

Opportunities For Your Family

Sunday School

There is a place for every child, teen and adult on Sunday mornings during our Bible Study time of 10:00 a.m. Whether it is in a regular classroom with a buddy or in one of our Special classrooms, every person will be learning about Jesus.

Vacation Bible School

June 22-25 are the dates for our Special Needs Family Vacation Bible School for **2010**. We meet for four nights from **6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.** There will be Bible Story time, recreation, music and art activities. There are classes for all ages and all members of the family including a Bible Study class for parents.

Respite Care

Several times during the year we provide childcare for children with special needs and their siblings. Pre-registration is required.

Family Support Group

This group meets on the 1st Monday night of every month at 6 p.m. year round

Includes care for all of the children

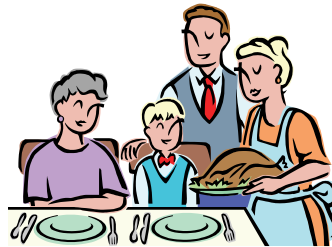
This ministry is specifically designed for any family who is caring for a person with special needs. This group provides practical information as well as support and encouragement for the entire family including siblings.

Other Church Activities

We provide care for children with special needs for many of our Calvary activities.

These activities include Worship, Bible Study classes, Fellowship nights and some of our children's activities.

**To better meet the needs of your family
Pre-registration is required for most activities**



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Calvary Loving Care Special Needs Ministry

A ministry for the entire family who is caring for a person with disabilities



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*Providing a SAFE place of
Help, Hope and Healing*

What They Are Saying...

“Calvary’s support group for parents of children with special needs is a safety net for our family.”

A Loving Care Parent

“It makes my heart feel good.”

A Loving Care Team Member

“I am always amazed at the positive attitude of our parents.”

Cindy Avery
Calvary Support Group Director

“You light up my heart with this Special Needs group. My brothers and I love to come here. I like it here because I am around people who understand my brother. Ya’ll inspire me.”

An 11 year old
Loving Care Sibling

What is Loving Care Ministry for Special Needs Families?

Loving Care Ministry is designed for families who are caring for a person or persons with mental or physical disabilities. Our goal is to minister to each member of the family including parents, the person with special needs, siblings and even grandparents.

We want every member of the family to experience hope and acceptance.

Monday Night Family Group

On the first Monday night of each month families who care for a child with special needs are encouraged to attend a fun-filled and encouraging evening together.

While the parents are in a small group setting the children are cared for by loving volunteers.

The parent group addresses a variety of issues during group time while receiving support and encouragement. The parents then join their children for a fun learning activity time.

Sunday School and Other Church Activities

At Calvary we believe that persons with disabilities should be placed in the least restrictive and most appropriate setting. To facilitate this we take care of each person in one of two environments:

Our Special classrooms

are specifically designed for children, teens and adults who may have a difficult time in a regular classroom setting. These individuals are taught in a small group setting with trained volunteers who show and teach them the love of Jesus.

In a regular classroom

children who may need just a little extra help are partnered with a trained volunteer or buddy and participate in class activities.



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