



VINJE

MARCH 30, 2025

9:30 AM

gathering

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

As we draw near to the cross of Christ, we are reminded of the depth of God's love and the power of forgiveness. Let us come with open hearts, knowing we need God's grace and forgiveness.

Lord Jesus,

you gave your life for us, and still, we often resist trusting you fully. We try to carry our burdens on our own. We place our hope in worldly things, forgetting that you are our true strength. Forgive us, Lord, and help us trust you with everything. Into your hands, we commit our spirits.

Amen.

Even in his final moments, Jesus extended grace. No matter your struggles or doubts, God's forgiveness is greater than all. You are loved, you are free, and you are held in God's tender care. In the name of Jesus, you are forgiven. You are loved.

Amen. Thanks be to God.

SONG

LET IT RISE

PRAYER

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

RUTH 1:14-18

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

JOHN 19:23-27

BISHOP DEE PEDERSON

SONG HOW BEAUTIFUL

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

BAPTISM BRYSON SETH

PRAYERS



"BEHOLD, HERE
IS YOUR SON...

...HERE IS YOUR
MOTHER."

-JESUS

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

meal

SONG KYRIE ELEISON

OFFERING PRAYER

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION

SONGS KING OF KINGS
WONDERFUL, MERCIFUL SAVIOR

sending

BENEDICTION

Go now, forgiven and free, trusting in the One who knows our pain.

Go in the love of Christ, who calls us to care for all as family, to welcome the lost, and to offer living water to a thirsty world.

Go in true peace, for all things are in God's faithful hands.

Amen.

SONG PRAISE TO THE LORD

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PASTORS Bishop Dee Pederson
Pastor Justin Ask

USHERS Mark Bredeson
Kirk Davis

COMMUNION Lynn Peterson
Ross Dahl

LECTOR Tim Ostby

MUSICIANS Worth Saving

SLIDES David Peterson

CAMERAS Anthony Buzzeo

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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

Sonja Westre, Donna Anderson, David Anfinson, Barry Bakker, Hans Dahl, Penny Hieronimus

ONGOING PRAYERS

Bob Glaesman

BEREAVED

Jim and Lyn Vossen and family following the death of Jim's brother, Luke on March 21.

NEWLY BAPTIZED

Bryson Seth Elasky, son of Jason & Rachele Elasky. Bryson's baptismal sponsors are Seth & Courtney Miller.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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

Sponsors are needed for: 4/6, 4/20, 4/27, 5/11, 5/18, 6/1, 6/8

THANK YOU

This week's bulletin is sponsored by the Elasky family.

BISHOP DEE PEDERSON

Today, we are honored to welcome Bishop Dee Pederson, bishop of our Southwestern Minnesota Synod. We give thanks for her leadership and presence among us, as well as her ongoing leadership in our synod.

A CONVERSATION WITH SARAH AUGUSTINE

THURS, APR 3 | 6:30-8 PM | VINJE
Join Sarah Augustine, a Tewa Pueblo author, for a conversation around embodying solidarity with Indigenous people by becoming kin.

A CHORAL SMORGASBORD TODAY | 4 PM | CALVARY CHURCH

You are invited to West Central Singer's spring concert today! Tickets are \$10 for adults and can be purchased at the door.



PALM SUNDAY PANCAKES!

SUN, APR 13 | 10:30 AM

We hope you'll join us for a pancake breakfast fundraiser! Proceeds will go towards camp scholarships!

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.



HOLY WEEK

AT VINJE

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 13

9:30 AM
WORSHIP

10:30 AM
PANCAKES

PASSION WEDNESDAY

APRIL 16

5 PM
SUPPER

6 PM
WORSHIP

MAUNDY THURSDAY

APRIL 17

7 PM
WORSHIP

@ FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

GOOD FRIDAY

APRIL 18

7 PM
WORSHIP

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 20

8 AM & 9:30 AM
WORSHIP

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

SUNDAY, MARCH 30

8:40 AM VINJE CHOIR REHEARSAL
9:25 AM KIDS TIME!
9:30 AM WORSHIP

TUESDAY, APRIL 1

2:00 PM DIRECTORY PHOTOS
10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2

2:00 PM DIRECTORY PHOTOS
3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
4:45 PM PRE-K WEDNESDAY LIVE!
5:00 PM SUPPER
5:25 PM NOVA/SHALOM CHOIR
6:00 PM LENTEN WORSHIP
7:00 PM LENTEN MENTORS
7:00 PM HS YOUTH GROUP

THURSDAY, APRIL 3

2:00 PM DIRECTORY PHOTOS
6:30 PM SARAH AUGUSTINE EVENT

FRIDAY, APRIL 4

2:00 PM DIRECTORY PHOTOS

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

10:00 AM DIRECTORY PHOTOS

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

8:30 AM EARLY CHILDHOOD
SUNDAY SCHOOL
8:30 AM VINJE CHOIR REHEARSAL
9:25 AM KIDS TIME!
9:30 AM WORSHIP



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APRIL 1-5, 29-30

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