

***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 Brugt and Caitlyn Schievink who are expecting a baby girl in February. For Gabriel and Maryke Hernandez who are expecting a baby girl in March. And for Eric and Jessica Doyle who are expecting a baby boy in early May.
- All those who are sick or have ailments with their bodies in our congregation. A hedge of protection over our city and community during cold and flu season.
- Safety to everyone traveling for the Thanksgiving holiday.
- For our country and the leaders in charge of making decisions each day.
- For the persecuted church around the world.

Stephenville Christian Reformed Church



Pastor Greg Dyk
Sunday November 20, 2022

Sunday Morning Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

***A Call to Worship**

One: Give thanks to the Lord, proclaim God's greatness.

All: Tell the nations what God has done.

One: The Lord is our God; sing praise to the Lord.

All: Let all who worship God rejoice.

One: God will keep his covenant forever, His promises last for a thousand generations.

All: Come, let us praise the Lord!

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting: Pastor - "The peace of God be with you.

Congregation - "And also with you."

*Songs of Praise:

"Come, All You People, Praise Our God" LUYH 495 (1-3)

"Rejoice, the Lord is King" LUYH 224 (1-4)

Confession and Assurance

We Give Thanks

Offering: General Fund (Video from Crossroads Prison Ministries)

Children's Message

*Song of Praise – "Trust and Obey"

Congregational Prayer

We Listen to His Word

Scripture: I Corinthians 15:12-28; 50-58

Heidelberg Catechism Lords Day 17 Q&A 45

Heidelberg Catechism Lords Day 22 Q&A 57-58

Message: "Resurrecting Living Faith"

Prayer

*Song: "Abide with Me" LUYH 466 (1,2,4,5)

*God's Blessing

*Sending: "Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven" LUYH 179 (4)

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 concluding his sermon series in I Corinthians. Following morning worship, please join us for a time of fellowship with cake and coffee. Then at 11:45 am, Pre-K 3 to Jr. high classes will be starting Christmas program practice while the high school students have Sunday school. There will also be a meeting following church for anyone interested in singing in our Christmas Day choir. Then tonight, the community is invited to join together in a Thanksgiving worship service at 6 pm at the SHS Auditorium.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday 10:30am Morning Worship Service
11:45am Christmas Program Practice/
Sunday School for High School
6:00pm Community Thanksgiving
Service @ SHS Auditorium
Thursday 11:00pm Thanksgiving Service
Saturday 10:00pm Christmas Decorating Day

Offering Schedule

November 20: General Fund
November 24: Benevolence
November 27: General Fund &
Crossroads Prison Ministries
December 4: General Fund
December 11: General Fund & SCS

Sunday Cookie Duty

November 20: DeeDee Stoker
November 27: Jessica Doyle
December 4: Kay Dyk
December 11: CoriAnn Kalsbeek

Wednesday Night Cooking

November 23: No WFN
November 30: Linda Beukeboom
December 7: Laura Osinga
December 14: No WFN
December 21: No WFN
December 28: No WFN

Nursery Duty

November 20: Heidi Velsen
November 27: CoriAnn Kalsbeek
December 4: Pietra DeBoer
December 11: Maryke Hernandez

*News/Reminders:

Monthly Capital Campaign – The November Capital Campaign is for Crossroads Prison Ministry, formerly known as Crossroads Bible Institute. Crossroads connects prisoners with mentors in Christ-centered relationships so

that lives, prisons, and churches are restored through the Gospel. If you are interested in learning more about their mentorship program, you can go to their website at: <https://cpministries.org/mentorship-program>. The offering for this ministry will take place on Sunday, November 27th.

From the Worship Committee – We would love to have more people involved in our weekly worship services. If you would be willing to help lead a part of morning worship starting in January 2023, we have a sign-up sheet in the back by the member boxes with the parts of worship for volunteers to lead. Also, if you have a musical talent and would like to lead an offertory song, please let Pastor Greg know or another member of the worship committee.

Christmas Choir – We will have a special choir performance during our Christmas day worship service. If you are interested in taking part in the choir this year, we will have our 1st meeting after the service this morning and we plan to practice every Sunday until Christmas.

Family Visitation – The first round of family visitations has been completed. The families that did not get visited yet will be contacted in the coming weeks.

*Upcoming Dates to Remember:

Children's Christmas Program – Practice for the children's Christmas program will begin this morning and they will practice every Sunday during the Sunday School hour. The Christmas program will be on December 18th at 6:00.

SCRC Thanksgiving Service – Join us for our Thanksgiving service at 11 am on November 24th. During the week of Thanksgiving break (20-26), we will not have any educational programs and there will be no Sunday evening service on the 27th.

Church Christmas Decorating – The worship committee has invited everyone to decorate the church for Christmas THIS Saturday, November 26th at 10 am.

SERVE Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser – The SERVE team will be hosting a pancake breakfast next Sunday, November 27th at 9:15 am. All donations will go directly to SERVE 2023 costs.

Christmas Caroling – We will tentatively be Christmas caroling at local nursing homes on December 4th at 5:00 pm. This will not be confirmed until the week of, due to the amount of covid and flu cases in the community and if we will be allowed inside the building.

Congregational Meeting – Join us on Sunday, December 11th at 6 pm for our yearly congregational meeting followed by a soup/sandwich potluck. We will be approving the 2022 budget and also electing a new elder and deacon. After dinner, the SERVE team will be hosting a “bake-off” fundraiser with all proceeds going toward their 2023 SERVE trip to Alamosa, Colorado on June 17-24th.