



Candlelight Service



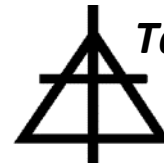
Annual Candlelight Service 2023:

On December 18 at 6:00pm
We will be having our annual
Christmas Candlelight Service.

If you would like to participate in any way, reading a scripture passage, reading a poem, playing a musical instrument or singing a song, please contact Pastor Brian or one of the worship committee members:
Amanda DeBoer,
Peter Boes, Marilyn Tams,
Annalise Ypma, or Marilyn Visser.

Happy Birthday

Dec 04	Pat Kempe Naomi Wind
Dec 05	Bennett Kamper
Dec 07	Kaleb Muller
Dec 08	Dwayne Gould
Dec 09	Nicole Varekamp
Dec 10	Jenna Kempe
Dec 11	Kevin Wind



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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."

December 4, 2022

Sunday Service:

This morning we continue in the season of Advent as we light the candle of Peace and think about waiting for the light to come. We have the privilege of witnessing the sacrament of baptism to Sadie Alice VanDyk. We welcome Pastor Mike VanDyk as he will administer the sacrament of baptism.

	Dec 4 Willing Helpers		Dec 11 Willing Helpers
Serving Elder	Henk DeVliieger	Serving Elder	Pete Boes
Pianist	Jodi Hummel	Pianist	Amanda DeBoer
Worship Team	WT3	Worship Team	KidsLead
Sound	Alex Wind	Sound	Serge Langeweg
PowerPoint	Brent Bydevaate	PowerPoint	Jeff Smith
Nursery	Wilma Bekkering, Breanne Kempe, Sebastian Hoekstra	Nursery	Maria Suing, Lindsey Bennen, Brady Deboer
Greeters	Anita Vanderwekken Casey & Jane Bydevaate	Greeters	Victor and Maria Suing Ken and Ramona Braun
Coffee Servers	George and Alice Wolgen Scott and Karen Vandenberg	Coffee Servers	David and Kim Bekkering Garth & Wilma Bekkering



Taber Kiwanis Community Christmas Carol Festival

December 14 at 7pm

Location: LDS Stake Center 4709-50 Ave Taber

Come and join us to celebrate Christmas as a Community!

The Lethbridge Christian Women and Men's Choirs are thankful to be back to welcome you to their annual Christmas Concert at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church 1818 - 5 Ave S. Lethbridge on Friday, December 9, 2022 at 7:30 p.m. Please join us as we celebrate the birth of Christ in song. A free will offering will be accepted.

We Begin Our Worship

Call to Worship –
"Waiting in Peace"
*Opening Song –
"O Come All Ye Faithful"
(LUYH 76 G 340)
God's Greeting
*Songs of Praise – "The First Noel"
"Christmas Offering"

We Celebrate God's Promises

Celebration of Baptism of
Sadie Alice Vandyk
Song of Celebration:
"Mighty to Save" (LUYH 611)

We Come into God's Presence

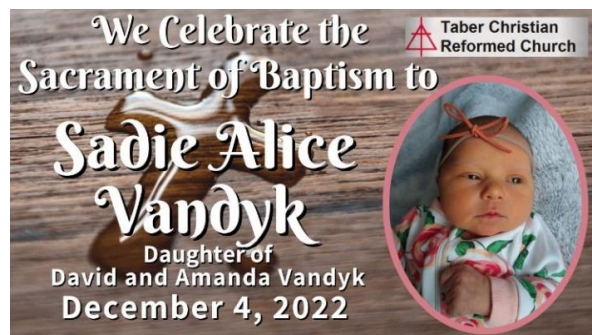
Advent Reading and Lighting of the
Candle of PEACE – Suing Family
Advent Song/Children's Song:
"Jesus, the Light of the World"
(LUYH 100)
Children's Blessing
Congregational Prayer

We Listen to God's Word

*Song of Preparation –
"Meekness and Majesty" (LUYH 157)
Scripture – John 1:1-18; 8:12;
1 John 1:5-7; Ephesians 5:8
Sermon: "Waiting for Light"
Prayer –
Song of Response –
"Christ Whose Glory Fills the Skies"
(LUYH 667)

We Depart to Serve

Offering –
Offertory: "Light of the world"
Benediction –
Doxology –
"Beautiful Saviour" (LUYH 17 G 461)



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, Klaas Visser, Jenny Mazareeuw,
Albert Donkerbroek, Jenny Stolk, Ali Huizing and Rev. Jake Corvers

Klaas Visser has moved into Linden View in room 119. Please Pray that he adjusts to his new home and feel free to visit him.

Please be in prayer for Wilma Bekkering as she starts chemo treatments.

Please continue to pray for Marilyn Visser, Gerlinda Bonthuis,
Jolanda Molenaar and George Vandergaast.

Taber Ministerial Food Bank Dinner:

We are in need of four people willing to prepare ham for the Christmas dinner for the Food Bank on December 18. If you can help please talk to Pastor Brian, thank you

Volunteers are needed to assist with the Taber Food Bank Christmas Dinner, Dec 17th 6pm-8:30pm at E-free Church. To assist with serving drinks during the meal and clean up. Please let Pastor Brian or James know.

Taber Recover Group: Pornography addiction is ruining lives, and it thrives in shame and isolation. There is a group of men in this church who are supporting each other through conversation, community and accountability. If you would like to join us, (or simply connect by email) contact taberrecovery@gmail.com.

If you, or someone you know, needs a meal(s) then come grab them from the freezers at the Church. We have plenty of room in the freezers if you would like to donate food/meals.

Church Calendar	
	11:15am – Catechism
Dec 04	5:00pm – Ray VanderLaan 7:00pm – Youth Group
Dec 05	7:30pm – Men’s Bible Study
Dec 07	9:30am – Coffee Break 7:00pm – Ladies Volleyball 7:30pm – Executive Meeting
Dec 08	7:00pm – Choir Practice 8:00pm – Ladies Bible Study
Dec 09	9:30am – Village Bible Study
Dec 11	3:15pm – Youth Group
Dec 12	7:30pm – Men’s Bible Study
Dec 13	7:00pm – GEMS & Cadets
Dec 14	9:30pm – Coffee Break 7:00pm – Ladies Volleyball 7:30pm – Council Meeting
Dec 15	8:00pm – Ladies Bible Study
Dec 16	9:30am – Village Playdate 5:00pm – Dinner for 50+ Yrs
Dec 18	11:15am – Catechism 6:00pm – Candlelight Service -Youth Group Following service
Dec 19	7:30pm – Men’s Bible Study
Dec 21	9:30am – Coffee Break 7:00pm – Ladies Volleyball
Dec 22	8:00pm – Ladies Bible Study

**Ray Vanderlaan –
Bible Study tonight at 5pm.**

Youth Group activity – December 4 will be Volleyball in the Church Gym. We are in need of a parent supervisor(s) for this activity please.
Leader: Peter VanderWekken.

Youth Group – December 11: Meet at Taber CRC at 3:10pm, promptly depart at 3:15pm. Arrive back in Taber between 8:30pm and 8:45pm. Please let James know if you are able to drive. **Volunteers needed from 4 pm to 8 pm to prepare, serve, and clean up the Supper Meal service for our guests at the Lethbridge Soup Kitchen.**

December Offerings

Dec 04 – Rehoboth

- Rehoboth Christian Ministries’ mandate is to serve people with disabilities so they can flourish in life, as Jesus taught. They facilitate disabled people in some 50 group homes across Alberta with staffing in Grande Prairie, Stony Plain, Three Hills, Calgary and Coaldale. May God continue to bless their ministries.

Dec 11 – Teen Challenge

Dec 18 – Ministry to Seafarers

Dec 25 – Life Water Canada

Note from the Deacons:

With the calendar year quickly coming to a close, please prayerfully consider giving to our church budget. We are currently not on track to meet budget. The last day for giving for the 2022 fiscal year is 5pm on Dec 26 (This includes e-transfers as well)

November Collections

Budget: \$28,380.30

Compassion Canada: **\$2,167.65**

Reframe Ministries: **\$672.50**

Chaplaincy Care Ministry: **\$645.30**

Kings College: **\$619.70**