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ISN'T THE END OF THE STORY;  
IT'S THE BEGINNING!  
OPEN YOUR HEART  
TO THE MIRACLE.



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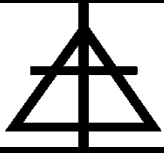
**ALIVE!**

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*The preaching of the cross is to them that perish foolishness;  
but unto us which are saved it is the power of God.*

1 CORINTHIANS 1:18

# Taber Christian Reformed Church



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*"It is the Purpose of the Taber CRC: to learn about God's love in Jesus Christ,  
to celebrate this love and to communicate this love to all people."*

April 21, 2019 – Easter Sunday

## 10:00 AM - Morning Worship

Pastor Brian Kuyper

### WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

\*The Call to Worship

\*Song of Praise – *"Low in the Grave Christ Lay"* (LUYH 186, G 396)

\*God's Greeting

\*Greeting each other with Resurrection Hope!

\* Time of Praise – *"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"* (LUYH 182, G 388);

*"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"* (LUYH 610) 2x's

### WE RECEIVE GOD'S GOOD NEWS OF RESURRECTION

The Reading of Scripture – Luke 24:1-12

Response – *"I Serve a Risen Saviour"* (LUYH 365, G 405)

The Reading of Scripture – Romans 6:5-10

Song of Response – *"Alive, Alive"* (led by Sunday School)

Congregational Prayer

### GOD SPEAKS FROM HIS WORD

\*Song of Preparation: *"In Christ Alone"* (LUYH 770)

The Prayer for Illumination

Scripture – Mark 16:1-8; 1; Corinthians 15:1-22

Sermon – **Who Will Roll Away the Stone?**

Prayer of Application

\*Song of Response – *"Christ Is Alive, Let Christians Sing"* (LUYH 206, G 413)

### WE EXPRESS OUR FIRM HOPE

The Reading of John 11:21-27

\*Song of Response – *"Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna"* (LUYH 204)

Offering

Offertory – *"My Living Hope"* (Led by the Sunday School)

\*Benediction and Congregational Amen!

\*Song – *"Sing, Choirs of new Jerusalem"* (G, 404)

**Bulletin Deadline: Thursday 10:00 am**

**Ellicia Little –**

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**Welcome to the Taber Christian Reformed Church this Sunday as we gather to praise our God.**

**We invite you for coffee and juice in the Fellowship Hall after the service this morning.**

**Sunday Service:** He is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!!! We welcome you to our Easter morning worship service where we will hear about the reality of the empty tomb, and the impact that it has on our faith.

He is Risen! He is Risen Indeed, Hallelujah!

WILLING HELPERS	April 21 <sup>st</sup>	April 28
<b>Ushers:</b>	George VanDerMeulen, Martin Kamper	Jenna Jonker Lexi Wojtowicz
<b>Serving Elder:</b>	Dan Lievaart	David Bekkering
<b>Serving Deacons:</b>	Bernie Vloo, Arnold VanHuizen	Lucas Bennen Mathys Pastink
<b>PowerPoint:</b>	Jan Bennen	Ellicia Little
<b>Sound:</b>	Serge Langeweg	Ashleigh Little
<b>Time of Praise:</b>	WT5	WT1
<b>Pianist:</b>	Annalise Ypma	Pearl Ovinge
<b>Nursery:</b>	Danielle Visser, Darcy Tams, Lindsey Kamper, Jaidyn DeLeeuw, Carter DeBoer	Jessica Pastink, Ashley DeBoe, Jay Visser, Hudson Kooiker, Agatha Peters
<b>Offering:</b>	First Bag: Resonate Global Mission Second Bag: Church Budget	First Bag: SABC Second Bag: Church Budget
<b>Greeters:</b>	George and Alice Wolgen Martha Ypma	Hessina Bekkering Wilma and Garth Bekkering
<b>Coffee Servers:</b>	Nellie Hiemstra and Thelma Dirk Dick and Marilyn Visser	Chris and Emmie Rijkens Nik and Bea VanGeest

Calendar of Events	
April 21	Sunday School for 3 and 4-year-olds only Clearview Lodge Communion Service – 2:30pm
April 22	Hurting Moms, Mending Hearts – 7pm
April 23	
April 24	Sonshine Singing at Linden View – 3pm Faith Story Workshop – 7pm
April 25	Evening Ladies Bible Study – 7:30pm
April 26	
April 27	Woman’s Breakfast – 9am
April 28	Sunday School for every grade except Grade 6 Evening Bible Study – 5pm

BIRTHDAYS!	
April 21	Leo Bydevaate
April 22	
April 23	
April 24	
April 25	Gerrit de Jong Mila Stolk
April 26	
April 27	Mason VanSeters
April 28	Jesse Braun

**April Offering Schedule:**

**Apr 21** – Resonate Global Mission -  
Adrianna Oudman;  
**Apr 28** – SABC



To find the current church directory, events, prayer request and much more, please visit 'thebridgeapp.org' to learn about this exciting transition our church will be making and to download the app

**Ladies Breakfast**



**Reminder Ladies**, that the Woman’s Breakfast with Pastor Ken and Pat is moved to Saturday, April 27 at 9am. The woman of interest whose life and character we will reflect upon, is Mary, Mother of Jesus: moving from Comfort to Courage.

Please remember our brothers and sisters in your daily prayers at mealtimes and during your personal devotions.  
Continue to remember those young and old with ongoing physical, spiritual and emotional struggles.

### Church Family

Please be in prayer for Lena Visser as she spent some time in the Hospital this past week after some complications with an infection.

Congratulations to Cornell and Roberta Ovinge on the birth of their baby boy; Eli Dirk born on April 13, and congratulation to the grandparents Casey and Pearl Ovinge

Please continue to pray for those with ongoing health concerns: Andrea DeLeeuw, Tim Westerhoud, Betty Oudman, John Bos, Henry Vandenbrink, Bob Dykstra

Please keep in prayer those in our Seniors homes: Jewel Klok, Hilda Westerhoud, Klaas Visser, Hennie Bouwman, Meiny Veldhuizen

Pastor Brian will be taking this week as a week of vacation.  
If any need arises, please contact Pastor Ken or your district Elder.

### Church Events



#### **Telling Our Faith Stories Workshop**

Sharing stories of God at work in our lives deepens the faith of those who tell the stories and those who hear them. This workshop will explore ways to help your church become a community where storytelling is a deep, rich, natural pathway to a growing faith. Participants will look at a variety of ways and places for telling faith stories. Lesli VanMilligen from the Faith Formation Ministries team of the CRC will be leading this workshop.

**Please join us at the Taber CRC on Wednesday April 24 at 7pm**

Please contact Pastor Brian at 403-223-1399 if you have any questions.

**Seniors SING & DINE - Southern Alberta Bible Camp: About the Event:** Hop on one of our chartered buses and spend the day at SABC. Enjoy a delicious meal, fellowship, and hymn sing with song leader and accompanist. Coffee is served at 11am followed by lunch at 12pm. We'll wrap up by 3pm. Call the church you are departing from to reserve your seat. If you'd like to drive out yourself, give us a call and let us know you're coming. This event is free of charge. An offering will be collected in support of the ministry at Southern Alberta Bible Camp. Bus Departure Time: **May 9 - 9:45am Taber EFC (403 223-2214).**

**For more information speak to Pastor Ken, please find the sign-up sheet in the foyer or let Ellicia Little know.**

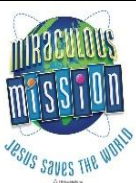


**Our annual Fun & Fellowship weekend this year will be**

**Friday, June 21 - Sunday, June 23.**

Mark your Calendars and plan to attend this community building weekend!

The Fun & Fellowship Committee: Jared & Sarina Tamminga,  
Klaas & Tanya Hoekstra and Mike & Cathy Wind



**Miraculous Mission Vacation Bible Camp is booked for July 8-12!** Please plan your vacations around these dates so you can help with this fantastic outreach program. We need volunteers for the Bible Challenge room, singing, leading/helping kids and making cookies! Please contact Sarina Tamminga or Britney Lievaart if you would like to bless others with your talents!

## School News

**It's that time of year again for our annual GARAGE SALE AND BAKE SALE.** It will be held on Saturday, May 4 from 8:30am to 12 noon in the TCS gym. We ask that you please save any items that you no longer need for this event. Items may be dropped off at the school beginning Monday, April 29. If you need anything picked up, just give us a call to arrange a time. We are in need of baking for the bake sale as well. Baking can be brought to the school on Friday, during school hours or from 6:30 till 9 Friday evening. We are needing volunteers to help set up on Friday evening from 6:30 till 9, sell on Saturday morning at 8:30 and clean up afterwards. Everyone is welcome and your help is greatly appreciated. For more info please call Shelley Kooiker @ 403-894-9187.

## Community / Regional / National News

**Voice of the Martyrs** – Dieny Donkersgoed: **Indonesia** - A married couple has been convicted and sentenced for their part in the bombing of three churches in Surabaya. Six members of the same family targeted three churches in the port city of Surabaya during their early morning services. Two brothers, ages 16 and 18, rode motorcycles up to the first church to detonate their bombs. Five minutes later, their father exploded a car bomb on the grounds of the second church; and their mother blew herself up, along with her young daughter at a third church. At least 14 people died in the attacks. We pray for repentance and salvation for this family

**INTERMISSION SILENT RETREAT:** We have a few spots left for our May retreat! Take time to rest and reconnect with the God who keeps inviting us to a deeper and richer life. InterMission happens at King's Fold Retreat Centre in the foothills west of Calgary, May 31-June 2. Two nights accommodation, five meals, spiritual direction, group gatherings for prayer and all the amenities of the retreat centre. \$425. To register contact rev.klok@gmail.com or visit thestudionschool.com  
**Deadline: May 11/19.**

**Join us on the Ride May 31 – June 1, 2019! Ride For A Reason 2019 is a one day ride,** in support of Southern Alberta Bible Camp. Our goal this year is to raise \$100,000. The funds raised will go towards sending kids to camp through the All Aboard fund. With the \$100,000 we will be able to send close to 300 kids to camp in the summer of 2019! The ride will begin and end at Castle Mountain Resort, a total distance of 111kms. Riders will be accompanied by support vehicles including trucks, motorcycles and cars and there will be qualified first aid personnel along on the trip. To Register visit [www.rideforareason.ca/rider-info/register/](http://www.rideforareason.ca/rider-info/register/)

**ATTENTION Grade 12 and College/University Students! Lethbridge & District Pro-Life Association is offering two Elsie Alexander Pro-Life Scholarships** available for grade 12 students, a **Laura Winters Stegen Essay Scholarship** and a **Henry Vandenberg Pro-Life Work/Volunteer Scholarship** for post-secondary students in the Lethbridge and District Pro-Life Association area who have proven leadership in encouraging respect for all human life. Scholarship application forms can be downloaded from our website: <http://lifelethbridge.org/pro-life-events.html>. **Application deadline is May 19, 2019**

**DINNER & SPRING FASHIONS:** All women are invited to a **DINNER & FASHION SHOW** on Tuesday, **MAY 14th @ 6:30p.m.** at **LUIGI'S** Banquet Room. Featured will be fashions from **UPS & DOWNS CLOTHING & ACCESSORIES**, with Leanne de Kok from Picture Butte. You will also enjoy the beautiful music of **Sherry Schafer Burt**, and inspirational message by **Lindsey Brouwers**, from Vauxhall. Cost for the evening is \$25 per person. Reservations can be made by calling Linda @ 403-879-2082 or Jane @ 223-1435. Email: [lindamv555@yahoo.ca](mailto:lindamv555@yahoo.ca). Cancellations are absolutely necessary by Sunday, May 12, please. Sponsored by Taber Christian Women's Connection affiliated with RSVP Ministries Canada. Everyone is welcome to this most enjoyable evening!

**It's Christian Education Week from May 6-10, 2019, and Immanuel Christian Schools** has several events happening that you are welcome to attend!

Immanuel Christian Elementary School

Monday, May 6: Chapel 9 a.m., Open House 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Pastors Talk: 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, May 7: Grandparents' & Seniors' Tea 1:30 p.m.

Friday, May 10: Spring Carnival 12:25 – 2:45 pm

**Immanuel Christian Secondary School**

**It's Open House @ ICSS is all week, so please feel free to stop by and take a look around!**

Friday, May 10: Roast Beef Supper 5:00 – 6:45 p.m. Hosted by Ladies Auxiliary. Donations gratefully accepted. There will also be a Trade Show Fundraiser from 5:00-8:00 p.m. Hosted by Lethbridge Local. Come and support local vendors!