

# Calvary OPC celebrates 75th Anniversary

November 13, 2011

Members & friends of Calvary Orthodox Presbyterian Church gathered together to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of the founding of the church. Their first Sunday service was held at a rented building located at Davis & Pacific Aves. in Wildwood in July 1936. Calvary OPC is one of 24 original congregations of that denomination that is still in service today. The church at 119 E. Rio Grande Ave. was dedicated on July 7, 1946. They have always been known for their interest in foreign missions, which was originally fostered during its early beginnings. The Boardwalk Chapel has also been part of their ministry for over 60 summers.



Calvary Pastors: L-R George Kostas, 1984-94, David Cole 1980-84, James Zozzaro (1995-present), Richard Gerber 1971-79



Rev. George Kostas with Elder Emeritis Joe MacClain



Bruce Fenton & Elder Ron McGowan



Ray Forbes, Connie Hunt & Rich Kayander



Lifetime Friends and charter members Rebecca Mullen & Phoebe McGowan



3 Generations: Jennifer Collins, Jan McDonough, and Farrah Collins



Bev Roach, Grace Mullen, Charlotte DeVries, and Wendy Cole



Bunny McGowan with son-in-law Norm Beischer and daughters Tracey & Michelle