November Offerings

Nov 15- St. Vincent DePaul	Nov 22- Safe Families (Speaker) Nov 29- Lifewater Canada

To donate online please send e-transfers to: tabercrcdeacons@gmail.com

St Vincent de Paul is an organization united in the mission to serve persons in need. We provide material support in the form of non-perishable food items, cloths, household items and furniture to individuals and families across the country. Whether in their homes, on the streets, in shelters, in hospitals or in prisons, our work knows no boundaries.

October Offerings Totals	
Canadian Food Grains- $9,170.00	**Taber Safe Haven- $2,920.66**
ProLife- $1,088.40	**Budget Offering- $61,586.00**
Rehoboth- $2,532.45	**Capital Project $25,000.00**
Spark Girls Club- $1,577.65	**Deacon Fund- $600.00**
St. Vincent DePaul- $3,420.69	**YTD Budget- $348,228.54**
Taber Food Bank- $3,802.75	**YTD Capital- $40,000.00**

Help Send Our Youth on the 2027 Outreach Trip!



Save the date! On **Saturday, February 6 at 5:00 PM**, we are hosting a Mexican-themed supper and silent auction to help make the 2027 Outreach Trip affordable for our youth. Over the next few weeks, our youth attendees will be reaching out to local businesses and community members to gather items for the auction. If you own a business or have a new item, gift basket, or service you would like to donate, we would love your support! Please contact **James Ebrey** at **403-223-1399 ext. 3** or **tabercrcministries@gmail.com** to contribute by January 30, 2027. The supper will be a ticketed event with more information coming soon.

We are showing; **LIFE WORTH LIVING**. **Averting the Canadian Euthanasia Crisis** A film by Frank X. Panico and Alex Schadenberg. **Monday November 16, 2026, at 7:30pm** at the Christian Reformed Church 3902 Heritage Drive, Taber, AB. Refreshments to follow. All are welcome! This event is hosted by Taber Pro-Life. For more information Marian 403-382-8793 or Janny 403-634-1214.

BeLoved Care Fundraising Dinner Thursday, November 19th at the Sandman Signature Lethbridge Lodge, D.V. Join us as we share the vision for a Christian long-term care home in southern Alberta. Register by contacting info@belovedcare.ca, call/text 403-380-9638, or visiting https://tinyurl.com/3vcbbmu.

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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 15, 2026

Sunday Worship: Blessed are the Persecuted…do we know what it means to be persecuted? For us in North America it might mean one thing, but it is not what some of our brothers and sisters around the world experience. This morning we will talk about what it means to be persecuted and how we are to carry ourselves in light of it.

We Begin Our Worship
*Invitation to Worship
*Time of Praise –
"Sing, Sing a New Song to the Lord God" (LUYH 547);
"Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" vs. 1,2,4,5 (LUYH 571)

We Celebrate God's Grace
Time of Confession and Assurance
"How Great Is the Love of the Father" (LUYH 683)
Congregational Prayer
Children's Blessing

We Listen to God's Word
*Hymn of Preparation:
"Nearer, Still Nearer"
(LUYH 659)

Scripture:
Matthew 5:1-12;
2 Corinthians 4:17-18
Sermon:
Blessed are the Persecuted

We Respond with Gratitude
Prayer
*Hymn of Response –
"If You But Trust in God to Guide You" (LUYH 407)
Offering

We Depart to Serve
*God's Parting Blessing
*Doxology –
"The Day You Gave Us Lord, is Ended"

Church Family

We continue to pray for those in our senior homes or who are shut in and unable to worship with us weekly: Hennie Bouwman, Corry Vanderwekken, Rika Zuidhof, Rev. Jake Corvers, George Wolgen, Alice Wolgen, Hank Wikkerink, Janny Wikkerink, Rose Kuizenga and Hessina Bekkering.

Please keep Wim VanHaarst, Jim Zondervan, Kolby Barnstable, John DeWolf and Ken Braun in your prayers as they navigate their cancer diagnoses and those undergoing treatments. May God be near them, giving them strength, peace, comfort and hope.

Please continue to pray for Pastor Jim as he recovers at home from recent surgery.

Please continue to be with Hans Visser as he remains in the Taber Hospital as he waits for a spot in Lindenview.

Please pray for Alex Wind as he underwent surgery on Tuesday to remove some cancer. Please pray for continued healing and for positive results that the cancer did not spread.

Church Calendar	
Nov 15	**Service at 10:00am** **Sunday School All Grades** 11:15am- Catechism 11:25am- Choir Practice
Nov 16	7:30pm- Men's Bible Study
Nov 17	6:15pm- Children's Choir 7:00pm- Spark & Cadets
Nov 18	9:30am- Ladies Coffee Break 7:00pm- Ladies Volleyball
Nov 19	7:30pm- Gather Bible Study
Nov 20	9:30am- Village
Nov 22	**Service at 10:00am** **Sunday School Prek-Gr.5** 11:25am- Choir Practice

Happy Birthday	
Nov 16	Ashlyn VanderHoek Jan Bennen Owen Ovinge Skylar Bennen
Nov 17	Darrel Sawatzky Emery VanGeest Tanya Hoekstra
Nov 18	Bernie Vloo Felix Bennen Nelly Dupuis
Nov 19	Hallie Tams
Nov 20	Keith Kielstra Kyle Braun Lloyd Ypma Rienk VanderHoek
Nov 22	Ryder Tams

Food & Fellowship

Register on The Bridge App at least 3 days before each event.
- Men's Breakfast on Saturday, Nov. 28 at 8 A.M.
- Soup & Bun Sunday at 12 noon on Nov. 29; for **everyone** in our congregation. District 2 to provide the soup and attendees from other districts, please bring a dozen ham/cheese buns.
- Ladies Brunch on Saturday, Dec. 5 at 10 A.M.
- Christmas Dinner for those 60 and over on Dec. 12 at 5 P.M.
- Christmas Together on Dec. 24 from 1 P.M. Fellowship | Food | Games | Movie. Bring a potluck item & favourite board game. All are welcome!

	Today Willing Helpers	November 22nd Willing Helpers
Serving Elder	Jeff Smith	Lucas Bennen
Pianist	Thomas Vanderluit	Amanda DeBoer
Worship Team	WT7	WT6
Sound	Keith Ypma	Dave M./ Madison S.
Media Team	Brent Bydevaate	Jeff Smith
Nursery	Amanda VanDyk Emmalee D. | Nyla D.	Jody Deweerd Madison S. | Selah H.
Coffee Servers	Serge & Joanne Langeweg Thomas & Britney Lievaart	Herman & Diane Meurs Dustin & Danielle Monson
Greeters	Gerard & Nelly Dupuis Bill & Sylvia Hiemstra	Brent & Stephanie H. Shakila H. | Sakhi H.

Service Opportunities

Within our church:

- **Meals on Wheels**: All dates have been filled. Thank you to those who have volunteered their time. A volunteer information sheet is in your mailbox.
- Our **Admin Committee and SRC Committee** are both actively looking for one more member to join. If this is something you are interested in, reach out to James Ebrey for more info.
- Be a host for the **LIFT *Superfly* Event on January 10:** Opening your space is a wonderful way to build community! Whether in your home or at the church, we'd love to help you host a LIFT gathering. Reach out to James E, Peter V, Danielle V, or Pam W to find an open date or learn more.

Within our community

- **Taber Food Bank:** Tim Hortons' Holiday Smile Cookie campaign will run from Nov. 30 to Dec. 6. And on Dec 1, from 9 A.M.–7 P.M. is their December Stuff a Bus. Watch their social media for details on how to volunteer.
- Taber Safe Haven Women's Shelter: Support their 2026 Adopt a Family Christmas Program. Contact outreachsupervisor@tabersafehaven.ca or call 403-622-0237. Check out tabersafehaven.ca and their social media for more information.

Sr. High Inc at SABC on **Nov 20–22** for registered youth.
Save the Date: April 10 @ 1 PM, Interchurch.
LIFT returns on December 6.



Submit Bulletin Announcements/Requests via email by Thursdays at Noon.
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