

VINJE

OCTOBER 2, 2024

6:00 PM

gathering

SONG INDESCRIBABLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

We come here, curious and searching

We come, bringing our questions, our doubts, and our hopes

God welcomes us with open arms

We come to seek understanding and feel God's love

We come to explore the mystery and beauty of our faith

We come to uncover the meaning behind our songs, our words, and our practices

So come as you are, with your questions, your doubts, and your hopes

With open hearts and open minds, let us worship God

Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SONG & OFFERING HOLY SPIRIT

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!

word

PET BLESSING

MESSAGE

WEIRD STUFF CHRISTIANS

HEAR: LISTENING TO GOD

1 SAMUEL 3:1-10

PASTOR DANE

SONG

KING OF KINGS



"GOD SPEAKS IN THE
SILENCE OF THE
HEART. LISTENING
IS THE BEGINNING
OF PRAYER."
- MOTHER TERESA

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

meal

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

LORD I NEED YOU
OCEANS

sending

BLESSING

May you go from here with open hearts and minds, ready to embrace and share the love and understanding that makes faith come alive for everyone.

Amen.

SONG

LORD REIGN IN ME

DISMISSAL

Vinje is a community where faith and everyday life come together. Together, we belong, we grow, and we serve.

SERVANT LEADERS TODAY

PASTORS

Dane Skilbred
Justin Ask

MUSICIANS

Worth Saving

VIDEO

Courtney Skilbred

SLIDES

Kolten Schunk

USHERS

Easton Tammen
Leo Schmidt

NURSERY

Bianca Lenz
Kara Mages

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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

Linda Saunders, Barry Bakker, Dana Nelson, Bob Glaesman, Betty Dubrosky, Merle Berkeland, Virginia Larson, Sharon Nelson, Sally Peterson

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Trevor Hansen, Lane Leedah, Steve Iverson, 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: 11/3, 11/24, 11/28, 12/15, 12/22, 12/24

THANK YOU

This week's bulletin broadcast, bus and coffee are sponsored by Marion Nordin in celebration of Paul Nordin's 80th birthday on September 26th.

TOWN HALL MEETINGS



SUNDAY, NOV 3

& WEDNESDAY, NOV 6

The council will be holding our next Town Hall meetings on Sunday, November 3 after worship and Wednesday, November 6th after worship.

To keep the meeting moving and to be sure we cover topics of importance to the congregation, please submit the topic(s) you would like to council@vinjchurch.com by Monday, October 21st. This will give the council an opportunity to review topics, combine similar items, and be ready for discussion.



TRAIL OF TREATS

OCT 31 | 4-5:30 PM

VINJE SANCTUARY

Get your kiddos in their costumes and join us for our fifth 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.

EARLY CHILDHOOD FAMILY SUNDAY SCHOOL

SUNDAY, OCT 6 | 8:30 AM

We invite all families with children ages 0-3 to join us for family Sunday school! This family-friendly time is a great opportunity for our littlest members to grow and learn together! No registration needed. We will meet on the first Sunday of each month at 8:30 am. Join us!



BLOOD DRIVE

MONDAY, OCT 7 | 2-6 PM

The Red Cross Blood Drive will be at Vinje on Monday! Every October donor received a \$10 Amazon gift card! (And is entered in a drawing for a \$5000 gift card!) Sign up today at redcrossblood.org.



PIZZA WITH THE PASTORS

SUNDAY, OCT 13 | 11 AM

Are you new to Vinje? Do you want to learn more about the church? Would you like a chance to get to know your pastors better? Or...do you maybe just like eating pizza with fun people? Please plan to join the pastors for lunch and conversation after worship on October 13!



LUTEFISK & MEATBALL SUPPER

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5 | 3-7 PM

We are excited to announce that the Lutefisk and Meatball Supper will take place on Tuesday, November 5th! Please save the date and plan to join us for this special (and delicious!) Vinje tradition.

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

- 3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
- 4:45 PM PRE-K WEDNESDAY LIVE!
- 5:00 PM SUPPER—TACOS
- 5:25 PM NOVA/SHALOM CHOIR
- 6:00 PM WORSHIP—BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS
- 6:00 PM CONFIRMATION
- 6:45 PM HS YOUTH GROUP

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

- 8:00 AM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
- CAMP DAY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

- 8:30 AM VINJE CHOIR REHEARSAL
- 8:30 AM 0-3 SUNDAY SCHOOL
- 9:25 AM KIDS TIME!
- 9:30 AM WORSHIP

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7


- 6:15 PM JUBELLATION
- 2-6 PM BLOOD MOBILE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

- 9:00 AM TOPS MEETING
- 10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9

- 8:30 AM ELIZABETH CIRCLE
- 3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
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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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