

**\*Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

**End of Year Education Dates** – Summer break is here for most of our education programs. Sunday School will resume on August 18<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday Family Night will resume on August 21<sup>st</sup>. Ladies Coffee Break will end their spring study on hospitality this Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Senior Sunday** – On Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup> we will recognize our graduating seniors: Jessica Hoekstra and Katelyn Lail.

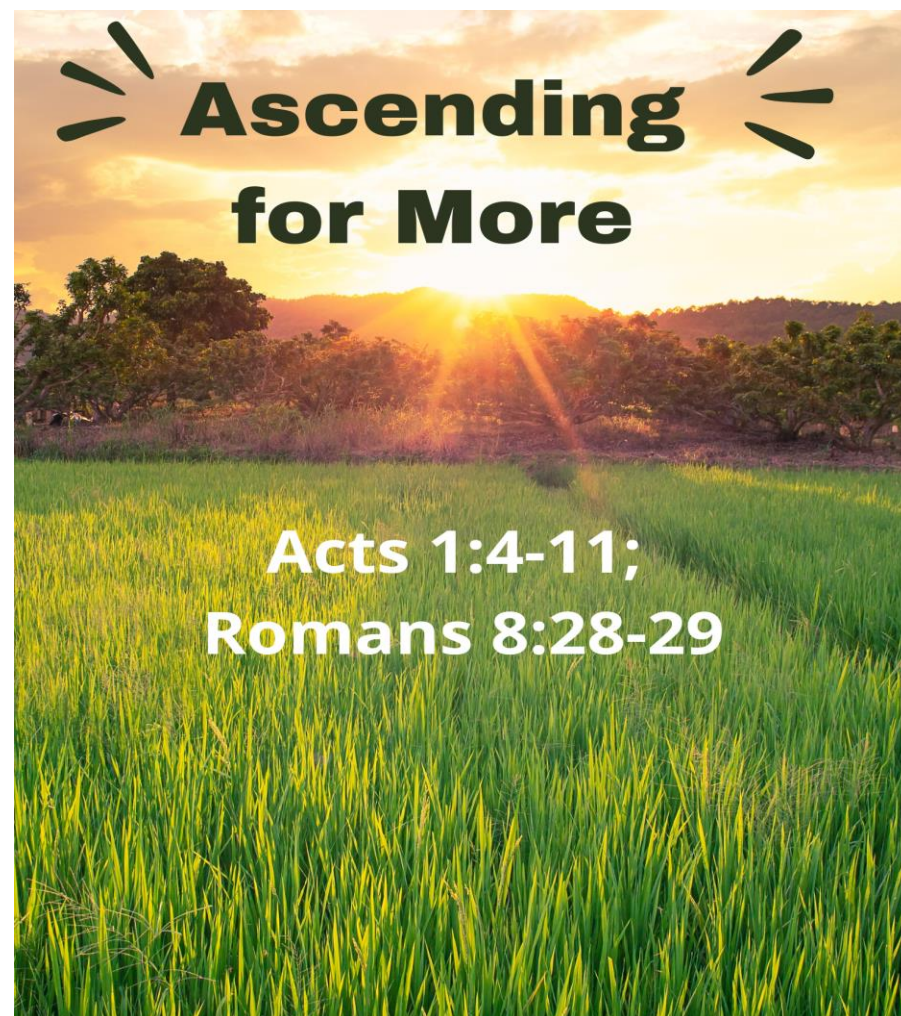
**SERVE Stephenville** – The countdown is on! We are a little under 5 weeks from the arrival of our SERVE Stephenville participants.

**SERVE 2024** – Our youth group will be attending SERVE this year in Sioux Falls South Dakota from July 20<sup>th</sup> to July 27<sup>th</sup>. 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!

**\*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 healing and strength for Kay Dyk, who had back surgery last month.
- For our couples who are all expecting the birth of a child in the next year: Heather and Lance Abaya, JoEllen and Justin Taylor, and Janna and Chantz Williamson.
- 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 May 12, 2024**

# Sunday Morning Service

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship

Leader: Clap your hands, all you people; shout to God with songs of joy.

**Congregation: For the Lord the Most High, is awesome, a great king over all the earth.**

Leader: The Lord, he is King. He is robed in majesty; the Lord is girded with strength.

**Congregation: He has established the world; and it shall never be moved.**

Leader: Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, Let us hold fast to our confession.

**Congregation: Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace in our time of need.**

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

\*Songs: "Rejoice, the Lord is King" LUYH 224 (1-4)

"Jesus Shall Reign" LUYH 219 (1, 3, 5)

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance

Offering: General Fund & Stephenville Christian School

Children's Message

We Honor all Mothers on Mother's Day

\*Song of Praise" – "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

Congregational Prayer

\*Scripture: Acts 1:4-11; Romans 8:28-29

Message: "Ascending for More"

Prayer

\*Song: "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus" LUYH 831 (1-3)

\*God's Blessing

\*Sending Song: "Crown Him with Many Crowns" LUYH 223 (1,4)

# 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 preaching from Acts 1 and Romans 8. Following morning worship, please join us for a time of fellowship with coffee and cookies. Sunday school classes are on break until August.

## Offering Schedule

**May 12:** General Fund & Stephenville Christian School

**May 19:** General Fund

**May 26:** General Fund & Classis Rocky Mountain  
Church Plant: Mission of Faith in McAllen, Tx

**June 2:** General Fund

## Weekly Schedule

**Sunday 10:30am** Morning Worship Service

**Thursday 9:30am** Ladies Coffee Break

## Nursery Duty

**May 12:** Janna & Kate

**May 19:** Laura & Kylar

**May 26:** Linda & Paisley

**June 2:** Jennifer & Katie

## Sunday Cookie Duty

**May 12:** DeeDee Stoker

**May 19:** Jessica Doyle

**May 26:** Maryke Hernandez

**June 2:** Kay Dyk

## \*News/Reminders:

**Monthly Capital Campaign** – The May capital campaign is for Texas church planters in Classis Rocky Mountain. Manuel Sosa and his wife Sandra are planting a church in McAllen, Tx. Manuel and his family are originally from Argentina and are planting a church, Mission of Faith, in McAllen, Tx. He has an R1 Visa, which allows him to legally pastor this church in the U.S. The requirement is that a full time salary of at least \$29,000 has to come from the church plant which they are not yet able to get. They are asking Classis RM with assistance of \$12,000 for this year. Several churches have already taken offerings within our Classis for Manuel and Sandra and we take ours on Sunday, May 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Nursery Coordinator Needed** – The worship committee is looking for someone to be the nursery coordinator. This person would be in charge of general oversight of the nursery, including setting up the monthly volunteer schedule, making sure volunteers show up for their day and overseeing the cleanliness of the nursery/toys. If you would like to help fill this need, please let Lynn or Desiree know.