



OCTOBER 22, 2025
6:00 PM

gathering

SONG

COME NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Life can feel like a game—full of wins and losses.

But faith isn't about keeping score.

When we win, we celebrate with gratitude.

When we lose, we trust God's love still holds us.

And when we draw near to God and each other—

We discover life rooted in Christ.

So let's worship the One who guides us in every moment—

Win, lose, or draw, we belong to God!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

SONG

CREATE IN ME

SCAN HERE
TO GIVE
ONLINE! →



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!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**MESSAGE**

HOW TO DRAW
JAMES 1:19-20, 26-27

SONG

GOODNESS OF GOD



"THE FIRST
DUTY OF LOVE IS
TO LISTEN."
-PAUL TILLICH

COMMUNION**LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is
in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and
forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who
trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and
the power and the glory forever and ever.
Amen

SONGS

JESUS MESSIAH
MIGHTY TO SAVE
GRACE FLOWS DOWN

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

BLESSING

*Go into a world that prefers winners—
but remember, in Christ you are already loved.
You don't have to prove your worth; it's a gift of grace.
So win with humility, lose with hope,
and draw near to God and one another.*

Amen

SONG

DAYS OF ELIJAH

DISMISSAL

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

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PASTOR

Justin Ask

VIDEO

Courtney Skilbred

MUSICIANS

Nova/Shalom Choir

SLIDES

Kolten Schunk

USHERS

Leo Schmidt

Isaac Stegeman

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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, Mary Mielke, Kerry Selseth, Serenity Erbst, Su Michelson, Jeanne Kling

BEREAVED

Pat Jacobs and family of Rick Smith following his death on October 13.

Tom & Lynn Johnson following the death of Tom's mother, Dorothy Johnson on October 19.

NEW ARRIVAL

Jake Thomas Saunders, son of Alec & Emily Saunders born October 7.

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: 11/16, 11/30, 12/7, 12/14, 12/21 12/24—3pm, 12/24—5pm, 12/28**



TRAIL OF TREATS

**OCT 31 | 4-5:30 PM
VINJE SANCTUARY**

Get your kiddos in their costumes and join us for our sixth annual Trail of Treats! We'll have a trail of treats and fun set up in the sanctuary for kids to walk through!

If you'd like to contribute towards the purchase of candy and supplies for our Trail of Treats, you can donate on the give link on our website, just note "Trail of Treats" in the "memo" section. Or drop a check with "Trail of Treats" in the memo in the church office or offering plate.

WEDNESDAY PAUSE

TONIGHT | 6:45 PM | HERITAGE RM

Want to dig deeper into tonight's message? All are invited to join Mark & Lynn in the Heritage room for a casual conversation on tonight's sermon topic.



SCOUT TROOP 224 PANCAKE BREAKFAST

OCT 25 | 7-11 AM | CALVARY CHURCH

Help the scouts raise funds for camping expenses while enjoying a delicious pancake breakfast! A freewill donation will be collected.



LOVING ARMS BUTTER BRAID FUNDRAISER

Loving Arms is once again selling delicious Butter Braids! Please find the order form on the welcome desk! Delivery date for these tasty treats is November 18th! Thanks for helping to support this important ministry of Vinje.



PIZZA WITH THE PASTORS

SUN, NOV 2 | 10:30 AM | RM 102

New (or new-ish) to Vinje? We'd love to get to know you! Join us for Pizza with the Pastors on Sunday, November 2nd, right after worship in the Multipurpose Room (Room 102) just inside the main entrance. Come meet other newcomers, connect with our pastors, and enjoy pizza and wings—laid-back conversation, fun, and food for the whole family! If possible, please let us know you're coming by contacting the church office by email or by phone at 320-235-1441. If you don't get a chance to RSVP—no worries! We'd still love to have you join us.

WEST CENTRAL SINGERS

CONCERTS NOV 1 & 2 | 4 PM

All are welcome to attend WCS fall concerts featuring a Norwegian theme. The November 1st concert will take place at First Norway Lake Lutheran, New London and the November 2nd concert will be at Calvary in Willmar. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the door (children and students are free).

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
4:30 PM PRE-K WEDNESDAY LIVE!
5-6 PM SUPPER—PIZZA
5:25 PM NOVA/SALOM CHOIR
6:00 PM WORSHIP
6:45 PM CONFIRMATION
6:45 PM HS YOUTH GROUP

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

9:00 AM VINJE QUILTERS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26

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

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

12:00 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
5:00 PM LOVING ARMS BOARD MTG
6:15 PM JUBELLATION
7:00 PM CHURCH COUNCIL MTG

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29

3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
4:30 PM PRE-K WEDNESDAY LIVE!
5-6 PM SUPPER—PASTA
5:25 PM NOVA/SALOM CHOIR
6:00 PM WORSHIP
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CONFIRMATION KIDS: AFTER WORSHIP YOU HEAD TO...

Gryffindor Room 102
Hufflepuff Room 102
Slytherin Choir Room
Ravenclaw Theatre



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