statement directed at the families of our community, we can now see the mission God has for our church in our community—to restore broken families and teach women to be mothers and men to be fathers once again.

We will work to put this mission statement into better words, but let me guarantee you that we will begin NOW rebuilding God's ways into the families of this community. It's never too late to change. When a man or a woman wants something different, when the world's lies have broken them apart and they are wounded, then Calvary will be the place where they can come and be set in a family once again.

Susan and I are so grateful to have a good marriage and good children. We never had teenage rebellion, nor any sex, drugs, and rock and roll in our home. I'm not saying it's been easy. As a matter of fact, I'm emphasizing the fact that it will not be easy. Yet, it is extremely worth it to know that you have passed on the role of manhood to another generation, who will see marriage as God's design and unite under his banner of love in holy matrimony.

Finally, Jeremiah had the unique duty of prophesying to a nation whose end had come. Three times he hears the Lord say, *"Should I not punish them for this?" declares the LORD. "Should I not avenge myself on such a nation as this?"* (Jeremiah 5:9, 5:29, and 9:9) On the one hand we labor to restore what is broken. On the other hand we will raise our voices to remind this nation that the day of their judgement has come. *"In your wrath remember mercy."* (Habakkuk 3:2) God, we are so sorry! ❖

Why is it that no one seems to understand what we are doing to ourselves here in America? I believe with all my heart that God wants to forgive us, heal us, and bless us. Yet, we continue diving headlong deeper and deeper into sexual sin.

The recent ruling by the Supreme Court is just more evidence that we have lost our way and refuse to admit it. Not only was the ruling wrong, it was for the most part illegal, but the desire to condone the sin of homosexuality in America blinds us to that fact.

At Calvary I spent almost two years, with a team of our people, reading books and discussing why we exist as a church. Through that process we carefully crafted what I believe to be a visionary purpose statement upon which to build our future ministries.

I have never been in agreement with much of the ministry models I have seen in the past. They separate and segregate the people of our churches. The seniors are doing one thing, the teens are doing another, and the singles still another. This does not represent the family atmosphere that is the church.

Psalms 68:6 says, *"God sets the solitary in families."* We were designed to operate as family units. The family is God's design and marriage is a covenant before him of one man and one woman for life. Anything else is a perversion, and worse still, an evil designed to destroy what is good and right and holy.

ANNUAL HOLY SPIRIT CELEBRATION

August 9th, 10th, 11th and 13th

Sunday, August 9 @ 6:00 P. M.

Lighthouse, Richmond | Pastor Ralph Holdeman
Speakers: Pastors Brian Jenkins and Jeff Bullard

Monday, August 10 @ 6:30 P. M.

Freedom Life, Winchester Pastor Jeff Bullard
Speakers: Pastors Mike Burk and Ralph Holdeman

Tuesday, August 11 @ 6:30 P. M.

First Assembly of God, Richmond Pastor Carlos King
Speakers: Pastors Don Thomas and Mike Cunningham

Thursday, August 13 @ 6:30 P. M.

Calvary, Union City Pastor Brian Jenkins
Speakers: Pastors Dave Eales and Carlos King

This year's celebration will prove to be part of a fresh fire that is moving through our churches. Don't miss a single service. There will be great preaching from our own area Pastors and wonderful fellowship among the people of our Indiana District regional churches.

Our local Assemblies of God churches and Pastors:

Banner Christian, Portland
Pastor Michael and Angie Burk
(260) 726-4282

First Assembly of God, Richmond
Pastor Carlos and Sharon King
(765) 966-4414

Lighthouse, Richmond
Pastor Ralph and Kathy Holdeman
(765) 966-7525

New Beginnings, Greensburg
Pastor Mike and Angie Cunningham
(812) 663-8730

Calvary, Union City
Pastor Brian and Susan Jenkins
(765) 964-3671

Freedom Life, Winchester
Pastor Jeff and Dawn Bullard
(765) 584-2268

Living Waters, Connersville
Pastor Don and Tamera Thomas
(765) 000-0000

Rock Solid Ministries, Richmond
Pastor David and Jennifer Eales
(765) 962-5099

Union City Chamber of Commerce Presents

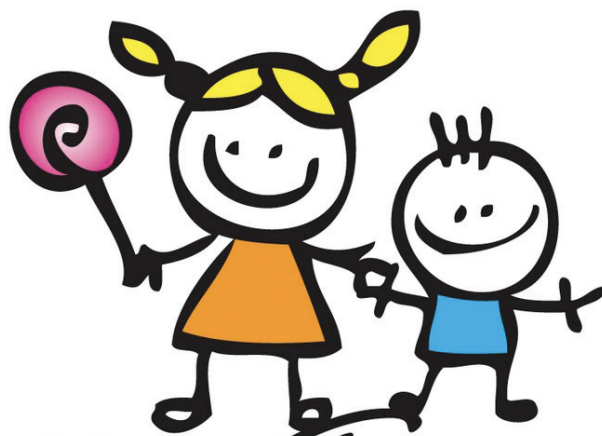
2015 Annual Community Fireworks and Family Fun Day

Saturday, July 3rd in Harter Park

Family Fun Day begins at 4:00 PM

Fireworks begin at Dusk

**Games, contests, demonstrations, food,
free bicycle helmet fittings, and loads of fun!**



Family Fun Day

July 2015 Calvary Activities Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 WK 26 Calvary Radio No. 276 - 8:30 AM Sunday School - 9:00 AM Pastor's Prayer Team - 10:00 AM Worship Service - 10:15 AM What Manner of Love Communion - 6:00 PM	29 TEEN CAMP 4 Pastor's Weekly Blog No. 26 July Newsletter Production Day	30 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Ladies' Bible Study - 6:30 PM Men's Fellowship - 6:30 PM July Newsletter Mails	1 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Senior's Bible Study - 12:30 PM Psalm 119 Verse by Verse - 6:00 PM Calvary TV No. 27 - 9:00 PM	2 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM The River Bible Study - 6:30 PM	3 Family Fun Day - 4:00 PM Community Fireworks Display - Dusk (Harter Park)	4 Independence Day Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 25 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 27 - 9:00 PM
5 MISSIONS SUNDAY Calvary Radio No. 277 - 8:30 AM Sunday School - 9:00 AM Pastor's Prayer Team - 10:00 AM Worship Service - 10:15 AM Family Matters 1 of 4 Annual Church Picnic - 2:00 PM (no evening service)	6 PRE-TEEN CAMP Pastor's Weekly Blog No. 27	7 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Ladies' Bible Study - 6:30 PM Men's Fellowship - 6:30 PM	8 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Chamber of Commerce - 12:00 PM Senior's Bible Study - 12:30 PM Psalm 119 Verse by Verse - 6:00 PM Calvary TV No. 28 - 9:00 PM	9 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM The River Bible Study - 6:30 PM	10 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 26 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 28 - 9:00 PM	11 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 26 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 28 - 9:00 PM
12 WK 28 Calvary Radio No. 278 - 8:30 AM Sunday School - 9:00 AM Pastor's Prayer Team - 10:00 AM Worship Service - 10:15 AM Family Matters 2 of 4 D.O.G. Days of Summer - 6:00 PM	13 KID'S CAMP 1 Pastor's Weekly Blog No. 28	14 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Ladies' Bible Study - 6:30 PM Men's Fellowship - 6:30 PM Butch Jess (B)	15 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Senior's Bible Study - 12:30 PM Local Pastor's Lunch - 12:30 PM Psalm 119 Verse by Verse - 6:00 PM Calvary TV No. 29 - 9:00 PM	16 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Brian and Susan Jenkins (A) James and Millie Lopez (A)	17 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 27 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 29 - 9:00 PM	18 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 27 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 29 - 9:00 PM
19 WK 29 Calvary Radio No. 279 - 8:30 AM Sunday School - 9:00 AM Pastor's Prayer Team - 10:00 AM Worship Service - 10:15 AM Family Matters 3 of 4 D.O.G. Days of Summer - 6:00 PM Chere Samters (B)	20 KID'S CAMP 2 Pastor's Weekly Blog No. 29	21 Pastor's Ministry Group - 11:00 AM (Freedom Life in Winchester) Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Ladies' Bible Study - 6:30 PM Men's Fellowship - 6:30 PM	22 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Senior's Bible Study - 12:30 PM Psalm 119 Verse by Verse - 6:00 PM Calvary TV No. 30 - 9:00 PM Diana Cornell (W) Dove	23 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM The River Bible Study - 6:30 PM	24 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 28 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 30 - 9:00 PM Sonny and Sharon Pettie (A)	25 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 28 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 30 - 9:00 PM Sonny and Sharon Pettie (A)
26 WK 30 Calvary Radio No. 280 - 8:30 AM Sunday School - 9:00 AM Pastor's Prayer Team - 10:00 AM Worship Service - 10:15 AM Family Matters 4 of 4 Communion - 6:00 PM Sharon Pettie (B)	27 Pastor's Weekly Blog No. 30 August Newsletter Production Day Terry and Christina Welch (A)	28 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Ladies' Bible Study - 6:30 PM Men's Fellowship - 6:30 PM August Newsletter Mails	29 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Senior's Bible Study - 12:30 PM Psalm 119 Verse by Verse - 6:00 PM Calvary TV No. 31 - 9:00 PM	30 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM The River Bible Study - 6:30 PM	31 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 29 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 31 - 9:00 PM	1 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 29 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 31 - 9:00 PM
2 MISSIONS SUNDAY Calvary Radio No. 281 - 8:30 AM Sunday School - 9:00 AM Pastor's Prayer Team - 10:00 AM Worship Service - 10:15 AM D.O.G. Days of Summer - 6:00 PM Rosie Hill (W) Ed	3 Pastor's Weekly Blog No. 31	4 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Ladies' Bible Study - 6:30 PM Men's Fellowship - 6:30 PM	5 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM Senior's Bible Study - 12:30 PM Psalm 119 Verse by Verse - 6:00 PM Calvary TV No. 32 - 9:00 PM Kathy Davis (B)	6 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM The River Bible Study - 6:30 PM	7 Hoosier Place Seniors' Café - 11:30 AM The River Bible Study - 6:30 PM	8 Worship Practice - 5:00 PM Weekly Prayer Circle No. 30 - 6:30 PM Calvary TV No. 32 - 9:00 PM

Pastor's Summer Vacation (Springfield, Missouri)



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Family Matters
 Four-Part July Preaching Series

July 2015



Wymer-Collins Wedding
 Held on Friday, June 26th

We were delighted at Calvary to host the wedding of two very special and beautiful people, Reece Wymer and Sarah Collins. Sarah's dad, Pastor Richard Collins, gave the bride away and performed the ceremony. Richard's son accompanied the wedding with acoustic guitar. We pray for the best God has to give for this new couple and their baby, Thomas. ❖

Calvary Radio
 Sundays at 8:30 AM on Joy FM 88.9

Weekly Service Schedule

- Sunday**
 Christian Education 9:00 AM
 Pastor's Prayer Team 10:00 AM
 Worship Service 10:15 AM
 Evening Service.....6:00 PM
- Tuesday**
 Men's Fellowship.....6:30 PM
 Ladies Bible Study.....6:30 PM
- Wednesday**
 Evening Service.....6:00 PM
- Saturday**
 Weekly Prayer Circle6:30 PM

DVD's, CD's and MP3's are available of our services free of charge upon request. Forms are available in the foyer.
If you would like to receive this monthly newsletter in the mail each month, just let us know. It is also available in PDF format to your email. It's free!

Calvary Online
www.calvaryassembliesofgod.org



Rebecca Hutchison Baptism
 Held on Sunday, June 14th

We are excited to see all the new faces around Calvary. Adam and Becca Hutchison have been attending for some time now. On June 14th she followed the Lord in the obedience of baptism. Many of her family and friends from work were there to join in the celebration. Calvary had a brief foyer fellowship to get to know everyone and congratulate this new couple. ❖

Calvary TV
 Saturdays at 9:00 PM on KISS TV 5