

2021 YEAR IN REVIEW



be a movement of the Gospel.

**2021 ANNUAL REPORT
CALVARY CHAPEL ST. PETERSBURG**





2021

PASTOR RYAN MARR

As I reflect on 2021, I can't help but think of the word "opportunity." With deep polarization in society, restrictions and many other things pressing in on the church, we had an opportunity to respond as a movement of the gospel of Jesus for all people. I am reminded of Paul's challenge to the believers in the book of Colossians and the importance of every opportunity:

"Be wise in the way you act toward outsiders; make the most of every opportunity. Let your conversation be always full of grace, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how to answer everyone." - Colossians 4:5-6

As I thought about this opportunity, I thought of our response. God had laid it on our heart to start an E.S.L. (English as a Second Language) program. We had 50 individuals from 20 countries present in our building learning and being loved on by members of our church during 2021. We had opportunities to faithfully meet as a church, participate in baptisms, baby dedications, studied scripture together and grew together as a church. On top of all that, we were also able to pay off our mortgage and become debt free as a church!

These opportunities were something that challenged us but grew our witness to others in our community. I want to personally thank everyone who participated and grew with us as a church. We are looking forward to a great year ahead!

Lord bless,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ryan Marr".

Ryan Marr

MISSION & VISION



GOSPEL-CENTERED TEACHING

Before Jesus' ascension, He commanded His disciples to take His teachings and share them with the people of the nations. Jesus would then empower His disciples through the Holy Spirit. When the disciples were empowered by this Spirit, they traveled to share the news of Jesus' kingdom, His forgiveness of our sin through the cross, His resurrection and ultimately the defeat of the enemy. This news, the gospel, was the news that brought hope, change, and power over the darkness.

GOSPEL-CENTERED COMMUNITY

Community is a place where people gather as the church to sing, hear God's word, and to seek to work out the things we are learning in small groups. These are places where we can reflect and participate in what it means to be a community marked by the gospel of Jesus.

GOSPEL-CENTERED MULTIPLICATION

As we look to the future, we look at the work of the church in planting other churches, partnering to develop church leaders, and teaching Jesus' commands by bringing them to the heart of people throughout the world.

GOSPEL-CENTERED SERVING

Service is looking for practical ways to minister to people because of the gospel. Whether this is through bringing a meal to someone, helping them practically around in their home, or finding ways to serve the community, the gospel frees us to invest into others through acts of service.

GOSPEL-CENTERED TEACHING



Lead Pastor, Ryan Marr
Beach Baptisms

Teaching is vital to our growth in our understanding of who Jesus is and how the Gospel impacts our lives. 2021 provided a lot of great moments of growth in our understanding of the Gospel and specifically what it means to be part of church. With our study in the book of Acts and Titus we learned the importance of the church and God's role in our lives. One aspect of our services is having our question and response time every Wednesday night after the service. This time provides the opportunity that we can talk and ask questions as a church and grow together.

"They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer." - Acts 2:42

**UNDERSTANDING
THE BIBLE WITH
DR. GERRY BRESHEARS**

**SHARING YOUR FAITH
CLASS**

**WOMEN'S AND CO-ED
BIBLE STUDIES**

PERSPECTIVES

CHRISTIAN BASICS CLASS



Worship Leader, John Olthoff
Easter 2021

GOSPEL-CENTERED **COMMUNITY**

Our foundation is that Jesus has given us identity, a place of belonging and community. Knowing this, Calvary Chapel has always put a focus on small groups that allow us to strengthen these community relationships. In 2021, we continued to create opportunities to meet with one another in person and online.



Calvary Youth Abide Camp
February 2021

"And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching." - Hebrews 10:24-25



Fellowship at Understanding the Bible
with Dr. Gerry Breshears

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

**LIFE GROUPS
THROUGHOUT PINELLAS**

**CALVARY KIDS
ASTRO SKATE EVENT
POOL PARTY
BEACH DAY**

**CALVARY YOUTH
ABIDE CAMP
ALWAYS READY
YOUTH CONFERENCE
MONTHLY IMPACT NIGHTS**

GOSPEL-CENTERED **MULTIPLICATION**



Samaritan's Purse Trip

"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

- Matthew 28:19-20

Multiplication is the working out of the gospel in our world. One of the new ways we did this was through ESL or English as a Second Language. God had brought the right people at the right time to launch this ministry to our community and it truly was a blessing. In 2021, we served over 50 people, from over 20 countries all living within a few miles of the church. 15 Volunteers (teachers, helpers, administrators) helped show Christ's love to our neighbors.

A student from Costa Rica said, "I have been to many ESL programs all over the world. Yours is the best, because you don't just treat us like students, but you treat us like friends. I love coming here to learn because of the relationships with the teachers."

So whether locally or globally we are looking to become a movement of the gospel of Jesus right in our backyard.

**18 MISSIONARIES SUPPORTED
BY PRAYER AND FUNDING**

**32 FAMILIES HELPED BY
HURRICANE RELIEF
SAMARITAN'S PURSE TRIP**

MISSIONS DINNER 2021

**ENGLISH AS A
SECOND LANGUAGE**

BEACH BAPTISMS



Beach Baptisms, March 2021

GOSPEL-CENTERED **SERVING**

Out of the abundance of what Christ has done for us, we desire to serve, love and share hope with those in our community. Calvary Chapel is committed to demonstrating the Gospel to those around us through generosity of our time and resources. While we continued to provide for our neighbors through outreach we are known for, such as our Men of Arms' projects, in 2021, we reopened our Downtown Outreach group and began serving dinner and distributing donations to those in need at the St. Vincent de Paul Care Center each Friday evening. During both of our Serve Day events, volunteers cleaned the property for the Next Stepp Pregnancy Center, delivered dozens of care packages, and provided over 2000 lbs. of nonperishable items to local food pantries in Pinellas Park.

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." - Galatians 6:9



Serve Day // Food Drive Volunteering

2 SERVE DAYS

- CLEANING NEXT STEPP PREGNANCY CENTER
- DELIVERED CARE PACKAGES
- DONATED OVER 2,000 LBS. OF NONPERISHABLE ITEMS TO LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES

MEN OF ARMS PROJECTS

DOWNTOWN HOMELESS OUTREACH

RELATIONSHIP WITH PINELLAS PARK

THE NUMBERS

Online Message Views: 58,406

Visits to calvarystp.org: 25,698

Weekly Average In-Person Attendance: 580

CHURCH FINANCES

2021 Budget: \$1,666,101

2021 Contributions and Other Income*: \$1,960,531

2021 Expenses*: \$1,441,229

2022 Budget: \$1,666,101

*proceeds and expenses from land sale excluded

2021 FINANCIAL MILESTONES

10 Acre Gator Lake Land Sale*

Mortgage Paid in Full (Debt Free)!

*For any questions, please contact us at
office@calvarystp.org or call us at (727)-577-7705.*

2021 Board



Ryan Marr
(Lead Pastor)



Bruce Crawford
(Chairman)



Ernesto Diaz



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Josh Metzger



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Tim Thompson

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Frank Dehn



Dave Dodge



Niles Parker

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CALVARY CHAPEL ST. PETERSBURG EXISTS TO
BE A MOVEMENT OF THE GOSPEL OF JESUS FOR ALL PEOPLE.



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SERVICES

Sun. 9 & 11 AM
Wed. 7 PM

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