

# CALVARY CONNECTION

APRIL/MAY 2011

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New Wine Skins*  
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GOLDEN YEARS,  
TEENS LOVING CHRIST AND  
WOMEN OF PURPOSE MINISTRIES

INVITE ALL WOMEN AND GIRLS 12 YEARS AND UP  
TO GATHER FOR AN  
AFTERNOON OF TEA, FELLOWSHIP AND FUN  
IN

**THE RED TENT**  
SATURDAY, MAY 21 AT 1:30PM IN THE MJFH

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**SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 9:30AM**  
**CHURCH SCHOOL EASTER PRODUCTION**

**MONDAY - FRIDAY, APRIL 18-22, 7:00PM**  
**HOLY WEEK - COMMUNITY WORSHIP SERVICES**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 6:00AM & 10:45AM**  
**RESURRECTION SUNDAY**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 10 AT 1:15PM - 3PM**  
**HEALTH AND HEALING MINISTRIES FAIR**  
**Location: Morristown Memorial Hospital**

**SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1:30PM**  
**THE RED TENT - AFTERNOON TEA**  
**Location: MJFH**

**FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 6PM**  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 8AM**  
**HOOP4HOPE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER**  
**Location: Morristown High School**

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We ask that you please be mindful and adhere to all of the admission dates for articles and advertisements so that The Connection can be made available to the congregation the first Sunday of the respective months. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

Thank you!  
The Calvary Connection Staff

## THE CALVARY CONNECTION EDITORIAL CALENDAR 2010

MONTH	YEAR	SPECIAL EDITIONS	DUE DATE FOR ARTICLES 1ST DRAFT	2ND DRAFT/REVISIONS	FINAL	FLIER FINAL
June/July	2011	SBI	5/13/11	5/20/11	5/27/11	5/27/11

# HOPE FOR THE JOURNEY TOWARD HIGHER EDUCATION

It's that time of year... the clocks have sprung forward. Daylight savings time has come to an end. Yet, the weather hasn't quite caught up with the clock. There remains a chill in the air. This metaphor of the changing of seasons describes what's happening in the lives of some of our young people. High school is winding down. College is on the horizon. And, the money required for higher education isn't in the bank yet. But, there's hope! Just like the weather will undoubtedly catch up to the clock, with your help, our youth will get the financial support they need for their academic endeavors!

An outgrowth of the Calvary culture of serving the Lord with gladness, our annual CBC Hoops 4 Hope Scholarship Fundraiser basketball tournament will take place on Friday and Saturday April 29th & 30th at Morristown High School. All proceeds from this tournament are donated to the Calvary Scholarship Fund, which assists our youth.

The basketball tournament will consist of four (4) divisions: Men's Christian, Men's Community, High School Boys and Women's Christian. If you fit into any of these categories and you are a "skilled" player, it's time for you to dust off your Nike's and come on

out to practice. If you fall into the adult categories, you may need to spray some W-D 40 on your wrists and elbows to get your jump shot ready.

If you're not a "skilled" player, you can support the tournament by inviting a team to enter. Last year's tournament was very competitive with 16 teams. It is our prayer that we get even more teams this year. The more teams, the more money we raise for our youth.

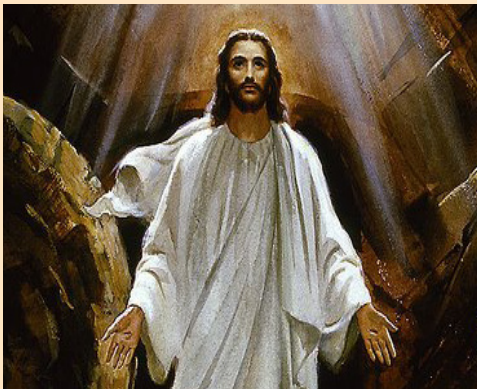
There will be much more than basketball at this year's tournament. It's a day of fun for the entire family. So, even if basketball is not your thing, you can enjoy the Praise Dancers, a Christian Come-



— PASTOR JERRY M. CARTER, JR.

dian, a face painter, games for kids and gourmet food at the concession stands.

Together, we can give our youth hope and help as they prepare for a new season of life and learning. ■



CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
AND THE DRAMA MINISTRY  
PRESENTS

*Celebrating the Death  
and Resurrection  
of Jesus Christ*

FEATURING THE PLAY  
*"Night Watch"*

A familiar story told from the view point of two watchmen  
assigned to guard Jesus' tomb.

**PALM SUNDAY APRIL 17 AT 9:30AM IN THE SANCTUARY,  
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE 7:45AM SERVICE**

***COME AND JOIN IN THE CELEBRATION***



# MANAGING CHANGE IN THE CHURCH

Reflecting upon our recent book study, "Our Iceberg Is Melting," one fact emerges that is an enduring truth: One of the constants in our world is change. Whether we initiate it or not, whether we agree with it or not, and whether we have control of it or not, change will continue to occur in every life situation. As Christians, we are expected to have a discerning spirit that will keep us aware of what is happening around us, but we are also expected to realize that our sovereign God is in control of our circumstances. Indeed, the Bible states that "... all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose. Romans 8:28-29 (KJV)

Nevertheless, even though we know that God in his divine wisdom is orchestrating events in our world, there are some practical things that we can practice that will help us prepare for change,

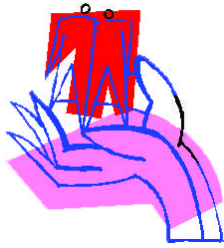
be they great or small. It is paramount that we confront change with a positive attitude. Church and ministry participation for many of us is the center of our community and family life, and directs the flow of our daily and weekly activities. As a cog in the ecclesiastical organism, we as individuals can minimize the potentially negative impact of change by ensuring that we channel our thoughts and actions in a positive way to move in accord with God's will. When changes are made – be it leadership transition, shift in worship style or new assignments – there will always be people who struggle with handling the newness, but our steadfastness and confidence in God's wisdom can smooth the transition to change.

***Some practical pointers for ensuring that change is managed in a positive way that keeps the congregation on one accord include:***

- Include youth and seniors in all levels of planning, so that the young will feel their views are relevant and contemporary, and elders will find strength and comfort in tradition and the familiar.
- Go overboard in making everyone feel welcome and a part of the evolving church. "Radical hospitality" will make founding members feel as welcome as new guests and maintain a level of excitement that can enhance the acceptance of change.
- Seek and encourage new leadership that will keep ministries and operational aspects of the church vital and energized, and open to innovation.
- Keep the vision for strategic change visible at all times, but celebrate small victories that move the church progress along in incremental steps.
- Maintain open and honest communication with the congregation through every available medium. This will minimize any "surprise" announcements or decisions, and maximize congregational buy-in to any anticipated changes. The more aggressive and thorough the communication, the more effective the leadership will be in enlisting the support of the congregation, so that everyone will feel good about changes that must be made.

When we do our part in working with one accord with our Pastor and our fellow congregants to effectively manage change, we can applaud each other and issue the joyous declaration, "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!" Psalms 133:1. ■





## Notes for Your Health from

# Cancer Awareness and Support Ministry

### **Cancer's Racial Gap Narrowing For Some, Not All, Cancers**

Racial disparity in cancer death rates is decreasing, but African Americans continue to bear a greater cancer burden than any other racial group in the United States, according to *Cancer Facts & Figures for African Americans 2011-2012*, the latest edition of the American Cancer Society's bi-annual report.

Cancer death rates in 2007 were 32% higher in African-American men and 16% higher in African-American women than in white men and women, respectively.

For nearly all cancer types, African Americans

are far more likely than whites to be diagnosed in advanced stages of disease, when the cancer is less treatable. African Americans are also less likely than whites to survive 5 years after a diagnosis, regardless of cancer type and stage of diagnosis.

Please routinely visit your physician and monitor your health. The Cancer Racial Gap among minorities is growing. We will recognize **National Minority Cancer Awareness Week April 17 – 23, 2011**. Education material will be

available at our table in the MJFH.

### **Monthly Cancer Watch** **April - Oral & Head and Neck & Testicular Cancer** **May - Women's Health/Cancer & Brain Cancer**

### **COME CHECK OUT OUR NEXT EVENTS:** **HEALTH AND HEALING MINISTRIES FAIR**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 10 at 1:15pm - 3pm**

CANCER MINISTRY HOSTING MARTHA LEHLBACH, COORDINATOR FOR CANCER SCREENING FOR NJCEED AT THE MORRISTOWN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

**FRIDAY - SATURDAY, JUNE 3-4**

JOIN US AS WE WALK IN SUPPORTING  
THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY- RELAY FOR LIFE



Online donations for our team Calvary Baptist Church - Cancer Awareness and Support Ministry at <http://main.acsevents.org/goto/cbccasm11>

# *Black Heritage Program Review*

BY MINISTER ODETTA DUMAS

Our Minister of Music, Ken Brown, called on his 30 year friendship with choral director, Dr. Gregory Hopkins and secured the Harlem Jubilee Singers for our 2011 Black Heritage Program. What a marvelous program it was! The singers demonstrated complex rhythms and elaborate vocal styles through call and response songs, solos and melodic choruses.

Highlighting the impact of music and song on the African- American struggle, Dr. Hopkins briefly explained "How We Got Over" by providing some historical background on gospel singing. They started out with a Nigerian chant, written by Donny Harper "in gospel idiom influenced by the Motherland" Holy Spirit You're Welcome in This Place. Doctor Hopkins said that, "Negro spirituals are the base of all American music." "Our music [Negro Spirituals] is considered substandard until white folk sing them," was part of his introduction to Little Lamb, I'm Gonna Serve God 'Til I die, "written

by a non-African American writer, Bartholemew."

They sang I've Been 'Buked and I Been Scorned by Harlem Renaissance writer Paul Johnson. The song starts out in sorrow - telling of sorrow and trouble all over the land, but ends in determination and defiance – not gonna lay my 'ligion [religion] down. Even the audience was joyfully engaged in a round of Must Have That True Religion and Give Me That Old Time Religion arranged by Roland Carter.

The apparent crowd pleaser was a wonderful rendition of Summer Time that received a standing ovation. For a short while we were all taken away from our mundane and arduous duties to revel in the uplifting beat of music. All who attended the event were both spiritually and physically nourished by the Black Heritage Luncheon hosted by Calvary's Golden Years Ministry. Most refreshing – most refreshing indeed! ■



Pictures from L to R: Brother Ken Brown, Calvary's Director of Music and Minister Odetta Dumas, Ministerial Advisor, Golden Years Ministry; Dr. Gregory Hopkins, Choral Director, of the Harlem Jubilee Singers with Min. Dumas; Members of the Golden Year's Ministry.



# WOMEN OF PURPOSE: *Our History is Our Strength*

BY MINISTER VALERIE ELAINE WILLIAMS

Sunday, March 27, the Women of Purpose Ministry once again honored outstanding women of Calvary in recognition of Women's History Month. We recognize and value these women who have made significant contributions to the Kingdom and to the communities in which they live. Their stories of achievements, their tenacity, courage, and creativity continue to be a tremendous source of strength interwoven in the history of the Calvary community, the communities in which they live, and their families.

The National Women's History Project in their 2011 statement says, 'Role models are genuinely needed to face the extraordinary changes and unrelenting challenges of the 21st century.' We sometimes look outside of Calvary for female "celebrities" worthy of recognition; and, we have the women of the Scriptures as well. This year we salute women of Calvary. We are blessed that God has given to Calvary - women worthy of consideration and ultimate recognition - noteworthy role models - for such a time as this! ■



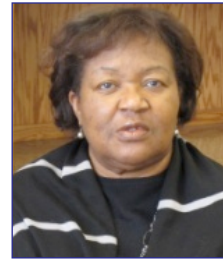
Sis. Martha Ballard



Deac. Deloris H. Lee



Sis. Dorothy Parker



Sis. Roberta Strater



Sis. Mae B. Sims

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## *Secret Pal/Secret Sister* (SAME PURPOSE, NEW NAME)

BY MINISTER VALERIE ELAINE WILLIAMS

Secret Pal was initiated in July 2010 by the Women of Purpose ministry as a fun way for women in the church to establish sister-to-sister relationships. Maria Walker, Denise Hutchinson and Veronica Navedo were instrumental in getting it off the ground. A participating sister became a Secret Pal when she received the name of another participant for whom she prayed, encouraged, and communicated with anonymously for a period of time. At the end of the period, the Secret Pals are revealed to each other - new relationships develop and existing relationships deepen. The current group of Secret Pals will be revealed on April 16, 2011.

This June, a new session will start and run through November 2011. All women of Calvary are once again invited to participate! Registration begins in May.

While the name is changing from Secret Pal to 'Secret Sister', the intent is the same: that new trusts will be established, and existing trusts will deepen and blossom among the Women of Purpose. This year, women registering to participate in 'Secret Sister' will again receive a randomly selected name of another sister in the church. The team of women taking the lead on

this activity, Diana Ritchie, Tracey Polifka and Tia Cummings, has put together a detailed packet of information to walk sisters through the process. After 6 months of communicating anonymously, participants will gather for the 'Secret Sister Reveal', an event where everyone will finally get to meet their Secret Sister!

Don't miss out on taking part in this exciting happening!

### ***The heart of a Secret Sister...***

- Cares about her sister's wellbeing
- Lifts her sister's name in prayer to the Lord
- Makes an effort to get to know her sister without revealing herself
- Communicates encouraging words
- Is fun!

*A word aptly spoken is like apples of gold in settings of silver.*  
Proverbs 25:11 -NIV ■



# PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE HONORS TWO CALVARY MEMBERS

BY MINISTER DAVID A. HOLLOWELL



**Sister Linda Murphy and Dr. Felicia Jamison**

Linda Murphy, Principal of Morristown High School, and Dr. Felicia Jamison, Chair of the Martin Luther King Observance Committee (among numerous other community involvements) were recently honored by The Community Affairs Unit of the Morris County Prosecutor's Office as key contributors to the community in their annual Black History Celebration.

The program was spearheaded by Detective Keisha Higgs and planned in collaboration with the Northern New Jersey chapter of the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives (NOBLE). This annual event reflects the Prosecutor's Office efforts, under leadership of Robert A. Bianchi, Esq., to maintain mutual respect and good working relationships

with members of its constituent communities. Other celebrations that Detective Higgs and her unit commemorate include Irish History Month, Women's History Month, and Asian-American & Pacific Islander History Month.

Sister Murphy is a graduate of Morristown High School and her appointment as Principal is the culmination of a career and personal mission dedicated to teaching and nurturing students in the Morris School District. Her fruitful odyssey was launched in 1976 as a seventh-grade math teacher and has spanned serving for twenty-two years as a high school math teacher and Vice Principal at Morristown High. In addition to her teaching and administrative duties, Sister Murphy has served as

a coach, Peer Group Connection Coordinator, Coordinator of the PACE (Pursuing Academic Challenge with Excellence), Coordinator of the GPU Energy/JCP&L Diamonds Mentoring Program, and a member of the Morristown High School Site-Based Leadership Team. Having been recognized several times in her career as a selection for "Who's Who Among America's High School Teachers," Sister Murphy emphasized in her remarks the importance of family values and support in helping our youth to focus on and pursue the limitless opportunities available to them in today's world.

The other honoree, Dr. Felicia Jamison, has a legendary track record as an educator and community activist. In her remarks, she indicated that one of the foundational activities that helped to shape and direct her life of service was her tenure as a teacher in the Calvary Church School. Her secular teaching career began in 1963 as a science teacher in the Rockaway Township School System, where she taught and inspired students for twenty years, and went on to become the system's first black Assistant Principal. She later became the first black Assistant Superintendent in Morris County. While pursu-

ing her professional career, Dr. Jamison never lost sight of her passion for justice and opportunity for the broader community which led her into an explosion of initiatives, including: challenging the Fair Housing Laws that eventuated in her family becoming the first blacks to secure open occupancy housing in predominantly white Morris County; becoming one of the pioneering litigants who helped effect the merger of the Morristown and Morris Township School Systems to achieve racial balance; helping to found the Junior Matrons of Morristown, an organization providing leadership and scholarships for African American students over the last 52 years, and; co-founding the Martin Luther King Observance Committee, which has led the way in commemorating the legacy of this great leader for the past four decades.

In addition to honoring two Calvary members, the Young Adult Choir was invited to sing.

Please join us in applauding the work of these two giants, who have established an example for us all to follow. ■

# CALVARY PLAYS PROMINENT ROLE IN NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE CELEBRATION

BY MINISTER DAVID A. HOLLOWELL

As part of its continuing annual celebrations of the cultural heritages of its constituent members, the Morristown Neighborhood House Association (fondly dubbed "The Nabe"), recently concluded a month-long recognition of Black History Month with an awards program at its Flagler Street building. The theme this year was "Remembering We Can," and was planned and executed by the Nabe staff and outside volunteers, including Sister Deborah Moore, Brother Stan Prater, and Minister David Hollowell, of Calvary.

The highlight of the affair was the awarding of recognition to six individuals who have made significant contributions to the quality of life in the Morristown area's African

American community. Awardees not only received a memento from the Nabe, but were given resolutions from the office of State Senator Anthony Bucco. One of



**Captain Elie Sims**

of this year's recipients was Captain Elie Sims, retired Chief of the Morris Township Police Department. Captain Sims has been a long-time member of Calvary's Trustee Ministry, and has served actively in civic affairs in Morristown for the entirety of his adult life. In addition to his extensive community involvement, Captain Sims also serves as an officer of the Blue Coats organization and as a member of the

Martin Luther King Observance Committee. He is married to Mae Sims, who faithfully served as the official clerk of Calvary for many years.

In addition to having one of Calvary's own as an honoree, the church played a prominent role in the evening's activities. One of last year's honorees, Rev. Michael Bethune, was asked to serve as Master of Ceremonies, but due to a conflict in his schedule, a capable substitute, Rev. Herman Scott, was supplied. Min. David Hollowell gave the invocation, introduced the theme, and displayed pencil and charcoal portraits of luminaries from black history. Sister Dorothy Hollowell was asked to coordinate the singing of the Black National Anthem by the community choir,



**Choir led by Sis. Dorothy Hollowell and Deaconess Gwen Edwards**

and she was ably assisted by two Calvary colleagues, Sisters Gwen Edwards and Tracey Yett. Setup assistance was provided by members of Calvary's Men of Standard, and to cap off the event, a sumptuous feast was provided for all with food catered by Brother Martin Little.

A great round of applause is due the Nabe and Calvary for celebrating Black History Month with style and substance. ■

SAVE THE DATE  
KOINONIA SINGLES CONFERENCE

SEEKING  
**GOD'S Will**  
WITH MY WHOLE HEART

SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2011  
8:00AM - 3:30PM

"Meet and Greet" Friday, July 22, 2011 7PM - 9PM



# CALVARY BAPTIST KITCHEN MINISTRY HELPS RAISE FUNDS FOR JCP&L'S ANNUAL HARVEST FOR HUNGER CAMPAIGN

BY DEACON STAN PRATER

On Friday, March 11, 2011, Bro. Martin Little; manager of the Calvary Daily Bread Ministry, with the assistance of Brother Ed Murphy, served lunch at Jersey Central Power & Light in Morristown to help support their annual Harvest For Hunger Campaign.

Bro. Little and the Calvary Daily Bread Ministry were introduced to Jersey Central's effort by Deacon Stan Prater, who is an Area

Manager for JCP&L. In March 2010, Dea. Prater invited Martin and the Calvary Daily Bread Ministry to be his guest at one of their Harvest for Hunger events. The JCP&L employees turned a multi-purpose conference room into the atmosphere of a café/nightclub, which included food and entertainment by the employees during their lunch hour. Martin and the ministry thoroughly enjoyed themselves.



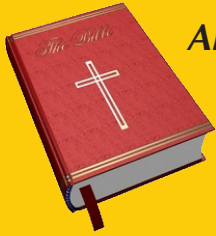
As a result, Bro. Little offered the kitchen ministry's services as a way of giving back to the community during tough economic times by partnering with JCP&L's 2011 campaign. So, on March 11, 2011 Martin and his staff served a delicious lunch; some of the menu items included: southwest chicken, vegetable medley, pasta with meat sauce, and a variety of sandwiches and desserts. The employees gave the lunch rave reviews and more importantly the effort raised \$580.00. Here's what that really means; \$1=7 meals. Therefore, this effort will supply 4060 meals for people in need of a good nutritious meal.



(L to R) Ed Murphy, Charlene Armour-Barnes, Chef Martin Little, Paul Zammataro, Teresa Walker, Cathy Harvey, and Brenda Beauford (JCP&L Harvest for Hunger coordinator)

To God be the glory for Bro. Martin Little and the Calvary Daily Bread Ministry. ■

# CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH DISCOVERY BIBLE CLASS



***Are You A New Believer? Do You Want A Refresher Class In Bible Basics?  
If your answer is yes, then Discovery is the class for you!***

- Learn the books of the Bible • Classes on four Wednesdays in April and May •
- Must attend three classes to receive a graduation certificate •

WHERE: Executive Conference Room in the Wellspring Wellness Center

SCHEDULE: Wednesdays: April 6, 13, 27 and May 4 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

CLASSES: **Class #1:** Origins & History of the Bible • **Class #2:** Bible Chronology, Events Names & Places  
**Class #3:** Old Testament Survey • **Class #4:** New Testament Survey

## DISCOVERY REGISTRATION

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For Questions & Information: Call Min. Hollowell on 973-267-4478

# CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH EXPLORER BIBLE CLASS

***Do You Want An Introduction To Biblical Interpretation?  
Do You Want A Basic Knowledge Of Exegesis & Hermeneutics?  
If your answer is yes, then Explorer is the class for you!***

- Learn what the Bible really means • Classes on four Thursdays in April and May •
- Must attend three classes to receive a graduation certificate •



WHERE: Executive Conference Room in the Wellspring Wellness Center

SCHEDULE: Thursdays: April 7, 14, 28 and May 5 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

CLASSES: **Class #1:** Rules for Biblical Interpretation • **Class #2:** Comparative Religion Survey  
**Class #3:** Bible Translations/Communicating Bible Truths • **Class #4:** Case Study Workshop

## EXPLORER REGISTRATION

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# ILLUMINATIONS

WITH MINISTER EVONNE JEFFERSON

SHINING A LIGHT ON CALVARY MEMBER

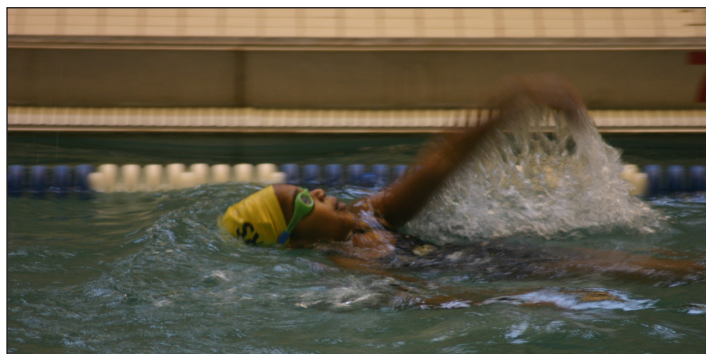
## Sydney Mills

The Mills spend a lot of time around water so learning to swim is mandatory in their family. Sydney took her first swim class when she was nine months old. This was a Parent and Child class where they perform basic swim strokes while singing popular preschool songs. At two and a half years old Sydney moved up to a class without her parents. She cried throughout the 30 minute class, but continued to follow her teacher's instructions. This continued for about a month before settling in. Since Sydney's younger brother, Teddy, was now enrolled in the Parent and Child class, it was easier for her parents to have her continue her classes as well. She moved up to the more advanced classes learning the backstroke, breaststroke and the butterfly.



**Sydney and another competitor  
at the 8 and Under Championship.**

season: the Andy O'Grady, Grid Iron and 8 and Under Championship. At the championship on March 6th, she swam the 25 yard freestyle (24.60), 25 yard backstroke (24.27) and her first 50 yard freestyle (52.17). Sydney will continue her practice schedule of two days a week through June, specifically focusing on improving her breast stroke and butterfly time.



**Sydney swimming the backstroke  
at the competition.**

Recognizing Sydney's competitive spirit, her swim instructor, Aileen Donnelly, suggested she try the swim team, the Jersey Gators. Aileen is also her coach at the Jersey Gators and is very proud at the improvement, dedication and how much fun Sydney is having. Sydney swam 3 meets this

Baptized on February 27, 2011, Sydney has attended Calvary Baptist church for four years, and is quite active, participating in Church School, the Junior Choir and Christmas programs. Sydney is eight years old and in second grade at the Florence M. Burd School in Andover. Her hobbies include soccer, ice-skating, dancing and singing. She is also a Brownie in Girl Scouts Troop 492. ■

## CHILDREN'S & YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS!!!

### Mission Statement

*We seek to empower youth to express love for God and be mature disciples of Jesus Christ in Christian Character, Christian Education and Christian Service.*

#### EXPECTATIONS IN THE SANCTUARY

1. All youth under age 13 are expected to worship with their parents every Sunday
2. Youth may sit in the sanctuary and balcony ONLY
3. **TURN OFF CELL PHONES IN THE SANCTUARY**
4. Walking during the Word of God and Invitation to Discipleship, is not permitted
5. Please eat candy, get drinks of water and go to the rest room prior to the start of worship, youth should remain in worship through the benediction

#### Attention Parents/Guardians (KIDS:K-5)

Calvary Baptist Church is committed to providing a transformative Christian experience that fosters the healthy spiritual growth and development of its children and youth. We seek the cooperation of all parents and guardians to assist the church in providing a safe environment when our children are participating in worship and other ministry experiences.

**Please agree to:** Be with your child in **EVERY** part of the church at **ALL** times, Escort your child to the rest room at **ALL** times **AND** wait for them, Sign your child in and out of each ministry activity (e.g. Church School, Children's Church, Bible Study, Rehearsals-signing, dance, or choir, Youth Night), Make sure you have completed/signed the emergency form/permission slip **BEFORE** dropping your child off for **ANY** activity, Pick your child up **PROMPTLY** at the conclusion of their ministry event.

#### PARENTS!

**Make the Parent Connection** email youth achievements to [youth@calvarybc.org](mailto:youth@calvarybc.org)

#### BE ENCOURAGED...

You are still the greatest influence on the spiritual life of your child(ren). Are you modeling the discipleship or worship that you would like to reproduce? Check out Center for Parent/Youth Understanding, [www.cpyu.org](http://www.cpyu.org)

#### REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETINGS

**NEW Middle & High School Ministry**

**"Teen Lounge"** Middle School at CBC and High School at The Famished Frog, 18 Washington Street, Morristown 973-540-9601 **Wednesdays from 6-8pm, Apr. 13, 27; May 11, 25**

**Sounds of Silence** (sign language: gr. 6-12) **Wednesdays and Fridays: 8-9pm** (Chapel)

**Boyz II Men** (boys, gr. 3-12), **6-8pm**

**Teens Loving Christ** (girls, gr. 6-12), **6:30-8pm**

**Motions Of Praise** (dance, gr. 6-12), **Thursdays: 6:30-8:30pm** (MJFH), **Apr. 7, 14, 28; May 5, 12, 19, 26**

**Youth Night** (gr. K-5) **Scheduled Fridays: 7:30-9:15pm, Apr. 1, 29; May 27; Apr. 22: EASTER EGG HUNT! 5-7pm**

**Shouts of Joy Children's Choir Rehearsal** (gr. Pre-K-5th)

**Spirit and Truth Youth Choir Rehearsal** (gr. 6-12) **Both**

**Choirs: Weds. and Fridays: 6:30-8pm, Apr. 6, 29; May 4,**

**6 Ministry in Song: Apr. 10 & May 8 at 10:45**

#### COMMUNITY

- *Do you want to meet teens from across the tri-state area?*
- *Do you want a weekend getaway?*
- *Do you want a closer walk with God?*

**Sign up for BattleCry TODAY!**

**See Sis. Samaria (862.222.6822)**

**Apr. 8th-9th @ Izod Center**

#### OUTREACH

**April Worship Outreach: Children's/Youth Choirs**

**May Worship Outreach: Motions of Praise**

**Worshipping @ Morris Hills Nursing Home**

**Sat, Apr. 16th, 1:30-3:30pm Madison Street, Morristown**

**Stand Up to Bullying: Learn What You Can Do**

**FREE: call 1.800.247.9580 to register!**

**Tues., Apr. 26th, 7-8:30pm, Morristown High School**

#### SAVE THE DATE!

**Call or email CYM for more info!**

- **Parenting & Teen Leadership Conference: May 14th**
  - **YES Camp: June 27th - Aug. 5th**
- **High School Missions Trip: July 23rd – 30th**

**10:45am - Children's Church is open!**

**Provides child care & training for infants and children up to 1st grade during worship. Little Lambs Room in the MJFH.**

**10:45am - Youth Worship is now Open!**

**For children in grades 4-7, specifically designed to increase understanding & practice of the Christian faith. Located directly behind the choir loft in the Chapel. Come worship with us!**



## 2011 Youth Enrichment Summer Camp Adopt a Field Trip/Donor Opportunities

**EMPOWER YOUTH!**  
**EXPAND SUMMER FUN!**  
**REDUCE TUITION!**

\$150 - group supplies: 1 group, 1 wk

\$270 - subsidizes tuition: 6 wks, 1 youth

\$1,450 - t-shirts & drawstring bags: 6wks, 70 youth

\$2,450 - pays for 1 field trip & 1 swim day:  
1 wk, 70 youth

\$2,000 - special events, workshops,  
speakers & presentations: 6wks

Please talk to Minister Anthony @ 973.267.9079 x206 or  
email [youth@calvarybc.org](mailto:youth@calvarybc.org), to make a confidential gift.

## 2011 High School Mission Trip Adopt a Youth/Donor Opportunities

**EMPOWER YOUTH!**  
**EDIFY THE DISADVANTAGED!**  
**EVANGELIZE THE**  
**UNCHURCHED/UNSAVED!**

\$100 - subsidizes 1 youth  
get together with 5 people...

(\$20 x 5 = 1 subsidy for 1 youth)

\$750 - buys the supply pack

\$1,700 - pays for transportation

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email [youth@calvarybc.org](mailto:youth@calvarybc.org), to make a confidential gift.

*All donors welcome to a donor cookout on June  
12th and will receive a trip debrief letter from a  
youth in August.*

**Yes**

## 2011 YOUTH ENRICHMENT SUMMER CAMP

Session 1: June 27<sup>th</sup> - July 15<sup>th</sup>  
Session 2: July 18<sup>th</sup> - August 5<sup>th</sup>

Field Trips • Water Play • Arts & Crafts  
Organized Games • Swimming • Special  
Guests Performing Arts • And Much More



**Yes**

## YOUTH ENRICHMENT SUMMER CAMP

SESSION 1: June 27th to July 15th

SESSION 2: July 18th to August 5th

CAMP HOURS: 9:00am to 4:00pm

Club OT (Before & After Care)

7:30-9am - FREE (includes breakfast)

4-6pm - \$60 (includes snack)

AGES: Rising 1st through 10th Grade

**NEW! NEHEMIAH TEAM**

This is a new leadership development program for 7-10 graders. NLT members will have the opportunity to work, play, & learn servant leadership as well as gain valuable knowledge and experience from our qualified staff.

Contact Us  
Calvary Baptist Church  
10 Martin Luther King Avenue  
Morristown, NJ 07960

For more information, email  
[yes@calvarybc.org](mailto:yes@calvarybc.org) or  
call 973.267.9079 ext.206.

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Non-refundable Registration Fee: \$50  
(due at time of enrollment)

Includes: T-Shirt, meals, all activities  
and much more!

### FULL DAY CAMP TUITION

\$600 for 6 week session

\$360 for 3 week session

REGISTRATION BEGINS: March 13, 2011

REGISTRATION ENDS: May 27, 2011

Incomplete registration packets will be returned.

1/2 TUITION DUE BY MAY 27, 2011 -  
TUITION BALANCE DUE  
ON JUNE 13, 2011

Financial assistance may be  
available to qualified families

REGISTER  
BEFORE MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>  
**RECEIVE \$50**  
TUITION DISCOUNT





**FRIDAY, APRIL 29 AT 6PM**  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 30 AT 8AM**  
**MORRISTOWN HIGH SCHOOL**  
50 EARLY STREET, MORRISTOWN NJ

*To enter a Men's/Women's  
Church, HS Boys or Men's Open  
division team, contact:*  
Vern Taylor at  
[vernalt3@yahoo.com](mailto:vernalt3@yahoo.com)  
or Ken Edwards Jr. at  
[kenney.edwards@gmail.com](mailto:kenney.edwards@gmail.com)

*To purchase an ad in the  
souvenir event journal, contact:*  
Kamille Edwards at  
[kledwards31@gmail.com](mailto:kledwards31@gmail.com)

**TICKETS GO ON SALE: APRIL 3**  
**Minimum \$5 donation**

*Raising funds  
to send  
local high  
school students  
to college*