

SERMON NOTES

HOW TO TITHE AT THE TABER EMC CHURCH

Thank you for your faithfulness in giving to the church. Your gift allows us to continue doing our Ministry. If you have any questions about tithing, we encourage you to connect with our Treasurers, Margaret Wiebe and Elly Ruggles.

There are two ways to tithe, you may place a cash donation for the amount you feel led to give into the offering bags that are sent around during the Sunday morning worship services. This tithing is kept personal and there is no record of it other than it is added to our offering totals.

You may also tithe with a Donation ID Number which allows our treasurers to keep a record of your donations and then you are given a receipt at the end of the year to use for your government tax claim. Your donation is kept confidential and only our treasurers keep a record using your ID Number.

Any donations of \$200 or less in one year allow you a 25% benefit to your government tax claim, meaning for every dollar you donated, 25¢ is returned. Any donations over \$200 in one year allow you a 50% benefit to your tax return, meaning for every dollar you donated, 50¢ is returned.

TABER EVANGELICAL MENNONITE CHURCH

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MARCH 31, 2019

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES: 9:30AM | WORSHIP SERVICES: 10:45AM



**TAKE THE WORLD,
BUT GIVE ME JESUS.**

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!"

TODAYS WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome & Prayer -----Abe A Klassen
Worship Singing -----Worship Team
Announcements & Offertory -----Alyssa Wiebe
Message "Are We There Yet?" Are We Home Yet?" -----Dave Wiebe
Closing Worship Song -----Worship Team

SCRIPTURE TEXT

HEBREWS 13:10-16 NIV

We have an altar from which those who minister at the tabernacle have no right to eat.

¹¹ The high priest carries the blood of animals into the Most Holy Place as a sin offering, but the bodies are burned outside the camp. ¹² And so Jesus also suffered outside the city gate to make the people holy through his own blood. ¹³ Let us, then, go to him outside the camp, bearing the disgrace he bore. ¹⁴ For here we do not have an enduring city, but we are looking for the city that is to come.

¹⁵ Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise—the fruit of lips that openly profess his name. ¹⁶ And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.

THIS WEEK ON OUR CALENDAR

TODAY | CHURCH GAMES & ACTIVITIES | 2:00PM

Everyone is invited to the Tween Valley School gym for an afternoon of fun & games! Bring your favourite board/card games. Everyone is asked to bring faspas food to share!

The School is located on the corner of Range Road 14-5 and Township Road 9-0. Directions: If you are coming from Taber, travel East on HYW 3 for 20km. Turn South onto Range Road 14-5 for 13km. Turn East onto Township RD 9-0 for another 450 meters.

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!

FRIDAY | MOVIE NIGHT AT THE CHURCH | 7:00PM

Come out and join us for a movie night!

*Snacks provided by Chelsea Friesen and Martha Banman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL 9 | LADIES BIBLE STUDY

The Women's Ministry is planning a Spring Bible Study starting April 9 on the book "James: Mercy Triumphs" by Beth Moore. The study will run Tuesday mornings at 9:30am and Thursday evenings at 7:00pm. *Books are \$25 each. *There is a sign-up sheet at the back of the sanctuary, deadline to sign up is today!

APRIL 12-13 | MARRIAGE & WEDDING PREP SEMINAR

This seminar is for any couples preparing to get married this Spring or Summer. If you are planning to take this course, please register with Dave Wiebe or Abe E Klassen. Friday: 7-9pm | Saturday 9-2pm.

APRIL 13 | OUTDOOR SHED RENOS

All men and Senior Youth young men are invited to come out and help build a new larger shed and renovate the old shed. Lunch will be provided, and a pig roast will be served for dinner. Plan to help! *There will be a sign-up sheet at the back where you can indicate whether you are able to help in the morning or afternoon.

* Bring your tool belt with basic tools if you have one. (hammer, tape measure, pencil)

APRIL 19 | GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE | 10:00AM

APRIL 21 | EASTER SUNDAY | 10:45AM

There will be no Sunday School Easter Sunday, our worship Service will start at the regular time.

APRIL 24 | AFRICAN CHILDREN'S CHOIR | 7:00PM

The African Children's Choir will be performing in our church as a part of their North American Tour. Come and experience a unique performance that shows the beauty, dignity and potential of each African child. A free will offering will be taken to support this ministry.

APRIL 28 | CHILD DEDICATION SERVICE | 10:45AM

Please talk to Jim Crawford if you would like to be part of the Child Dedication Service.

APRIL 28 | YOUTH BBQ LUNCH FUNDRAISER

Stay for lunch and support our Youth as they continue to raise funds for Abundant Springs!

MAY 5 | TEACHER APPRECIATION LUNCH

All Sunday School Teachers will want to save the date for the annual appreciation lunch!

MAY 11 | ANNUAL CHURCH FUNDRAISER | 5:30PM

Plan to attend our annual fundraiser! There will be a Dinner, Silent Auction, Bake Sale, & Talent Show. We will be looking for donations for the silent auction and bake sale. If you wish to be part of the Talent Show at 7pm please sign up at the back starting next Sunday.

*Everyone is encouraged to support our annual fundraiser in any way you can.