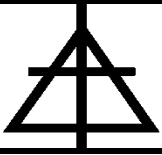


# Taber Christian Reformed Church



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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."*

May 13, 2018

## 10:00 AM - Morning Worship

Pastor Brian Kuyper

### We Begin Our Worship

Call to Worship

\*Opening Song – *"Our God"* (LUYH 580)

God's Greeting

\*Songs of Praise – *"Be Thou My Vision"* (LUYH 859);  
*"Good, Good Father"*

### We Come into God's Presence to Confess

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession – *"O Come to the Altar"*

Words of Assurance

Prayer of Consecration: *"Take My Life and Let It Be"* vs. 1, 2, 4, 6 (LUYH 863; G-288)

God's Will for Our Lives

\*Song of Proclamation: *"This I Believe"*

Children's Blessing

Congregational Prayer

### We Listen to God's Word

\*Song of Preparation – *"Here I Am, Lord"* (LUYH 869)

Scripture – Deuteronomy 14:22-27; Acts 6:1-7; Genesis 4:1-7

Sermon – **Whose Money Is It Anyway?**

Prayer

Song of Response – *"We Give Thee But Thine Own"* (LUYH 877)

### We Depart to Serve

Offering – Presentation for the 2018 Fun and Fellowship Weekend

Benediction

Doxology – *"Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service"* vs. 1, 2, 4 (LUYH 928; G-603)

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

**Ellicia Little –**

**E-mail: [tabercrc@hotmail.com](mailto:tabercrc@hotmail.com)**

**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.**

**Morning Service:** This morning I would like to wish a happy Mother's Day to the women in our lives who have impacted us in various ways as mothers, grandmothers, aunts or even as mentors. May God continue to bless you richly. In our service this morning, we finish the series on Spiritual Disciplines by looking at the discipline of Tithing and giving of our gifts. This is a challenging one in our culture, but God has blessed us richly – spiritually, financially and many other ways – out of gratitude for what he has blessed us with, and as a way of demonstrating trust in him, we give back to God.

Pastor Ken is filling the pulpit today at the Medicine Hat CRC.

<b>WILLING HELPERS</b>	<b>May 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>May 20<sup>th</sup></b>
<b>Ushers:</b>	Jenna Jonker Lexi Wojtowicz	Martin Kamper Cody Jonker
<b>Serving Elder:</b>	Mike Wind	Nick Van Geest
<b>Serving Deacons:</b>	Mathys Pastink Brent Bydevaate	Albert DeBoer Brent Bydevaate
<b>PowerPoint:</b>	Ellicia Little	Brunette Boes
<b>Sound:</b>	Ashleigh Little	Jason Little
<b>Time of Praise:</b>	WT2	WT5
<b>Pianist:</b>	Marilyn Visser	Annalise Ypma
<b>Nursery:</b>	AM- Lindsey Kamper, Bea Van Geest, Brenda Kuyper, Maria Suing-Peters, Jaydee DeBoer	AM- Willeke Glas, Kate Woudwijk, Alice Wolgen, Ashleigh Little, Maya Bekkering
<b>Offering:</b>	First Bag: Back to God Ministries Second Bag: Church Budget	First Bag: Resonate Global Mission Second Bag: Church Budget
<b>Greeters:</b>	Casey and Jane Bydevaate Janny and Hank DeVlieger	Gerrit and Vena De jong – Vandersteen Ray and Helen Feenstra
<b>Coffee Servers:</b>	Casey and Jane Bydevaate Rick and Tasha Tams	Rick and Marlene Kiers Henk and Janny Wikkerink

<b>Calendar of Events</b>	
<b>May 13</b>	Sunday School for all grades except 6
<b>May 14</b>	
<b>May 15</b>	
<b>May 16</b>	
<b>May 17</b>	
<b>May 18</b>	
<b>May 19</b>	
<b>May 20</b>	3 and 4-year-old Sunday School only Clearview Lodge Service – 2:30pm

**Youth Group**  
As it is Mother's Day, we encourage everyone to enjoy time with their mom tonight!

**BIRTHDAYS!**

<b>May 13</b>	
<b>May 14</b>	
<b>May 15</b>	
<b>May 16</b>	
<b>May 17</b>	Albert Donkerbroek Jesse Bydevaate Mattea Vossebelt
<b>May 18</b>	Ray Feenstra Martha Ypma
<b>May 19</b>	Jean Klok Mike Wind
<b>May 20</b>	Katie Giesbrecht Tim Westerhoud Katelyn Bennen

<b><u>May Offering Schedule</u></b>
<b>May 13 –</b> Back to God Ministries
<b>May 20 –</b> Resonate Global Mission
<b>May 27 –</b> MNC Women's Shelter

## Church Family

**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.**

Please continue to pray for Siebe Ypma as he nears the end of life. Siebe was moved into Linden View this past week and we pray God will continue to comfort him and Martha in this difficult journey.

Please continue to pray for those with ongoing health concerns: John Bos, Corry Vanderwekken, Andrea DeLeeuw and Betty Oudman

Please continue to hold Ryker up in prayer as he goes and heals from another surgery.

Eric Kempe and Emily Sagal will be united in marriage on Saturday May 19 in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan. We wish them God's blessing as they begin their lives together.

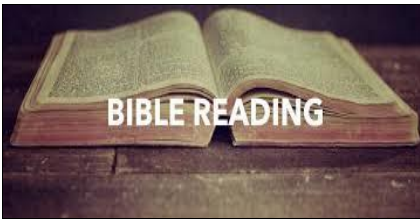
## Church Events

*You're Invited to the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual  
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*June 22- 24, 2018*

*Southern Alberta Bible Camp*

Please find the registration form in your mailbox as well as in the foyer.  
If you are planning to join, forms need to be in by June 3<sup>rd</sup>



If you are willing to select a time and a day of the week when you could visit with John Bos at Linden View to read him a selection from the Bible, he would greatly appreciate it. Please give Nelly Heimstra a call to let her know when you would be able to do so: she will make visible on her Facebook page the visits scheduled so that there won't be "doubling up".



Your change can impact lives through the **Baby Bottle Campaign for the Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre!** The Campaign helps women facing unplanned pregnancy find the hope and support they need. It's easy to participate. Just pick up a bottle today, and fill it with coins, cash, or a cheque over the coming weeks. Bring it back to the church on Father's Day, June 17, and know that your giving is making a positive difference for the women, men, and children of our community! Don't want to take a bottle? You can take a pre-addressed envelope or you can also give online - just visit [www.lethbridgepregcentre.com](http://www.lethbridgepregcentre.com), and you can donate directly to the Baby Bottle campaign.



**Hey Ladies, it's time for you to enjoy a Breakfast Treat at Pastor Ken's place:**

Saturday May 26 at 9am. Please sign up on the Sign-Up Sheet so that Pastor Ken has an idea of how many to prepare for. If we have more than 12 we may move it to the church; so, sign up early and keep watch on our church Facebook for change of location.



## **URGENT, VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!**

**The Taber Community Vacation Bible Camp are in need of Volunteers:**

**They are looking for: "Pre-Decorating Artists/Set up Designers"**

**and "2 Activity Center Directors"** for this summer's camp: "Bible Memory" (skits) and "Bible Imagination Station" (activities that reinforce the theme for each day's lesson).

We are also looking for Volunteers to assist with each station, and for guiding the groups of children to their stations, creating decorations, etc: please see the **Sign-Up sheet in the foyer and indicate where you would like to help.** For more information, contact Pastor Ken at 403-715-0402 or Britney Lievaart

Vacation Bible Camp will be held July 9-13 from 9:30-11am. Set up is scheduled for Sunday afternoon on July 8 at the Civic Centre.



Spring is finally here and we anticipate **Celebrating Spring with Soup and Bun Lunch after church on May 27.** Invite some friends to join you for lunch. The Fellowship Committee will supply the buns and refreshments: we will be looking for "pots of soup to share" as well as cold cuts for the buns: ie Cheeses and Ham, sausage, etc.



**Pastor Ken's ride is coming up fast and is still in need of Sponsors!!! Please prayerfully consider this request:**

Pastor Ken will be riding in the "Ride for a Reason" fund raiser event for SABC: They are looking to raise \$150,000.00 for scholarship funds to send 400 children to camp this year. So, if you would

like to sponsor Pastor Ken on this two-day trip from Banff to Alderside this June, please go to "rideforareason.ca" website, click on Sponsor a Rider, and follow the instructions. If you do not have internet, look for a Sponsorship form in the foyer information desk, fill it in and send it to the address indicated at the bottom of the form.

**Dear community of Taber and district we thank you for your support of T.A.N.G.O.** These serving hearts are now serving at an Orphanage on the Mexican BaJa, operated by "Foundation for His ministry" now in their fifty-third year. The place has a nice Med clinic to serve the poor and needy people in the area, for the Taber Doctors to work in. And there is also always much building and repair work to do for others in the team. We also want to make mention of a wonderful serving couple Tim-and Debby, they are involved in serving and ministering amongst our Native people, both in Montana, A.B. and Saskatchewan. They just came back from a serve trip at F.F.H.M. With a group of teenagers, Naomi from the Crow reservation, and student at Montana state, she spoke during a wrap up devotional time during Nations spring break Mission trip to Mexico. She talked about remembering when missionaries came to her reservation, playing with the children and taught them bible stories. She said "this is a dream come true, I am now doing what was done for me here in Mexico" A happy statement from a Girl who has found herself, on her journey of life. We hope and pray that the tango team may have a blessed week at F.F.H.M. Hans and Lena Visser. Taber.



## School News

Our annual garage sale and bake sale was another huge success this year at Taber Christian School! We raised over \$2,250.00. Thank you to everyone who brought stuff in, helped set up and cleaned up! Thank you to the bakers for the bake sale! Your help is greatly appreciated!

## Community / Regional / National News

**Voice of the Martyrs** – Dieny Donkersgoed: **China** – A leading campaigner has warned of a gathering storm for persecuted Christians in China. He reports that the persecution of Christians has worsened dramatically under the leadership of President Xi Jinping, tough new restrictions on religious freedom were enacted on February 1st. As a result, organizing a home prayer meeting has been forbidden and religious messages cannot be shared with anyone under the age of 18. While we praise God for the ongoing growth of the church in China, please uphold the countries believers so they may faithfully continue ministering despite restrictions.



**On Saturday May 26th, 2018, Rehoboth will be holding their 25th Annual Golf Tournament at Paradise Canyon Golf Club.** All funds raised will stay in the Coaldale area and will enhance the lives of the clients we serve. Golfer registration fees are \$200, which will include a \$50 tax receipt, 18 holes of golf, cart rental, and dinner. There are also various ways to sponsor through business sponsorships. Please contact Sigrid Miklos at 403-345-5199 or by email: [sigrid.miklos@rehoboth.ab.ca](mailto:sigrid.miklos@rehoboth.ab.ca) for more information. Our tournament is all about fun and fellowship. Enter now!

**ICS is pleased to share the Spring 2018 issue of Perspective** with you.

Read this issue online at <https://ir.icscanada.edu/>

This issue features the lead article "Perhaps the Lord will Act for Us" by ICS president Ron Kuipers, and four articles by Junior Members Kiegan Irish, Jeffrey Hocking, Julia de Boer and Grace Carhart. All of us at ICS want to thank you for supporting our work through special gift collections and ministry/denominational shares and for partnering with us in the critical work of ICS in today's world. We are blessed by you and your commitment to ICS.

**SPRING FASHION SHOW** All women are invited to a **DINNER & FASHION SHOW** on Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at Luigi's Banquet Room. Featured will be fashions from Blue Sage Boutique, with Arlene Hammerling, from Lethbridge, and music by Kristi Mitchell, from Brooks. You will also be inspired by our speaker, Leona Wall, from Vauxhall. Cost for the evening is \$25 per person. Reservations can be made by calling Jane @ 223-1435 or Sylvia @ 416-5075. Reservations must be honoured or cancelled by noon, Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, please. Presented by Taber Christian Women's, affiliated with RSVP Ministries. Come out for a wonderful evening and bring a friend!

**Taber Library:** You are invited to help strengthen the library's ability to meet the informational, educational, recreational, and cultural needs of the town of Taber and surrounding area by sharing your voice at our **Needs Assessment Conversation Café**. The event will be held at Taber Public Library (5415 50 Ave.) on Monday, May 28, 2018 from 6:30 pm until 9:30 pm. Light snacks will be provided.

RSVP with Heather Martin-Detka by calling 403-223-4343 or emailing [manager@taberlibrary.ca](mailto:manager@taberlibrary.ca) by Monday, May 14, 2018.

**ELIM SOCIETY** – A **REMINDER** that the 2018 membership dues of \$25.00 per family for the **Elim Society for Senior Citizens' Care** can still be given to any board member or mailed to: Elim Society for Senior Citizens Care c/o Mary Hendriks 275 Lettice Perry Rd N Lethbridge, AB T1H 7E7. Your support through financial donations and prayers are greatly appreciated.

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**Information**

**Cost:**

The cost includes your lodging, meals, snacks and beverages, and all activities participated in throughout the weekend.

**Full Weekend Cost/Sunday Lunch Cost**

Adult (18+)	\$95.00
Child (12-17)	\$75.00
Child (4-11)	\$55.00
Child (0-3)	FREE
Family	\$325.00

**\*Lodging:**

**Cabins** (great for families) **and Lodge** Rooms (couples/singles/small families) are available.

The New lodge rooms will be available on a first come first serve basis (first (16) registered will guarantee themselves lodging in the new building.

**\*\*You will be responsible for bringing own bedding (pillows, sheets, blankets) and towels\*\***

**Trailer/Campers/Tents:** You are welcome to bring your own unit, but there will be no hook ups available.

**Meals:**

All meals, snacks and beverages will be provided. Meals will be served buffet style. If you require a special diet or have any allergies please let us know and necessary arrangements can be made. There will be coffee and juice available throughout the day.

**Activities:**

There is a wide variety of activities available for all ages including but not limited to archery, beach activities, canoeing and kayaking, gym activities, playground and campfire.

**Sunday Service:**

Should you not be able to make the weekend, please feel free to join us for Sunday worship. Please RSV and send payment so we have numbers for lunch.

**Cost is \$15.00 for adults and \$10.00 for kids ages 4+**

**PLEASE NOTE: SABC is an alcohol and pet free facility**

For questions or enquiries please contact:  
Mike or Cathy Wind: 403-223-8391 or Shelley Deleeuw: 403-331-8175