


RANDY & KAYE HACKER
WorldVenture

At the end of March, we were able to move into a 2-bedroom apartment about 20 minutes from WorldVenture. Our balcony looks over a park, with a view toward the mountains. Our container arrived near the end of April, and after putting everything into our garage, we are slowly unpacking (and wondering why we shipped some things!). Praise God and thank you that many of our moving costs have been generously covered. Please pray for us to continue to adapt to life in America.

We spent March in Europe again. Randy taught in-person in Holland and online in Poland and Ukraine. Kaye traveled to Lublin, Poland to visit ministry partners and our son, Matthias, who still lives there. In April, Randy traveled to Panama for a WorldVenture regional gathering. Kaye will travel to Kenya in August, with a missions team from Poland, to assist a Polish missionary there. September will see Randy in Tanzania again, helping a Polish friend train pastors. Please pray for our travels this year.

Randy's new role means helping to develop strategy for WorldVenture, especially in the areas of disciple-making and contextualization. He hopes to improve WorldVenture's support structures so our global workers can thrive in ministry. One of the exciting new opportunities is co-hosting a podcast with Keith from Joshua Project that focuses on prayer for unreached people groups.

The church in Lublin, where we served for 20+ years, has outgrown their building. They are beginning the process of buying — or building — and raising funds. We have started a special project to assist them.

Financial Report for the Week Ending 5/22/2026			
Weekly Budget	\$11,730.49	Year-to-Date Budget	\$82,113.43
Income for the Week	\$8,741.87	Year-to-Date Income	\$72,569.14
Giving by Cash/Check	\$7,180.88	Year-to-Date Expenses	\$76,151.15
Electronic Giving	\$1,560.99		
<i>Give electronically at www.CalvaryCR.org, on the Breeze app, by texting 319-255-2527, or by scanning this QR code.</i>			
Attendance Report for Sunday 5/17/2026			
Sunday School: 96	Morning Service: 200	Evening: 16	

Ministry Staff

- Senior Pastor Jay Jentink
- Associate Pastor (Worship and Administration) Michael Frey
- Associate Pastor (Youth Ministries). Matthew Slippy
- Secretary/Bookkeeper. Marla Hoy

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MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE
MAY 24, 2026

- Preparation for Worship Recorded Music
- Welcome Pastor Michael Frey
- Songs of Celebration “Your Great Name We Praise”
“Your Name”
- Recognition of Our High School Graduates and Prayers of Intercession
- Song of Celebration “Blessed Be Your Name”
- Prayer Pastor Michael Frey
- Scripture Reading (Genesis 3) Amy Caldwell
- Song of Exhortation “If You Will Trust in God to Guide You”
(Children Dismissed for Children’s Church)
- Message from God’s Word Pastor Matt Slippy
“Drawing Closer to God: Learning to Trust”
- Song of Consecration “To Know You More”
- Benediction Pastor Michael Frey

NO CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS EVENING

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Congratulations to parents Travis & Sarah Caldwell, as well as grandparents Justin & Amy Caldwell and the rest of the Caldwell family, on the birth of Samantha Kay, on Saturday, May 16.

NURSERY HELP STILL NEEDED

There are still open slots on the nursery schedule. If you are able to help, please visit the Welcome Center to sign up, or contact Roxann Von Lienen.

GRADUATION PARTIES

Mari Crittenden: Monday, May 25, 1–4pm, Calvary Fellowship Hall
Tessa Slippy: Saturday, May 30, 2–4pm, Calvary Youth Building
Levi Hanna: Sunday, May 31, 5–7:30pm, The Grand Lodge at Camp Tanager
Abigail Hauptly: Sunday, June 7, 2–5pm, Noelridge Park Creekside Pavilion
Sandra Tokpa: Saturday, June 13, 2–4pm, Calvary Fellowship Hall

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR ELLA CRITTENDEN

Ladies, you're invited to a bridal shower celebrating Ella Crittenden! Join us today from 2–4pm in the church gym as we shower Ella with love as her next chapter begins! Kindly RSVP to Jen Crittenden at 319-721-2460. Ella is registered at Amazon. You can use this QR code to get to the registry.



HIDDEN GEMS DONATION DRIVE

We will host a donation drive May 31–June 7, to provide quality items for Hidden Gems, the resale shop that supports our local ministry partner CareNetworkCR. Begin to set aside items like gently used or new clothing, shoes, jewelry and other accessories, and home décor. See more information at www.hiddengemscr.shop. Possessions that are no longer meeting a need for you could become blessings for people in need in our community.

LADIES NIGHT OUT

Ladies, you and your friends are invited to enjoy food and fellowship together 6:30pm on Monday, June 1 at Mandarin Spice Asian Grill (1412 Twixt Town Road, Marion). If you plan to attend, contact Deb Gaeta so she knows how many will attend. Please let Deb know if transportation would be helpful.

CHURCH SUMMER HOURS

The church office will be closed on Fridays for the months of June–August. It will be open Monday–Thursday from 9am–3pm.

DISCOVERY CLASS

If you want to become a member of Calvary or just want more information about the church, we invite you to attend the Discovery Class on Saturday, June 6, from 9:00am to noon. Please notify the church office if you plan to attend. If childcare would be helpful, let us know.

BABY SHOWER FOR JENNA SEAMANS

Ladies, please join us Saturday, June 13 from 10am–noon in rooms 13/14, as we shower Jenna Seamans with love and celebrate the upcoming birth of baby boy Seamans. Jenna has registered at <https://my.babylist.com/baby-jenna-seamans> as well as Amazon and Target. Please be so kind to RSVP at <https://tinyurl.com/27wtvwb> so we can make preparations for the event.

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR TIA SLIPPY

We are excited for Tia Slippy's engagement to Trey Steffenson! Ladies, please join us for Tia's bridal shower on Sunday, June 14 at 2pm at Creekside Bible Church (1410 44th St, Marion). You can find Tia's registry at Amazon and Target. If you are unable to attend the shower but would like to give a card, there is a box at the Welcome Center.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

If you can help with Vacation Bible School June 15–19, 9:00am–11:30am, even for just one day, please call or text Roxann at 319-361-0215 or email rvonlienen@imonmail.com.

XJ: EXPERIENCE JESUS YOUTH CONFERENCE

We have six youth and adults going to the Experience Jesus conference at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago June 22–27. At XJ, we want students to KNOW Jesus more deeply, LOVE Jesus more passionately, and SHARE Jesus more generously! They will be equipped to share the gospel, and then they will go out on the streets to share the good news with others before they are sent home to share the good news with their friends and family. Please pray for Pastor Matt Slippy, Ina Mae Wienola, Landen Eastburn, Tessa Slippy, Sandra Tokpa, and Sonja Truitt. **If you would like to help cover the expenses of this trip, please label your offering "XJ."**

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK

Sunday, May 24

10:30am Worship Service (with Senior Recognition)
2:00pm Bridal Shower for Ella Crittenden

Monday, May 25: OFFICE CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY

1:00pm Graduation Party for Mari Crittenden

Tuesday, May 26

6:30am Board of Elders Meeting
11:30am Salt & Pepper Retirees Fellowship

Wednesday, May 27

6:30pm Youth Group / Adult Bible Study & Prayer

Thursday, May 28

6:30pm Deacon/Deaconess Committee Meeting

Saturday, May 30

2:00pm Graduation Party for Tessa Slippy