



VINJE

AUGUST 4, 2024

9:30 AM

gathering

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather in the name of God who dared to create the world and declared it to be good.

We are created to be brave.

We are called to let go of the burdens of fear and doubt.

We are created to be free.

We are called to be true to the unique individuals we are.

We are created to be authentic.

We are called to challenge the status quo.

We are created to be disruptive.

Together, we are called to love as Jesus first loved us.

We are created to be disciples.

Amen.

HYMN

ALL ARE WELCOME

HYMNAL #641

PRAYER OF THE DAY

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!

word

SCRIPTURE READING

MICAH 6:6-8

Word of God, Word of Life.

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

MESSAGE

PASTOR SEYWARD ASK

LUKE 18:35-43

HYMN

HYMNAL #710

LET STREAMS OF LIVING JUSTICE

APOSTLES' CREED

PRAYERS



"OUR LIVES BEGIN TO
END THE DAY WE
BECOME SILENT ABOUT
THINGS THAT
MATTER."

- MARTIN LUTHER KING JR

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

meal

ANTHEM

HE LEADETH ME

OFFERING PRAYER

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

LORD'S PRAYER

COMMUNION

ANTHEM

TURN YOUR EYES UPON JESUS

HYMN

WE COME TO THE HUNGRY FEAST

HYMNAL #479

HYMN

O LIVING BREAD FROM HEAVEN

HYMNAL #542

sending

BLESSING

*May you be brave, stepping out in faith and courage to follow God's call.
May you be free to live fully in the grace and love of Jesus, unbound by
fear or doubt.*

*May you be authentic, true to the person God has uniquely created you
to be.*

*May you be disruptive, challenging injustice and bringing hope and
transformation to the world.*

*And may you be disciples, embodying the light and love of Jesus in all
you do.*

Amen.

HYMN

GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY

HYMNAL #705

DISMISSAL

Go in peace, living exactly as God created you to be.

Thanks be to God.

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PASTORS	Seyward Ask Andrés Albertsen	LECTOR	Carol Parker
USHERS	Mark Bredeson Kirk Davis	MUSICIANS	Tim Burns Carol Parker
COMMUNION		SLIDES	Peggy Karsten
		CAMERAS	Paul Nordin

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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

Philip Fauchald, Linda Saunders,
Barry Bakker, Dana Nelson

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Trevor Hansen, Lane Leedahl, Steve
Iverson, Bob Glaesman, Stephen Olson,
Troy Pffilbsen, Ted Olson

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: 8/11, 9/15, 9/29, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/10, 11/17, 12/1, 12/8

THANK YOU

This week's bulletin, broadcast, bus and coffee are sponsored in memory of our beloved mother, Betty Melbye, on what would have been her 99th birthday on July 4, 2024, by her children, Barbara, Karen and David.



HAWAIIAN SHIRTS FOR SOLDIERS

A group of local churches is working to collect 600 Hawaiian shirts to send to soldiers stationed in the Middle East. These shirts will be used for their end-of-tour celebrations. If you'd like to help with this, please bring a (new) men's Hawaiian shirt (any size) to the church office by August 15th. You are also encouraged to write a note of thanks and tuck it into the shirt pocket. Thanks!

COMMUNION SERVERS NEEDED

We are once again sending out a plea for communion serving volunteers. Are you willing to help out with this important (but not too difficult task)? Please put a note in the offering plate, email us at vinje@vinjchurch.com or call the church office at 320.235.1441. We truly appreciate your consideration.



This summer, on
Sundays &
Wednesdays, we'll
consider what we
were *created to be...*

Created to be Disruptive
July 24, 28, 31 & August 4

Created to be Disciples
August 7, 11 & 18



**FINAL VINJE AT
THE LAKE
WEDNESDAY
WORSHIP
AUGUST 7**

**SUPPER & KIDS ACTIVITIES @ 5:30PM
WORSHIP @ 6:30 PM**

If you haven't made it to a lakeside
service yet, this is your last chance.
Join us for this casual service with
music by guest musicians, Todd and
Libbie Anderson.



**COMMUNITY
WORSHIP
SERVICE**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 18 | 10 AM
ROBBIN'S ISLAND**

Mark your calendars for August 18
and join Vinje, Bethel, Calvary, and
Paz y Esperanza for worship at
Robbin's Island. Since we are so
excited to worship together, there
will be no worship services at Vinje
that morning. Grab your lawn chairs
or blankets and join us for 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

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4
9:30 AM WORSHIP

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6
9:00 AM TOPS MEETING
10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7
5:30 PM DINNER AND KIDS
ACTIVITIES @ GLBC
6:30 PM WORSHIP @ GLBC

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11
9:30 AM WORSHIP



SUPPLY DRIVE

**SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE
NOW-AUGUST 22ND**

We are once again collecting school
supplies for our local schools as well
as for our Loving Arms preschool
program. Some suggested items are:
crayons, markers, pencils, watercolor
paints, glue, glue sticks, folders,
notebooks and scissors (of course, all
supplies are welcomed and will be
put to good use). Thanks!!

**VINJE
OFFERING** →

SCAN TO GIVE



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