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ACT JUSTLY, LOVE MERCY, WALK HUMBLY

Today we are finishing up our worship series focused on our recently discerned 12 Scriptures. This morning we are focusing on Micah's prophetic words that God's desire is for us to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with our God.

GATHERING / PRAISING

PRELUDE Susan Merrifield

*WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP Leann Toews
No. 753

*GATHERING HYMN "What does the Lord require" No. 409

Songleader, Pastor Katherine Goerzen

*GATHERING PRAYER

*HYMN OF PRAYER "O hear, my people" No. 68STJ

*PASSING THE PEACE The Peace of Christ be with you ~ and also with you.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

PROCLAIMING

CHILDREN'S STORY Kevin Nickel

SCRIPTURE TESTIMONY Peter Goerzen

SCRIPTURE Matthew 22: 34-40 Eunice Nickel

Micah 6: 6-8 Peter Goerzen

The Word of God for the people of God ~ *Thanks be to God!*

SERMON "Act, Love, Walk" Pastor Phil Schmidt

RESPONDING

HYMN OF RESPONSE "Micah" No. 95CS

OFFERING OUR GIFTS

SHARING AND CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER Pastor Rosie Jantz

SENDING

*SENDING HYMN "What does the Lord require of you?" No. 54STS

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Today

We are so glad you are here with us to worship God and experience God's love. This morning you were greeted by Lester and Lois Voth and Mark and Carrie Smith. A special welcome is extended to all visitors.

The flowers today are shared by the family of Lee and DeVon Hiebert who are celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary on September 29.

Childcare is provided by Krista Graber in the nursery during the worship service.

On the table in the foyer are **Prayer Request Cards**. You are invited to fill one out if you have a request and return it to a pastor's box.

10:45 a.m.—Fellowship Time

11:00 a.m.—Faith Formation for everyone.

1:30 p.m.—Harvest Giving Walk, leaving from Goessel Mennonite Church.

This Week

Tuesday, September 29

9:30 a.m.—Staff meeting

Wednesday, September 30

Wednesday Evening Kickoff

5:20 p.m.—Faithful Fitness

5:45 p.m.—Supper Please sign up for the meal.

6:25 p.m.—Welcome for everyone

6:30 p.m.—Music for all ages (age 3-grade 8), Parents meeting

6:45 p.m.—Circles of Grace (age 3-grade 8), Adult Bible Study

7:00 p.m.—TMYF

7:45 p.m.—Adult Choir (will begin October 7)

Thursday, October 1

12:00 p.m.—Newton Ladies Lunch Bunch

Next Sunday, October 4

9:15 a.m.—Prelude

9:30 a.m.—Next Sunday we will begin a new worship series: Building God's Kingdom. Our scripture focus will be Mark 14:12-25 and Pastor Phil will be preaching. We will also celebrate World Communion.

10:45 a.m.—Fellowship Time

11:00 a.m.— Faith Formation for everyone

OFFERINGS & ATTENDANCE September 20, 2015

Church Campout at Camp Mennoscah
Offering = \$95.00 Attendance = 81

Prayer Requests

The following requests were shared on Sunday, September 13 & 20

- ★ Myron Voth asked that we prayerfully consider how we as a community can respond to the Refugee crisis in the Middle East. Lord, hear our prayer.
- ★ Pastor Phil invited us to pray for the families of Charlene Stoetzl and Arnold Voth in this time of grieving and letting go. Lord, hear our prayer.

Thank You:

Your generous donations to the Tabor Food Pantry do not go unnoticed, nor do they go unused. There are times when circumstances arise which are beyond ones control and may cause financial stress on individuals and families. It is at these times that the Tabor Food Pantry is here to help out. Your continued donations help keep the pantry stocked and available to those who may find themselves in need. Thank you for your continued generosity.

Dates to Remember:

September 27: Harvest Giving Walk

September 30: Wednesday Evening Kickoff

October 7-13: Tabor serves at the Harvey County Homeless Shelter October 18: Fellowship Event: Hayrack ride to Papa's Pumpkin Patch

October 30-31: WDC Annual Assembly 2015 at Bethel College November 8: Tabor Church Annual Congregational Meeting

Announcements and conference prayer requests are on the announcements page, which was either emailed to you or can be found in your church mailbox. Additional copies can be found in the literature rack.

Act. Love. Walk Micah 6:6-8

"God has shown you, O mortal, what is good. And what does the Lord require of you? To **act justly** and to **love mercy** and to **walk humbly** with your God." (Micah 6:8)

Act

Love

Walk



Tabor Mennonite Church

Prelude: 9:15am Worship: 9:30am Fellowship Time: 10:30am Faith Formation: 10:45am

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