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# The Calvary Connection

## *Calvary's Beloved Christmas Program Returns!*

*The holiday season is upon us, and I am so excited to announce that we will resume our traditional Christmas Programs in person this December!*

*Calvary's Christmas Program brings parents, grandparents, family members, staff and students together to celebrate the magic of Christmas. This special event has been one of the highlights of the Holiday Season for many years.*

*The Pre-K3-1<sup>st</sup> Grade students will present a Nativity Scene Program while the 2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade students will share traditional Christmas lessons and sing carols. This year, both performances will be live streamed so family members everywhere can enjoy the program from the comfort of their homes. Additionally, each program will be recorded and be shared with our Calvary Families to enjoy for years to come!*

*The kids have already started rehearsals and they sound amazing! I look forward to seeing them shine during these special performances. I know they are excited about sharing this traditional holiday message with all of you as well.*

*Have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!*

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*December 8<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm – 2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>  
Grade Christmas Program*

*December 10<sup>th</sup>, Pizza Day*

*December 14<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm – PreK-1<sup>st</sup>  
Grade Christmas Program*

*December 16<sup>th</sup> – January 4<sup>th</sup>  
Christmas Break and School  
Holiday*

*January 5<sup>th</sup> – School Resumes*

*January 17<sup>th</sup> – MLK Day Holiday*

# The Spirit of Giving



**THERE IS STILL TIME...**  
purchase your 2021 Calvary Christmas Ornament for \$20. Simply fill out the order form sent home with your student or contact the front office at (512) 321-1610.

Each year our valued Calvary community unites to show support and dedication to our children's education by giving to the Annual Fund. Although donations of every size are appreciated, your participation is what matters most! That is why this year, we plan to celebrate all classrooms that reach 100% parent participation in supporting the Annual Fund with a special classroom treat.

## What is Annual Fund?

The Annual Fund is the unsung hero of our school's budget. It is different than any other fundraising effort at Calvary because it raises money to support the day-to-day operating budget of the current school year. Thus, your contributions have an immediate impact on your child's educational experience.

## Why is Annual Fund used as our Business Model?

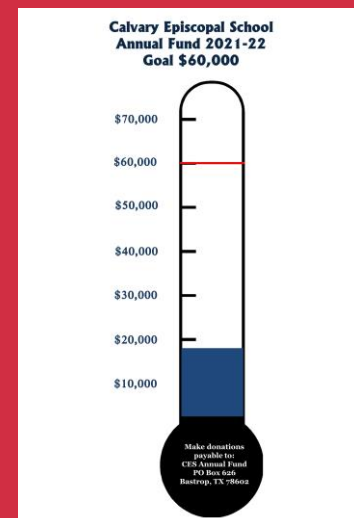
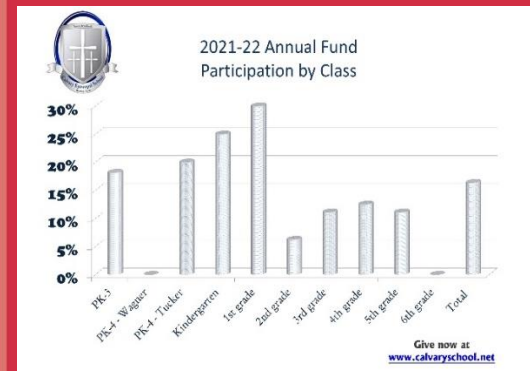
Annual Fund contributions help to close the "gap" between Calvary's operating costs and tuition. Closing this "gap" through fundraising helps keep tuition lower, making the Calvary experience accessible for a wider variety of families in our community.

## How is Annual Fund used?

The Annual Fund gifts impact all areas of Calvary. It is used to cover day-to-day operational expenses and support academic programs, improve facilities, purchase equipment / technology, support curricular expenses, faculty salaries, and professional development.

## How can I help?

Spread the word! Everyone in the Calvary Episcopal community is invited to make a tax-deductible contribution to Annual Fund – parents, grandparents, aunts/uncles, friends, alumni families, faculty, staff, the Board of Trustees, parishioners, church members or anyone else who believes in our children's ability to "...Give Light to the World.". Don't delay – make your pledge today!



## How to Contribute to Annual Fund:

- 1) Make a pledge, a monthly donation or a 1-time payment via ACH by emailing: [accounting@calvaryschool.net](mailto:accounting@calvaryschool.net)
- 2) Visit: [www.calvaryschool.net/giving](http://www.calvaryschool.net/giving) and click on the "DONATE" tab.
- 3) Mail payments to:  
Calvary Episcopal School  
P.O. Box 626  
Bastrop, Texas 78602

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