

# Mt. Calvary Christian Academy



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Student Handbook

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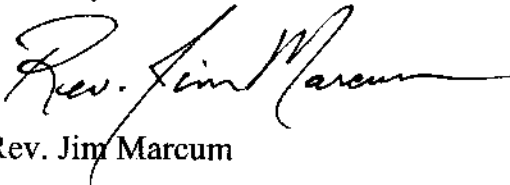
## A LETTER FROM THE PASTOR

As the new pastor of Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church, I want to welcome you to our 2006-2007 school season. We are grateful that you have chosen Mt. Calvary Christian Academy to educate your children.

Directly and indirectly, I have been involved in Christian education for 36 years. Christian education is not new to me, nor do I consider it a luxury. For me, Christian education is a must. My wife and I have two girls and both of them have been trained in Christian schools. My oldest daughter is now a teacher in a Christian Academy, while my youngest is a Senior at a Christian college. I believe in the necessity of a Christian education.

Mt. Calvary Christian Academy has now become an extension of your home, and we understand that you are allowing us to “parent” your child for the biggest portion of the day. That is an enormous responsibility. Therefore, the faculty and staff of Mt. Calvary Christian Academy and I will do our best to insure that your child receives the best Christian education possible. Please pray for us as we partner with you to train your child educationally and spiritually.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rev. Jim Marcum". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.

Rev. Jim Marcum

WE WANT YOU TO KNOW US!

Mt. Calvary Christian Academy is a vital ministry of Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church. Serving the families of the Eastern North Carolina area for over 38 years, we again dedicate ourselves to be the best Christian school we can possibly be.

The purpose of MCCA is to provide its students with an educational program that in its entirety exalts and glorifies the Lord Jesus Christ by making Him the center of all things.

MCCA is an extension of our Christian homes in training young people for time and eternity in a Christian environment. Through the ministry of Christian teachers, Biblical standards of Christian living, spiritual and moral values and a practical philosophy our school will work closely with parents to train the whole child.

We are excited about the upcoming school year and the unlimited potential within our student body.

Together let us make this year the best school year possible for the glory of Christ.

If we can be of any service to you throughout this year please call or come by.

In Christ,



Michael J. Fulcher  
Principal

## **CHURCH - SCHOOL RELATIONSHIP**

Mt. Calvary Christian Academy is a ministry of Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church. Without the vision and support from the congregation of Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church, MCCA could not exist. Therefore, MCCA will support and promote Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church. While we realize that many of our students and families may not attend Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church we ask that students and parents be supportive of the ministry of Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church and MCCA. Any student or parent found to be out of harmony with MCCA or Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church will be asked to withdraw from MCCA and find a school and ministry they can support.

## **CHURCH ATTENDANCE**

We desire that all MCCA students attend a Bible-preaching church and Sunday school of their choice. If a student does not have a regular church home, we recommend the ministry of Mt. Calvary FWB Church. We would love to have you come visit with us anytime. If you should have questions, please feel free to call us at (252) 747-8111.

## **SCHOOL BOARD**

Because our school is a ministry of our church, the Mt. Calvary Christian Academy School Board is elected by the Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church body. The Board is answerable to the congregation of Mt. Calvary Free Will Baptist Church in all of its deliberations.