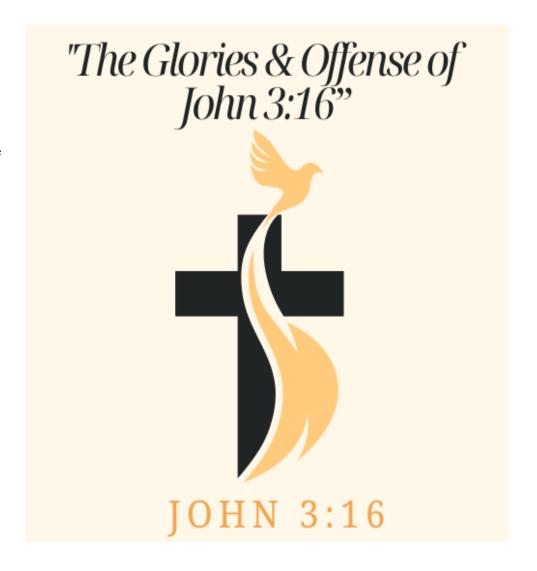
#### \*Prayer Requests:

- Our Resonate Global missionary family, the Sytsma's, who are in Uganda.
- For Stephenville Christian Academy and all other schools in our area. For the health and safety of the faculty and students this fall.
- For Joy Osinga, and the restoration of her kidneys. Praise that her kidney numbers have increased in the past few weeks.
- Continued prayers for Brady Miller as he finished his 42-week treatment of proton therapy/radiation. He will have a scan on Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> to determine if he's considered NED (no evidence of disease) or if they will begin a new treatment.
- Continued prayers for Macee as she battles health issues.
- For the expectant mothers in our SCRC family, Madison Earlanson, Maryke Hernadez and Bregtje Vandermeer. For health and strength throughout their pregnancies, for safe deliveries, and for God's peace and protection over all mothers and babies.
- For Kimberly, Owen & Janet's daughter-in-law, who will be having surgery on December 11<sup>th</sup> to remove a benign brain tumor that has been causing seizures.
- For Judy Hartwell who is continuing chemotherapy after they found growth in a tumor in her abdomen. The doctors have scheduled surgery to remove some of the smaller tumors in the coming months.

# Stephenville Christian Reformed Church



Pastor Ryan Denton November 23, 2025

# **Sunday Morning Service**

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship:

Reader: Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His steadfast love endures forever."

**Congregation:** We gather to praise the God whose love never ends.

Reader: The LORD has made His salvation known and revealed His righteousness to the nations.

<u>Congregation</u>: We worship Jesus the Messiah—given for the world—and the Spirit who makes this salvation known.

<u>Reader</u>: The LORD is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

**Congregation:** We humbly worship the Lord, our God, in spirit and in truth.

Prayer

\*God's Greeting/Mutual Greeting

\*Opening Songs: "You Are My All In All"

"How Great Thou Art" LUYH 553 (1-3)

Offering: General Fund & Classis Rocky Mountain Church Plant Immanuel Kadosh

Children's Message

Congregational Prayer

Message: "The Glories & Offense of John 3:16"

Scripture: John 3:16

\*Song of Response: "Blessed Assurance" LUYH 363 (1-3)

\*Benediction

\*Doxology: "By the Sea of Crystal" LUYH 489 (1-3)

# **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, we welcome Pastor Ryan Denton to lead our morning worship service, and he will be preaching over John 3:16. Following worship, please join us for a time of fellowship with coffee & cookies. At 11:45 there will be practice for the Children's Christmas program and also for the adult Christmas choir.

#### **Weekly Schedule**

Sunday 10:30am Morning Worship
11:45am Practice for the Children's Christmas
Program & Adult Christmas Choir
7:00pm Community Thanksgiving Service @ SHS
Wednesday 6:00pm SCRC Thanksgiving Service

#### **Offering Schedule**

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November 23: General Fund & Classis Church Plant

November 26: Local Food Bank

**November 30:** General Fund & Benevolence

December 7: General Fund

December 14: General Fund & Stephenville Christian

#### **Wednesday Cooking**

**November 26:** No WFN

**December 3:** Pizza (Last WFN)

**December 10:** No WFN **December 17:** No WFN

#### **Sound Booth**

**November 23:** Justice & James **November 26:** Honor & Ryland

November 30: Kaleb & Shaun

# **December 7:** Justice & Dillinger

### **Nursery Duty**

November 23: Janna & Danyelle November 30: Laura & Kylie

December 7: Linda & Noemy

December 14: Jennifer & Arianna

#### **Sunday Cookie Duty**

November 23: Annemarie Werkman

November 30: Maryke Hernandez December 7: CoriAnn Kalsbeek

December 14: Lynn Lail

#### \*News/Reminders:

**Monthly Capital Campaign** – The November capital campaign is for a Classis Rocky Mountain church plant, Kadosh Emmanuel, located in Houston, Texas. "God has opened doors for us in this area to plant a church because we understand the need this community has to re-insert Christian values through

the gospel of Jesus Christ. This area is predominantly Hispanic, and we believe our testimony and devotion can positively influence these families. We have hopes that in 5 years we will be a biblically strong church that practices the law of God through scripture and will have strong and loving church members that work together towards the same goals to reach others, through prayer, love, understanding, and service." We will take the offering in support of this church plant this morning as the second offering.

Elder and Deacon Nominations Accepted – At the congregational meeting on December 7<sup>th</sup>, we will be selecting one new deacon and one new elder to join the council. The men who have accepted their nomination for Deacon are Klaas Schievink and Jonathan Osinga. The men who have accepted their nomination for Elder are Frank Kalsbeek, James Tucker, and Joseph Osinga. Please be in prayer for these leaders and the upcoming congregational meeting. Our outgoing Elder is Roeland Stoker and Deacon is Chantz Williamson. Thank you, gentlemen, for your 3 years of service on the SCRC council.

#### \*Upcoming Dates to Remember:

Pulpit Supply – Pastor Donald Draayer will be leading all of the services during the advent season starting on November 30<sup>th</sup> through December 25<sup>th</sup>. Children's Christmas Program/Christmas Choir – Practice for the children's Christmas program (1st-8th grade) will begin this morning and will be held every Sunday after church until the program on December 21st @ 6:00 pm. Adults who would like to sing in the Christmas choir, please meet in the coffee break room following service for practice.

**Community Thanksgiving Service** – The community is invited to join in a Thanksgiving worship service hosted by the Stephenville Ministerial Alliance this evening, November 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6 pm at the Stephenville High School Auditorium.

**Thanksgiving Break Dates/Service** – The week of Thanksgiving break we will not have any education classes. Instead, you are invited to join us for a special Thanksgiving service on Wednesday, the 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm. We will take a special offering to support a local food bank.

**Church Christmas Decorating** – The worship committee invites everyone to join them immediately following our Thanksgiving service to decorate the church for the upcoming Christmas season.

Congregational Meeting – Join us Sunday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm for our yearly congregational meeting to approve the 2026 budget and also elect a new Elder and Deacon. Following the meeting, everyone is invited to join us for a soup/sandwich potluck followed by our annual SERVE bake-off fundraiser to support the 16 youth and 3 leaders who will attend SERVE 2026 in Niagara, Ontario.