

**This morning**, we will be celebrating the sacrament of Communion. As we approach the table in faith, may God feed our spirits with his body and blood.

**Next Sunday**, we will celebrate in baptism.

### Church Family

Please see printed bulletin or prayer chain.



The grass  
witheres, the  
flower fades,

but the word  
of our God  
will stand  
forever.

Isaiah 40:8

### Offering Schedule

#### Today, September 17

**AM: Haven of Peace** - Located in French Camp, this cause serves women and children in abusive situations by providing a place of refuge.  
**PM: ThereforeGO Ministries** - Formerly Youth Unlimited, ThereforeGO Ministries helps churches challenge youth and emerging adults to commit their lives to Jesus Christ and transform this world for him.

#### Next Sunday, September 24

**AM: Stockton Gospel Mission**  
**PM: Elim Christian Services**

### Weekly Calendar

**Sunday, September 17**  
8:45am - Sunday School  
10:00am - Communion Service  
6:00pm - Evening Service  
**Monday, September 18**  
7:00pm - Evangelism Committee  
**Tuesday, September 19**  
6:00pm - AA Bible Study  
**Wednesday, September 20**  
7:00pm - The Upper Room  
7:00pm - Praise Team & Band  
**Thursday, September 21**  
6:00pm - AA Meeting  
6:30pm - Young Adult's Bible Study  
**Saturday, September 23**  
6:00am - Men's Bible Study  
**Sunday, September 24**  
C.A.R.E. Collected ~ Bread  
8:45am - Sunday School  
10:00am - Morning Service  
6:00pm - Evening Service  
7:15pm - Men's Bible Study

### Church Announcements

Attention **Nursery Volunteers**: We will have a meeting this morning, following the service in the Sanctuary. This meeting is for all adults, students (5th grade+) and interested volunteers, as we go over our new childcare policy and other nursery information.

Next Sunday, *bread* will be collected for **C.A.R.E.**

**Young Adult's Bible Study** is meeting this Thursday, Sept 21 at 6:30pm. Join us for dinner and a video study led by Pastor Lucas. All young adults (singles and couples) age 18+ are welcome!

Sunday evening **Men's Bible Study** begins next Sunday, Sept 24, and meets every other week. Any man graduated from high school and above is invited! Sign up or ask questions at the table outside of the Fellowship Hall.

Each Sunday morning, we livestream the service in the Upper Room. If you are looking for a more comfortable space, or if the sanctuary space is a bit tight, please consider this **over-flow option**.

**Children in Worship** is looking for two new leaders! If you are interested in this, please contact Yvonna R.

**Little Lambs** is also in need of a new teacher! If you are interested, please contact Tessa T.

Our deacons maintain an **adoption fund** to help support families in our church with the expenses involved in the adoption process. Please keep this fund in mind if you are considering adoption, or talk with a deacon for more information.

We like to maintain an up-to-date list of **CPR Certified** adults that can help in the nursery or other areas of the church in an emergency. Please contact the church office to let us know if we can put you on our list!

The **Happy Hymn Singers** will sing this Thursday, Sept 19, at Vintage Faire Residential Care (3620 Dale Rd, Modesto). Anyone is welcome! Any questions, call Alice E.

### Helping Hands Ministry

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

### Prayer Chain

Please Email: [prayerchain@escaloncrc.org](mailto:prayerchain@escaloncrc.org)