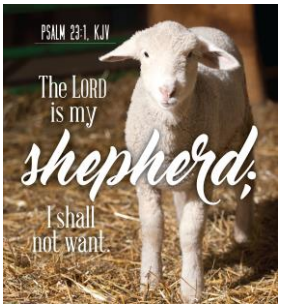
Tabor Mennonite Church
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THE LORD IS OUR SHEPHERD

We are grateful to Peter Goerzen for his willingness to share this morning's message. May the presence of the Good Shepherd, who cares for the sheep, continue to be made known both as we walk beside the green pastures and as we walk through valleys of shadows.

WORSHIP

Prelude Diane Unruh

Welcome and Announcements Venita Schroeder

Choral Introit *"Enter His Courts With Praise"* ~ Porter Church Choir

Ringing the Prayer Bowl and Lighting the Peace Lamp

***Spoken Call to Worship** from *Psalm 95:1 – 7*

***Gathering Prayer**

***Gathering Hymns** *"Come Away from Rush and Hurry"* No. 9
"Gentle Shepherd, Come and Lead Us" No. 718

***Passing the Peace of Christ**
The Peace of Christ be with you ~ ***and also with you.***

Offering Our Gifts

Children's Story Kara Swartzendruber

Worship Music *"What Shall I Offer My God?"* ~ Larson Church Choir

Scripture Reading *John 10:11-16* Marcene Entz
Psalm 23
The Word of God for the people of God ~ ***Thanks be to God!***

Sermon Peter Goerzen

***Hymn of Response** *"My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"* No. 640

Congregational Sharing & Prayer Pastor Katherine Goerzen

***Sending Hymn** *"When We Walk with the Lord"* No. 570

***Benediction**

***Postlude** **Please stand if you are able*

Sunday, November 15

Welcome to worship at Tabor Mennonite Church! Come together to worship God and experience God's love. This morning you were greeted by Dylan & Lindsey Buller 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/ex2dA-jVHdI?feature=share

10:45 am: Faith Formation

1:00 pm: Lead Bethesda Chapel

4:00 pm: Catechism

This Week

Mon, Nov 16,	**8:30 am** - Faithful Fitness
	9:30 am - Comforter Tying/Quilting
	7:00 pm - Men's Bible Study
Tues, Nov 17,	**11:45 am** - Staff Meeting (off-site)
Wed, Nov 18,	**5:45 pm** - Fellowship meal
	6:20-6:35 - Opening Bible Story with Guest Presenter
	6:40-7:15 - Preschool Activities
	6:40-7:40 - Kdg-8th Activities, TMYF, Adult Bible Study
	7:45-8:45 - Church Choir

Next Sunday, November 22

Next Sunday, Russ & Barb Abrahams, Cleo Koop, and Gail Graber will share about the Civil Rights Learning Tour that they went on. This tour was in the southeast part of the US and was sponsored by Mennonite Mission Network.

Congregational Announcements

Did you eat today? Thank a farmer! One of our very own farmers will share about their experiences as a lifelong farmer. Maybe there will be a few funny stories too! Thank you to Marie Vajgrt for sharing about her work with flowers!

We are **collecting items for three MCC newborn kits** to use on Wednesday, December 2 when our midwife presents. Please see the sign up sheet on the bulletin board.

Christmas choir rehearsals begin this Wednesday! Rehearsals are November 18, December 2, 9, and 16 with the worship service on Sunday, December 20. Let's fill the choir loft!

The Tabor Trading Post swings into action next Sunday. Bring your items that people are standing in line to buy, and people, come stand in line and buy!

On November 3rd, the Church Council accepted the resignation of Lindsey Buller as Church Treasurer. The Council wishes to express their gratitude and appreciation for Lindsey's term of service as Treasurer: thank you, Lindsey, for offering your gifts and dedication to Tabor Church in this role. **The Council is now seeking a replacement to fill the role of Treasurer. If you have an interest in this position, please contact Reece or a Trustee to begin the process.**

TMW Breakfast will held on **Saturday, December 12** and we need some **volunteers**. Please sign up by November 29. There will be a sign up sheet for Attendance in the near future. If you have questions, contact Denise or Carrie U.

FINAL Men's Chicken BBQ figures are:
Total Donations from the Donation Basket and Sponsors was $7296.
Total Expenses (food Products) was $1807.93
TOTAL after Expenses was $5489.07
Funds of $2750 will be given to Bethesda Home and $2750 to our Mission Partners, the Givens
THANKS to all of you who have so generously supported this Tabor Mennonite Men Project with both your time and money.

OFFERINGS & ATTENDANCE
November 8, 2026

Offering =	$ 3,441.00	Attendance	=	127
Adult FF =	$ 29.00	Attendance	=	33
Jr. FF =	$ 9.00	Attendance	=	44

Worship Link Views = 64

Unified Budget Giving Update - Fiscal Year 2026	
Total Budget	359,907.00
Actual Giving Through 11/7	308,180.88
Total Left to Meet Budget	51,726.12
Current Above/(Shortfall)	(24,563.33)
Sundays Remaining	3
Amount Needed per Sunday	17,242.04

Upcoming Dates

November 19: Habitat for Humanity fundraiser meal & auction
November 21: WDC's Hispanic Transitional Ministry Resource Meal
November 21: Hesston College Masterworks concert
November 22: Tabor Trading Post begins
December 12: Women & Girls Christmas Breakfast
December 19 & 20: Night in the Barn
December 24: Christmas Eve Program

See announcement sheet for details of these and other events.

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As God's children and the body of Christ, we are called by God to offer hospitality, healing and hope *in the name of Christ.*

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The church office is normally open Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday a.m. with pastor's 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