

**Coffee and Fellowship Hour** This is a wonderful social ministry that follows the 10 a.m. service each Sunday, from September through May. Volunteers provide goodies for children and adults alike. *Contact: Tim Spigelmyer*

**Confirmation Class** Mt. Calvary takes seriously the call to make disciples of our young people. The Rector and the Director of Education run an in-depth class for young people in the 7th grade and above in the basics of the Christian Faith, as practiced in the Episcopal tradition. *Contact: Rector*

**Contemplative Prayer Group** This group meets weekly, with a period of extended silent prayer followed by prayerful reading of the scripture (traditionally known as lectio divina) within the liturgical framework of the Anglican daily office of MIDDAY PRAYER. Both parishioners and those outside our parish community are invited to join in group prayer, reflection, and worship. *Contact: Jack Seefeldt*

**Endowment Committee** Mt. Calvary has been blessed by the financial legacies of many members. This committee supervises the management of these investments. *Contact: Alex Langan*

**Eucharistic Ministers** These ministers perform a vital service in our worship service. They read the Scripture lessons and lead the Prayers of the People, followed by administering the chalice during Communion. *Contact: Rector*

**Eucharistic Visitors** These licensed ministers perform a vital service in bringing the Holy Sacrament to shut-ins and the ill on behalf of the worshipping community. *Contact: Deacon Stuart Scarborough*

**Finance Committee** This ministry is responsible for drafting the annual budget before it is presented to the Vestry and the Annual Parish Meeting. This committee also keeps an eye on the general financial health of the parish. *Contact: Tim Spigelmyer, Sr. Warden, and Judy Hawthorn, Treasurer*

**Lay Pastoral Assistants** Lay ministers are called, trained, and commissioned to assist the clergy with providing pastoral care to members of the parish. This includes visiting sick or housebound parishioners, as well as being with members of Mt. Calvary who are experiencing painful transitions in their lives. *Contact: Rector*

**Men's Breakfast** Each month from October through May, the men of Mt. Calvary meet in the church undercroft for breakfast, fellowship, & discussion. They enjoy a variety of speakers who lead them in exploring what it means to be a thoughtful, Christian man in the world. *Contact: Dean Wharton*

**Nursery** On Sunday mornings, during our main worship service at 10 am, we offer a staffed nursery for newborn to kindergarten age. If they are able, children join their parents for communion. *Contact: Melanie Gurgio, Director of Christian Education*

**Outreach and Inreach Programs** We are a community that is blessed with many resources – time, talents, and treasures. These blessings are shared by our volunteers and donations to five essential areas – housing security, food security, family services, inreach and disaster relief. *Contacts: Outreach Committee Chair and Disaster Relief: Sarah Becker  
Housing Security Planning Group: Brian Fogarty  
Food Security Planning Group: Donna Munde  
Family Services Planning Group: Dave Castonguay  
Inreach Coordinator: George Park*

**Parish Life Committee** Healthy parishes have fun together. This committee organizes our social calendar, giving us opportunities to socialize and to celebrate our life together. *Contact: Tim Spigelmyer, Sr. Warden*

**Pastoral Care Committee** Serves alongside the clergy in providing pastoral care to members of the parish, including those who are sick, disabled or bereaved. *Contact: Rector*

**Prayer Chain** The parish prayer list uses a group communication website to send prayer requests and updates to Prayer Chain members who offer daily prayers for parishioners as well as for their families and friends, and for disasters, violent conflicts, causes, and events and circumstances that call for prayer. The list is also used in the Prayers of the People during worship services. *Contact: Jack Seefeldt*

**Pizza Club** This ministry for children up to 5th grade is based around Christian teaching, fun activities, and pizza. This lively club meets at 5:30 on Wednesdays every two weeks during the school year. *Contact: Melanie Gurgio, Director of Christian Education*

**Property Committee** God has given us a wonderful and solemn duty to care for our historic building. The property committee spearheads this task, identifying maintenance and capital improvement work. *Contact: Dave Kaufman, Jr. Warden*

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** Prayer shawls or blankets are tangible signs of God's blessings and the love of our parish for people who are going through difficult times. They are knitted or crocheted with prayer and then blessed before being given to those in need of a blessing. *Contact: Elaine Foster*

**Spiritual Life Committee** The aim of all Christians is to grow into the full likeness of Christ. This vital committee serves alongside the clergy in providing opportunities for spiritual formation, including worship and adult education. Contact: Rector

**Sunday School** Our lively and growing Sunday School program is open to children from preschool age through 6th grade. The children follow a curriculum that is linked to the readings and sermon that the adults are experiencing. Worship service for the younger children is held in the Children's Chapel. *Contact: Melanie Gurgiolo, Director of Christian Education*

**Sunshine Club** In conjunction with the Prayer Chain, this ministry sends cards to our parishioners who are sick or have other urgent needs. The Inreach program will also send meals and offer other practical help, *Contact: Cards: Elizabeth VanDyke, Inreach: George Park*

**Ushers** Ushers are the women and men who initially greet worshipers, hand them the bulletin, and take up the offerings. Contact: Rector

**Vestry** Mt. Calvary is governed by a Vestry of ten elected members who each serve a term of three years. Together with the Rector, they oversee the legal and administrative affairs of the church, setting mission goals and focus for the congregation. *Contact: Tim Spigelmyer, Sr. Warden*

**Video Streaming** This ministry streams worship services to parishioners who cannot attend and to others who may be seeking a faith community. *Contact: Rick Steinmetz*

**Welcome & Evangelism Committee** Seeks ways to improve our welcome to, and incorporation of, visitors and newcomers. Explore ways in which the Christian Gospel can be effectively communicated to non-worshippers with the aim of accompanying them in their faith journey and incorporating them into the church. *Contact: Rector*

**Women's Study Group** These ministries are aimed at providing regular fellowship and Christian formation to the women of the parish. *Contact: Marcia Wharton*

**Youth Group** This lively and enriching fellowship takes place on alternate Sunday evenings during the school year. The Rector and the Director of Education provide an engaging and relevant program of exploration and discovery. *Contact: Melanie Gurgiolo, Director of Christian Education*



## MINISTRY WITHIN & BEYOND 2025

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**Acolytes** Our young people ages 8-18+ serve the altar at Mount Calvary at the 10a.m. service, which includes acolytes and a crucifer. They are a vital part of the church, past, present, and future. *Contact: Deacon Stuart Scarborough*

**Altar Guild** This group of dedicated members works to prepare the altar for every service held throughout the week and during special occasions. *Contact: Yvonne Carmicheal or Joan Neyhart*

**Book Club** This ministry brings parishioners together each month to discuss books ranging from the current best seller to the classics. A different book is offered for discussion each month. *Contact: Linda Farrell*

**Cash Counters** These volunteers prepare the weekly deposits by counting and assigning donations to appropriate budget categories. *Contact: Judy Hawthorn, Treasurer*

**Choirs** Music is an integral part of our worship service. The all-volunteer adult choir sings music from a wide range of church traditions and in various styles of composition. The bell choir adds to our musical offering by playing during worship several times a year. *Contact: Steve Lee, Director of Music*