

The graphic for 'ALL THINGS NEW' features the words in a large, white, distressed font. The letters are filled with a pattern of small, colorful bokeh lights in shades of red, orange, and green. The background is a dark, textured gradient of blue and green.

SUNDAY, JULY 28, 2019 | THE SEASON OF PENTECOST | 9:30 AM

GATHERING

Hymn Sing

Welcome

Opening Litany

Eternal God, you are the Alpha and Omega, our beginning and our end,

We have gathered in this time and at this place to worship You.

In the beginning, You created all things, and you created us out of love. You give us the gift of each other and this whole world.

Help us to live out of love for one another and out of love for you.

We keep awake and watch for you to show up in our world.

Help us to see you at work in our very lives every day.

We do not know the day or the hour when you will come again.

But we know your promise that you are with us to the end of time.

* **Gathering Hymn**

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Hymnal #807

* **Greeting**

* **Prayer of the Day**

God of all beginnings and all endings, you promise that one day you will wipe away every tear from our eyes and on that day death and pain will be no more. Help us to look to the future with courage, and to trust that you will be with us until the end of time. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

WORD

Scripture Reading

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

Isaiah 65:17-19

Bible pg. 607

**please stand*

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE.

Welcome to Worship at Vinje Lutheran Church! There are cards in the pews available for prayer requests, visitor information, or creative doodling during worship.

Hearing devices are available at the sound booth at the back of the sanctuary. Ask an usher for assistance.

A note to parents of young children: Relax! We are glad to have you and your children with us. Children are always welcome in worship! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress those wiggles in our worship. We realize there are times that children need a break, and you may need a distraction or two for your child. For that reason there are areas outside of each sanctuary entrance with books, activity bags, and play areas so that your kids can have something to engage them and you can still be engaged in worship. Again, know that we are grateful you and your children are here, just as you are!

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

Altar Care Rick Smith

Assisting Minister

Jackie Cunningham

Lector Phyllis Stageberg

Communion Servers

Ron and Cathi Haugen

Communion Assistant

Christina Boike

Greeters

Ronald and Melissa Carlson

Ushers Bob and Joni Glaesman,

Jerry Baker and Rosie Ericson

Organist Tin Burns

Welcome Desk Karen Rousseau

Video Max Gatewood, Suzanne Napezek

Children's Message

* **Gospel Acclamation**

Halle, Halle Hallelujah

Hymnal #172

Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal -
- le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -
lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

* **Scripture Reading**

Revelation 21:1-6

Bible pg. 1007

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

Message

* **Hymn of the Day**

In Heaven Above

Hymnal #630

* **Apostles' Creed**

Hymnal pg. 105

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

* **Prayers**

* **Peace**

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you.

MEAL

Offering

Offertory Hymn

O Day of Peace

Hymnal #711

* **Offertory**

Create in Me a Clean Heart

Hymnal #185

* **Offering Prayer**

Lord of all, we know that this whole world belongs to you, and we owe you everything that we have. We give you these gifts that we have gathered as a sign of our love and gratitude, and as a reminder to ourselves that one day you will gather us and this whole world together to live with you. All this we pray in Jesus' name.

Amen.

* **Words of Institution**



**Evangelical Lutheran
Church in America**

God's work. Our hands.



WiFi Available
access as Vinje Guest

**please stand*

*** Lord's Prayer**

Hymnal pg. 134

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.

Lamb of God

Hymnal pg. 174

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

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| Hymn | As Grains of Wheat | Hymnal #465 |
| Hymn | Jerusalem, My Happy Home | Hymnal #628 |
| Hymn | Baptized and Set Free | Hymnal #453 |

Table Blessing

Prayer after Communion

Loving God, we know that you hold in your hands all of time and space. Yet you have come to meet us here in our time, by giving your very life for us to eat and drink. Send us from this table, that we might share your gift of life with others, so the whole world may know your love. Amen.

SENDING

Announcements

*** Benediction**

God is Creator who is the beginning and the end. God is the Savior who brings us from death to life. God is the Spirit who sustains us and who will be with us always.

May this very God, bless you and keep you + today and every day.

Amen.

*** Sending Hymn**

Soon and Very Soon

Hymnal #439

*** Dismissal**

Go in peace. Christ is with you.

Thanks be to God!

COMMUNION

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

White grape juice and gluten-free wafers are available (please request from the server).

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that we have 28 members who receive regular visits from our congregational care team and pastors? In addition, we have hospital visitors who weekly visit those hospitalized locally and share a bit of our love with them. Thank you for supporting ministries like these and for doing your part to love your neighbors inside and outside of our walls.

VINJE STAFF

Pastors

Justin Ask
Dane Skilbred

Visitation Pastor

Gary Mikkelson

Office Manager

Janet White

Ministry Associate

Melissa Hansen

Director of Music

Karen Wojahn

Communications Director

Sara Bos

Custodian

Ron Nordby

Loving Arms Child Care Center

Chris Stark, Director

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Please call the church office if you would like to sponsor the Bulletin (\$60) the Radio Broadcast (\$95) or the Sunday Bus (\$62). Or sponsor all three for \$200.

The following upcoming dates are available:

Bulletin: 8/25, 9/1, 9/8, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6

Broadcast: 8/18, 8/25, 9/8, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6

Bus: 8/18, 8/25, 9/1, 9/8, 9/22, 9/29, 10/6

THANK YOU

This week's bulletin is sponsored by Kristi Morelan in memory of Leann Wadsworth who passed away on July 27, 2011.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Brenda Reynolds, Barb Eilers, Paul Mikkelson, Shirley Brandt, Steve Fischer

STUFF THE BUS



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 9th. Items needed are: backpacks, calculators, ziplock bags, scissors, pencils, pencil boxes, markers, rulers, paper towels, glue sticks, and crayons.



SUMMER MOVIE: PHILOMENA

WED, AUGUST 14 | 1 PM | VINJE THEATER

What better way to spend a hot summer day than in a cool movie theatre. And this summer Vinje has you covered. Of course no movie would be the same without popcorn and we've got that covered! Bring a beverage and join us!

ARBORETUM TRIP

MONDAY, AUGUST 19 | DEPARTING AT 9 AM

Admission is free. There will be a fee to cover transportation. Sign up in the church office by August 9th.

THANK YOU FROM LOVING ARMS

Thank you so much to everyone that attended our Summer Carnival at Rice Care Center last week! Thank you also to those that baked treats for our bake sale! We had a great time with our friends of all ages and were excited to raise more than \$375 for The Walk to End Alzheimer's.



SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

REHEARSE: 8:30 - 9:10 AM | SING FOR WORSHIP: 9:30 AM

VINJE CHOIR ROOM

A FUN OPPORTUNITY FOR SINGERS AGES 9 - 99
TO MEET THE NEW DIRECTOR OF MUSIC
AND PREPARE MUSIC FOR WORSHIP THAT MORNING!

NO PRE-REGISTRATION
OR PREVIOUS CHOIR EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!
FAMILIES/CHILDREN WELCOME! MULTI-GENERATIONAL.

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

SUNDAY, JULY 28

9:30 AM WORSHIP

MONDAY, JULY 29

4:00 PM CONCORDIA CORN FEED @ VINJE

TUESDAY, JULY 30

9:15 AM LOVING ARMS CHAPEL TIME

10:30 AM PASTORS TEXT STUDY

1:00 PM STAFF MEETING

4:00 PM CHILDREN'S MINISTRY TEAM MEETING

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

5:30 PM CREATION CARE MEETING

7:00 PM GA GROUP

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2

7:30 AM ELIZABETH CIRCLE @ DYKSTRA'S GARDENS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

9:30 AM WORSHIP

LIFE CIRCUMSTANCES ability AGE ethnicity RACE **gender identity**
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

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