



Calvary Christian Fellowship Mennonite Church

Welcome to our Worship Service!

September 2, 2018

Devotional:----- Jonas Schrock

Message:----- Ralph Yoder

Offering:----- Missions

SS Lesson:----- Philippians 2

Adult and Youth Verse: Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory; but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves. Phil. 2:3

Intermediate Verse: So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me. Heb. 13:6

Junior Verse: My soul hath kept thy testimonies, and I love them exceedingly. Psalm 119:167

Primary Verse: Every good gift, and every

perfect gift is from above. James 1:17

Preschool Verse: Freely ye have received, freely give. Matthew. 10:8

SS Lesson for next week: Phil. 3

Adult and Youth Verse for next week:
Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before,
I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus. Phil. 3:13-14

☐ CHILDREN'S CORNER ○ ☐ ○ ☐

Patty

Hello! My name is Patty, and I am an Apatosaurus, a species of long-necked dinosaur. My kind was created on Day Six of Creation Week—the same day as Adam and Eve.

Did you know that the Apatosaurus is part of the sauropod kind, which contains the biggest creatures God made? You can recognize most sauropods by our really long necks. Most people think we used these necks like giraffes, to reach into tall trees. But we actually use them to eat low-lying plants.

When I grow up, I will probably be longer than two school buses parked end to end. And I'll weigh more than six Asian elephants! Being this big requires some special features given to me by God.

- The bones in my feet are organized vertically (up and down) in half a circle. So I basically walk on my toes all the time.
- My really long neck lets me sweep my head from side to side so I can eat from large areas without having to move much.
- My long tail balances me out so I don't fall on my face!

•I have some holes and thin spots in my bones so that they are lighter but still very strong.

My mom never has to tell me not to chew with my mouth open because I don't actually chew my food. I swallow chunks of plants whole and bacteria in my stomach help break down my food. I also swallow rocks that help grind up my food. This allows me to eat some plants that other creatures can't digest.

Size: 70 feet (21 meters) long **Weight:** 30 tons (60,000 pounds)

Diet: Plants and leaves **Lifespan:** Up to 100 years

<https://answersingenesis.org/kids/characters/patty/>

Announcements:

- ✓ This Evening: Supper at Schoolhouse at 6:30. Bring finger foods.
- ✓ Brotherhood Meeting is postponed till next week.
- ✓ Sister's sewing is postponed till next week.
- ✓ Wednesday Evening: Prison Service (NW) 5:00 PM
- ✓ School devotions this week by: Louis Kauffman
- ✓ Out of State Correspondence this week by: Justin & Heidi

~BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES~

Happy Birthday! Sept. 5, LaDonna Nissley, 2000

THE KING'S HIGHWAY

Once upon a time, a king had a great highway built for the people who lived in his kingdom. After it was completed, but before it was opened to the public, the king decided to have a contest. He invited as many of his subjects as desired to participate. The challenge was to see who could travel the highway the best, and the winner was to receive a box of gold.

On the day of the contest, all the people came. Some of them had fine chariots, some had fine clothing and fancy food to make the trip a luxurious journey. Some wore their sturdiest shoes and ran along the highway on their feet to show their skill. All day they traveled the highway, and each one, when he arrived at the end, complained to the king about a large pile of rocks and debris that had been left almost blocking the road at one point, and that got in their way and hindered their travel.

At the end of the day, a lone traveler crossed the finish line warily and walked over to the king. He was tired and dirty, but he addressed the king with great respect and handed him a small chest of gold. He said, "I stopped along the way to clear a pile of rocks and debris that was blocking the road. This chest of gold was under it all. Please have it returned to its rightful owner." The king replied, "You are the rightful owner." "Oh no," said the traveler, "This is not mine. I've never known such money." "Oh yes," said the king, "you've earned this gold, for you won my contest. He who

travels the road best is he who makes the road better for those who will follow.”

Remember those words of wisdom as you travel the road of life!

— Author Unknown

<http://emailministry.org/the-kings-highway-2/>

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.