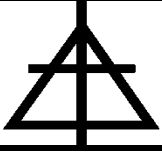


# Taber Christian Reformed Church



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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."*

**November 11, 2018**

**10:00 AM - Morning Worship**

**Pastor Josh Sweetman**

**We Begin Our Worship**

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 35: 27-28

Opening Song of Praise: *"Bless the Lord, O My Soul"* (LUYH 516)

God's Greeting

Songs of Praise: Sunday School Leads

*"Good, Good Father"; "This is Amazing Grace"; "Cornerstone"*

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

God's Will for Our Lives: Luke 22:24-30

Prayer of Confession:

Song of Assurance of Pardon:

*"I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew"* (LUYH 685, G 498)

Children's Blessing

Congregational Prayer

**We Listen To God's Word**

Song of Preparation:

*"Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak"* (LUYH 754, G 528)

Scripture: 1 Kings 19:10-18

Message: **The Small, Quiet and Ordinary Moments**

Song of Response: *"I Surrender All"* (LUYH 739)

**We Depart To Serve:**

Offering:

Presentation for Operation Christmas Child - Shoe Box Campaign

Benediction: *"Go My Children with My Blessing"* (LUYH 946)

Doxology:

**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.**

Please welcome Pastor Josh Sweetman Maranatha CRC to the pulpit this morning:

We first look at the story in 1 Kings of Elijah with God coming in a gentle breeze. We have busy lives filled with technology and other things that seemly run our lives. When we look at the liturgy of our lives, we are revealed to what we love. The question is does that need to change? Can we take those moments in our lives which we seek to fill with tech and other things into moments with our Creator and be led to the transformative message of the cross?

WILLING HELPERS	November 11 <sup>th</sup>	November 18 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Ushers:</b>	Jenna Jonker, Lexi Wojtowicz	Jared Tamminga, John VanderWekken
<b>Serving Elder:</b>	Dan Lievaart	Brent Hammilton
<b>Serving Deacons:</b>	Lucas Bennen, Brent Bydevaate	Arnold VanHuizen, Bernie Vloo
<b>PowerPoint:</b>	Brunette Boes	Brent Bydevaate
<b>Sound:</b>	Jason Little	Connor Tams
<b>Time of Praise:</b>	Sunday School	WT5
<b>Pianist:</b>	Miriam Bekkering	Annalise Ypma
<b>Nursery:</b>	Jill Stolk, Bea VanGeest, Janny DeVliieger, Ashleigh Little, Alec Boes	Britney Lievaart, Kate Woudwijk, Louise Payne, Hudson Kooiker, Agatha Peters
<b>Offering:</b>	First Bag: Back to God Ministry Second Bag: Church Budget	First Bag: Chaplaincy and Care Ministry Second Bag: Church Budget
<b>Greeters:</b>	John and Corry Vanderwekken Hans and Lena Visser	Dick and Marilyn Visser Richard and Margie Visser
<b>Coffee Servers:</b>	Jacob and Alicia Bennen Roy and Mary Shewchuk	Herman and Diane Meurs George and Alice Wolgen


Calendar of Events	
<b>Nov 11</b>	Sunday School: 3 and 4-year-olds only Evening Bible Study – 6pm
<b>Nov 12</b>	Young Adults Bowling – 7pm
<b>Nov 13</b>	GEMS and Cadets – 7:30pm
<b>Nov 14</b>	Council Meeting – 7:30pm
<b>Nov 15</b>	Ladies Coffee Break – 9:30am Evening Ladies Bible Study – 7:30pm
<b>Nov 16</b>	MOPS – 7:30pm
<b>Nov 17</b>	Woman’s Breakfast – 9am
<b>Nov 18</b>	Clearview Lodge Service – 2:30pm Evening Bible Study – 6pm

BIRTHDAYS!	
<b>Nov 11</b>	Cadence VanderWekken
<b>Nov 12</b>	Berend Molenaar
<b>Nov 13</b>	
<b>Nov 14</b>	Sawyer Zondervan
<b>Nov 15</b>	
<b>Nov 16</b>	Jenny Mazereeuw Jan Bennen Ashlyn VanderHoek Skylar Bennen
<b>Nov 17</b>	Darrel Sawatzky Tanya Hoekstra Emery Van Geest
<b>Nov 18</b>	Bernie Vloo Nelly Dupuis Felix Bennen


November Collection Schedule
<b>Nov 11:</b> Back to God Ministry
<b>Nov 18:</b> Chaplaincy and Care Ministry
<b>Nov 25:</b> Good Samaritan’s Seniors Home in Baja California




**A friendly reminder parents, that when you send your children with an offering, the Sunday School’s collection goes toward supporting our World Vision Sponsor Child.**



**Ladies Breakfast**  
**Woman’s Breakfast November 17th at 9am.**  
**All ladies are invited for breakfast with Pastor Ken followed by a bible study from ‘Woman of the Bible’.**



**Young Adults Bowling Night**  
November 12 we will be bowling at Taber bowling alley at 7pm. The first bowling game starts at 7 so please show up around 6:45 to get your name on a lane, and get shoes. Please RSVP to Kristin Tams at 403-715-2398 or Samy Tams at 403-915-8925 if you are plan to come.



**The Building Expansion Committee** is inviting all members to an informative meeting on Wednesday, November 21 at 7pm at the church where they will present the Expansion Proposal. The discussion will be on the direction and next steps for pursuing the project. See you there.

**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 those with ongoing health concerns: John Bos, Andrea DeLeeuw, Janet VanDerMeulen

Please be in prayer for those in our seniors homes: Tim Westerhoud, Klaas Visser, Jewel Klok,  
Hennie Bouwman, Meiny Veldhuizen, Henry VandenBrink, Hilda Westerhoud

The Lantern CRC in Calgary would like to express our sincere appreciation to the Taber CRC congregation for the Thanksgiving offering gift which you sent us. This very generous gift of \$5,070 is a continuing show of support from your congregation to ours. It has been a challenging year for the Lantern, and this gift will be very helpful to us by financially supporting our Ministry in Calgary. We thank our Lord for you, and pray for continued blessings on your Church.

### Church Events



This year our Candlelight Service will be held on December 16, please save the date and join us for our annual uplifting praise and worship service! If there is anyone willing to share their gift of music please let us know, contact Lindsey Bennen.



**CHRISTMAS SENIORS EVENING:** The girls and boys from the GEMS/CADETS Gr. 7&8 class would like to invite the Seniors in our congregation for an hour of games, singing, and fellowship. Please join us on Tuesday, November 27 from 7-8pm in the Fellowship Hall.



Thank you to everyone who volunteered to help on November 19 to do a meal at Streets Alive. As well as going there to serve and clean up we have to bring the meal as well. I'm looking for 4-5 pots of chilli and 10 dozen cookies. That sounds like a lot but so many have already offered to help! Also needed is juice powder or iced tea mix. For more information call Tasha Tams 403-330-7538



The Senior's fellowship committee invites all who are 60 years and up to a Christmas Dinner and Game night on Friday Dec. 7 at 5:30 for punch bowl and 6pm dinner. Please sign up on the guest list so we know how many to prepare for. Thank you.



For the Christmas Dinner, we are asking for help to prepare vegetables, stuffing, salads, cranberry and desserts. Please find the sign-up in the foyer or Let Pastor Ken know if you can help us out with any one of these items.



The Taber Ministerial Association will be providing the clients and volunteers of the Taber Food Bank a Christmas dinner on Saturday December 15. We (Taber Christian Reformed Church) will be providing 8 - 4kg hams, cooked sliced and ready to serve, and delivered to the Taber E Free Church by 5pm. If you are willing to purchase, cook and slice a ham, please find the sign-up sheet in the foyer.



**To our dear Grandparents and Grandfriends!** The students at Taber Christian School would like to invite you to our annual Grandparents and Grandfriends day. On Wednesday, Nov 21st we will feed you a nice lunch, sing and perform for you, and then invite you to our classrooms for a visit. If you don't have any grandchildren at TCS, we still want you to come and visit! Please call the school to let us know if you are coming.



We are in the process of getting new locks installed on the exterior doors of the church, as the locks get replaced your existing/original keys will no longer work. Please let Ellicia know on the sign-up sheet at her desk, if you require a new key for after-hours access to the church. Ellicia will have a new key once your old one is turned in and will keep a running list of who holds a new key. The original lock will remain in the front center door for a few more weeks until everyone has had a chance to exchange their keys. Thank you, ~Building Committee

## Community / Regional / National News

**Taber Christian School have started looking at the possibility of a Christian High School here in Taber. You are invited to our Town Hall meeting on Monday November 19th at 7:30pm in the TCS gymnasium. We are asking ALL families who are interested to join us. This meeting will set the direction moving forward.**

**DUTCH FOOD FUNDRAISER** – Taber Christian School is running its Dutch food fundraiser again this year. Enjoy a superior brand of Gouda cheese and delicious chocolate coming straight from Holland to your table. We are selling Belle de Hollande Gouda cheese (large wheel cheese) and De Ruijter chocolate (sprinkles & flakes). The Gouda cheese comes in Mild, Medium, Spiced, & \*Extra Old. Orders need to be in by Monday, November 12th. Cheese and chocolate will be at the school for pickup on Friday, December 14 from 1-3:30 pm. This year we have a limited amount of cheese and orders will be filled on a first come first serve bases. Please call Yolande Kielstra at 403-330-8699 to place your order, or stop in at the school, or Taber Christian Facebook site for an order form.



**Rehoboth Christian Ministries and The Sunshine Auxiliary will be hosting their annual Pancake Breakfast & Poinsettia Sale** at the Rehoboth Greenhouses in Coaldale on Saturday, November 24th from 8am to 11am; shopping will be until noon! New this year...Children's crafts, face painting & cupcake decorating while you shop! Cost for Breakfast: Donation. Cost for Children's Event: Donation. We

welcome you to come and enjoy a morning of good eating and fun for the children while supporting a great cause. For more information please call 403-345-5199, ask for Sigrid. (Directions: Go 1 km north on hwy. 845 from the main traffic lights on hwy. 3, look for the big green roof!)

**DINNER & FALL FASHION SHOW:** All women are invited to an enjoyable evening, including a DINNER & FASHION SHOW on Tuesday, NOVEMBER 13th @ 6:30 p.m. at LUIGI'S Banquet Room. Featured will be fashions from COALDALE LADIES WEAR, presented by Cheryl Wright. You will also enjoy the beautiful music of Terri Valgardson & Gloria Cyr, and inspirational message, "Joy in Onions" by Joanne Penner Herron. Cost for the evening is \$25 per person. Reservations can be made by calling Sylvia @ 416-5075 or Jane @ 223-1435. Email: sylvia.krizan@shaw.ca. Cancellations are absolutely necessary by 7:30p.m., Sunday, November 11th, please. Sponsored by Taber Christian Women's affiliated with RSV Ministries Canada. Everyone is welcome to this most enjoyable evening!

**Voice of the Martyrs** – Dieny Donkersgoed: **CHINA** –In a continuing campaign against unregistered churches around the country, Chinese authorities in Guangzhou have cordoned off a church which was first started in the 1950s. At that time, the pastor, Lin Xiangao, was eventually arrested and spent more than 20 years in prison. After his release in 1978, Lin restarted the church which has since grown to thousands of attendees. Despite having reached an agreement with the local religious affairs bureau, police blocked off all access to the Rongguili Church. Pray for the tremendous number of churches throughout China that are facing harassment and intimidation from government officials and that the countries Christians be given the opportunity to share the gospel

**Deepen Down into Advent** – Our annual fall InterMission Silent Retreat takes place on Dec 7-9 at Star of the North Retreat Centre in St. Albert. The Star is situated right in the centre (almost) of the lovely city of St. Albert and is close to many paths and parks. Retreat begins Friday 7 PM and runs to Sunday 4 PM. 2 nights accommodation, peace, quiet, rest, reflection, prayer, 5 meals, up to 3 spiritual direction sessions, morning and evening prayers. Recently I read a quote by the grand old, now deceased, Robertson Davies: "It is easier to be busy than it is to be holy." Take time to be holy and get connected, to yourself, to God and others. \$350. To register: rev.klok@gmail.com

**Fatal Flaws:** Documentary Showing & Refreshments Presented By Taber Pro-life

Thursday, November 15th 7:30pm - Taber Civic Centre, White Room, Free of Charge

Film maker Kevin Dunn travels to the Netherlands, Belgium, the U.S.A. & Canada to ask some of the most fundamental philosophical questions of our time: Should we be giving medical professionals the legal right to end the life of another human being? How do these laws affect society over time?

Fatal Flaws features personal stories from people who oppose assisted suicide but also interviews with leaders of the death lobbies in the Netherlands and the United States. ~For information call Marian Tamminga 403-223-8625

**Immanuel Fall Fundraiser** – November 17, 2018 at Immanuel Christian Secondary School, Doors open at 10 am with coffee and dessert available. Lunch is served between 11 and 2. Auction starts at 1:30. Kid Zone opens at 11 am.