



gathering

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORTHGIVENESS

Merciful God,

we confess that we often rush past your presence.

We fill our days so quickly that we forget to notice your grace.

We overlook what is holy when it appears in ordinary moments.

We try to separate our faith from the rest of our lives, as if you belong only in certain places or times.

Forgive us for the ways we miss today.

Forgive us for the ways we miss you.

Hear the good news: In Jesus Christ, God has come close to us in every part of life. Through Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are made new. And you are sent into this day to notice the grace already around you.

Amen.

HYMN

THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD

ELW #824

PRAYER

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

We are so glad that you are here and worshipping 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

GENESIS 2:4b-17

*Word of God, Word of Life.***Thanks be to God.****MESSAGE**

PSALM 23

HYMN THE KING OF LOVE MY

SHEPHERD IS (VS 1-4) ELW #502

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**APOSTLES' CREED****PRAYERS**

"I DID NOT TRIP AND
FALL. I ATTACKED THE
FLOOR AND I BELIEVE
I AM WINNING."
- ANONYMOUS

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

OFFERING**HYMN** TOUCH THE EARTH LIGHTLY

ELW #739

OFFERING PRAYER**WORDS OF INSTITUTION****LORD'S PRAYER****COMMUNION****HYMNS** BY YOUR HAND YOU FEED YOUR PEOPLE

ELW #469

COME, LET US EAT

ELW #491

BLESSING

As you leave this place, remember: God is not waiting somewhere else for you to arrive. God is already there—in the errands you run, the people you meet, the work you do, and the quiet moments in between.

So go into this day with open eyes and open hearts. Don't miss the grace that is already around you.

And may the blessing of God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, go with you in every moment of this day.

Amen.**HYMN** NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD

ELW #840

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

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

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| PREACHING | Pastor Ingrid Skilbred | COMMUNION | Deb Kleven |
| USHERS | Mark Bredeson Kirk Davis | PIANIST | Su Michelson |
| LECTOR | Roger Kingstrom | CAMERAS | Paul Nordin |
| | | SLIDES | David Peterson |

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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

Serenity Erbst, Gabe Simon, Amanda Newberg, Bill Butterfield, Craig Zempel, Cathi Haugen, Allie Rosendahl

BEREAVED

Jason and Jennifer Garberding and family following the death of Jason's stepfather, Larry.

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:

7/12, 7/19, 8/9, 8/16, 8/23, 8/30, 9/6, 9/13, 9/20, 9/27

THANK YOU

Today's bulletin and the flowers on the welcome desk are sponsored by Mark Jeppson in memory of his wife, Eva (Strehlow) Jeppson, who's birthday was June 28 and their wedding anniversary would have been June 24.



LIVING STORIES: AT THE WATER'S EDGE

**WEDNESDAYS | 6:30 PM
GREEN LAKE BIBLE CAMP**

Join us Wednesdays at 6:30 pm at Green Lake Bible Camp for Living Stories: At the Water's Edge, a summer worship series exploring the ways God meets people through the stories of water in Scripture. From Jonah and the Red Sea to Jesus calming storms and calling disciples, these stories remind us that God still meets us in everyday life with grace, purpose, and hope.



DON'T MISS TODAY

Our summer sermon series, Don't Miss Today: From Summer Daze to Sacred Days, is an exploration of one ordinary day — from waking up in the morning to falling asleep at night, and everything in between.

Summer is beautiful, but it can also be easy to miss. The days fill quickly. The pace shifts. We drift a little. And before we know it, the season passes in a blur. Together, we'll notice the moments we usually rush past: making the bed, brushing our teeth, losing our keys, answering email, sharing meals, sitting in traffic, and unwinding at day's end.

Through scripture, we'll discover that God meets us not only in big milestones or dramatic moments, but right in the middle of everyday life. This series is an invitation to receive each day as a gift — to find grace in the routines, meaning in the interruptions, and sacred in the ordinary.

Don't miss today.

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

SUNDAY, JUNE 21

2:00 AM HS MISSION TRIP DEPARTS
9:30 AM WORSHIP

MONDAY, JUNE 22

5:00 PM LOVING ARMS BOARD MTG
7:00 PM CHURCH COUNCIL MTG

TUESDAY, JUNE 23

10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24

6:30 PM VINJE @ THE LAKE
GREEN LAKE BIBLE CAMP

THURSDAY, JUNE 25


6:30 PM SOFTBALL—RED FIELD
HS MISSION TRIP RETURNS

SUNDAY, JUNE 28

9:30 AM WORSHIP

WORSHIP SERVICE SPONSORS NEEDED

We have many openings for sponsors of the weekly bulletin, broadcast, bus and coffee. If you would like to sponsor a week in honor or memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion, please call or email Tanya (320.235.1441 or tanya@vinjchurch.com).

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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.

LANGUAGE *sexual orientation*

LIFE CIRCUMSTANCES

gender identity



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