

VISION/MISSIONS STATEMENTS FROM THE BIBLE

Church Vision - "A Christian People of Truth, Grace, and Life." (from John 1:7; 14:6)
Church Mission - "To excel in Christian Worship, Gospel Ministries, Discipleship, and Leadership!" (from 1 Timothy 4:11-16)

TODAYS WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome & Prayer -----George Sawatzky
Worship Singing -----Dave & Audrey & Group
Announcements & Offertory -----Savannah & Keisha
Message "Being Engaged in Ministry" -----Abe E Klassen
Closing Worship Song -----Dave & Audrey & Group

SERMON TEXT: 1 PETERS 4:7-11 (ESV)

The end of all things is at hand; therefore be self-controlled and sober-minded for the sake of your prayers. ⁸Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. ⁹Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. ¹⁰As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace: ¹¹whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

SENIOR YOUTH NEWS

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

SATURDAY, DEC 1 | JUNIOR & SENIOR YOUTH CHRISTMAS BANQUET | 6:00PM

All Junior & Senior Youth are invited to our Youth Christmas Banquet at the church! Today is your last day to sign up, cost of the banquet is \$15 each, please pay as soon as possible to one of your youth leaders. *Bring an optional \$10 white elephant gift. *Doors will open at 5:30pm.*

DEC 14 | CHRISTMAS CAROLING | 6:30PM

Meet at the church at 6:30pm for Christmas Caroling! Dress warm and bring a blanket. We'll be serving hot chocolate and snacks afterwards

THIS WEEK ON OUR CALENDAR

FRIDAY | LADIES CHRISTMAS BANQUET | 6:00PM

Ladies today is your last chance to sign up for our annual Ladies Christmas Banquet held in our church. It will be a good evening of spiritual encouragement and hearing what our guest speaker, Christa Haverhals has to share. We will also be doing the Prayer Sister reveal and picking new prayer sisters for the coming year.

**Cost will be \$27 per person, sign-up today!*

**The Women's Ministry is looking for door prizes for this evening and would like them to be in before November 29.*

NEXT SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2 | POTLUCK LUNCH & CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Everyone is invited to stay for a potluck lunch next Sunday followed by a congregational meeting. This meeting is to provide an update on our Senior Pastor Search.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

CHURCH NAME SUGGESTIONS | The church would like to start the process of considering a new church name and we would like your input. We will continue to operate as an EMC Church, just under a new name. There are suggestion ballots located at the back of the sanctuary, fill one out if you have any suggestions and drop them in the ballot box also located at the back of the sanctuary. The ballot box will be removed and sorted by the Board after November 25.

THE GIFT THAT KEEPS GIVING | The Sunday School is doing an MCC gift this year as their Christmas project. They will be purchasing chicken broods through MCC for families in need in poor countries. Chickens are a gift that keeps on giving for these families as they are a valuable source of eggs, meat, and profit. The Sunday School is asking that children bring a loonie every Sunday to purchase these chickens. One brood of chickens cost \$15.

DECEMBER 7 | ADULTS CHRISTMAS BANQUET | 6:30PM

All adults are invited to sign up for the adults Christmas Banquet held here at the church. It will be a good evening of fellowship and celebration. Doors will open at 6:00pm, dinner at 6:30pm.

**Cost will be \$25 per person or \$50 per couple. Sign-ups will begin next Sunday, November 18*

**The Events Committee is looking for door prizes for this evening, please talk to Abe & Anna Klassen if you have something you would like to donate.*

**Deadline to sign up & pay is next Sunday, December 2.*

DECEMBER 16 | CHURCH CHRISTMAS PROGRAM | 5:00PM

Please join us for our church Christmas program and help us celebrate the birth of Christ followed by a potluck fasha. All are welcome, bring along your family, friends and neighbors.