Next week, we plan to participate in the sacrament of communion. Let us take this week to prepare our hearts for this memorial of Christ's work. Be aware that gluten free bread will be available in the foyer before the service.

Church Family

Please see printed bulletin or prayer chain.

Offering Schedule

Today, May 14

AM: Focus on the Family - Serves to spread the Gospel to homes through various practical outreaches.

PM: Escalon Youth Center - A welcoming place for those 12-17 years old where they can hang out, play games, and hear God's Word.

<u>Next Sunday, May 21</u> AM: ReFrame Ministries PM: Harvest USA

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, May 14 8:45am - POF class 10:00am - Morning Service 6:00pm - Evening Service Tuesday, May 16 5:30pm - Sojourners Dinner 6:00pm - AA Bible Study Wednesday, May 17 9:30am - Senior Games 7:00pm - The Upper Room 7:00pm - Praise Team & Band Thursday, May 18 6:00pm - AA Meeting 7:00pm - Young Adult's Bible Study 7:30pm - Congregational Meeting Sunday, May 21 10:00am - Communion Service 6:00pm - Evening Service

Community Announcements

Haven of Peace invites you to a special fundraising event at the new Quick Quack Car Wash in Stockton (5112 Scott Creek Drive). Tomorrow, May 15, from 4-7pm, come preview the new car wash just days before their grand opening. Car washes are FREE, but donations are encouraged. Quick Quack will also match donations to help support Haven of Peace!

The **Happy Hymn Singers** will be singing at Vintage Faire Residential Care (3620 Dale Rd, Modesto) this Thursday, May 18, at 10am. Anyone is welcome! Any questions, please call Alice E.

The **American Legion** chapter in Escalon invites you to breakfast this Saturday, May 20, from 7-11am, at the American Legion Hall (1531 2nd St). Tickets are \$10. Please join us for a good meal, fun fellowship and a way to support our veterans, in honor of Armed Forces Day.

Church Announcements

Today begins the **Baby Bottle Fundraiser** for the Modesto Pregnancy Center, which runs from Mother's Day to Father's Day. Pick up a bottle from the foyer or Fellowship Hall, fill it with change, cash or checks, and return it by June 18.

The Sojourners' end-of-year dinner is this Tuesday, at 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Senior Games will be held this Wednesday, from 9:30-11am in the Fellowship Hall.

Our congregational meeting is this Thursday, May 18 at 7:30 pm. At this meeting, all professing members over the age of 16 are invited to vote on Council nominees, the proposed budget for the coming year and a proposal from the facilities team. Those that are unable to attend the meeting can fill out an absentee ballot for the Council nominees. Those ballots are available on the mailbox counter in the foyer and on the Fellowship Hall counter. Please fill out the ballots, place both in an envelope unfolded, then write and sign your name on the envelope and place it in one of the collection boxes.

Many **jackets** were left behind after the Upper Room vs Council cornhole tournament. Please check the kitchen pass-through counter to see if any are yours!

Vacation Bible School

June 26-30, 9am-12n Get ready for an out-of-this-world adventure at Stellar VBS, where kids will explore what it means to shine Jesus' light! This is for kids going into K-5th grade for the 2023-24 school year. Registration is now open for church members, and will open up to the community on June 2. Register online at escaloncrc.org. Registration will close June 12. We would love to accommodate as many kids as we can, but we need your help! Volunteer opportunities are available for church members who are going into 6th grade and older. Adults are especially needed! Sign ups are available online. Please pray about how you can help this year! If you have any questions, please contact Heidi V Thanks!



Prayer Chain Please Email: prayerchain@escaloncrc.org

Helping Hands Ministry

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