



VINJE

MARCH 26, 2023

9:30 AM

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

God who is always with us, we admit:

We don't always notice you in our lives.

The noise of our world and our life drowns out your Word of life, and we don't make space to hear your voice.

Help us to take time for you.

Help us to notice you: in our work and our play, in our ups and our downs, in the people around us, and in every part of our lives.

Help us to make space for you.

Hear this good news: Even when you don't notice it, God is always there with and for you. Today is a new day where God says to you: you are forgiven, you are loved, I am with you. So today, wake up and notice the grace and love of God who is all around you, and whose love has been there all the time.

Amen

HYMN

BE THOU MY VISION, LORD

HYMNAL #793

GREETING AND PRAYER OF THE DAY

welcome...we're glad you're here!

We are so glad that you are here and worshiping God with us today. We know that God loves and welcomes all people and so we do our best to do the same. Feel comfortable being who God created you to be in this space and listen for the ways that the Holy Spirit is calling you to faith and a deeper love for your neighbor. Thanks for joining this community of faith, service, and worship today. You are always welcome!

word

SCRIPTURE READING

JOHN 1:1-4, 10-14

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

MESSAGE

MAKING SPACE FOR FAITH:

EMBODIED GOD

MARK 7:31-37

HYMN

HYMNAL #733

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

APOSTLES' CREED

PRAYERS



"CHRISTIANITY IS NOT A SET OF BELIEFS OR DOCTRINES ONE BELIEVES IN ORDER TO BE A CHRISTIAN, BUT RATHER CHRISTIANITY IS TO HAVE ONE'S BODY SHAPED, ONE'S HABITS DETERMINED, IN SUCH A WAY THAT THE WORSHIP OF GOD IS UNAVOIDABLE."

-STANLEY HAVERWAS

At Vinje, we believe all people are welcome at the Lord's Table regardless of any circumstance.

meal

OFFERING

SONG

HOW LONG

OFFERING PRAYER

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION

HYMN

HOW GREAT THOU ART

HYMNAL #532

SONG

RECKLESS LOVE

sending

BLESSING

May you make space for God today:

Open your eyes to the beauty and love of God all around you.

Open your ears to the God who speaks to you every day.

And open your heart to the God who is with you, always, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

HYMN

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY, LORD GOD ALMIGHTY!

HYMNAL #413

DISMISSAL

Go in peace, God goes with you.

Thanks be to God.

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PREACHING Pastor Andrés Albertsen
PRESIDING Pastor Dane Skilbred
LECTOR Lynn Johnson
USHERS Christopher & Anthony Buzzeo

MUSICIAN Lily Sargent
CAMERA Courtney Skilbred
SLIDES Paul & Sue Bredeson
COMMUNION Steve & Jill Condon
Lynn Stier

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Remember in Prayer

We would like to check in on you or your loved ones when ill or hospitalized. If you or someone you know is in the hospital please let one of the pastors or the church office know.

RECENTLY ILL OR HOSPITALIZED

Beatrice Heike

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Lane Leedah

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Please call the church office if you would like to sponsor the bulletin (\$75), broadcast (\$95), bus (\$60), or coffee (\$40) or all 4 for \$250.



FIRST COMMUNION

This past Wednesday, March 22nd, we celebrated the first communion for the following Vinje Members:


Macy Lee Anderson
Samantha Mae Anderson
Brooklyn Carolina Ask
Beckett Steven Condon
Bella Lily Condon
Jace Andrew DeBoer
Edyn Anne Michelson
Noah William Pattison
Olivia Fern Pattison
Isaac Edward Skilbred

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

It takes a village to make things happen here at Vinje and we'd like to say thanks!

We'd like a minute to thank our council members: Angie Hoppe, John Hoteck, Joe Kuehn, Crystal Lenz, Dan Kleven, Nicole Mages, Ben Saunders, Lynn Stier, Brianna Bredeson, Cynthia Cole, Kris Gulbrandsen and Steven Tammen. These Vinje members give generously of their time each month to attend council meetings, volunteer in worship, attend committee meetings, etc. and for that we are incredibly grateful!

Thanks so much for saying "yes" to the nomination...and for all your time and dedication. We truly appreciate you!

LIFE CIRCUMSTANCES ability AGE  ethnicity RACE gender identity LANGUAGE sexual orientation

AT VINJE LUTHERAN CHURCH, ALL ARE WELCOME, BECAUSE GOD WELCOMES ALL. YOU ARE WELCOME. YOUR FAMILY, CHILDREN, FRIENDS, SPOUSES AND PARTNERS ARE ALL WELCOME. YOUR DIVERSITY, IDEAS, QUESTIONS, AND UNIQUENESS ARE ALL WELCOME.



BAKED GOODS NEEDED!

PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 2

Vinje youth will be hosting their annual bake sale after worship on Palm Sunday! Donated cookies, bars, breads, cupcakes, pies, etc. would be greatly appreciated and can be dropped off in the gathering area before the service on Sunday.



PALM SUNDAY PANCAKES!

APRIL 2 | 10:30 AM

We hope you'll join us for a pancake breakfast after worship on Palm Sunday. Also...don't forget your wallet, as there will be a bake sale too!

VOCAL RECITAL

SUNDAY, APRIL 2 | 2 PM | VINJE

All are welcome to attend a vocal recital featuring songs of the 40's and 50's presented by voice students of Cheryl Schmidt.

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

SUNDAY, MARCH 26

9:30 AM WORSHIP

TUESDAY, MARCH 28

10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29

**SPRING BREAK...NO WED LIVE!,
CHOIR OR MENTORS!**

5:00 PM

SUPPER: SUBS & SALADS

6:00 PM

WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 2

9:30 AM

PALM SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:30 AM

PANCAKE BREAKFAST
& BAKE SALE

2:00 PM

VOCAL RECITAL:
VOICE STUDENTS
OF CHERYL SCHMIDT

EASTER COMMUNION SERVERS NEEDED

Communion servers are needed for both services. Please contact the church office ASAP if you can help!



HOLY WEEK

SUNDAY, APRIL 2

9:30 AM PALM

SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:30 AM PANCAKES

& BAKE SALE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5

5 PM MEAL

6 PM PASSION

WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

THURSDAY, APRIL 6

7 PM

MAUNDY THURSDAY

WORSHIP

FRIDAY, APRIL 7

7 PM

GOOD FRIDAY

WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 9

8 AM

EASTER SUNDAY

WORSHIP

9:30 AM

EASTER SUNDAY

WORSHIP

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