**Next Sunday**, we plan to participate in the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Per the direction of scripture, all professing members are encouraged to take this week to examine themselves in preparation.

# Church Family

Please see prayer chain or printed bulletin for this week's church family announcements.

# **Community Announcements**

Each year, the EMA hosts a **Community** Thanksgiving dinner at the Community Center in Escalon on Thanksgiving day. We are looking for volunteers to help out in the kitchen. in the dining room, with deliveries of meals and with clean up. If you are interested in helping, please follow the link on our website to sign up. If you are looking for a place to enjoy a meal and some community fellowship, you are invited to come to the center for this free meal.

# **Offering Schedule**

### Today, November 14th

AM: ReFrame (Formerly Back to God) Ministries: The electronic media ministry of the CRC that reaches every continent in the world through radio, television, internet, and printed materials.

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

# Next Week, November 21st

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: 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 societv.

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#### Weekly Calendar Sunday, November 14th 8:45am - Sunday School 10:00am - Morning Service 6:00pm - Evening Service Monday, November 15th 7:00pm - Women's Bible Study Tuesday, November 16th 10:00am - Women's Bible Study 6:00pm - AA Bible Study Wednesday, November 17th 7:00pm - Praise Team & Band 7:00pm - The Upper Room 7:30pm - Choir Thursday, November 18th 6:00pm - AA Meeting 7:00pm - Evangelism Committee Meeting 7:00pm - Young Adult's Bible Study Saturday, November 19th 6:00am - Men's Bible Study Sunday, November 21st No Sunday School 10:00am - Communion Service 6:00pm - Evening Service 7:15pm - Men's Bible Study

Prayer Chain Please Email: prayerchain@escaloncrc.org

## **Church Announcements**

There will be No Sunday School the next two weeks. Classes will resume on December 5.

Elders will be greeting at the doors next Sunday. As with many of the adjustments we have made navigating COVID, we encourage people to interact at their own comfort level. We would like to start having greeters regularly again and want to begin with those that are willing to serve. If your family is willing to serve as greeters, please contact the office.

Thanksgiving Offering envelopes are available in the pews. Please take one home and prayerfully consider where you think your contributions are most needed. They will be collected during our Thanksgiving Worship Service, Thursday Nov 25 at 9:30am.

Help local foster children with the **Christmas** Comfort Kit Drive! Our church is helping to provide NEW baby bottles, small water bottles, and sippy cups. Items can be placed in the boxes in the church fover. If you are interested in volunteering, they need people to assemble kits on Dec 4 at Centenary Church in Modesto. Contact Crystal at (209) 652-1219 or sign up at lovestanislauscounty.org/comfort-kit-volunteer You MUST sign up in order to volunteer!



La Call for Collection Week for Operation Shodows Christmas Child Shoeboxes is Nov 15-19. If you did not bring your filled boxes to church today, please plan to drop them off at Heritage Church in Escalon during the week.

In the month of November, we are encouraged to remember the Persecuted Church in our prayers. If you would like more information on how to pray for the persecuted church, you can find resources and ideas at the websites of Voice of the Martyrs (persecution.com) or Open Door (opendoorsusa.org).



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