

Tabor Mennonite Church

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Faithfulness, Gentleness, Self-Control

Today we continue our worship series focused on the Apostle Paul's description of the Fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5: 22-23). May we walk by the Spirit and be guided by the Spirit so that we can produce the Spirit's Fruit each and every day.

Today we also celebrate parent and child dedication as we welcome six young children into our congregational care!

GATHERING AND PRAISING

- PRELUDE Adult Worship Team
- *WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP Venita Schroeder
- *GATHERING HYMN *"Loving Spirit"* No. 34 STJ
- *GATHERING PRAYER
- *HYMN OF PRAISE *"New earth, heavens new"* No. 299
- *PASSING THE PEACE *The Peace of Christ be with you ~ and also with you.*
- COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS
- OFFERING OUR GIFTS *"In Step with the Spirit"* -Anderson

PROCLAIMING

- WORSHIP MUSIC *"Lord of the home"* Laura Unrau and Elaine Unruh
- SCRIPTURE READING *Mark 10: 13-16* Josh Schmidt
Galatians 5: 22-23 Barb Banman
The Word of God for the people of God ~ **Thanks be to God!**
- WORSHIP MUSIC *"Let the children come to me"* Adult Worship Team
- CHILDREN'S STORY Kristin Unruh
- WORSHIP DRAMA Marcene Entz and Kenton, Eunice and Miriam Nickel
- MEDITATION *"Fruitful Parenting"* Pastor Phil Schmidt

RESPONDING

- *HYMN OF RESPONSE *"Lord, we bring to your our children"* No. 90 STJ
- PARENT AND CHILD DEDICATIONS Insert
- HYMN OF PRAYER *"O breathe on me, O breath of God"* No. 46 STJ
- CONGREGATIONAL SHARING AND PRAYER Pastor Katherine Goerzen

SENDING

- *SENDING HYMN *"I saw a tree by the riverside"* No. 116 STS
- *BENEDICTION No. 762
- *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 Pam and Brent Abrahams and family and Eric and Jill Litwiller and family. *A special welcome is extended to all visitors.*

At the back of the sanctuary there is a quiet room for infants and mothers, as well as a toddler nursery for those age three and under, staffed today by Janna Duerksen.

In the pew pockets are **Welcome Cards** and **Prayer Request Cards**. If you are a visitor to Tabor, please fill out a **Welcome Card** and return it in the offering bag. If you have a prayer request or praise item, please fill out a **Prayer Request Card** and return to a Pastor's mailbox.

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

This Week

Tuesday, May 10

10:00 a.m.—Staff meeting

Wednesday, May 11

5:45 p.m.—Faithful Fitness

7:00 p.m.—Deacon Meeting —VBS orientation

OFFERINGS & ATTENDANCE

May 1, 2016

Offering = \$ 4,729.00	Attendance = 167
Adult S.S. = \$ 63.34	Attendance = 59
Jr. S.S. = \$ 37.97	Attendance = 35

