

This morning, we will celebrate in the sacrament of Baptism

**Tonight**, our Sunday School students will lead us in worship as they sing songs that celebrate the birth of Christ.

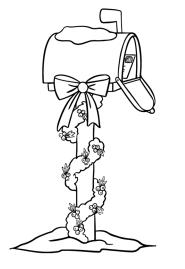
**Next Sunday Evening**, we will be joining with other community churches at the Methodist church in Escalon at 6pm for an evening of Carol singing and fellowship.

# Offering Schedule

#### Today, December 10

**AM: Luke Society -** Offers Christian physicians, nurses, and dentists help to develop health programs in impoverished communities with evangelistic outreaches. **PM: Resonate Global Mission -** Resonate is a ministry of the CRC that spreads the Gospel by partnering with churches in North America to plant churches, do campus ministry, train and equip pastors, and develop future leaders. They are also sending missionaries oversees, as well as developing interactive & biblically based resources to help educate Christian leaders worldwide.

Next Sunday, December 17 AM: ThereforeGO Ministries No PM



#### **Church Announcements**

Additional **Orders of Worship** are available on the tables in the foyer, for those that may have trouble reading the screen from their seats.

The **blood bank** will be here on Tuesday, from 1-7pm.

The **Sojourners** Christmas dinner will be this Thursday, at 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall.

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.

A reminder that the parking spaces marked "**Reserved**" are spaces that have been set aside for those that may or may not have a handicapped placard, but who could benefit from a shorter walk to the building because of their physical health.

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**.

## Prayer Chain Please Email: prayerchain@escaloncrc.org

# Helping Hands Ministry

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

## Weekly Calendar

Sunday, December 10 8:45am - Sunday School 10:00am - Morning Service 5:40pm - Kids Arrival Time 6:00pm - Sundav School Program Monday, December 11 7:00pm - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Women's Bible Study 7:00pm - Cadets 7:00pm - GEMS Tuesday, December 12 1:00pm - Blood Bank 6:00pm - AA Bible Study Wednesday, December 13 7:00pm - The Upper Room 7:00pm - Praise Team & Band 7:30pm - Choir Thursday, December 14 11:00am - Matt Franscella Memorial 5:30pm - Soiourners Dinner 6:00pm - AA Meeting Saturday, December 16 6:00am - Men's Bible Study Sunday, December 17 No Sunday School 10:00am - Morning Service 6:00pm - Community Service 7:15pm - Men's Bible Study 

#### **Community Announcements**

Ripon Christian Music Department will

celebrate the Christmas season with a music concert on Wednesday, December 20 at 7pm in the Performing Arts Center. The concert will feature all bands and vocal groups ranging from grades six through twelve. Come and celebrate this joyous season with sounds of joy and praise!

#### **Church Family**

Please see printed bulletin or prayer chain.