

# Calvary Baptist Courier

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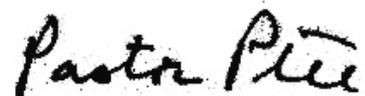
### “FROM THE PASTOR’S DESK....”

That’s the phrase that started the *Courier* for many years, even before Pastor Pete came to Calvary. Yes, this is another one of those very few times that Pastor Pete has stepped off the front page and the editor (that’s me) has taken over for the month. I’d like to share a part of “From the Pastor’s Desk” of Rev. John Walker in September 1978, a copy of which was recently and God-incidentally found. Pastor and Mrs. Walker were planning a vacation and many of his thoughts seem to fit right in here today. He said,

“...Even today in America it is very risky to come at night to the Inn and have no reservation. ... How true this is in our journey through life! We are all of us on a trip into eternity and we are told in the scriptures to “number our days” and to “apply our hearts unto wisdom.” Augustine added his wise observation that we cannot find true rest until we rest in the Lord. ... What have we accomplished for Jesus? What ought we to be doing for Him? The journey moves more rapidly each year that goes by and we are soberly reminded that “now is the day of salvation!” Let us redeem these days that are given to us by filling them with a faithful walk with the Lord and our fellow-passengers on the journey!”

The recent journeys to Haiti and the Dominican Republic meant a lot of work for Pastor Pete and his “fellow-passengers”, and they need some “rest in the Lord” to recover their strength. Let’s pray that they all feel as blessed as they were a blessing to those in the mission field, and that we too are led to “redeem these days ... with a faithful walk with the Lord!”

Shalom , for



## COUNCIL NOTES

*By Jim Lewis*

With three council members involved in mission trips to Haiti and the Dominican Republic in January, it was decided at the December meeting that the council would not meet in January. The next meeting will be held on February 18.

### ABW WHITE CROSS GIFTS of the HEART

Beginning soon, Calvary Baptist White Cross Program will be collecting new, unused, items for baby Layette Kits. There will be a sign-up sheet in the lounge for you to choose which item(s) you would like to purchase toward putting these kits together and I will be there to help you choose.

The Layette Kits will be sent to Church World Service, Brethren Service Center, New Windsor, MD, and will be stored there until needed for distribution in times of disaster.

For further updates on this project check the Sunday bulletins, or contact me if you have questions.

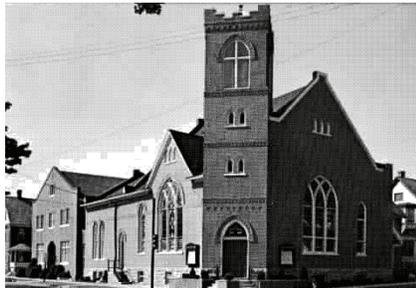
*Karen Mazzullo*  
Director White Cross Programs  
*Calvary Baptist Church*

*More from that 1978 newsletter... a reminder that missions needs have always been present.*

### “A CHILD IS HUNGRY —”

“This year we have heard several messages and seen interesting slides about the land of Haiti and their great needs both physical and spiritual. The children of Haiti suffer from poor nutrition and diet problems — many of them die in early childhood. The boys and girls of our Vacation Bible School gave their offerings to help supply food and drink for many of the children where some of our missionaries are serving. Also the Tuckabatchee Class voted to send a generous offering to aid in this project.”

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**2014 Church Council:** Larry Green, Sue Green, Dave Lantz, Jim Lewis (ex officio member and church clerk), Doris Paulhamus, David Snyder Jr., Sandy Snyder, Robin Turney, Pastor Peter Wilson (ex officio member and interim moderator), Duane Yeagle, Helen Yoas (treasurer)

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
FEBRUARY**

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b><u>EACH SUNDAY:</u></b> 9:30 am – Kids Club, College Class and Adult Class 10:40 am – Worship Service 7 pm – International Bible Study	<b><u>EACH MONDAY:</u></b> Pastor's Day Off  7:15-8:15 pm - Middle School Spanish Class 7:30-9 pm – International Program	<b><u>EACH TUESDAY:</u></b> 7-8 pm - Adult Spanish Class	<b><u>EACH WEDNESDAY:</u></b> 5-7 pm – AWANA Youth Clubs (K-12 grade) 7 pm – Bible Study and Prayer 7:30-9 pm – International Program	<b><u>EACH THURSDAY:</u></b> 7:15 pm – Choir Rehearsal		
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2  Fellowship Luncheon (pot luck) following worship service	3	4	5	6	7 7:00 p.m. – Family Games Night	8
9  B – Dean Paulhamus	10	11	12  B – Jean Snyder	13	14 <b><i>Valentine's Day</i></b>  A – Dean & Doris Paulhamus (2-14-88)	15
16	17 <b><i>Presidents' Day</i></b>  B – Candy Clark B – Sue Green	18 7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting	19	20  B – Benjamin Green B – Debbie (Koons) Grimes	21	22
23	24	25  B – Zaillet Hpauda	26  B – Wendi Sterner	27	28	

Note: B – Birthday  
A - Anniversary

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