

WEEKLY FOCUS: India Team Update

We are rejoicing as we reflect on God's mercy, grace, and faithfulness through all the answered prayers as our team of eleven traveled to Madurai, India April 27-May 7. It was a wonderful privilege to serve alongside Jonathon, Hannah and Keziah Victor and the people from their church.

Sunday morning three team members shared in the teachings at the camp with the kids for their church service. In the evening several team members shared their testimonies at the church service in town. Both services were very powerful and a wonderful blessing to attendees.

Here are some Kids Camp highlights (Monday-Friday):

- The medical team met with around 250 adults and children.
- We had a delightful time at kids camp! We started the week out with 46 excited kids on Monday and ended with 94 on Friday. The attendance grew as the kids invited their friends to join them.
- We squeezed in some painting on the new dorm and the playground equipment.
- The creation mural was completed, and Jonathan used it to share the gospel with our bus driver on Thursday.

Thank you for your prayers as they were truly felt! Trips like this would not be as effective without your partnership. Please continue to pray for the Hindu children who heard the gospel that God will continue to reveal himself to them and that the seeds that were planted will be watered and begin to take root.

Short Term Missions: Spain

The last two weeks of July a team is going again this year to northern Spain to work alongside our missionary, Jaime Clore. The team will engage with the local people in English conversation, as well as VBS for the children. Please pray that the Lord will give this team success in all they do and say, and that the needed funds will be raised. If you feel led to donate to this team, go online to bit.ly/stmgiving or mark your giving envelope 'Spain Team Support'. Thank you.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Recently Hospitalized Prayer List

If you have been hospitalized, or anticipate hospitalization, and would like to be added to the prayer list, please call the church office.

Butterworth Bob Nash, Marian Wicks

Metro: Weldin Johnson

Prayer Chain: If you need prayer, contact Don & Cindy Marrell (cmarrell@calvarygr.org) at 450-9622.

June 25, 2017

9:00am & 10:45am

Redeeming Control

Ruth

Jim Samra

Senior Pastor

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FOR THE RECORD

	<u>Projected Offerings</u>	<u>Actual Offerings</u>	<u>Surplus/ (Deficit)</u>
Last Week	\$ 128,610	\$ 140,625	\$ 12,015
Fiscal YTD Sept. 1– Jun 18	\$ 6, 139, 316	\$ 6,168,968	\$ 29,652
Open Door Project		\$122,354	

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If you are visiting today, we are glad you are here. For information about our many communities, programs and events for all ages, pick up a copy of the quarterly *Calvary Life* magazine, visit us online at calvarygr.org, or stop by the Connection Point in room 215 (located in the East End beside the Chapel). We would love to meet you! If you need hearing assistance, listening devices are available at the Welcome Center in the Crosswalk.

COMING EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Guyana Team

Pop Can Fundraiser

The Guyana short-term missions team is hosting a pop can fundraiser through Tuesday, July 18 to help meet their team goal of \$21,500. If you have any return cans or bottles you would be willing to donate, please bring them to the trailer in parking lot 5A, off the East Beltline. You can also give online at bit.ly/stmgiving or by marking your giving envelope Guyana Team Support. Thank you very much for your support of our short-term mission teams.

Stories of Redemption

We would love to hear your story of redemption. If you are willing to share a story of how God rescued you, restored you

and made you ready for the journey He has you on, please contact Kristen White (kwhite@calvarygr.org) at ext. 5013.

Mountain Movers

July 2 | 8:00-8:45am | Rm 110
Mountain Movers meets the first Sunday of each month to pray for our missionaries and our key regions around the world. If you would like to be better acquainted with who we support, and in the know on how God is working, in order to support them in prayer, join us. No registration necessary. For more information, contact the Missions Office (cdehaan@calvarygr.org) at ext. 5022.

OASIS Bike & Breakfast

July 6 | 8:30am-1:00pm

Older Adults, join us to bike the Musketawa Trail to 8th Ave (Marne to Ravenna). Meet at 8:30am at the Trailhead on 8th Ave. Brunch at the Ravenna Round Table. Questions? Email bruce@calvarygr.org.

OASIS Monthly Luncheon

July 10 | 10:00am | Room 108

Join us for our OASIS (Older Adults Sharing in Service) monthly luncheon at Calvary Church. A representative from Holland Home will speak on staying vital in your family as you age. Punch Bowl begins at 10:00am, with a speaker presenting at 11:00am and then lunch served at 12:00pm. The cost for lunch is \$8 and reservations must be made one week in advance with Howard & Arlene Timmer (hrtakt@iserv.net) at 365-0728.

7th/8th: Movie & Game Night

July 11 | 6:00-8:00pm | Room 208

Come hang out with us as we play our favorite games and watch a movie! Come hungry

for dinner and snacks. Register at calvarygr.org/events.

Freed Up Financial Living

Begins July 12 | 6:30-8:00pm

Yellow House

Grace, Joy, Freedom. Are these the first words that come to mind when you think of finances? They could be! Grace, joy and freedom are words people most often use to describe their experience with Freed-Up financial living - a proven, biblical resource for transforming hearts and lives in the area of finances. Contact Claire (cwalker@calvarygr.org) at ext. 3613 to register.

Young Adults:

Craig's Cruisers

July 14 | 6:30-9:00pm

5730 Clyde Park SW

Young adults (ages 18-34), come join us for a pizza buffet, putt-putt, laser tag, go-karts and more! Cost is \$10. Register at calvarygr.org/events.

THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

1

High School: TreeTop Adventure

June 27 | 6:00-9:00pm | \$15

2121 Celebration Dr NE

Join us as we climb through the trees and balance our way through the ropes course at TreeTop Adventure Park! Register at calvarygr.org/events.

2

Calvary Kids: Popsicles on the Playground

June 28 | 10:00am-12:00pm

Grand Rapids Township Park

Join the Calvary Kids staff for a cup of coffee while your kids enjoy a popsicle and play with their friends.

3

5th/6th: Summer Bible Study

Begins June 28 | 10:30am-12:00pm Room 108

Spend some time over summer studying God's Word with Lee and your fellow 5th/6th graders! There will be time for fun, time to fellowship and time to learn about God. Register at calvarygr.org/events.

4

7th/8th: Summer Bible Study

Begins June 28 | 10:30am-12:00pm Room 208

Learn about what God has to say through His Word as we study the Bible with other 7th/8th graders! Register at calvarygr.org/events.

5

High School (United): Summer Bible Study

Begins June 29 | 10:30am-12pm | Room 208

Come join us on Thursday mornings as we learn how to study God's Word together. Register at calvarygr.org/events

For a complete list of this week's events visit calvarygr.org/events. Note: AA meetings are not taking place at Calvary during Grace Beyond. Contact the church office for times and locations.