This morning, we will be celebrating the sacrament of Communion. Christ gave us this gift to remember his sacrifice and the forgiveness of sins that those who believe in Christ enjoy.

**This Thursday,** you are invited to join us for a Thanksgiving service at 9:30am. Thanksgiving Offering envelopes will be collected at this time.

Next Sunday, we begin the season of Advent.

## **Church Family**

Please see printed bulletin or prayer chain

### **Prayer Chain**

Please Email: prayerchain@escaloncrc.org

## **Helping Hands Ministry**

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

#### Offering Schedule

#### Today, November 20

AM: Modesto Pregnancy Center councils those facing an unplanned pregnancy and provides them with an alternative to abortion. PM: Bethany Home provides care for the elderly and is located in Ripon, CA.

# Thanksgiving Service- November 24 Thanksgiving Envelopes &

**Deacons' Fund -** This fund helps those in our church and community that need financial help with basic necessities.

Next Week, November 27
AM: Wycliffe Bible Translators

PM: Harvest USA

#### **Weekly Calendar**

#### Sunday, November 20

8:45am - Sunday School

10:00am - Communion Service

6:00pm - Evening Service

7:15pm - Men's Bible Study

#### Tuesday, November 22

6:00pm - AA Bible Study

7:00pm - Sojourners

## Wednesday, November 23

7:00pm - Praise Team & Band

7:30pm - Choir

## Thursday, November 24

9:30am - Thanksgiving Service

## Sunday, November 27

C.A.R.E Collected ~ Rice

No Sunday School

10:00am - Morning Service

6:00pm - Evening Service

#### **Church Announcements**

A reminder that many groups are taking a break this week. There is also **no Sunday School** next Sunday.

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

**Sojourners** will be meeting this Tuesday at 7pm. Our discussion this week will look at Matthew 5:21-30.

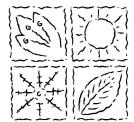
National Collection Week for **Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes** ends tomorrow. If you did not bring your filled box today, please plan to drop it off at Heritage Church in Escalon between 11am-3pm tomorrow.

If anyone is interested in the **manual beam scale** with height rod (located in the kitchen by the freezer) before it is donated, please help yourself!

The Christian Reformed Church Disability Concerns strives to promote and foster relationships, communities, and societies where everybody belongs and everybody serves. As Escalon CRC's Disability Advocate, I would like to create a team to join with me in disability awareness and advocacy. The vision is to create an inclusive community where all individuals are valued and experience the love of Christ. If you have any questions or are interested in participating, please contact Dianne P.

## **Community Announcements**

Babysitting Night at RC! Take an evening off for date night or go Christmas shopping and leave your kiddos with us! Dec 3, FFA is hosting a babysitting night at the RC PAC/Gym from 5:30-8:30pm. Cost is \$25 per child. Pizza and snacks, games & a movie for children to enjoy. Must be potty trained. For more information, email Megan D.



There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven

Ecclesiastes 3:1