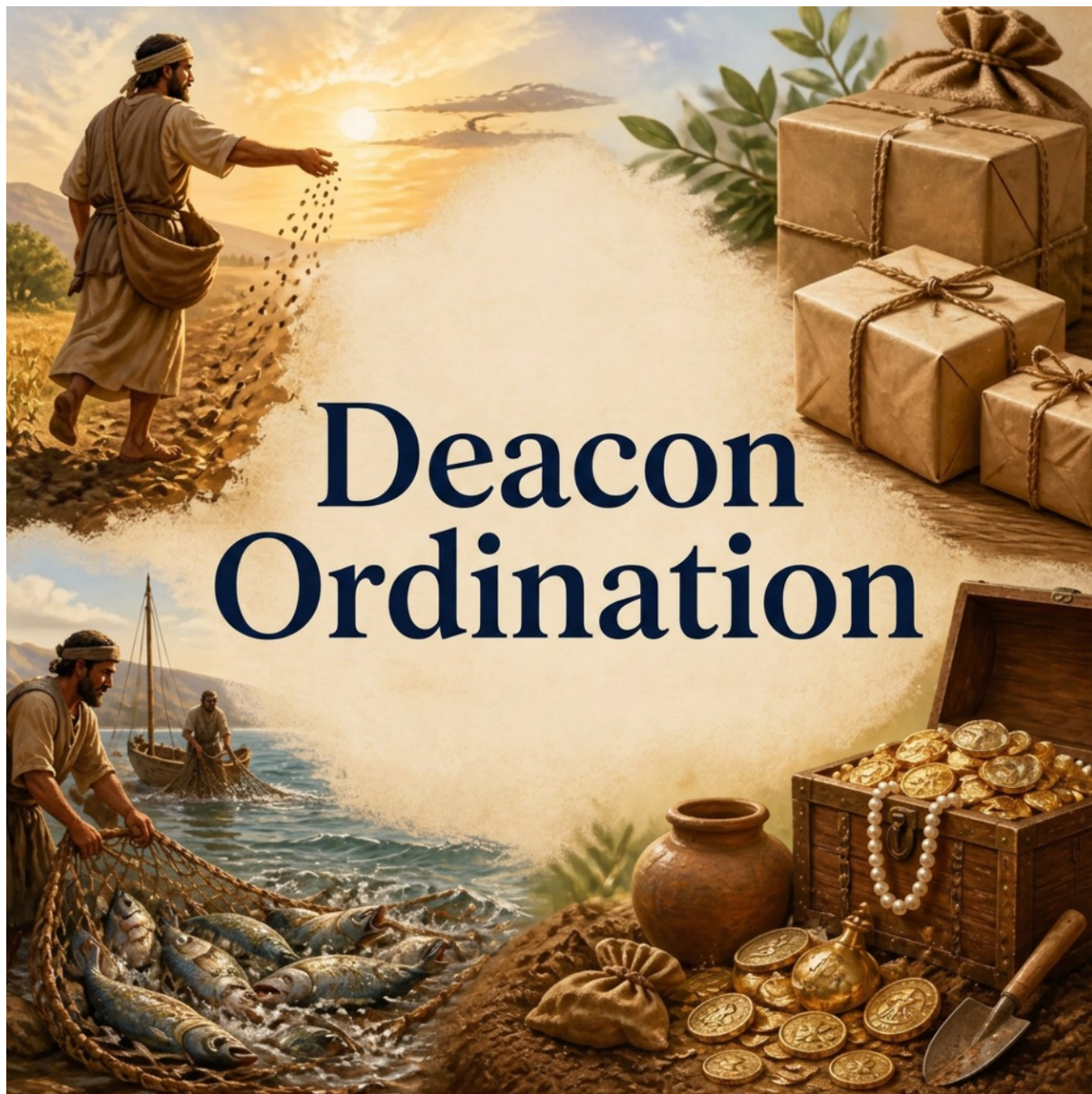


August 9, 2026

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

The WORSHIP *of* GOD

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH



Prelude	Servant Medley <i>Mark Hayes, arr.</i>	Katherine Lowther
Chiming of the Hour		
Call to Worship 241	Sweet, Sweet Spirit MANNA	Choir and Congregation
Invocation and Welcome		Chuck Powell
*Hymn 33	Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah CSM RHONDDA	Congregation
Teacher Recognition		Niki Hays
*Hymn 503	Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak CANONBURY	Congregation
Offertory Prayer		Moses Desmennu
Offertory	No Hands But Yours Jerome Williams	Sanctuary Choir
Sermon	Door-keeping Deacons Mark 13:32-37	Monty Stallins

DEACONS TO BE INSTALLED

Roxie Allison, David Bowman, Jim Holbrook
Julia Hutchens, Jeanne Robinson, Sue Shaw, Scott Simpson

DEACONS TO BE ORDAINED

Carla Blanton, Renee Edington, Hannah Moody
Sandra Palmer, Tope Solomon

ORDINATION LITANY

Elizabeth VanMeter, 2026 Deacon Chair

Leader: We have met in a solemn and joyful celebration to ordain those called by God and this church to the service of Almighty God through the office of Deacon.

Congregation: You shall be called the servants of the Lord; people will call you the ministers of our God.

Leader: You who have gone before in the calling and service of the diaconate welcome these as your fellow servants in the ministry. Instruct and help them in word, deed, and every good grace as they assume the holy tasks of their service. Ponder anew your own ordination. Kindle anew your zeal for the service of God. Pledge anew unto the Lord and this congregation your glad efforts in the service of the diaconate.

Previously Ordained Deacons: We affirm in the presence of God and this assembly that we will renew our vows to the Lord and to Christ's church, that we will nurture these by example and precept, that we will gladly continue our service in this community of faith.

Leader: (To the deacons who are to be ordained.) It is grace that has brought us to this good hour. It is the high and holy calling of the diaconate in the Body of Christ that convokes this service. You are blessed by God's Spirit and commissioned by God's Word. To you we pass the torch of the task of caring for the people of God in this place. Will you accept this challenge and confirm your calling?

Deacons Being Ordained: We acknowledge the call and claim of God upon our lives. We accept with joy and humility the service to which we are set aside. We pledge that we shall uphold in precept and practice the high and holy office to which we are set aside in this hour.

Leader: (To the congregation.) You are the people of God. These shall minister to you and among you. Do you tender them your warmest blessings and promise them your good will and faithful support in their ministries?

Congregation: We, the people of God, joyfully observe the setting aside of these to the diaconate. We accept their ministry and will encourage them in all good works and holy vision as they move in our midst to implement their high calling and perform their ministry unto the Lord for the building up of the church.

All: (Psalm 103:20-22.) "Bless the Lord, you His angels, mighty in strength who perform His Word, obeying the voice of His Word! Bless the Lord, all you His hosts, you who serve Him, doing His will. Bless the Lord, all you works of His, in all places of His dominion; bless the Lord O my soul!"

ORDINATION PRAYER

Brad Scroggin, 2027 Deacon Chair

LAYING ON OF HANDS

MUSICAL MEDITATIONS

Becky Meyers & Karen Foxworth
Emily Snowden
Tanya Bromley

*Hymn 490	Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated	Congregation
	HENDON	

*Benediction	Weave Us Together	Choir and Congregation
--------------	-------------------	------------------------

Postlude	A Mighty Fortress Is Our God	Kevin Raybuck
	<i>Anna Laura Page, arr.</i>	

* Please stand as you are able.

Ministry Staff

Dr. Monty Stallins, *Pastor*
Mrs. Niki Hays, *Minister to College Students & Adults*
Mrs. Katherine Lowther, *Pianist*
Rev. Chuck Powell, *Minister to Families with Youth & Missions*



Ms. Rebecca Price, *Early Worship Leader*
Dr. Kevin Raybuck, *Minister of Worship Arts and IT*
Mr. Jamie Wright, *Choral Director*

Sunday 8/2/26

Budget Giving\$27,726
Budget Divided by 52.....\$39,946

Year to Date Totals

Through 6/30/26

Total Receipts.....\$993,627
Total Expenses.....\$950,646
Operating Fund.....\$274,644

Today we celebrate with a flower in our sanctuary honoring the birth of Edward Brooking Morris, III to parents Ann Louise Cooper Morris and Edward Morris, Jr. and Grandparents, Mike and Judy Cooper.

Sermon Notes:

LIVESTREAM: This service is livestreamed on YouTube and a recording remains available to the public following the original air date. If you prefer to remain out of camera view, please choose seating in the balcony.

RESTROOMS: We have restrooms available in the hallway behind the choir loft, including a Family Restroom that provides access for those with mobility challenges. Additionally, we have restrooms located through the Sanctuary doors in the back and down the stairs. However, these restrooms do not provide access for those with mobility challenges.

Calvary Baptist Church
150 E. High St., Lexington, Kentucky 40507
859-254-3491
calvarybaptistchurch.com