



THE Mount Calvary

SMALL ENOUGH TO KNOW YOU, LARGE ENOUGH TO GROW YOU!

APRIL

2024

Believing in God's Promise of Peace

John
14:27

"I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

WHAT YOU WILL FIND IN THE MESSENGER...

- ◆ Pastor's Pen
- ◆ Order of Service
- ◆ Church-Wide Announcements
- ◆ April Prayer List



From The Pastor's Pen. ...



Greetings Family!

In many churches things slow down after Easter but not here at Mount Calvary. We are pressing forward harder than before in Kingdom Work and Kingdom Service. We have just concluded the 208th Annual Session of the Baltimore Annual Conference. In case you didn't know, the Baltimore Annual Conference is the oldest Annual Conference in our Zion. I proudly gave my Seventh Annual Report as the Pastor of Mount Calvary.

As we begin this new conference year, I praise God for what you have done, and I am standing on tip toes in expectation of what you will do. Let us continue this journey of making lives different as a result of what happens in church through our outreach ministries. The Harvest Meals Ministry and The Doris Jackson Food Pantry Ministry, along with our partnerships with The Maryland Y and The AA Program have people coming on our campus daily, who are not members, but we are making a difference in their lives. To God Be The Glory!!!

As we continue to grow the kingdom, I challenge you to be part of the Andrew Ministry. Andrew invited his brother Peter to meet Jesus. Why is this important? The most common response when I ask someone how they came to Mount Calvary Church is this: "So-and-so invited me." Maybe this is your story.

Research shows a personal invitation from a friend, family member, or coworker is the number one reason people begin attending a church. It is easy to forget the power of an invitation, yet I imagine we have all been affected by a simple invitation. Inviting people to church can transform lives.

The church is where people can connect with God, find a sense of community, and receive support during challenging times. When we invite others to join us in worship, we offer them a chance to experience the love of God and the joy of fellowship. The best invitation we can offer is to invite someone into a relationship with Jesus. That journey may start by just inviting someone to join you for worship. Mount Calvary, thank you for seven wonderful years! May God continue to smile on us as we go forth in His name to do greater for the Kingdom.

Be Encouraged and Stay in His Grip!

Pastor Bob

ORDER of *Worship*

Praise & Worship

Call to Worship

Invocation

Scripture

Welcome

Tithes, Missionary, and General Offering

This is My Tithe

I acknowledge that God is the giver of every good and perfect gift. I can only reap what I have sown. I cannot out give God no matter how I try, and as I act in obedience to the word of God, I bless my church, myself and my family.

This is the promise of God. Malachi 3:10

Altar Call

Selection

Preached Word of God

Invitation to Accept Christ

Benediction

“You’ve come to Worship, now leave to Serve!”

Mt. Calvary A.M.E. Church Mission and Vision

We are a Christ-Centered church that believes in the full gospel message. We believe in building and equipping disciples and we are committed to reaching our city, state, and world with the Gospel.

We want to connect with people and grow an authentic relationship with Jesus. We are a word-based, soul-winning, love-centered church that hopes

-“The Distance Was Worth The Difference!”



Monthly Memory Scripture

“Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid.”

John 14:27 NIV

Monthly Theme:

“Believing in God’s Promise of Peace”

Please join us in our weekly POWER CELLS!

- **The Jewel Cromwell Johnson Prayer Line**
- **Morning Prayer:** Monday-Friday at 6am

Phone Conference Call Line:
725-735-9012 (**No Passcode**)
 - **Church School** - Sundays at 9 am adults & youth (*In Person*).
 - **Intercessory Prayer** - Tuesdays at 6pm (*On the Prayer Line*),
 - **Noon Day Bible Study** - Every Wednesday afternoon at 12pm (*On the prayer line*).
 - **Church-wide Bible Study** - Wednesdays at 7pm (*In Person* & on *Face Book Live*).
 - Join us every **Thursday** for **Thursday Treats** for the Thirsty - **Zooming** in His Word at 7pm.
Meeting ID: 879 5461 0400
Passcode: 12345
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Happy Birthday greetings go out to all those celebrating a birthday in the month of **April** from your CCU Leader **Sis. June Bryant** (db111072@gmail.com).

Church-Wide Announcements

- **Sunday, April 7th** - Welcome Back Pastor Celebration. Help us in welcoming back our Pastor, Rev. Bobby B. Cox, Jr., for the 2024-2025 Annual Conference Year.
- **Wednesday, April 17th** - Wednesday Night In the Word Revival at **7pm**. All are welcomed.
- **Friday, April 26th** - Join the **Youth Ministry** for **Youth Night Fab 4th Fridays** at **7pm** in the Family Life Center.
- **Saturday, April 27th** - The WOW Ministry will be hosting a hike at Gunpowder State Park. All are welcomed.
- **Sunday, April 28th** - Homecoming 2024 Kickoff - Fun Facts: Did You Know?

Upcoming Events



Mt. Calvary AME Church will host a Financial Literacy Seminar on **Saturday, May 4, 2024**, from **10 am - 12 pm** in the Family Life Center. Come out and learn how to become financially fit. Refreshments, raffle prizes, and special offers will be offered.



May is **Women's Month!** The **W.O.W. Ministry** will be hosting a ticketed **Evening Under the Stars with 1st Lady - Rev. Angie Crawford-Cox** event on **Friday, May 17, 2024**, from **6 pm - 8:30 pm**. Tickets are **\$40 per person**. Please see Sis. Patricia Joyner or a member of WOW to purchase your tickets by 4/28/2024.



The **Beads of Wisdom Seniors Ministry** will be hosting a **Dementia & Alzheimer's Seminar** on **Saturday, May 25, 2024**, at 10 am presented by the MD Department of Health Management & Technology, Inc. Come out to learn and understand the signs and symptoms of dementia and alzheimer's.

Welcome Back Pastor Bob & First Family!!

Mount Calvary AME Church
Welcomes our New Pastor



*Rev. Bobby B. Cox, Jr.
& the First Family*

to their

New Church Family

for the

2024-2025 Annual Conference Year

Congratulations to our Ministerial Staff...



Congratulations to **Rev. Sherie Johnson** of the Mt. Calvary Ministerial Staff who was ordained as an Itinerant Deacon at the **208 Baltimore Annual Conference**. Rev. Sherie we congratulate you and pray that God will continue to bless you richly and you go higher in ministry.

Youth Night Fab 4th Friday...



YOUTH NIGHT

**FAB 4th
FRIDAYS**

EVERY FOURTH FRIDAY AT 7PM
Family Life Center

email the youth ministry for more information
mtcalvaryame@gmail.com

Mount Calvary AME Church
300 Eudowood Drive | Towson, MD 21286
Pastor Rev. Bobby B. Cox, Jr.

   @mtcalvaryamechurch

WOW Ministry Mountain Hike...



**Saturday
4-27
@ 9:15 AM**

STEP UP & JOIN



**WOW
FOR A HIKE!**

ALL ARE WELCOME

Meet us at:
Gunpowder Falls State Park
Jerusalem Mill Village | 2823
Jerusalem Rd., Kingsville MD 21087

Support sneakers or hiking boots that
you don't mind getting dirty are
recommended.



Mount Calvary AME Church
300 Eudowood Lane
Towson, MD 21286

Rev. Bobby B. Cox, Jr. | Pastor
Rev. Patricia Joyner, Minister to Women



Financial Literacy Seminar...



The poster features a purple background with a faint image of a building labeled 'FAMILY LIFE CENTER'. At the top, there are three logos: the Mt. Calvary AME church seal, a stylized 'X' logo, and The CGC logo. Below these are the names 'Mt. Calvary AME' and 'The CGC'. A handwritten-style text says 'Don't Miss Event!' next to a 'ROUND 2' icon. The main title 'FINANCIAL LITERACY SEMINAR' is in large, bold, yellow and white letters. A man in a white shirt and red tie stands on the right. On the left, there is a list of event details under the heading 'IN-PERSON ONLY!'. At the bottom left, there is a QR code and the text 'SCAN ME!' on a yellow banner. The contact email 'thecivilgrowthcorrective@gmail.com' is at the bottom.

Mt. Calvary AME The CGC

Don't Miss Event! 

FINANCIAL LITERACY SEMINAR

IN-PERSON ONLY!

- Food/Beverages
- Raffle Prizes
- Special Offer
- Community Support

 **Saturday**
04 May 2024

 **10.00 AM -12:00pm**

 **300 Eudowood Lane Towson, MD 21286**

 **SCAN ME!**

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WOW Evening Under the Stars with First Lady Rev. Angie...

EVENING
UNDER THE
Stars with 1st Lady

REV. ANGIE CRAWFORD-COX

Friday **MAY 17TH**
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

TICKETS:
\$40.00 PER PERSON


 SMCAMEC  www.mtcalvaryame.org  P.O. Box 20416
Towson, Maryland 21286
Memo EUTS

Attire: Dazzling Silver and Denim

Registration begins January 28th
Registration Deadline: April 28th

Good Vibes, Comedy Moment, Tasty Food, Jazzy Music, Photo booth,
Lighting up the Darkness
PRIZE GIVEAWAY: \$300 VALUE

Beads of Wisdom Dementia & Alzheimer Seminar...


Mount Calvary AME Church 



Maryland Dept. of Health Office Management & Technology, INC

**Understanding the Signs and Symptoms of
DEMENTIA & ALZHEIMER'S**

**Date: Saturday, May 25, 2024
10:00am**

 **Mount Calvary AME Church, Great Room
349 Eudowood Lane, Towson MD 21286**

Light Fare Provided

**Sponsored by the Beads of Wisdom Seniors Ministry
Rev. Bobby B. Cox, Jr., Pastor**

April Prayer List

Baltimore Annual Conference
 Bishop James & Mother Arelis
 Davis
 Elder Johnny & Rev. Patricia
 Calhoun
 Dr. Robert Tuner
 Pastor Bob & Rev. Angie Cox
 Bro. Andrew Adams



Mother Cleo Coles
 Mother Grace Hicks
 Sis. Vivian Fenton
 Sis. Leslie Green
 Ministerial Staff
 Steward & Trustee Boards
 All Ministries

Opportunities to Give...

Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse,
 that there may be food in my house. Test me
 in this, says the Lord Almighty, and see if
 I will not throw open the floodgates of
 heaven and pour out so much blessing that
 there will not be room enough to store it.
 Malachi 3:10

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Ways to Give

Mount Calvary
AME Church

ONLINE www.mtcalvaryame.org
 click the give tab.

PHONE 410-296-9474

MAIL-IN Mail your gift:
 Mount Calvary AME Church
 PO Box 20416 | Towson, MD 21286

IN-PERSON
 Drop off your gift at the church office: Mt. Calvary AME Church
 349 Eudowood Lane | Towson, MD 21286

SMART DEVICE
 Cash App Smcamec



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 Rev. Bobby B. Cox, Jr., Pastor
 Rev. Angie Crawford-Cox, First Lady

Items for the Messenger must be submitted by the 2nd Friday of each month. Leaders, please add the following address to your email contacts to receive a reminder: mtcalvaryamemessenger@gmail.com.