

***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. Also, for the country of Haiti in turmoil.
- 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 SERVE Stephenville. Continue to lift up our SERVE site in prayers as we prepare to host in June. Pray that all involved mirror their preparations, direction and hearts to God's will and that God prepare the hearts of those He has called to join us, both those who have already signed up and those who have yet to.
- For Kay Dyk, who had her back surgery over a week ago and is in a rehabilitation facility in Weatherford.
- For Frank Kalsbeek who had heart surgery this past Friday.
- For our couples who are all expecting the birth of a child this year: Heather and Lance Abaya, and JoEllen and Justin Taylor.
- 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.

Stephenville Christian Reformed Church



Pastor Greg Dyk
Sunday April 21, 2024

Sunday Morning Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

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

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less" LUYH 772 (1-4)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

God's Will for Our Life

Offering: General Fund

Children's Message

*Song of Praise: "Meekness and Majesty"

Congregational Prayer

"The Blessed Ones" – A Series on the Beatitudes

*Scripture: Matthew 5:1-12

Message: "The Freedom in Meekness"

Prayer

*Song: "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" LUYH 737 (1-4)

*God's Blessing

*Sending Song: "Glory to God" LUYH 84

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 on the Beatitudes called “The Blessed Ones” in Matthew 5. 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
11:45pm Sunday School
6:00pm SERVE Meeting
Wednesday 6:00pm Wednesday Family Night
Thursday 9:30am Ladies Coffee Break

Offering Schedule

April 21: General Fund
April 28: General Fund & Gryglewicz Missionary Family
May 5: General Fund
May 12: General Fund & Stephenville Christian School

Wednesday Night Cooking

April 24: GeriAnn Kalsbeek
May 1: Jennifer Osinga

Nursery Duty

April 21: Shawna & Jaclyn
April 28: GeriAnn & Ryland
May 5: DeeDee & Henry
May 12: Janna & Kate

Sunday Cookie Duty

April 21: Margreet Osinga
April 28: Honor Overstreet
May 5: Janelle Thiebaud
May 12: Jessica Doyle

*News/Reminders:

Monthly Capital Campaign – The April capital campaign is for our Resonate Global Missionaries, Johnny and Kim Gryglewicz.” Their vision is to love and serve the people of Haiti and to share in Gospel-centered, whole-community transformation. Due to the worsening security crisis in the country, the Gryglewicz’s have relocated to South Florida. Johnny is continuing to remotely oversee the field office and is working with Haitian pastors in Florida to plant churches. Both Kim and Johnny are connecting

with the Haitian diaspora community as well as assisting with the increased immigration of Haitians fleeing the devastating gang violence. Please pray for stability to return to Haiti and for their Haitian staff and their communities facing ongoing shortages and threats of violence. We will take the offering on Sunday, April 28th.

SERVE Day Away – For SERVE Stephenville, we will be having the “day away” at the Fort Worth Rodeo on Friday, June 21st. An email was sent out last week with the details and a headcount is needed by TODAY. There has been a price update due to taxes & fees and it is \$42.14 per person. We have also booked a room for dinner at “Las Vaqueros” and the cost will be \$20 per person which covers a taco dinner, chips/salsa and a drink. Please respond to the email if you would like to attend or let Jennifer Osinga know.

*Upcoming Dates to Remember:

SERVE Stephenville Meeting – If you would like to help in any aspect of the Stephenville SERVE, we will be having a meeting for everyone involved this evening at 6:00pm. If you have not filled out a background check yet, we need that ASAP. Forms have been put in your member boxes or there are extra copies by the member boxes.

SCS Fine Arts Program – Come out to support the students at Stephenville Christian School for their yearly Fine Arts program this Thursday, April 25th at 6:30 pm. “SCS Fine Arts Night is a school-sponsored event that allows students to discover and develop their creativity & talent through singing, sharing scripture, playing an instrument & various class projects. Our heart for students is that they would grow confident in their abilities and that they would use these gifts to glorify God in the community & the local church.”

End of Year Education Dates – Summer break is almost here for our education programs. Our last Wednesday Family Night will be May 1st and May 5th will be the last day of Sunday school. We will have a special teacher recognition on Sunday, May 5th during the morning worship service. Ladies Coffee Break will end their spring study on hospitality on Thursday, May 16th.

SERVE 2024 – Our youth group will be attending SERVE this year in Sioux Falls South Dakota from July 20th to July 27th. We will have 6 young men attending with leader Roeland Stoker. Please keep the youth and leaders in your prayers over the next few months as they prepare for this mission trip!