



JULY 30, 2023
9:30 AM

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned. We have hurt our community. We have squandered your blessings. We have hoarded your abundance. In the name of Jesus,

forgive us and help us to start over again.

Righteous God,

we confess that we have sinned. We have failed to be honest. We have lacked the courage to speak. We have spoken falsely. In the name of Jesus,

forgive us and help us to start over again.

God is a cup of cold water when we thirst. God offers boundless grace when we fail. This is God's word for you: you are freed and forgiven in the name of Jesus Christ.

Amen.

SONG LORD I NEED YOU

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!

SCRIPTURE READING

ROMANS 8:26-39

*Word of God, Word of Life.***Thanks be to God.****CHILDREN'S MESSAGE****MESSAGE**

MATTHEW 13:31-33, 44-52

SONG

ALL HAIL KING JESUS

APOSTLES' CREED**PRAYERS**

**GOD EXISTS
ALL AROUND US. IN
THE FLOW OF THE
RIVER, IN THE RUSTLE
OF THE TREES, IN THE
WHISPER OF THE WINDS.
GOD SPEAKS TO US ALL
THE TIME. ALL WE
NEED TO DO IS LISTEN.
- ANONYMOUS**

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

OFFERING**SONG**

OCEANS

OFFERING PRAYER**WORDS OF INSTITUTION****LORD'S PRAYER****COMMUNION****SONG**

NOTHING ELSE

SONG

THE HEART OF WORSHIP

BLESSING

*The God who calls across the cosmos
and speaks to the smallest seed
bless, keep, and sustain you
now and for all of time.*

Amen.**SONG**

10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)

DISMISSAL*Go in peace, serve the Lord.***Thanks be to God.**

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PASTOR	Dane Skilbred	WORSHIP LEADER	Lily Sargent
LECTOR	Marilynn Tiede	SLIDES	Peggy Karsten
USHERS	Barry & Lyn Bakker		
COMMUNION	Mary Klenke Karen Klenke		

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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

Naida Carlson

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Lane Leedahl, Merle Berkeland

BEREAVED

Naida Carlson and family following the death of her husband, Ernie on July 20.

John and Anne Christianson and Kris Gulbrandsen and families following the death of John's sister and Kris's aunt, Judy Evans on July 22.

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.

THANK YOU

This week's broadcast is sponsored in memory of Muriel Haats.



We are so grateful for all the ways in which Vinje members do great work to better our community and the lives of our neighbors! Taking God's love outside of these walls is exactly what we are called to do! Here's just a few of the Vinje members that are doing this great work...

Habitat for Humanity of West Central Minnesota operates puts God's love into action by building homes, communities and hope. They build homes right here in our community and they all work to raise funds and advocate for affordable housing for all. This group makes a big impact in our community and we'd like to recognize Andy Engan, John Hotek and Steve Dresler for their roles as board members of this organization. A handful of Vinje members have also volunteered at the ReStore as well! Hats off to all of you for the important work you are doing!

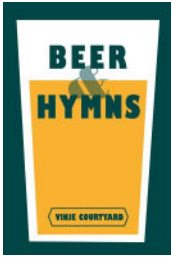
STUFF THE BUS

School Supply Drive

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We are once again partnering with United Way to 'Stuff

the Bus' with school supplies for area kids in need! **Donations will be received through August 13th.** Items needed are: backpacks, calculators, scissors, pencils, pencil boxes, markers, rulers, glue sticks, tissues, and crayons. Monetary donations are also welcomed.



BEER & HYMNS

WED, AUG 16

6:00 PM

Mark your calendars for a fun, casual evening of beer (or whatever beverage you'd like!) and hymns!

We'll grill and enjoy a meal together and then enjoy a casual sing-a-long featuring our favorite hymns.



HAWK CREEK DONATION DRIVE

NOW THROUGH WED, AUGUST 16

Hawk Creek Animal Shelter is coming to Loving Arms on August 16 to teach the children about what they do and bring animals to for them meet. Loving Arms is collecting donations for them that the children will give to them when they are here. We would love for the congregation to join us! Items needed: dog and cat food (canned or dry) dog & cat treats, toys, blankets, beds, paper towels, cleaning supplies. Cash donations are also welcome. Items can be dropped off in the church office. Thanks!

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

SUNDAY, JULY 30

9:30 AM WORSHIP

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

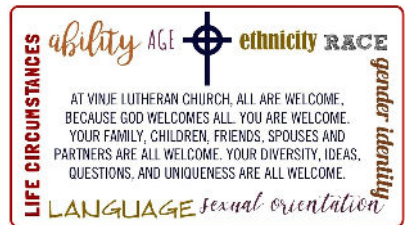
11:00 AM FUNERAL:
ERNIE CARLSON

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6

9:30 AM WORSHIP

CAMERA & SLIDE OPERATORS NEEDED

We need help with cameras & slides. These are relatively easy tasks and we promise to provide ample training opportunities to anyone that's willing to learn! **Without your help, we will not be able to continue to stream all of our services on YouTube.** If you can pitch in once a month or once a year, we'd greatly appreciate it! Email melissah@vinjchurch.com or call the church office if you can help!



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