

Christmas Giving Projects – For the holiday season, we will be collecting \$20 gift cards for gas or to HEB for Kingdom Threads to hand out to families in need during the holidays. We will also be packing 30 shoeboxes for Samaritans Purse. There is a sign-up sheet by the member boxes for needed items for the shoeboxes. These items need to be returned by November 17th.

***Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

SERVE Away Meeting – There will be a SERVE away meeting this Wednesday, October 23rd, at 5:30pm. If your child plans to go on the SERVE 2025 mission trip, please make sure you attend this meeting as we will be picking our top 3 choices.

Reformation Sunday/Communion – Join us next Sunday, October 27th for communion Sunday with the celebration of the 507th Reformation Sunday.

Monthly Adult Bible Study Update – Instead of meeting on November 5th (election day) for our monthly adult Bible study, we will be meeting the week before, on Tuesday, October 29th. We are currently in lesson 2 of our study "The Cross." If you would like a study book, please let Desiree Stoker know.

Thanksgiving potluck– Join us for our annual Thanksgiving potluck on November 3rd following morning worship. A signup sheet will be out soon.

Community Thanksgiving Service – The community is invited to join in a Thanksgiving worship service hosted by the Stephenville Ministerial Alliance on Sunday, November 24th at 6 pm at the Stephenville High School Auditorium.

***Prayer Requests:**

- Our Resonate Global missionary family the Sytsma's who are in Uganda and for our Haiti missionaries, the Gryglewicz's who are currently ministering to Haitian communities in Florida.
- 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.
- Praise that the cancer treatment for Margreet Osinga's sister Anja Kooi, has been working and the tumor has dramatically shrunk.
- For Frank Kalsbeek's sister Joni Rollema who has stage 4 cancer.
- Desiree's aunt Mary lost her battle with cancer this past Wednesday. Prayers for comfort for her family in Texas and Nebraska.
- For continued healing and strength for Kay's nephew who has been having health issues. Praise that he is feeling better and was able to return home.
- For Jochum Schievink and Marsha Vogelvanger who both lost their fathers last month.
- For Janna and Chantz Williamson who will be welcoming their third child in November.
- A hedge of protection for the SCRC council and congregation.
- All those who are sick or having ailments with their bodies in our congregation.
- For our country and leaders in charge.
- For those who have been impacted by Hurricane Helene and Hurricane Milton.

Stephenville Christian Reformed Church

"The Gift"



MALACHI 3:6-12, MATTHEW 6:1-4

Pastor Greg Dyk
Sunday October 20, 2024

Sunday Morning Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

*God’s Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

*Songs of Praise: “When Morning Gilds the Sky” LUYH 372 (1-4)

“We Are an Offering” LUYH 874

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

God’s Will for Our Life

Children’s Message

*Song of Praise: “The Night Song”

Congregational Prayer

*Scripture Passage: Malachi 3:6-12, Matthew 6:1-4

Message: “The Gift”

Prayer

*Song: “Take My Life and Let It Be” LUYH 863 (1-4)

Offering: General Fund

*Sending Song: “We Give Thee but Thine Own” LUYH 877 (1-5)

*God’s Blessing

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 preaching from Malachi 3 and Matthew 6. Following morning worship, please join us for a time of fellowship with coffee and cookies. At 11:45 we have Sunday school classes for Pre-K 3 to adult.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday 10:30am Morning Worship

11:45am Sunday School

Wednesday 6:00pm Wednesday Family Night

Thursday 9:30am Ladies Coffee Break

Offering Schedule

October 20: General Fund

October 27: General Fund & World Renew Disaster Response Services

November 3: General Fund

November 10: General Fund & Stephenville Christian School

Wednesday Cooking

October 23: DeeDee Stoker

October 30: CoriAnn Kalsbeek

November 6: Esther Tucker

November 13: Linda Beukeboom

Sunday Cookie Duty

October 20: Margreet Osinga

October 27: Honor Overstreet

November 3: Thanksgiving Potluck

November 10: DeeDee Stoker

Nursery Duty

October 20: GeriAnn & Kylar

October 27: DeeDee & Paisley

November 3: Shawna & Katie

November 10: Janna & Macee

Council Greeter

October: Pieter Vandermeer

*News/Reminders:

Monthly Capital Campaign – The October capital campaign is for World Renew Disaster Response Services. World Renew DRS is coordinating with officials and other voluntary organizations in response to Hurricane Milton, which followed on the heels of Hurricane Helene which hit Florida’s Big Bend region this past week. World Renew is preparing to assist with needs from Hurricane Milton even as they are adding Hurricane Helene to their existing work in Sarasota, Florida, following Hurricane Debby in August 2024. They are making plans to offer clean-up, repair, and reconstruction services to homeowners affected by destruction from these recent storms. Their regional managers in Florida are coordinating with their partners to mobilize volunteer clean-up teams in the next two to three weeks. We will take our offering in support of this ministry on Sunday, October 27th.