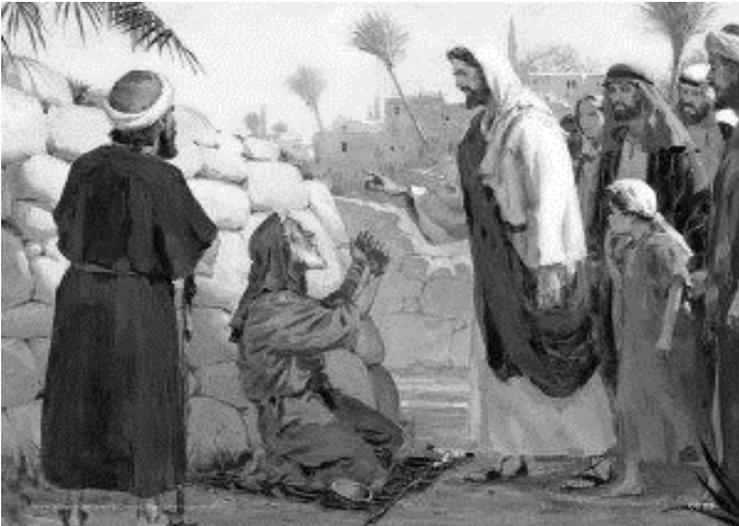


Mark 10:46-52 (NRSV)
The Healing of Blind Bartimaeus

⁴⁶ They came to Jericho. As he and his disciples and a large crowd were leaving Jericho, Bartimaeus son of Timaeus, a blind beggar, was sitting by the roadside. ⁴⁷ When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to shout out and say, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!” ⁴⁸ Many sternly ordered him to be quiet, but he cried out even more loudly, “Son of David, have mercy on me!” ⁴⁹ Jesus stood still and said, “Call him here.” And they called the blind man, saying to him, “Take heart; get up, he is calling you.” ⁵⁰ So throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. ⁵¹ Then Jesus said to him, “What do you want me to do for you?” The blind man said to him, “My teacher, let me see again.” ⁵² Jesus said to him, “Go; your faith has made you well.” Immediately he regained his sight and followed him on the way.



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In Christ –
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Worship 10:30 a.m.

Sunday

October 24, 2021

“What do you want me to do for you?”

GATHERING

Gathering Music		Deb Ewert
Welcome and Announcements		Kelly Linnens
Prelude to Worship		Deb Ewert
*Call to Worship	VT 874	Kelly Linnens
*Prayer		
*Hymn	Jesus Calls Us	VT 30
The Psalm		Psalm 34:1-8

*I will bless the LORD at all times;
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.*

**My soul makes its boast in the LORD;
let the humble hear and be glad.**

O magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt his name together.

**I sought the LORD, and he answered me,
and delivered me from all my fears.**

Look to him, and be radiant; so your faces shall never be ashamed.

**This poor soul cried, and was heard by the LORD,
and was saved from every trouble.**

*The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him,
and delivers them.*

**O taste and see that the LORD is good;
happy are those who take refuge in him.**

Hymn	Taste and See	VT 467
Time for Children		Julie Linnens

SHARING

Sharing and Prayer		Pastor Tom
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Hymn

For the Healing of the Nations

VT 705

LISTENING

The Lesson

Mark 10:46-52

Sermon

What do you want me to do for you?

Pastor Tom

RESPONDING

Hymn

Healer of Our Every Ill

VT 644

Sending

Postlude

Deb Ewert

A WARM WELCOME TO ALL *who are gathered to worship, wherever you are, and whenever you watch this service!*

First Mennonite Church of Halstead, KS will be hosting a Hog Roast today from 5-7 p.m at the South Park Gazebo on 3rd and Locust St. in Halstead. This pulled pork meal will be by donation with proceeds going toward the WDC Hope Fund. This fund provides financial support for WDC congregations affected by Covid-19 and other disasters. Be sure to bring your lawn chairs and enjoy music by the Smokey Valley Bluegrass Band.

Tabor College presents Dr. David S. Janzen, tomorrow, Oct. 25:

President Janzen is the fifth speaker in the vocation and service lecture series "Exaudio: Listen and Live." Janzen, a 1990 graduate of Tabor, was named the college's 14th president in May 2021. He will be giving the following presentations in the Richert Auditorium:

Monday, Oct. 25 at 10 a.m.: "Career or Calling– Asking the Right Questions"

Monday, Oct. 25 at 7 p.m.: "The Paradox of Christian Entrepreneurship"

The Tabor Lectureship in Vocation and Service is an annual academic lectureship in which a scholar is invited to present on a meaningful expression of Christian discipleship that arises from his or her professional discipline.

Hillsboro's annual Trick or Treat So Others Can Eat is this

Wednesday, October 27 from 7-8 p.m. You are invited to leave non-perishable goods on your porch to donate to Main Street Ministries, which will be picked up by area youth groups.

Jordan Feliz "Next to Me" tour is coming to Tabor College October 29 at 7 p.m. in the Shari Flaming Center for the Arts! Tickets are on sale now: VIP tickets \$45 (early entry and Q&A with Jordan), Main Floor

\$20, Gallery \$15. Call the box office at 620-947-3121 ext.1402 to get tickets. For group purchases or 10 or more, use coupon code TaborArtsJF to receive a \$5 per ticket discount.

The Sunflower Performing Arts series will begin Oct. 31 at 3 p.m. with the first-ever Sunflower Soirée, a free concert of local and regional artists that also promotes the season ahead and kicks off the organization's annual patron drive. This event will feature the following artists: pianist Karen Schlabaugh; The Sunflower Trio; flautists Kristin Shaffer and Kenna Graber; guitarists Howard Glanton and Excier Rodriguez; soprano Holly Swartzendruber and pianist Karen Unruh; and musicians Ken Rodgers and Russell Adrian. More information on each performance of the 2021-2022 season can be found at sunflowerarts.org. All concerts will take place at Hesston Mennonite Church. Audience members and staff are required to wear masks while inside the church.