

Today & Next Sunday, we have the joy of sharing in baptisms.

Church Family

Please see prayer chain or printed bulletin.

Prayer Chain

Please Email: prayerchain@escaloncrc.org

Helping Hands Ministry

Please contact one of the Pastors, Deacons or coordinator with requests.

Offering Schedule

Today, March 13th

AM: World Renew - Compelled by God's deep passion for justice and mercy, World Renew joins communities around the world to restore hope, reconcile lives, and restore creation.

PM: Elim Christian Schools - Provides educational, residential, and work services to those who are handicapped in order to develop their God-given potential for participation in society.

Next Week, March 20th

AM: Calvin Theological Seminary - Prepares men and women for ministry positions of leadership in the church and world.

PM: Harvest USA - A ministry dedicated to bringing the truth and mercy of Christ to those affected by sexual sin through providing biblical resources to individuals and churches.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, March 13th

- 8:45am - Sunday School
- 10:00am - Morning Service
- 6:00pm - Evening Service
- 7:15pm - Men's Bible Study

Monday, March 14th

- 7:00pm - Council Meeting
- 7:00pm - Women's Bible Study
- 7:00pm - Cadets
- 7:00pm - GEMS

Tuesday, March 15th

- 10:00am - Women's Bible Study
- 6:00pm - AA Bible Study
- 7:00pm - Sojourners

Wednesday, March 16th

- 7:00pm - Praise Team & Band
- 7:30pm - Choir

Thursday, March 17th

- 6:00pm - AA Meeting

Saturday, March 19th

- 6:00am - Men's Bible Study
- 8:00am - Cadets Paintball

Sunday, March 20th

- 8:45am - Sunday School
- 10:00am - Morning Service
- 6:00pm - Evening Service
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Church Announcements

Join us for cake following the service today, in celebration of **Janny K's** 90th birthday!

Council is meeting tomorrow evening at 7pm.

The Search Teams are happy to announce that we have candidates for each position that are planning a visit to our community. These visits will be a way to further interview the candidates and allow them to get to know our community as well.

On March 27 we will welcome our candidate for our Youth Director position, Lucas G.

On April 10 we welcome our candidate for the Associate Pastor of Congregational Care, Brent P. Pastor Brent will be preaching on that Sunday.

Watch for times when we will have public conversations with these individuals so that you have the opportunity to get introduced to them. Please also continue to keep them and our search teams in your prayers as we seek God's plans for the future.

Family Visitations will continue this week. We will be looking at Romans 12:1-8. Scheduling families with the last name *A-Hannink* is wrapping up. If you were not contacted for a visit and would like one, please contact the church office.

Wednesday, Mar 16

No 9am
10am:Dole, S

Thursday, Mar 17

7pm:Fisher, V
8pm:Cunningham, J

Monday, Mar 21

7pm:Grace, K
8pm:Dugo, B

Thursday, Mar 24

No 7pm
8pm:Dotinga, S

Thursday, Mar 17

7pm:Bergwerff, A
No 8pm

Monday, Mar 21

7pm: Doornenbal, R
No 8pm

Thursday, Mar 24

TBD

Community Announcements

Each March the **Stockton Gospel Center Rescue Mission** holds its program graduation in Ripon. You are cordially invited to share in the joy of this month's event today at 2pm at Immanuel CRC.

Escalon Farmington Community Garden Club is having a **Plant Sale** on Saturday April 2, 9am-4pm, at the United Methodist Church (2000 Jackson Ave Escalon). Funds from this sale will go towards a \$1,000 scholarship for an Escalon High School Graduate.

Please mark your calendar for Saturday, April 9th to attend the 40th Annual **RCS Merchandise & Livestock Auction**. The auction starts at 9:30am and will be held at the Escalon Livestock Yard (corner of Lone Tree & Escalon Bellota). If you cannot attend in person, there is an option to watch the auction and bid online via livestream. If you have a question regarding this year's auction, please contact Ken VG, or Ian K.

A **Grief Share Support Group** meeting takes place on Fridays from 2-4pm at Heritage Church in Escalon. Visit griefshare.com for more information.

Priceless Treasures was started 15 years ago to raise monies for Sierra Salem and Ripon Christian Schools. Last year they blessed these ministries with grants totaling \$160k from generous donations. The new year has continued to see an increase in customers and sales, but a decrease in donations. Teams of volunteer drivers are also needed for pickup of larger items. Please consider donating to Priceless Treasures for continued support to these wonderful ministries. Contact Brechtje H with any questions.

Sierra Salem Christian Homes has an opening for a full-time Executive Director. The Executive Director is a salaried position who oversees the overall management of the corporation in such a way as to advance the mission of Sierra Salem, to stay in conformity with all applicable state and federal regulations, and to maintain a loving and orderly community. For more information please visit sierrasalemchristianhomes.org