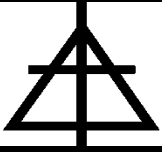


# Taber Christian Reformed Church



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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 27, 2018

## 10:00 AM - Morning Worship

Pastor Brian Kuyper

### We Begin Our Worship

\*Call to Worship

\*Song of Response – *"O Come to the Altar"*

\*God's Greeting

\*Songs of Praise – *"Amazing Grace – My Chains are Gone"*; *"Days of Elijah"*

### We Celebrate God's Grace

The Sacrament of Baptism: Mila Joy Stolk

Song of Celebration – *"It Is Well"*

Sunday School Grade Six Graduation

\*Song of Celebration – *"He Knows My Name"* (LUYH 339)

Children's Blessing

Congregational Prayer

### We Listen to God's Word

Song of Preparation – *"Blessed Jesus, at Your Word"* (LUYH 763; G-280)

Scripture – John 6:60-71

Sermon – **Do you want to leave too?**

### We Respond to God's Word

Prayer

\*Song of Response – *"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"* (LUYH 325; G-573)

Offering

### We Depart to Serve

\*Benediction

\*Doxology – *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"* (LUYH 965; G-638)

**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.**

**Sunday Service:** This morning we have a special service where we witness the sacrament of baptism of Mila Joy Stolk as well as the graduation of the Grade 6 Sunday School class. This morning we will be looking at a passage from the Gospel of John which deals with the difficulty of following Christ. For the next number of weeks, we will be focusing on the Gospel of John.

**Following the Service,** we invite you to join us for a soup and bun lunch in the Fellowship Hall.

**Next Week:** We will gather together to celebrate the Lord's Supper.

<b>WILLING HELPERS</b>	<b>May 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>June 3<sup>rd</sup></b>
<b>Ushers:</b>	Jared Tamminga John VanderWekken	George VanDerMeulen Connor Tams
<b>Serving Elder:</b>	Harry Prummel	Fred Jonker
<b>Serving Deacons:</b>	Albert DeBoer Kevin Wind	Kevin Wind Bernie Vloo
<b>PowerPoint:</b>	Brent Bydevaate	Jan Bennen
<b>Sound:</b>	Connor Tams	Serge Langeweg
<b>Time of Praise:</b>	WT3	WT 2
<b>Pianist:</b>	Jodi Hummel	Tanya Hoekstra
<b>Nursery:</b>	Jessica Pastink, Shelley Kooiker, Michelle VanderHoek, Jenna Jonker, Tyler Bekkering	Lindsey Bennen, Dianne Rombough, Twilah Van Haarst, Schyler Tams, Lammert Wildeboer
<b>Offering:</b>	First Bag: MNC Women's Shelter Second Bag: Church Budget	First Bag: Operation Manna Second Bag: Church Budget
<b>Greeters:</b>	Nellie Hiemstra Peter and Pat Kempe	Rick and Marlene Kiers Jason and Ellicia Little
<b>Coffee Servers:</b>	Albert and Michelle DeBoer Sid and Marilyn Tams	Alan and Ruth Kielstra Allen and Marianne Westerhoud

<b>Calendar of Events</b>	
<b>May 27</b>	Grade 6 Sunday School Graduation Sunday School for all grades Fellowship Committee Soup and Bun
<b>May 28</b>	
<b>May 29</b>	
<b>May 30</b>	
<b>May 31</b>	
<b>June 01</b>	
<b>June 02</b>	
<b>June 03</b>	Communion Sunday Sunday School – 3 and 4-year-olds only

BIRTHDAYS!

<b>May 27</b>	
<b>May 28</b>	
<b>May 29</b>	Cody Jonker
<b>May 30</b>	Michelle VanderWekken
<b>May 31</b>	Fallon Tams
<b>June 01</b>	Pastor Ken Vanderploeg
<b>June 02</b>	
<b>June 03</b>	Ed Stolk Harper DeWeerd

**June Offering Schedule**

June 03 – Operation Manna  
 June 10 – Harvest Radio  
 June 17 – Aboriginal Ministries  
 June 24 – World Renew

## 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 keep Siebe and Martha Ypma in your prayers as Siebe remains in a weakened state in Lindenview.

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

Please pray for our members living in Seniors homes: Henry Vandenbrink, Hennie Bouwman, Jewel Klok,  
Katie Giesbrecht, Tim Westerhoud, Klaas Visser

## Church Events



*Celebration of the  
Lord's Supper  
June 3<sup>rd</sup>*



### Serving our Church will be:

#### **Elders –**

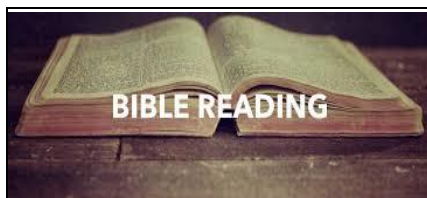
Brent Hamilton, Martin Kemper, Dan Lievaart, Sid Tams.

#### **Deacons –**

Lukas Bennen, Arnold VanHuizen.

#### **Compassion Associates –**

Alice Wolgen and Ruth Kielstra



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".



### **Young Adults and Young Families Lunch Potluck.**

Has been **POSTPONED**, a new date will be announced soon.



## **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.



Vacation Bible Camp is just around the corner. Your help to make it all flow smoothly is greatly appreciated. We would like you bakers to start preparing homemade cookies. We need a lot of them. Every day we serve 150 children plus the volunteers and leaders, so we're talking about 200 cookies a day for 5 days. We are also looking

for 5 Cookie Grandmas to serve in the kitchen, making the refreshments ready to serve and blessing the children with smiles and warm greetings. If you are willing to donate cookies, let us know how many to expect, and if you are willing to be a Cookie Grandma, please sign up for that.



**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.



**Did you know** that when you give to the Baby Bottle Campaign for the Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre you're giving mothers support services that can continue through their baby's first years? The Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Center doesn't only offer pregnancy testing and counselling, they continue that relationship on with new moms, dads, and their babies. Please continue filling up your bottle to keep free services like these available for the families who need them! Didn't get a bottle? You can also give online - just visit [www.lethbridgepregcentre.com](http://www.lethbridgepregcentre.com), and you can donate directly to the Baby Bottle campaign.

## **Community / Regional / National News**



**Teleios Leadership Program:** This four-week leadership development program is designed for students who have finished grade 10 & 11, who want to know God more, develop a Christ-like character, grow in their leadership skills, and learn practical ways to extend grace and love in their communities. This program runs twice throughout the summer. It is four weeks in July and four weeks in August. Each month includes 2 weeks of training, team building and mentorship and 2 weeks of in-cabin training with a Sr. Cabin Leader and support of the Teleios Directors.

More Details: <https://www.sabc.ca/staff-and-volunteers/teleios/> ~ Or email: [info@sabc.ca](mailto:info@sabc.ca)

**Cross Roads Healing Center in Lethbridge** is offering a seminar entitled, "Caring for Your Aging Parents Survival Guide" on Saturday, June 2 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at Central Church of Christ, 716 23rd St., N Lethbridge. Registration is \$15.00. Need more information or if you would like to register, call 403-327-7080.



**Rehoboth Christian Ministries will be hosting their 32nd Annual Pork Roast on Friday, June 15, 2018** at the Rehoboth Vocational Center in Coaldale. This is a “Come ‘n Go” supper which will be served from 5:00pm – 7:00pm. Supper will include roast pork, roast beef, potatoes, salads, and dessert. Cost is by donation! If you have any questions, please call Rehoboth at 403-345-5199. See you there!

### **Rehoboth AGM - June 16**

The Board of Directors invites the membership of Rehoboth Christian Ministries to attend the Annual General Meeting on June 16, beginning at 10:30, at our Coaldale facility on Highway 845. The Audited Financial Statements and the new budget will be presented for approval, and you can enjoy a tour of the facility and some fellowship with Rehoboth Board members over a light lunch following the meeting.

Join us for our Final Brunch of this Season! **All women are invited to a delightful morning, including BRUNCH on Tuesday, June 12th @ 9:30 a.m. at Luigi’s Banquet Room.** You will be entertained by soloist, Alyssa Pahl, from Bow Island, and inspired by Joy Fera from Delta B.C. Joy is an Olympic oarswoman, twice world rowing champion bronze medalist and her topic is ‘Beyond Gold Medal Lifestyle’. Our guest feature will be Tupperware presented by Carm O’Grady. Cost for the morning is \$15 and reservations can be made by calling Jane @ 223-1435 or Sylvia @ 416-5075, email at sylviakrizan@shaw.ca. Cancellations are absolutely necessary by noon, Monday, June 11th, please. Sponsored by Taber Christian Women affiliated with RSVP Ministries Canada. Everyone is welcome to this most enjoyable morning!

Do you feel God calling you to work with women and men who are facing an unplanned pregnancy? The **Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre** is a Christian agency located in downtown Lethbridge committed to doing exactly that through providing information and practical supports to those making decisions around an unexpected pregnancy. **We have an urgent need for volunteers**, so please consider carefully if this is something that you are being called to. Volunteer training is being offered June 13 - 15 from 9am-5pm at the Pregnancy Care Centre (118-8 St. S.). Taking the training does not obligate you to volunteer in the Centre, however it is required of all LPCC volunteers. Cost is \$20. For more information or to register, please contact Kathy at [kathy@lethbridgepregcentre.com](mailto:kathy@lethbridgepregcentre.com) or call (403)942-1819.

**Voice of the Martyrs** – Dieny Donkersgoed: **INDONESIA** – Dita Futrianto, a local leader for a militant Islamic group dropped off his wife and two daughters, ages 9 and 12, at the Diponegro Indonesian Christian Church. All three female accomplices had bombs strapped to them which exploded in the courtyard outside the church. The instigator of the initial suicide bombing attack, Dita, then crashed his bomb-laden car into the Surabaya Centre Pentecostal Church where it exploded. At the same time, his two sons, ages 16 and 18, rode motorcycles into the Santa Maria Catholic Church and detonated the explosives they were carrying. Please remember the surviving members of the three churches and also for many others who have been impacted. Please uphold the Indonesian Christians who are facing hardships.

**The annual Word and Deed Lethbridge Softball Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, June 23, 2018, at The Quads sport complex in Coaldale Alberta.** The goal of this tournament is to raise funds for Word & Deed and play a part in bringing the gospel of Christ to others. All proceeds from this event will be in support of the John Calvin Christian School in Barranquilla Columbia.

Along with the new location we also have a few new things happening this year with something for everyone in the family. There will be bouncy castle, face painting and games for the kids to enjoy. There will also be a “Word & Deed” concession stand serving up delicious burgers, smokies, hot dogs, french fries, snacks, beverages, cotton candy and more. All proceeds of the concession will be going to support Word & Deed.

We will have 7 diamonds available for our tournament, so we encourage any and all to make a team and enter. Team entry fee is \$500 and for more information please visit our website (<http://lethwdsoftball.wixsite.com/wanddsoftball>, check us out on Facebook (Lethbridge Word & Deed Softball Tournament), email us ([lethwdsoftball@gmail.com](mailto:lethwdsoftball@gmail.com)), or call/text us (403-634-6642).

We encourage you all to join us for a great time of fellowship, fundraising, and sport as we seek to glorify God.

*You're Invited to the*  
*13<sup>th</sup> Annual*  
**Fun and Fellowship Weekend 2018**

*June 22- 24, 2018*  
*Southern Alberta Bible Camp*

**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