

<http://tentschoolsint.org/>. The offering for TSI will be November 24th.

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 this Wednesday. If you signed up to bring an item for the boxes, please make sure and bring it on Wednesday.

***Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

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

Thanksgiving Break Dates – 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 27th at 6:30pm. We will be taking a special offering to support our benevolence fund.

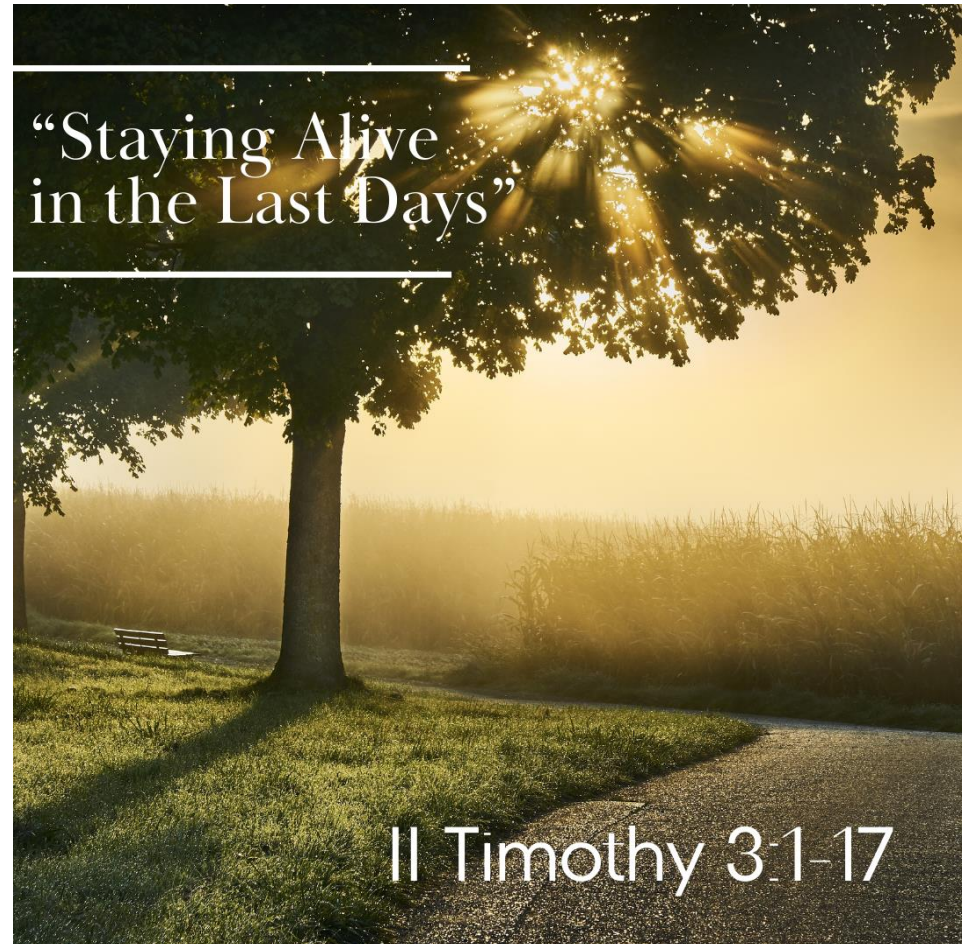
Church Christmas Decorating – The worship committee has invited everyone to join them on Saturday, November 30th at 10 am to decorate the church for the upcoming Christmas season.

Congregational Meeting – Join us on Sunday, December 8th at 6 pm for our yearly congregational meeting where we will be approving the 2025 budget and also electing 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 14 youth and 3 leaders who will attend SERVE 2025 in Gallatin Valley, Montana.

***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.
- For Pastor Greg who went to the urologist this past week where they found a legion on his prostate which will need to be biopsied.
- For Margreet Osinga's sister Anja Kooi who is battling cancer and has started immune therapy.
- For Frank Kalsbeek's sister Joni Rollema who has stage 4 cancer.
- For Joy Osinga who is currently waiting for confirmation to be put on the kidney transplant list. Prayers as she waits for a matching donor.
- For Jordan Kalsbeek and his family as they seek God's wisdom on the proper treatment for his seizures.
- For Jochum Schievink and Marsha Vogelvanger who both lost their fathers recently.
- 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 during this transition of leadership.

Stephenville Christian Reformed Church



Pastor Greg Dyk
Sunday November 17, 2024

Sunday Morning Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn: "Give Thanks" LUYH 358

*God's Greeting

*Prayer of Confession

*Song of Grace: "Like a River Glorious" LUYH 699 (V. 1-2)

*Mutual Greeting

*Song: "Let All Things Now Living" LUYH 5 (1-2)

Offering: General Fund

Children's Message

*Song of Praise: "How Great Thou Art"

Congregational Prayer

*Scripture: II Timothy 3:1-17

Message: "Staying Alive in the Last Days"

Prayer

*Song: "Children of the Heavenly Father" LUYH 23 (1-4)

*God's Blessing

*Sending Song: "God Be with You Till We Meet Again" LUYH 943 (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, Pastor Greg will be continuing his sermon series in II Timothy. Following morning worship, please join us for a time of fellowship with coffee and cookies. At 11:45 the students involved in the Christmas program will have practice and the high school & adults will have Sunday school class.

Weekly Schedule

Sunday 10:30am Morning Worship

11:45am Christmas Program Practice &
Sunday School for HS & Adults

Wednesday 6:00pm Wednesday Family Night

Thursday 9:30am Ladies Coffee Break

Offering Schedule

November 17: General Fund

November 24: General Fund &
Tent Schools International

November 27: Benevolence

December 1: General Fund

December 8: General Fund &
Stephenville Christian School

Wednesday Cooking

November 20: Linda Beukeboom

November 27: No WFN

December 4: Pizza

December 11: No WFN

Sunday Cookie Duty

November 17: Jessica Doyle

November 24: Kay Dyk

December 1: Maryke Hernandez

December 8: CoriAnn Kalsbeek

Council Greeter

November: Bert Velsen

*News/Reminders:

Monthly Capital Campaign – The November capital campaign is for Tent Schools International. "TSI" comes alongside Christian leaders in refugee camps and other transitional areas to establish educational opportunities for children fleeing war, persecution, and natural disasters. Non-governmental organizations (NGOs) supply food, water, and basic shelter, but most children seeking refuge do not have the opportunity to attend school. Temporary learning structures, technology, and resources for teachers are the most efficient, effective ways to bring education to displaced children, equipping them with the skills they need for life outside the camps. You can learn more about this ministry at