

This Morning, we are privileged to hear two professions of faith. We celebrate this step in their faith journey and pray for God's blessing as they commit to ongoing growth in that faith.

This Morning, we will be participating in the sacrament of communion. All those who have publically declared their faith and trust in Jesus as their Lord and Savior are invited to remember the gift of his grace signed and sealed in this sacrament.

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, September 18

AM: Modesto Gospel Mission - Provides a place of refuge both physically and spiritually for those who need help in many areas of their lives.

PM: The Upper Room - Helps fund our high school aged student's youth program.

Next Week, September 25

AM: Haven of Peace

PM: Harvest USA

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, September 18

8:45am - Sunday School
10:00am - Communion Service
6:00pm - Evening Service

Monday, September 19

7:00pm - The Bridge

Tuesday, September 20

5:30pm - Sojourners
6:00pm - AA Bible Study

Wednesday, September 21

7:00pm - Praise Team & Band
7:00pm - Upper Room

Thursday, September 22

6:00pm - AA Meeting

Saturday, September 24

6:00am - Men's Bible Study

Sunday, September 25

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

Next Sunday, *Bread* or *Cereal* will be collected for **C.A.R.E.**

The Bridge kicks off tomorrow night from 7-8:30 in the Fellowship Hall. If you are a student from 6-8th grade please plan to join us for a night of fun, fellowship, and worship!

Sojourners (a Bible study for senior couples or singles) will be starting their year with a social dinner this Tuesday, at 5:30pm. We will then be meeting twice a month on Tuesdays at 7pm. If you haven't participated in the past, but would be interested in joining us, please contact Pastor Dave so that you can be included in our anticipated numbers.

Ladies! You have two opportunities to study **ROMANS**: Monday evenings starting Sept 26 with a kick-off at 7pm, and Tuesday mornings starting Sept 27 at 10am with a kick-off brunch. There is childcare (infant-3yrs) and Story Hour (3-5yrs) on Tuesday mornings. Call Laura L for evening study and Norma D for morning study with any questions.

We would like to clean up the various **dishware** that has been left in the back of the kitchen after events. Please check to see if any of them are your items by next Sunday, Sept 25. All unclaimed dishes will be donated after this date!

Do you have medical supplies that you are not using? We would like to start a medical supply closet where the church would collect and then lend out items like crutches, knee scooters, wheelchairs or walkers. If you have an item you would be willing to donate, please contact the church office before dropping anything off.

Our deacons maintain an **adoption fund** to help support families in our church with the expenses involved in the adoption process. Consider giving to this fund to help those who choose to grow their family in this way; additionally, keep this fund in mind if you are considering adoption.

Community Announcements

Modesto Gospel Mission's Fall Gala is this Saturday, Sept 24, 5-9pm. For tickets visit modestogospelmission.org/2022-fall-gala

Farmington UMC invites you to its first annual **Fall Fling**. Saturday, Sept 24, 9am-2pm. Come enjoy the craft show, vendors and more!

Happy Hymn Singers will be singing at Vintage Faire Residential Care (3620 Dale Rd) on Thurs, Sept 29, at 10am. Please remember to bring some cookies or bars for the residents. Any questions, contact Nancy D.