

# Stephenville Christian Reformed Church

better care for their land, produce more food, save money, and connect the Christian faith to everyday life through Bible study and skills training. She facilitates farmer study groups on agriculture, caring for creation, and nutrition. She also teaches fuel-efficient and nutritious ways of cooking, building clay ovens, and baking. We will take the offering in support of the Sytsma's ministry this morning.

**From Anthony & Sara Sytsma** – “Dear Friends, we know you have been praying for Anthony's dad as he went through chemo treatments over the past 3 months. We want to share an exciting answer to prayer: that after those treatments, there is no sign of cancer in his body anymore! This is a far better result than any of us expected, and we are so grateful for his healing. He will still have to do immunotherapy over the next year, but that doesn't have the kind of side effects that chemo does, so it should not be unpleasant. Thank you for praying with us!”

**Family Visitation** – The council is planning to visit every family once again this year. Visits will be on Monday and Tuesday evenings starting on Monday, September 26. The visitation schedule will be sent to everyone's email and is also posted on the bulletin board. If the scheduled time does not work or you would like to meet in church instead of your home, please contact the visiting elders. Our visit will be guided by Philippians 4:4-9. Please read this passage before the visit and pray for God's blessing and his Holy Spirit on this season of family visiting.

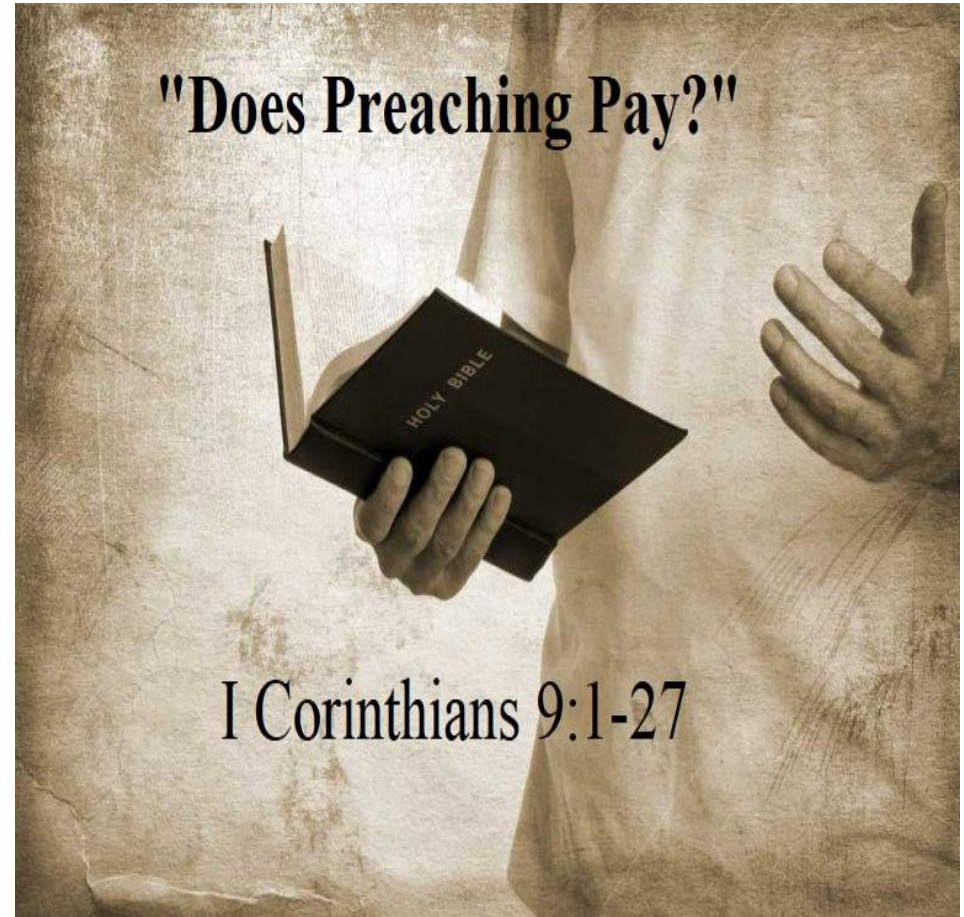
#### **\*Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

**Choices Clinic Banquet** – Choices Clinic will be having their annual fundraiser on October 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm. There are still 3 seats available at the SCRC table. If you would like to attend and sit with our SCRC members, please let Desiree know.

**Classis Rocky Mountain Meeting** – Classis Rocky Mountain will be held on Friday & Saturday, October 14-15 in Denver, Colorado. Pastor Greg and Elder James Tucker will be the delegates representing Stephenville CRC.

#### **\*Prayer Requests:**

- Our Resonate Global missionary family the Sytsma's who are in Uganda and for our Haiti missionaries, the Gryglewicz's.
- For Stephenville Christian School and all other schools in our area. For the health and safety of the faculty and students as they go to school each day.
- For our fall education programs. For our teachers as they teach others about the love of Christ and for our students & adults as they learn more about the Bible and deepen their faith.
- For Brugt and Caitlyn Schievink who are expecting a baby girl in February and for Gabriel and Maryke Hernandez who are expecting their 1<sup>st</sup> baby in March of 2023.
- All those who are sick or having ailments with their bodies in our congregation.
- For our country and the leaders in charge making decisions each day.
- For the persecuted church around the world.



**Pastor Greg Dyk**  
**Sunday September 25, 2022**

# Sunday Morning Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

**\*A Call to Worship: Psalm 8**

\*Song of Response: “Lord, Our Lord, Your Glorious Name”  
LUYH 500 (1,2,4)

\*God’s Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

\*Song of Praise: “Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns” LUYH 261 (1-3,5)

Confession and Pardon of our Sin

### **To Give Thanks**

Offering: General Fund & Resonate Global Missionaries The Sytsma’s

Children’s Message

Congregational Prayer

### **We Listen to His Word**

\*Song of Preparation: “Speak, O Lord” LUYH 755 (1,2)

Scripture: I Corinthians 9:1-27

Sermon Title: “Does Preaching Pay?”

Prayer

Song: “Ancient Words” LUYH 762 (1-2)

\*God’s Blessing

\*Sending: “We Receive Your Blessing” LUYH 947

# 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, Pastor Greg will be continuing his series in I Corinthians. Following morning worship, please join us for a time of fellowship with coffee and cookies. At 11:45 am, we have Sunday school classes for ages Pre-K 3 to adult. Then join us tonight at 6:00 for evening service where we will be studying Ephesians 2:1-22.

### **Weekly Schedule:**

**Sunday 10:30am** Morning Worship Service

**11:45am** Sunday School

**6:00pm** Sunday Evening Worship

**Wednesday 6:00pm** Wednesday Family Night

**Thursday 9:30am** Ladies Coffee Break

### **Offering Schedule:**

**September 25:** General Fund & Anthony & Sara Sytsma

**October 2:** General Fund

**October 9:** General Fund & Stephenville Christian School

**October 16:** General Fund

### **Wednesday Night Cooking:**

**September 28:** Sarah & Cody

**October 5:** Jessica Overstreet

**October 12:** Kay Dyk

**October 19:** Desiree Stoker

**October 26:** Kristin Hoekstra

**November 2:** Volunteer Needed

### **Sunday Cookie Duty**

**September 25:** Heidi Velsen

**October 2:** Caitlyn Schievink

**October 9:** Laura Osinga

**October 16:** Rita Huisman

### **Nursery Duty:**

**September 25:** Shawna DeBoer

**October 2:** KayKay Osinga

**October 9:** DeeDee Stoker

**October 16:** Janna Williamson

### **\*News/Reminders:**

**Monthly Capital Campaign** – The September capital campaign is for Resonate Global missionaries, Anthony & Sara Sytsma. The Sytsma’s work mainly with churches from the Pentecostal Assemblies of God Uganda (PAGU) in the region surrounding Soroti, Uganda where they live. Anthony encourages and mentors’ pastors who face many challenges in ministry and who themselves need pastoral care. He teaches informal groups of church leaders through curriculums like Timothy Leadership Training (TLT), and a curriculum he helped to write called “Helping Without Hurting in Africa” based on the book When Helping Hurts. Sara works in churches and communities to help farmers