



Tabor Church News

October, 2019

Sunday Worship Themes

Oct. 6 - Healing: *Relationships*

World Communion

Pastor Phil preaching

Oct. 13 - Healing: *Spirit*

Pastor Rosie preaching

Oct. 20 - Healing: *Mind*

Marcene Entz and Karen Andres

Oct. 27 - Healing: *Later Stages of Life*

Bethesda Sunday

Gail Graber preaching



October 2, 5:45 p.m.
Supper and Fun
in the Tabor Church Park

Fall Schedule

- 5:00 - 5:45 Adult Bible Study
- 5:15 Guitar Lessons
- 5:20 Faithful Fitness
- 5:45 - 6:30 Supper
- 6:15 - 6:30 Opening
- 6:30 - 7:30 Classes for everyone
- 7:00 - 8:00 Youth Group
- 7:30 - 8:30 Adult Choir

(See next page for additional details)

Phil's Ponderings

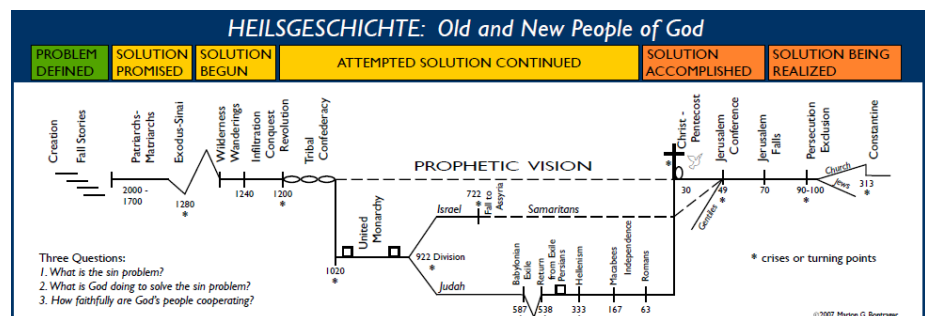
"Heilsgeschichte"

With the beginning of Fall, many people at Tabor are gearing up for the start of Wednesday Evening Ministries! I, too, am looking for another season of Wednesday evening meals and energetic activities, especially now that we can use the new Fellowship Hall!

I'm personally looking forward to working with Junior Highers again, along with Michelle Unruh, who will be joining as a Junior High Sponsor. For our input time this year, we will be learning the *Heilsgeschichte* (Salvation History) story and timeline. Many of you will remember this from a few years ago when we did a "Year of the Bible." I'm excited to teach Junior Highers this way of understanding the Biblical Story and hope that several (if not all) of them will memorize the timeline and be able to draw and recite it at the end of the year.

In addition to this fun learning opportunity, I'm also looking forward to journeying with Junior Highers to Snow Camp at Rocky Mountain Mennonite Camp this winter, which will be a new experience for many of us. Thank you for your prayers and support for Tabor children and youth, and I hope you will come join in the festivities on Wednesday evenings, beginning with a meal in the park on October 2!

~Peace, Pastor Phil



Tabor's College Students

Bethel College
Luke Unruh

Kansas State University
Josh Schmidt

Pittsburg State University
Audessi Unruh

Tabor College
Olivia Duerksen

Wichita State University
Karina Brandt

Anabaptist Mennonite Biblical Seminary
Michael Unruh

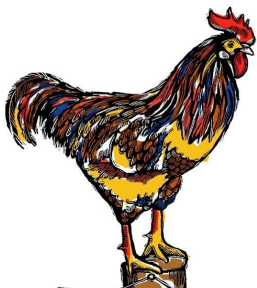
Washburn University
Reece Hiebert



Tabor Mennonite Women

TMW met on September 16 for a "Make It and Take It" craft night. Brandy Ashley did a great job of leading us in creating individual art pieces that included a scripture or other wording, and a design made of yarn. Devotions were led by Barb Banman, continuing on this year's theme "Every Day Worship" with the focus on "Giving thanks to the Lord." Sharon Adrian and Denise Nickel treated us to fruit cobbles. Approximately 30 attended this fun evening.

-Barb Banman, reporting



**50th
Mennonite
Men
Chicken BBQ
November 7
5-7pm**

Rosie's Reflections

Wednesday Evening Ministries are beginning soon and everyone is welcome!

By now you've noticed that the adult Bible study time has changed to an earlier time. Our plan is to meet at 5:00 p.m. and dismiss in time to join everyone for supper beginning at 5:45 p.m. We will meet in the conference room (the room next to the elevator, just north of the new fellowship hall), beginning Wednesday, October 9.

We'll begin by studying the Bible stories of healing. There are many, many stories of healing throughout the entire Bible, and many are connected in some way between the Old and New Testaments. Our focus this fall will begin with the healing stories in the Gospels. The beauty of studying these stories, especially in the Gospels, is that many stories are duplicated in the Gospels. Why? Isn't one telling enough? Well, let's find out how each Gospel writer puts their spin on the story. As we dive into these stories, we want to keep several things in mind: (1) who is the writer? (2) Who is the audience hearing this story for the first time, and (3) what was the purpose for telling this story? Also, to be true to the biblical text and to honor its message, we want to put our 2019 assumptions aside until we discover the meaning for the original audience. What would they have heard? Then we will apply it to our current cultural context. What do we need to hear? How do these stories heal and transform us?

A study schedule will be available at our first meeting. I hope to see many of you there. Let's have a rich, fun time of discovering God's word for the people of God then and now. Everyone is welcome!

See you at 5 p.m. on October 9!

~ Grace and Peace, Pastor Rosie

Wednesday Evening Ministries for Children

October 2: Cookout and Amazing Race Tabor Style Activity in church park.

October 9: Hayrack ride to Brandon and Kristi Unruh's.

October 16: Regular programming will begin.

New this year--Guitar lessons!

Contact Doris Unruh or one of the pastors if you have questions.

Wednesday Evening Schedule for 3 year olds through 5th grade

6:15 – 6:30	Opening Time for everyone, new fellowship hall.
6:30 – 7:30	Class for 3 and 4 year olds.
6:30 – 6:50	2 nd – 5 th graders, choice to sing in the choir or play games in the old fellowship hall.
6:30 – 6:50	Kindergartners – 1 st grade singing and games.
6:50 – 7:10	Bible Input for 4 th and 5 th graders.
	Activity for the 3 rd graders.
7:10 – 7:30	Bible Input for 3 rd graders.
	Activity for the 4 th and 5 th graders.
6:50 – 7:30	Class for Kindergarten through 2 nd grade.

Tabor Church at Camp Mennoscah



*Fun
and
Fellowship*




*Baptism of
Dawson Duerksen*





TABOR CHURCH CALENDAR

		1 9:30am Staff Mtg 7pm Council Budget Workshop Mtg	2 5:30pm Faithful Fitness 5:45pm Wed. Evening Kickoff Church Park	3 12pm Newton Lunch Bunch	4	5
6 World Communion 9:30am Worship 10:45am FF 1pm Harvest Giving Walk	7	8 9:30am Staff Mtg	9 5:00pm Wednesday Evening Activities	10	11	12
13 9:30am Worship 10:45am FF	14 7pm Tabor Mennonite Women	15 9:30am Staff Mtg 7pm Deacon Mtg	16 5:00pm Wednesday Evening Activities	17 Newsletter Items Due 10am Stories & Stuff	18	19
20 9:30am Worship 10:45am FF	21	22 9:30am Staff Mtg 11:30am Tabor Ladies Lunch Bunch 7pm Christian Ed. Mtg	23 5:00pm Wednesday Evening Activities	24 Tabor Program at Bethesda	25	26
27 9:30am Worship 10:45am FF	28	29	30 5:00pm Wednesday Evening Activities	31 <i>Pastor Katherine remains on sabbatical through October 31</i> <i>Bulletin announcements are due on Thursday mornings, 8am.</i>		



1 - JJ Voth	14 - Shelley Buller
2 - Layci Froese	Geneva Reimer
3 - Monica Voth	18 - Kara Swartzendruber
Archie Schmidt	19 - Michelle Unruh
4 - Tristan Wulf	20 - Paul Graber
5 - Bruce Schmidt	21 - Kyle Funk
Elizabeth Alderfer	Nancy Franzen
Camille Adrian	Megan Voth
6 - Emil Schmidt	24 - Janice Voth
Ron Hatchett	25 - Tim Wedel
Joshua Booth	Reece Hiebert
Chris Gaddis	Alice Rohr
7 - Loren Brandt	26 - Anita Bailey
8 - Sara Hiebert	27 - Rolland Lytle
9 - Myron Voth	Bryan Goerzen
Trevor Schmidt	Mia Hiebert
10 - Carson Voth	28 - Marnette Hatchett
Aidan Wulf	Jeffery Franzen
11 - Joyce Ashley	Leah Kalinoff
12 - Kristi Unruh	31 - DeVon Hiebert
13 - Rodney Abrahams	Melissa Unruh

Ron & Patsy Dirksen	October 3, 38 yrs.
Phil & Kristie Diller	October 3, 21 yrs.
Adam & Jessica Wulf	October 6, 12 yrs.
Dale & Mary Alderfer	October 8, 25 yrs.
Jacob & Stephanie Unruh	October 9, 9 yrs.
Royce & Jennifer Flaming	October 18, 49 yrs.
Darwin & Kimberly Funk	October 19, 45 yrs.
Steven & Bonnie Janzen	October 22, 42 yrs.
Bill & Kami Froese	October 23, 26 yrs.
Jerol & Delome Schmidt	October 27, 56 yrs.
Jerry & Janice Voth	October 28, 13 yrs.