

SCRC Pastoral Candidates – The Pastor search committee would like to inform the congregation that two pastoral candidates will be arriving at SCRC to meet and lead us in worship in August. Pastor Greg Dyk from New Era CRC in New Era, MI will preach on August 1st. Pastor Brian Dunn from 1st CRC of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada will preach on August 15th. An email was sent out this week with links to their websites if you wanted to learn more about the candidates or watch some recorded sermons. We will share a more detailed list of their time/availability in the weeks to come. You are always encouraged to join us in worship, but please mark your calendars for these dates so that both Pastors can know what it is like to worship at Stephenville CRC.

Summer Ladies Coffee Break – This Thursday will be our last week in our summer Bible study titled “Forgiveness” by Douglas Connelly. We will start our next study in the fall on August 26th.

***Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

Guest Preachers – Pastor Ron Hassell will be leading our morning worship service on Sunday, July 25th and Pastor Gideon Wamala will be leading worship on Sunday, August 8th.

***Prayer Requests:**

- Our Resonate Global missionary family the Gryglewicz’s in Haiti. Kim is due to have her 3rd girl in August. The family is now safely back in the US. Prayers for the country of Haiti during these times of unrest.
- Our Resonate Global missionary family the Sytsma’s in Uganda. They are still in lockdown due to the increase of the Covid variant.
- Our monthly campaign, Mission India, and their ministry to the people of India. And for the people in India affected by the resurgence of Covid in the poverty-stricken areas where basic health care is unavailable.
- Stephenville Christian School and all other schools in our area. Prayers for the staff as they begin preparations for the next school year.
- A hedge of protection for the SCRC council and congregation.
- Our congregation as we seek God’s will for who our next Pastor will be.
- All those who are sick or having ailments with their bodies within our congregation.
- The family of Leon Heijligers, who passed away in a car accident last month.
- For Heidi Velsen, who had surgery last week and had a piece of her intestines removed. Prayers for quick healing.
- Dennis Faber, Jake Marcy’s dad, who is battling blood cancer and is in the hospital in Sioux Falls, Iowa.
- For Jenny Van Der Molen who broke her femur bone and will be recovering over the next few months.

Stephenville Christian Reformed Church



Pastor Richard Hartwell
July 18, 2021

Sunday Morning Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

One: Lift up your heads, you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

All: “Who is this King of glory?”

One: The LORD strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle.

All: “Lift up your heads, you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.”

One: Who is he, this King of glory?

All: The LORD Almighty—he is the King of glory.

*Mutual Greeting

*Opening Songs of Praise:

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” LUYH 575 (All)

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing” LUYH 599 (All)

Offering: General Fund

Children’s Message

*Song of Praise “The Power of the Cross”

Congregational Prayer

Scripture Reading:

“Summer In the Psalms Series” – Psalm 47 & Romans 16:25-27

“Farewell”

*Song of Response: “Like a River Glorious” LUYH 699 (All)

*Benediction

*Doxology: “Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing” LUYH 933 (All)

Postlude

Stephenville Christian Reformed Church News



Welcome to our fellowship, where we are gathered together as friends and family to worship and praise our God. If you are visiting with us, we are glad that you are here! This morning will be Pastor Hartwell’s last Sunday as our interim Pastor and he will be preaching from Psalm 47. Following morning worship, please stick around for a farewell potluck!

Weekly Schedule:

Sunday 10:30am Morning Worship

Thursday 9:00am Ladies Coffee Break

Sunday Cookie Duty:

July 18: Church Potluck

July 25: Lynn Lail

August 1: Kali Osinga

August 8: Shirley Osinga

Offering Schedule:

July 18: General Fund

July 25: General Fund & Mission India

August 1: General Fund

August 8: General Fund & Stephenville Christian School

Nursery Duty:

July 18: Linda Beukeboom

July 25: Maryke Hernandez

August 1: Pietra DeBoer

August 8: KayKay Osinga

News/Reminders:

Monthly Capital Campaign – The July capital campaign is for Mission India. Their vision is to see India transformed by the love of Christ and their mission is to equip India’s Christians to plant reproducing churches. Mission India spreads the gospel through children’s Bible clubs, adult literacy classes, and church planter training. They have 30+ years of experience partnering with Indian believers. Their ministry partners represent the finest, most respected mission-minded groups throughout India. You can find out more information about this month’s capital campaign at <https://missionindia.org/>. The offering for Mission India will be Sunday, July 25th.

Children’s Nursery – Our nursery is back open for those who want to put their young children in during morning worship. If you would like to be a volunteer one Sunday morning, please let Desiree Stoker know.