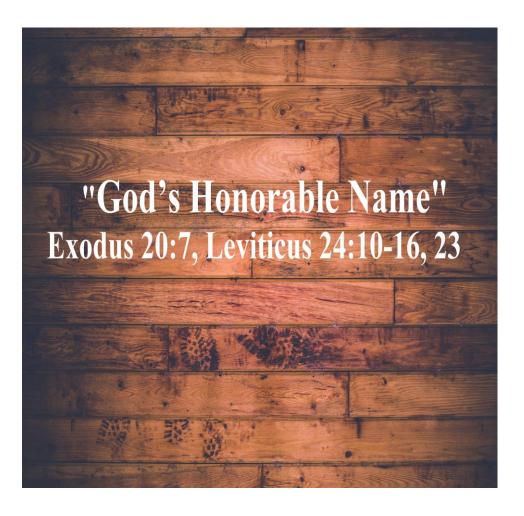
#### \*Prayer Requests:

- 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 Bregtje and Pieter VanderMeer who are expecting a baby in November.
- For Scott Lail who had spinal fusion surgery and is at home recovering. Prayers for quick healing and minimal pain.
- For Kay Dyk whose bloodwork came back, and the doctors have decided to postpone her surgery for a few months.
- For healing for Grace Osinga who had her tonsils and adenoids removed last Friday.
- For Owen Sieperda who is recovering from an intestinal blockage.
- For Owen & Janet Sieperda's great grandson who sustained a skull fracture and has been diagnosed with brittle bone disease.
- For complete healing for Audrey Veldhuizen who has shingles.
- 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 the leaders in charge making decisions each day.
- For the persecuted church.
- For rain.

# Stephenville Christian Reformed Church



Pastor Greg Dyk Sunday September 3, 2023

# **Sunday Morning Service**

# **Sermon Notes**

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 96:1, 6-9

<u>Leader</u>: Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord all the earth. <u>Congregation</u>: Splendor and majesty are before him; strength and glory are in his sanctuary.

<u>Leader</u>: Ascribe to the Lord, O families of nations, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

<u>Congregation</u>: Ascribe to the Lord the glory due His name, bring an offering and come into His courts.

<u>Leader</u>: Worship the Lord in the splendor of His holiness; **Congregation: Tremble before Him all the earth.** 

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

\*Songs of Praise: "Your Name" LUYH 375 (1-2)

"All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" LUYH 601 (1-4)

Offering: General Fund

Children's Message

\*Praise Song: "You Are My All in All"

Congregational Prayer

\*Scripture: Exodus 20:7, Leviticus 24:10-16, 23

\*Heidelberg Catechism LD 37 Q&A 99

Message: "God's Honorable Name"

Prayer

\*Song: "Holy God, We Praise Your Name" LUYH 540 (1,4)

\*God's Blessing

\*Sending Song: "Praise the Savior, Now and Ever" LUYH 191 (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 continuing his sermon series on God's law and will be preaching from the books of Exodus and Leviticus. 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 high school!

#### **Weekly Schedule**

Sunday 10:30am Morning Worship Service 11:45am Sunday School Wednesday 6:00pm Wednesday Family Night Thursday 9:30am Ladies Coffee Break

#### **Offering Schedule**

**September 3:** General Fund

**September 10:** General Fund & SCS

**September 17:** General Fund

September 24: General Fund &

Sytsma Uganda Missionaries

## **Wednesday Cooking**

**September 6:** Kay Dyk

September 13: GeriAnn Kalsbeek

September 20: Laura Osinga

**September 27:** Desiree Stoker

#### Sunday Cookie Duty

**September 3:** Jessica Hoekstra **September 10:** JoEllen Taylor

**September 17:** Potluck

September 24: Heidi Velsen

#### **Nursery Duty**

September 3: GeriAnn & Jaclyn

September 10: DeeDee & Ryland

September 17: Laura & Henry

September 24: Linda & Kate

## \*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 mentor's 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 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. Anthony and Sara will be visiting us on September 17th with Anthony leading the morning message and we will take our offering in support of their ministry on Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>.

Fall Education Classes – Join us every week for any of our education classes for ages Pre-K3 to Adult. Wednesday Family Night starts with dinner at 6:00 pm and Bible study classes begin at 6:30 pm. Pastor Greg will be leading the adult class and we will be continuing a study from last spring titled "Jesus Christ: Teacher, Servant and Savior" by John Stott. Ladies Coffee Break meets every Thursday at 9:30am and they have started a Life Guide study on the New Testament books of I Peter, II Peter and Jude by Carolyn Nystrom. Sunday School meets after Sunday morning service, and we have classes from Pre-K to High School.

Sunday Evening Service – The council has made the decision to discontinue weekly Sunday night worship. We will initiate and begin small groups that meet one or 2 Sunday evenings each month.

Preparation is in progress and the first night will be Sunday, September 10<sup>th</sup>.

### \*<u>Upcoming Dates to Remember</u>:

**Visit from our Uganda Missionaries, the Sytsma's** – On September 17<sup>th</sup>, Anthony and Sara Sytsma will be visiting us with Anthony leading the morning message. Following worship service, we will have a church potluck and there will be no Sunday school that day.

**Young Adult Bible Study** – The young adults will be meeting for Bible study this month on September 21<sup>st</sup> @6:30 at Heidi & Bert Velsen's house.