

weekly focus: jake & sara tibbe

Today we welcome our global workers, Jake and Sara Tibbe, along with their kids Luke and Anna, back to the US for a brief visit. The Tibbes were sent two step >> years ago from Calvary Church to Indonesia, where they have learned the language, adjusted to the cul-

ture, and taken on significant ministry roles.

Jake, in addition to seminary studies is working on building deep relationships with a network of evangelical pastors and lay leaders while learning more about the leadership's vision and mission. He's had opportunities to preach as well as to train students in Discipleship Multiplication techniques - both in the Indonesian language. Their prayer is that they can be mutually encouraging and sharpening as they strive to serve God together and reach out to the communities around them.

Sara teaches second grade and coaches girls' basketball at Mountainview Christian School. (Ask any of them about the beauty and fun of the mountains they live near!) The students, in addition to regular course work, have the opportunity to develop a larger heart for the nations as she teaches some of the same things Calvary Kids learned from her in Globetrotters Kids-N-Action. Although many of the students are from international Christian families, some are not, which gives Sara opportunities to share God's love.

If you would like to greet the Tibbes and hear more directly about their ministry, they will be in the Gathering Place just past the Connection Point between services and briefly after second service today.

Got Books?

From now through June 24, Calvary Kids will collect books for the Second Grade Classroom at Mountainview Christian School in Salatiga, Indonesia where Calvary member Sara Tibbe teaches. This is an international Christian school that serves the children of Christian Service Workers around the world as well as Indonesian and Korean families that have chosen an English education for their children.

To donate a book, please leave it in the treasure chest by the children's **check in area.** We specifically would like fiction and non-fiction books from a beginning reading level through fourth grade. Favorite series include, but are not limited to, the following: Magic Tree House, Nate the Great, Frog and Toad, Cam Jansen, Mr. Putter and Tabby, Henry and Mudge, Amelia Bedelia, Fancy Nancy, Geronimo Stilton, Junie B. Jones, Horrible Harry, Mercy Watson, Ivy and Bean and Jesus Storybook Bibles.

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 at 956-9377.

Blodgett: Emo VanBuren

PRAYER CHAIN: If you need prayer, contact Cindy Marrell (cmarrell@calvarygr.org) at 956-9377, ext. 5997.

Mission Teams Serving This Week

Please continue to pray for our Spring Mozambique mission team that left on Friday. Please also pray for the high school students traveling to serve in Madison, Wisconsin this week. To follow along, visit calvarygr.org/stmblog.

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| Last Week | \$ 13 | 88,095 | \$ | 158,626 | \$ | 20,531 |
| Fiscal YTD Sept. 1 - June 3 | \$ 6,085,707 | | \$ 5,970,364 | | (\$115,343) | |
| Jerusalem Project | | | \$ | 216,558 | | |

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If you are visiting today, we are glad you are here. For information about our many groups, 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 (located in the Gathering Place across from the main Sanctuary entrance). We would love to meet you! If you need hearing assistance, listening devices are available at the Welcome Center in the Crosswalk.

this morning

Language Translation Details

During the 9:00 service, the songs and sermon are interpreted into Farsi. At 10:45, the worship service is interpreted into both Korean and Arabic. Anyone needing interpretation can pick up a receiver at the Welcome Center, near the main Sanctuary entrance.

Meet Calvary Global Workers Jake & Sara Tibbe

The Tibbes will be in the Connection Point between services and sharing at the Simply the Story class in room 256 from 10:45am -12:00pm. Come say hi and learn more about their ministry.

cityfest update

Many of you may have heard that Luis Palau was diagnosed with Stage 4 lung cancer early this year. He has been through two series of chemotherapy and has recently started immunotherapy. Although his most recent scan showed a slight increase in the cancer, the medical team remains encouraged and Luis and his family remain at peace. Please continue to pray that God would encourage them and bring health to Luis for the work He still has for him, including – we hope – time with us here in West Michigan in September.

sunday night service

6:00pm | Gathering Place

Sunday night services at Calvary Church are an opportunity to worship God in a unique, discussion-oriented setting. Join us!

coming events & announcements

Hymn Sing June 17 | 7:30-8:30pm | Chapel

Come lift your voices as we rejoice together with the timeless hymns you know and love. Maury Lehmann will lead us in singing. Doors open at 6:30pm.

Poverty Simulation June 19 | 6:30-9:00pm Gathering Place | \$30

Living on the Edge Poverty Simulation is an active, real life learning experience and we are inviting and encouraging you to sign up! Visit: accessofwestmichigan.org/about-us/poverty-education/and click on the heading, "Attend a Simulation" at the bottom of the page. If your entire family is going and a scholarship is needed contact Natalie Uecker (nuecker@calvarygr.org).

High School: Senior Celebration June 18 | 6:00-8:00pm | Bravo

Graduating high school seniors, enjoy a delicious dinner at Bravo with High School Pastor, Josh Karhan. We would love to celebrate with you! Register for this event at mycalvarygr.org by June 14 to ensure proper reservations are made.

OASIS: Bike & Breakfast June 21 | 8:00am-12:00pm Musketawa Trail

Were you born before 1954? Join our ministry to older adults for biking and breakfasting! Meet at the 8th Avenue Trailhead in Marne at 8:00am for breakfast and a bike

ride. Questions? Contact Pastor Bruce (bruce@calvarygr.org).

Women's Armor of God Bible Study Begins June 20 | 7:00-9:00pm | \$15 Register at mycalvarygr.org by June 12

Join us for a seven-week summer study, *The Armor of God*, by Priscilla Shirer, which will equip you to face the invisible war that is going on all around us. We will view the DVD, then break into small groups to discuss the lesson. Questions? Email Donna (women@calvarygr.org).

Young Adults: Arrow Tag Wars June 23 I 3:00-5:00pm Meet Outside Entrance J (or in case of rain in Room 208)

Come join us as we battle each other with arrow tags on the grassy lawns of church! Afterwards we will have snacks and refreshments. Register at mycalvarygr.org.

Pastor Jim's Study Leave

Pastor Jim is currently taking his annual study leave. The purpose of this study leave is to provide a block of time to pray, study and prepare for the next church year. Please pray for Jim while he is away, that it may be a fruitful time of hearing from the Lord. If you have a pastoral need during this time, please continue to contact the church office for assistance.

- Calvary Church Elders

this week at calvary -

- Men's Ministry: Whitecaps Baseball Game
 June 11 I 7:00-10:00pm I \$7 I Register at mycalvarygr.org
 Are you a Grandfather? Father? Uncle? Join us with your son,
 daughter, nephew, and / or niece at a Whitecaps baseball
 game. Questions? Email Jakob (jjackson@calvarygr.org.)
- Calvary Women: Blessed2Bless
 June 11 I 10:00-11:30am I Room 215

 Join us for a time of celebration of what God has done and hear from Debbie McGoldrick, founder of Neighborhood Bible Study to Go (NBS2go).
- OASIS: Second Wednesday Summer Bible Study
 June 13 I 9:45am I Room 208

 Join others born before 1954 for coffee, study, and fellowship. This summer our study is called "The Chosen One."

 We will start at 9:45am in room 208 with coffee and fellowship and move into study as 10:00 comes around.
- 4 Calvary Kids: Pizza on the Playground
 June 13 | 6:00-8:30pm | Millennium Park
 Register at mycalvarygr.org

Join Calvary Kids families to kick off the summer together! We will provide the pizza and water to drink and we ask that your family bring a dish to pass. See calvarygr.org/events for the list.

OASIS: Pickleball 101
June 14 | 10:00am-12:00pm | Gym

Were you born before 1954? Come and learn the basics of the sport that is sweeping communities of older adults throughout the nation. More opportunities will become available through the summer.

6 Middle School 56: Slime Party
June 14 | 6:00-8:00pm | \$3 | Room 208 (Entrance D)
Register at mycalvarygr.org

Celebrate the end of the year by getting your hands dirty making slime and enjoying slime themed-games! Snacks provided. Incoming 5th graders welcome!