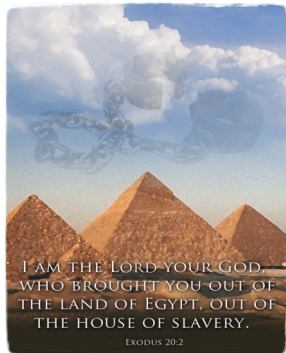


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READING THE BIBLE :

THE COVENANT

As we continue our series on reading the Bible, this morning our focus is on the Covenant, or God's Law (also known as the Torah – the first 5 books of the Bible). Because of God's grace, compassion, and liberation, God's people are called to respond in gratitude by following God's ways.

WORSHIP

- PRELUDE Children and Cynthia Goerzen
WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS Janna Duerksen
RINGING THE PRAYER BOWL AND LIGHTING THE PEACE LAMP
*CALL TO WORSHIP *from Psalm 119*
*UNISON GATHERING PRAYER No. 910
*GATHERING HYMNS "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" No. 558
"Spirit of God! Descend" ~verses 1, 3, 4, & 5 No. 557
*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST
The Peace of Christ be with you ~ and also with you.
WORSHIP MUSIC Worship Team
CHILDREN'S STORY Pam Abrahams
SCRIPTURE READING *Exodus 19:3-6; 20:1-17* Kim Funk
The Word of God for the people of God ~ Thanks be to God!
SERMON Pastor Katherine Goerzen
*HYMN OF RESPONSE "We Are People of God's Peace" No. 797
CONGREGATIONAL SHARING AND PRAYER Pastor Todd Schlosser
OFFERING OUR GIFTS Sophia Abrahams
*SENDING HYMN "Lord, I Am Fondly, Earnestly Longing" No. 555
*BENEDICTION
*POSTLUDE

**Please stand if you are able*

Sunday, June 21

Welcome to worship at Tabor Mennonite Church! Come together to worship God and experience God's love. This morning you were greeted by Phil & Sarahanne Unruh and family. A special welcome is extended to all visitors.

9:30 am: Worship

YouTube Livestream (also available following the service)

<https://youtube.com/live/aAldKL0ieqQ?feature=share>

10:45 am: Faith Formation - Regular Adult classes may meet.

6:30 pm: Youth Group Trip Meeting

This Week

Bulletin announcements due on Thursday at noon.

- Mon, June 22, 8:30 am** - Faithful Fitness
9:30 am - Comforter Tying/Quilting
7:00 pm - Men's Bible Study
Tues, June 23, 9:00 am - Staff Meeting
Thurs, June 25, 9:30 am - Coffee Time at Tabor
Fri, June 26, 9:00 am - Deacons' Meeting
Sat, June 27, 2:00-5:00 pm - Joyce Watts' 90th Birthday Celebration

Next Sunday, June 28

Next Sunday we will discuss the Wisdom Literature found in the Old Testament, which includes Job, Proverbs, and Ecclesiastes as we continue our series "Reading the Bible". We invite you to look over these books before next Sunday if you are able to. Pastor Todd will be preaching.

Congregational Announcements

The family of Joyce Watts invites you to a 90th birthday celebration for Joyce. Come celebrate with them on Saturday, June 27 from 2:00-5:00 pm at the Tabor Mennonite Church Hospitality Hall.

My how time flies! **It is time to search for volunteers for Special Music (July - October) for Tabor Church worship services.** Please consider sharing your musical gifts with the congregations - vocal or instrumental, individuals or groups. Let Carrie Unruh know by the end of June if you can help or not. Thanks for considering this music ministry.

Rejoice! The next issue of the *Rejoice!* devotional is available under the mailboxes. The Commission on Education makes these available to you.

Faith Formation on June 28th - We are planning an intergenerational trivia hour during the Faith Formation hour using fun simple Bible trivia from the entire Bible. We hope to have teams of 4-6 people, children and adults together, who will work together to answer questions and learn more about scripture. Please consider forming a team and joining us for this event.

Conscientious Objector Peace Conversation at 6pm on Sun., July 5:

Why have some Christians chosen to be Conscientious Objectors rather than go to war? Peter and Katherine will lead a conversation outlining the biblical basis for choosing peace and nonviolence. This resourcing conversation is both for youth and young adults (and their families) who would like more information to complete C.O. peacemaker files, as well as for anyone in the congregation is interested in exploring this topic. Those who attend are then encouraged to stay for the Pie in the Park fellowship event at 7.

Do you like pie? We do! The fellowship team invites you to join us for pie on July 5 at 7 pm in the church park. Come sample delicious pies made by fine Tabor bakers and enjoy good fellowship! If you are willing to make a pie, please sign up in the foyer. Questions? Talk to Kenton and Eunice Nickel or Brent and Pam Abrahams .

Western District Annual Assembly is coming up August 7-9 in Dallas, Texas. If you are interested in **being a delegate**, please let one of the pastors know.

Upcoming Dates

June 26-27: MCC Mini Blitz in N. Newton

July 5: Conscientious Objector Peace Conversation — 6:00 pm

Pie in the Park Fellowship Event – 7:00 pm

July 13-14: MCC Grandparent Days

August 7-9: WDC Annual Assembly at Iglesia Luz del Evangelio, Dallas, TX

August 30: Mennograss

September 12: Kids Meet Christ Event – 9:30 am – First Mennonite Church, Hutchinson

September 12-13: Mennonite Women in Mission Retreat

OFFERINGS & ATTENDANCE

June 14, 2026

Offering =	\$ 3,830.49	Attendance =	91
Adult FF =	\$ 49.00	Attendance =	31
Jr. FF =	\$ 0.00	Attendance =	0

Worship Link Views = 39



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The church office is normally open Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday a.m. with pastors' days off on Friday. These times are flexible. To visit with church staff, it is recommended to call ahead to ensure the person you wish to speak to is available.

Deacons:

Nancy Funk

Larry Goerzen

Nathan Graber

Denise Nickel

Kristi Unruh