

SERMON NOTES

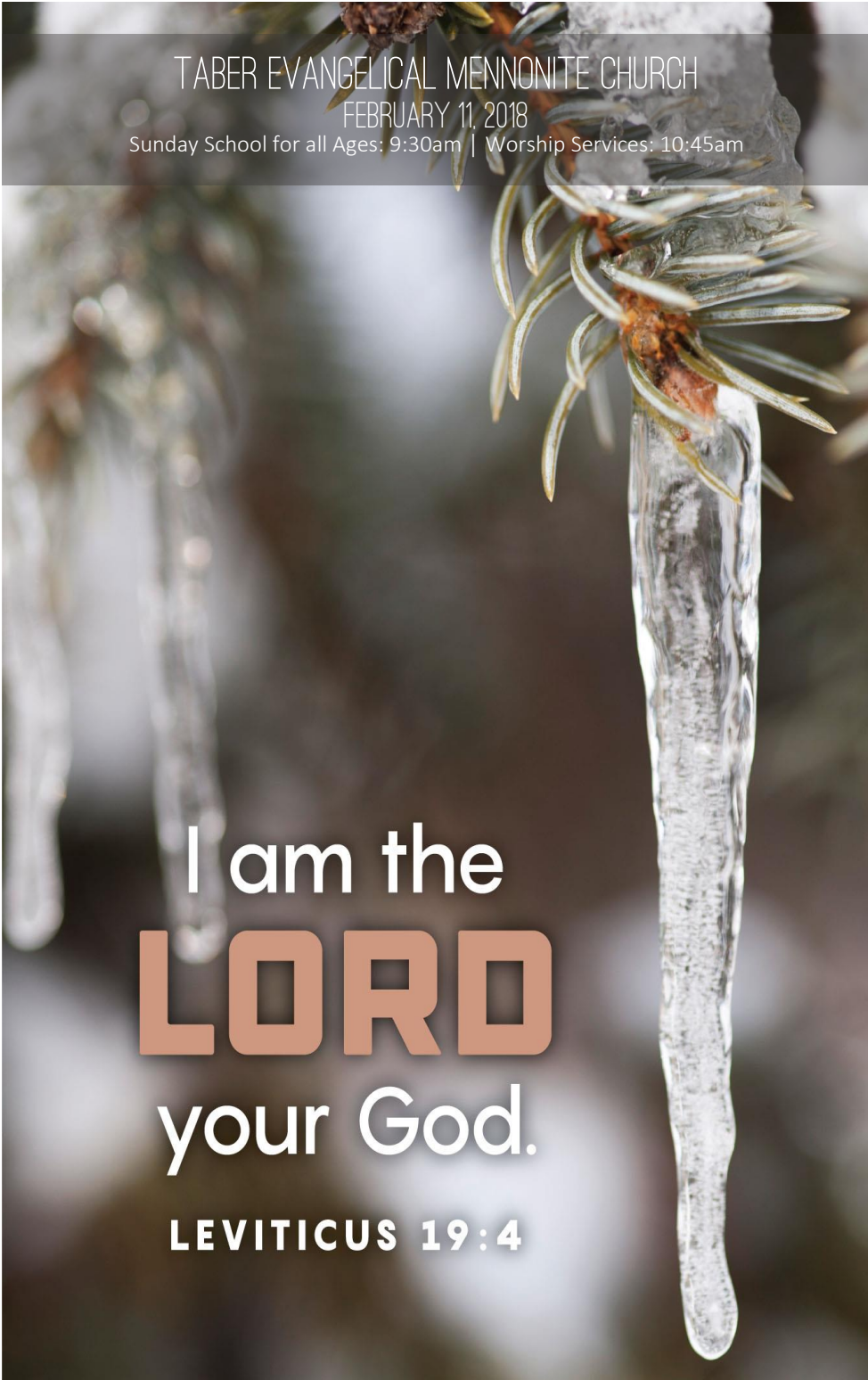
PRAAYER NEEDS FOR THE WEEK:

- **Our Community** – God has given us a calling to reach the unsaved! Pray for open hearts and opportunities.
- **Spiritual Healing** – Spend time in prayer for those around you that are hurting.
- **Our Government** – Pray for wisdom and discernment in all the decisions they make.

TABER EVANGELICAL MENNONITE CHURCH

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TABER EVANGELICAL MENNONITE CHURCH
FEBRUARY 11, 2018
Sunday School for all Ages: 9:30am | Worship Services: 10:45am

I am the
LORD
your God.
LEVITICUS 19:4

TABER EMC VISION STATEMENT, MISSION STATEMENT AND GOALS

Our Calling

There is a God! We live and serve Christ in our homes, the church and community because there is a God who loves us and has called us into His fellowship and work. (John 15:13-17; Matthew 28:18:20; Romans 1:14-17; 1 Timothy 2:3-7.)

Our Vision

Our vision is that we fully and freely live in Christ, giving witness and ministry in the name of Christ, as a mature Christian community in our society!

Our Mission (Our Life and Work!)

It is our mission, that as a people and a church, that we embody and deliver a ministry that brings the gospel of Christ and the Word of God, and people together for personal faith, worship, learning, friendship, encouragement and service.

TODAYS WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome, Prayer, & Announcements -----John Redecop

Worship Singing -----Abe & Anna Klassen

Offertory -----Anna A Klassen

Sermon -----Jim Crawford

Closing Song and Benediction

SCRIPTURE VERSE

John 10:14-18 (NIV)

"I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me—¹⁵ just as the Father knows me and I know the Father—and I lay down my life for the sheep. ¹⁶ I have other sheep that are not of this sheep pen. I must bring them also. They too will listen to my voice, and there shall be one flock and one shepherd. ¹⁷ The reason my Father loves me is that I lay down my life—only to take it up again.

¹⁸ No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have authority to lay it down and authority to take it up again. This command I received from my Father."

THIS WEEK ON OUR CALENDAR

FRIDAY | KIDS CLUB | 7:00-8:30PM

Children from K-Grade 6 are invited to join us for a fun evening. Bring a friend!

SATURDAY | MEN'S BREAKFAST | 8:00AM

All men are invited to come out for Men's Breakfast held at the church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

CHURCH DIRECTORIES | New church phonebooks will be available April 1. We encourage all church members and regular attending individuals/families to add their information to the directory. Please read the bulletin insert for all the details.

FEBRUARY 18 | MEMBERSHIP CLASSES | 9:30-10:30AM

We will begin Membership Classes starting on February 18 for anyone interested in taking up Membership at the Taber EMC Church. Please talk to Abe E Klassen if this is something you are interested in, or if you have any questions.

FEBRUARY 18-21 | BEREAN SCHOOL | 7:00-10:00PM

Jerry Plett will be in our church for a 4-day study on the Holy Spirit. Everyone is encouraged to attend this study, cost will be by donation. There will refreshments served each evening during the break.

*Please note that the Sunday session will be from 6-9pm.

FEBRUARY 24 | LADIES BREAKFAST | 8:30AM

All ladies are invited to come out for a morning of food & encouragement. *Please note the earlier start time due to the Membership Meeting.

FEBRUARY 24 | ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP & ELECTIONS MEETING | 10:00AM

Everyone is invited to attend our annual Membership & Elections meeting, come and participate in the planning and work of the church.

FEBRUARY 25 | CHURCH FAMILY SKATING | 3:30-5:30PM

Everyone is invited to join us for our annual Family Skate at the small ice arena. There will be hot chocolate and coffee served through-out the afternoon. Everyone is asked to bring easy snacks to share.

FEBRUARY 27 | LADIES BIBLE STUDY | TUESDAYS 9:30AM & 7:00PM

A ladies Tuesday day/evening Bible study will be starting at the end of February with the book "Seamless" by Angie Smith as their study guide. The focus of this study is understanding the Bible as one complete story.

*Eva Wiebe will lead the morning study and Anna A Klassen will lead the evening study.

*Everyone is asked to bring \$20 to the first study to pay for your study material.

MARCH 3 | COMMITTEE ORIENTATION MEETING | 10:00AM

All committee members, newly elected and those with completed terms are asked to attend the orientation meeting to discuss and plan for the year. *Lunch will be provided.



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- ✓ There is a current phonebook on the table at the back of the sanctuary for you to note any changes or corrections that need to be made to your listing.
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