

# Calvary Community Church

A congregation of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church



## Church Profile

Calvary Community Orthodox Presbyterian Church is a warm and inviting body of believers located near the Delaware River in Harmony Township, New Jersey. We have an extensive history dating back to the 1930s and are blessed with substantial property and facilities, including a live-in manse. One of our defining characteristics is our commitment to reverent, joyful worship in the historic Reformed tradition, including robust expository preaching from the whole counsel of God. Ultimately, our desire is to gather worshippers of God together from Harmony Township and the surrounding areas for His glory.

We gather for worship on Sunday mornings and Sunday evenings. Sunday School for all ages meets prior to morning worship. We also meet on Wednesdays for Bible study and prayer. Our special services include Good Friday, Sunrise Resurrection Sunday, Thanksgiving Eve, and Christmas Eve. We have a fellowship lunch on a quarterly basis. Our membership consists of 45-50 communicant members and 10 non-communicant members.

We are committed to warmly welcoming new people to our congregation. We are particularly looking to reach those who haven't heard the gospel in some time (or ever) and bear witness of the grace of God in Christ. We rejoice in God's faithful work in our midst over our long history and look forward to His faithfulness among us in the future.

## Executive Summary

The Pastor of Calvary Community Church serves as the faithful undershepherd of Christ's flock in Harmony Township, New Jersey. He joyfully proclaims the gospel to our community and the surrounding areas. He leads our worship with reverence and provides robust Reformed teaching and preaching, along with tender, ongoing spiritual care for our members. The pastor is ordained or able to be ordained in accordance with the standards of the Orthodox Presbyterian Church. He possesses a deep love for preaching and teaching, fostering God-glorifying worship, fervent prayer, and reaching the lost.

## Worship Leadership

- Plan and organize Order of Worship
- Select music, Scripture readings, corporate prayers, etc.
- Lead worship with assistance from the Session
- Administer Lord's Supper (1st Sunday of every month) and baptism (per church policy)

## Preaching/Teaching

- Preach/Teach/Lead weekly church services/Bible studies (Sunday AM/PM + Midweek)
- Preach/Lead all special services
- Teach/Lead Adult Sunday School
- Oversee all Sunday School Teachers and curriculum content (Teen and Children)
- Preach/Teach in other contexts as the Session requests or as desired

## Church Life and Discipleship

- Conduct pastoral visitation to homes and workplaces of congregants as prudent
- Provide Scriptural counsel to congregants
- Provide Biblical Counseling to members as requested
- Equip Congregation for Evangelism and lead by example
- Oversee New Member Curriculum and process
- Administer weddings and funerals per church policy
- Disciple men of the church towards leading family worship with effectiveness
- Serve as primary point of contact for prospective visitor inquiries

## Leadership

- Serve as Moderator of Session
- Oversee Diaconal Ministry alongside the Session
- Conduct spiritual leadership development with prospective officers as identified by the Session
- Serve as principal point of contact between the church and the presbytery
- Ex-officio member of the Board of Trustees
- Manager of Church Secretary/Office Staff

If interested, please send your Ministerial Information Form and cover letter to Peter deBoer, Clerk of Session, at [pastor@harmonyopc.org](mailto:pastor@harmonyopc.org).