SERMON NOTES

### COMMUNICATION TO OPEN DOORS!

IN THE CHAIR'S BACK POCKET (IN FRONT OF YOU)

- (1) OFFERING' ENVELOPES Your giving enables the church to do its work. Please use these when you want to give cash money, and you want to include your name or offering number for income tax purposes. If you are giving by cheque, your name is already on the cheque. Thank you for giving! Every person matters; every gift counts!
- (2) LETS CONNECT CARDS If we can help you in some way, please fill out the card. The ushers will give the cards to the Church Board.
- (3) "VOLUNTEER" CARDS Volunteers are the power of the church! If you wish to help in some way, please fill in the card and place it in the offering bags, or on the back table. The ushers will give it to the Church Board.

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### VISION/MISSIONS STATEMENTS FROM THE BIBLE

"Those who care! Those who believe! Those who live!

### TODAYS WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome & Prayer	Peter Neufeld
Worship Singing	Isaac Fehr & Group
Announcements & Offertory	Veeonna Peters
Message "In Pursuit of the Kingdom"	Jim Crawford
Closing Worship Song	Isaac Fehr & Group

## SCRIPTURE VERSE

Matthew 6:25-34 niv

"Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? <sup>26</sup>Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? <sup>27</sup>Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life? <sup>28</sup>"And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. <sup>29</sup>Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. <sup>30</sup>If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you-you of little faith? <sup>31</sup>So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup>For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. <sup>33</sup>But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup>Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

### YOUTH NEWS

Please find us on Instagram "taberemcyouth" and Facebook "Taber EMC Youth" for up to the minute updates on what we're doing!

# FRIDAY | SENIOR YOUTH SKATING | 7:00PM

All senior Youth are invited to meet at the large ice arena for an hour of skating followed by snacks.

#### THIS WEEK ON OUR CALENDAR

TUESDAY | WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY | 9:00-11:00AM

Anyone signed up for this Bible study is asked to bring \$20 for your materials.

WEDNESDAY | KIDS CLUB | 6:30-8:00pm

All kids from Kindergarten-grade 5 are invited to come out for a fun evening!

THURSDAY | WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY | 7:00-9:00pm

Anyone signed up for this evening study is asked to bring \$20 to cover the cost of the materials.

NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14 | COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER | 5:00pm

Keep this date free and come support our annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner at the Taber Auditorium. The dinner is by donation with all proceeds going towards supporting our local community needs; the Taber Food Bank & Harvest Radio 89.5FM.

The dinner will start at 5pm followed by a program with reports from the Food Bank and the Harvest Radio Station.

\*Everyone is asked to bring their favourite pie for the dessert.

\*There is a sign-up sheet at the back for anyone that is willing to help prepare food for the dinner. There are still more volunteers needed to bake turkeys and help in the kitchen so please stop by and sign up where you can.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

SOUND PANELS | Please note that the church would like to move forward with purchasing Acoustic Sound Panels in an effort to control the echo in our Fellowship Hall. If you would like to contribute to this purchase, please indicate "sound panels" on your cheque or envelope.

COMMITTEE SCHEDULES | We encourage our committees to plan ahead 6-12 months where possible so that our church events can be marked on the calendar before we schedule private events. Talk to Tina Dyck if you have any events that need to be added to the calendar. Thank you to our committees for working hard in their ministry for the church, may the Lord bless you as you continue to serve.

COMMUNITY EVENT | GOSPEL ECHOES PRISON MNISTRY | OCTOBER 13, 7:00PM

The Gospel Echoes Team will be performing at the Vauxhall Community Hall this Saturday at 7pm. Everyone is invited to attend, there will be a free-will offering for this ministry.