Taking God at His Hand

Romans 4:19-25

Pastor Jerry Morningstar

May 4, 2025

I. Strong in Faith - vv. 19-21

II. Faith's Reward - vv. 22-25

John Calvin: 'Faith is an empty, open hand stretched out towards God with nothing to offer and everything to receive.'

Sully Community Church

We're glad you're with us this Lord's Day, Sunday, May 4, 2025

Our worship leader this morning is Jeff C.

Prelude
WorshipOverhead
Welcome & Announcements
Call to WorshipJohn 5:24
WorshipWonderful, Merciful Savior"Overhead
Overhead
#363 "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"#363
*Ministry in the WordPastor Jerry Morningstar
The Lord's Supper
Worship"To God Be the Glory"#79

Children's Church for children (ages 3 – Pre-K) and Nursery (ages 0 to 3)
are available during the Morning Worship Service.

*Children are dismissed immediately before the Pastor gets up to speak.
Both AM & PM services are livestreamed and accessible thru our church web page.
If you need hearing assistance, let an usher know.
Previous week's service is broadcast on KRLS 92.1 FM @ 12:00 noon.

Sully Community Church
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Sunday School – 9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship – 10:00 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Pastor Jerry Morningstar Office – 594-4124 Secretary – Jana Laverman Office & Kitchen – 594-3117

Evening Service 6 p.m. 'King Solomon' I Kings 1

Serving This Week:

SS Hour Nursery: Nate & Tabitha W.

Church Nursery: Kevin & Sara J.

Children's Church: Anna A. & Andrew A.

Praise Team: Kevin J., Nate W., Heidi C., Elizabeth G.

Ushers: Jim V.S. & Stan V.W. Cookies: Sara C. & Nancy V.G.

Serving Next Week:

SS Hour Nursery: Joe & Brittany J. Church Nursery: Trevor & Janae V.W.

Children's Church: Ashley W., Julie V.W. & Jaxon V.W.

Praise Team Leader: Mark D.C.

Greeter: Trent A.

Praise Team: Mark D.C., Marlo J., Karla D.C., Ruth J.

Ushers: Jim V.S. & Stan V.W. Cookies: Kari A. & Alison A. *Adult Sunday School Classes:*

"Slaying the Giants in Your Life" teacher Kevin Johnson, room #8 A&B

"The Book of Acts" room #3 A & B

"Contagious Faith: Discover Your Natural Style for Sharing Jesus with

Others" teacher Darin A., Library High School, Fireside Room

Junior High, room #7 A & B

Opportunities This Week

<u>General Fund.</u> Any and all offerings can be placed in the box at the back of the sanctuary. The offering will go toward the general fund unless otherwise designated.

Wednesday, May 7: WCF at 9:00 a.m. Bonnie V.W. will lead the lesson and Sharon W. is the hostess.

<u>Thursday, May 8:</u> Elder Board meeting at 6:30 p.m. Morris J. will lead devotions.

We will observe the Lord's Supper this morning. Those serving are Dennis V.G., Trent A. & Kevin J.

*The Benevolent fund is collected on Communion Sundays. If you would like to give to the benevolent fund, designate your offering and place it in the box at the back of the sanctuary.

~Announcements~

EIBC Offering: There is a basket on the back table in the Fellowship Hall today to collect an offering to help send kids to camp this summer.

Graduation: If you have a son or daughter graduating from high school or college, please let Jana know by May 9. Email information (high school or college they are graduating from and future plans) and a photo of the graduate to the church. Bibles will be presented to our high school graduates during the church service on May 18.

<u>VBS Teacher/Volunteer Meeting</u>: There will be a meeting in the library for anyone helping with VBS on May 18, immediately following the morning service.

Youth Group Fundraiser Supper: On Sunday, May 18, there will be a Pulled Pork Supper from 4:30-6 p.m. This will be dine- in or drive up. And then stay to hear The Gospel Singers concert at 6 p.m.

Women of Grace: The Women of Grace Bible Study, which meets on Wednesday evenings during the AWANA year will continue to meet during the summer months with a casual study on the women of the Bible. We will meet at the church the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month starting in June at 4:30 p.m. for about an hour or so. We will be studying straight out of the Bible and our first study will be June 5. All ladies are invited. We would also like to provide childcare for those with little ones, so if you would be interested in watching a few kiddos while we meet, please contact Shelly V.M., 641-990-0116. You will be paid for your time.

<u>Children's Church</u>: We are looking for some more individuals who would be willing to teach children's church a few times each year. If you are interested, please talk to Christine M.

~ Thank You ~

We want to thank the church for the plant given for our mom's funeral, and for all the prayers, cards, memorials, and acts of kindness.

It was all greatly appreciated.

~The family of Lois Ann Van Wyk