



# Calvary Christian Fellowship Mennonite Church

Welcome to our Worship Service!

October 13, 2019

Devotional:----- Galen Kauffman

Message:----- Henry Nissley

Offering:----- General

SS Lesson:----- Mark 9:1-29

**Adult and Youth Verse:** And there was a cloud that overshadowed them: and a voice came out of the cloud, saying, This is my beloved Son: hear him. Mark 9:7

**Intermediate Verse:** Children, obey your parents in all things: for this is well pleasing unto the Lord. Colossians 3:20

**Junior Verse:** Put them in mind to be subject to principalities and powers, to obey magistrates, to be ready to every good work. Titus 3:1

**Primary Verse:** Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work. Exodus 20:9

**Preschool Verse:** Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. Exodus 20:8

**SS Lesson for next week:** Mark 9: 30-50

**Adult and Youth Verse for next week:**  
And whosoever shall offend one of these little ones that believe in me, it is better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and he were cast into the sea. Mark 9:42

## ☐ CHILDREN'S CORNER ○ ☐ ○ ☐

### Racer The Roadrunner

Hey children! Racer the Roadrunner here. Sorry I'm out of breath. I just ran the race of my life. A 26-mile-an-hour sprint on an obstacle course! That'll teach that coyote to try to have me for lunch. Now, where was I? Ah yes, running. I love to run. I can fly, but running is so much more fun! Besides, in the desert I'm camouflaged much better against the ground than I am against the sky. Oh, did I forget to mention that I live in the desert? I'm sorry, I had a list of things I wanted to talk about, but I must have lost it when I was sprinting.

Since I don't remember what was on my list, let me just tell you a few basic things about me. I like to eat lots of different things: poisonous snakes, scorpions, lizards, mammals—you name it! Basically, if it moves and I can swallow it, it's food. Sometimes I'll make a snack out of some fruits and seeds as well, but there are not many plants in the desert so those are rare treats.

One thing I really like to do, since I move so fast, is work with and help others. I love working together with other roadrunners to either get a meal, or find a home, even if they don't look a whole lot like me. You can learn something from this too. The Bible says in 1 John 4:11 to "Love one another." That means you should help other people, whether or not they look like you or talk like you. Treat them with kindness, because that's what God wants us to do. Take it from me, loving others is a

lot more fun and a lot easier than being mean.

What's that? Do you hear that? Sounds like the coyote's coming back! Got to run! See ya!

<https://answersingenesis.org/kids/characters/racer-roadrunner/>

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## Announcements:

- ✓ This Evening: Free Evening
- ✓ Youth will be singing at Morningside this afternoon at 2:00 PM. Jonathan's will be hosting the youth for lunch.
- ✓ Hot Lunch this wk by: Robert's , Ralph's & Henry's
- ✓ Wednesday Evening: Prison Service (Annex) 4:00 PM. Those to go: Elmer, Nathan & LaWayne - Devotions
- ✓ School devotions this week by: Steve Nissley
- ✓ Church Social Thurs. Eve. 6:30 PM
- ✓ Out of State Correspondence this wk by: James & Elsie

## ~BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES~

Happy Birthday! Today! Oct. 13, Chris Shiley 1956

Happy Birthday! Today Oct. 13, Sheldon Yoder 1995

Happy Birthday! Oct. 16, Nathan Yoder 1995

Happy Birthday! Oct. 19, Iva Yoder 1985

Happy Birthday! Oct. 19, Makayla Yoder 2010

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## Discontent But Content

I heard a sermon at church about God's promise of strength for daily living. The main verses the message was based on were Philippians 4:10-13. Christians have a contentment so long as they hold to Christ for everything. Knowing that nothing can separate us from the love of God gives us the ability to not be discontented by our circumstances. I am reminded of Romans 8:38-39.

However, in a way, we should never be content. We sell ourselves short if we become complacent; we should always be longing to have a closer relationship with God and eager to do more good for others in the name of Jesus Christ. This opportunity is a privilege. The sort of discontentment that motivates us to not miss this opportunity is different from discontentment that results from negative circumstances. It is a source of joy because though we were the lowest of the low, God has chosen us to be His children and called us to be involved in His holy work (Ephesians 2:10.)

<http://varietyreading.carlsguides.com/christian-stories/discontentbutcontent.php>

## **Mission & Vision Statement Of: Calvary Christian Fellowship**

**Mission:** To realize our need of Christ.

To help one another on life's journey.

**Vision:** To surrender to Christ our Head, to walk in the Spirit, to love as Jesus loves.

To be a place where it's safe to share failures, struggles, hopes, and dreams.

To encourage, and empower one another to find God's purpose as we walk with Christ on our journey to Heaven.

To help the hurting find healing, and the lost experience salvation, in Christ.

To assist in physical needs among, and around us.