



#### WELCOME

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

As we journey beyond the empty tomb of Easter We gather to witness the transformation it brought

In the lives of Jesus and his follower

We discover the depth of God's promise

Easter is not just a day

But a journey to new life

Together let us discover

The profound change God's promise brings

SONG

HALLELUJAH (YOUR LOVE IS AMAZING)

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Gracious God, just as you commissioned the disciples to be your witnesses, empower us to share your love and truth with boldness and compassion. Fill us with your Holy Spirit, that we may be transformed by your Word and your presence. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.

Amen.

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!

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#### SCRIPTURE READING

1 JOHN 3:1-3

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** 

**MFSSAGE** 

PASTOR INGRID SKILBRED

LUKE 24:36-48

**SONG** 

POTTER'S HAND

**APOSTLES' CREED** 

**PRAYERS** 

"TWO OPPOSING THINGS
(AN BE EQUALLY TRUE.
(OUNTING THE DAYS 'TIL
(HRISTMAS DOESN'T MEAN WE
HATE HALLOWEEN. I GO TO
(HUR(H ON SUNDAYS, AND
STILL HOLD THE SAME FAITH
AT THE PUB ON A SATURDAY
NIGHT."

- TSH OXENREIDER

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

**OFFERING** 

**OFFERING SONG** 

**MIGHTY TO SAVE** 

**OFFERING PRAYER** 

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION

**SONGS** 

YOUR LOVE DEFENDS ME

### **BLESSING**

May the promise of God go with you,

inspiring your hearts and guiding your steps.

May it fill you with hope as you journey through the days ahead.

For Christ is risen, indeed.

Amen.

SONG

LOVE THE LORD

**DISMISSAL** 

Go in peace, share the good news.

Thanks be to God.

sending

### SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PASTORS Ingrid Skilbred

Dane Skilbred

**USHERS** Mark Bredeson

Kirk Davis

**LECTOR** Ron Carlson

**COMMUNION** Lynn Peterson

Jeff Holtkamp

MUSICIANS Worth Saving

David Peterson

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**SLIDES** 

## 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

Karen Wiehr, Dave Stageberg, Debbie Erickson, Phyllis Coleman, Betty Vencel, Byron Boike

## **CONTINUED PRAYERS**

Merle Berkeland, Ted Olson, Trevor Hansen, Lane Leedahl, Marvin Turnipseed, Sonja Westre, Jim Tiede, Jerry Baker, Steve Iverson, Bob Glaesman

### **BEREAVED**

Betty Deisting and family following the death of her son, Grayson on April 6.

## 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.

Sponsors are needed for the following dates: 4/21, 4/28, 6/9, 6/16, 6/30

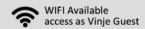


### JUNE 5-AUG 7 | 6:30 PM

Gather with us for a unique outdoor worship experience on the shores of Green Lake. Everyone is welcome to worship together in this beautiful and relaxed setting. Through uplifting music, an impactful message, and the sharing of communion, we aim to foster a deeper sense of faith and unity. Prior to worship, enjoy a time of food, fun, and simple outdoor activities for children! More details coming soon...but save the dates for these summer Wednesdays.









## NEW SERMON SERIES AHEAD: APR 24-MAY 15

Sometimes we get so focused on where we are

going that we forget to notice the journey that we are on. We are all going somewhere in our lives as we move about from here to there. Likewise, our faith is a journey that is moving us forward. Focusing too much on the destination might mean that we miss the beauty of the journey that God has in store for us. Come hear more about how God wants us to live with more freedom, hope, life, love, and joy.

## ANDERSON FAMILY FUNDRAISER

SAT, APRIL 20 | 8 AM—12 PM Please join the Kandiyohi Fire

Please join the Kandiyohi Fire
Department for a pancake feed and
silent auction with all proceeds going
to help with expenses related to Deb
Anderson's colon cancer treatments.
Questions? Contact Jerry or Kris
Swanson.

## HEALTHY KIDS, HEALTHY EARTH EVENT

SAT, APRIL 27 | 10 AM—2 PM

Vinje, Calvary and Bethel are putting together a booth that will be set up at the Healthy Kids, Healthy Earth event which will feature lots of great booths, information and fun activities for kids! Please plan to attend this informative event and be sure to stop by our booth and to say hello!

Nursery care is available in the Pre-K Room located in the east hallway.

## THIS WEEK AT VINJE

**SUNDAY, APRIL 14** 9:30 AM WORSHIP

**MONDAY, APRIL 15** 

12:00 PM FAITH & FINANCE MTG
12:30 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
6:00 PM HANDBELLS
6:30 PM WOMEN, WINE & THE
WORD @ CRYSTAL LENZ'S

TUESDAY, APRIL 16 10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY 5:00 PM LOVING ARMS BOARD MEETING

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17** 

3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!

5:00 PM MEAL

5:25 PM NOVA/SHALOM

6:00 PM WORSHIP

6:45 PM CONFIRMATION

6:45 PM HS YOUTH GROUP

THURSDAY, APRIL 18

5:30 PM BLUE STAR MOTHERS

**SUNDAY, APRIL 21** 9:30 AM WORSHIP

## "ALL IN GOOD TIME" CONCERT TODAY | 4PM | CALVARY CHURCH

West Central Singers invites you to join them for their "All in Good Time" concert. West Central Singers is directed by Naomi Powers-Baker and the concert will feature Kari Stadem: piano, Terry Brau: horns, Brian Pearson: bass and Jake Helgeson: drums.







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