



VINJE

OCTOBER 23, 2024

6:00 PM

gathering

SONG

HALLELUJAH

CALL TO WORSHIP

God calls us to live with courage, to forgive as we have been forgiven, and to find joy in God's love.

We live out God's love because character matters.

What flows from our hearts matters to God and to the world around us.

We live out God's love because character matters.

May our words, and actions, and lives overflow with love, forgiveness, and the joy of God.

Because character matters.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING

SONGS

LET IT RISE

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**

MARK 7:14-23

CHARACTER MATTERS

PASTOR JUSTIN ASK

SONG

SAME GOD



"COURAGE IS NOT THE
ABSENCE OF FEAR.
COURAGE IS ACTING IN
THE FACE OF FEAR. IT'S
BEING AFRAID OF
SOMETHING AND DOING
IT ANYWAY."
- RICHARD FENTON

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

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

IT IS WELL
SANCTUARY

BLESSING

*May you leave this place with the strength of character to live with
integrity, the joy that comes from knowing you are loved, the courage
to face each day, and the grace to forgive as you have been forgiven.*

Amen.

SONG

YESTERDAY, TODAY AND FOREVER

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

Nicholas Runke

USHERS

Henry Negen
Steve Hoppe

NURSERY

Hadlee Carroll
Kara Doyle

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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, Betty Dubrosky, Merle Berkeland, Virginia Larson, Sally Peterson, Steve Iverson, Lewis Hotek, Corey Kaercher, Ron Nordby

CONTINUED PRAYERS

Trevor Hansen, Lane Leedah, Troy Pflilbsen, Ted Olson, Bob Glaesman

BEREAVED

Barb, Landon, Erin and Lauren Eilers following the death of Barb's mother.

Mark, Cathy, Anika and Lily Nielson following the death of Mark's grandmother, Carol Peterson.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Sponsors are needed for many upcoming dates. Please call the church office to sponsor the bulletin, broadcast bus or coffee.

THANK YOU

This week's bulletin broadcast, bus and coffee are sponsored by Ryan, Angie, Jack, Henry and Evan Michelson in loving memory of Mark Olson.

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.



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.



PANCAKE BREAKFAST

SATURDAY, OCT 26 | 7-11:30 AM
CALVARY CHURCH

Please support some of Vinje's favorite scouts by attending this delicious breakfast. A freewill donation will be collected.



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.

A CONCERT OF NURSERY RHYMES & POEMS

OCT 26 | 4 PM | PEACE LUTHERAN

OCT 27 | 4 PM | CALVARY

You won't want to miss West Central Singer's "Nursery Rhymes & Poems" concert. Catch it at Peace Lutheran in New London or Calvary Lutheran in Willmar. Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the door.



SOLAR LIGHTS FOR UKRAINE

We are still collecting funds to purchase and assemble solar lights that will be sent to the Ukraine. We are planning on assembling lights in early December. We hope you will plan to join us! Donations can be made by check or online. Please be sure to note "Ukraine" in the memo/notes.

THIS WEEK AT VINJE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

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

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27

- 8:45 AM VINJE CHOIR REHEARSAL
- 9:25 AM KIDS TIME!
- 9:30 AM WORSHIP—CONFIRMATION

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28


- 12:30 PM WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- 6:15 PM JUBELLATION
- 7:00 PM CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29

- 9:00 AM TOPS MEETING
- 10:00 AM MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
- 6:30 PM SOLAR LIGHT ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30

- 3:30 PM WEDNESDAY LIVE!
- 4:45 PM PRE-K WEDNESDAY LIVE!
- 5:00 PM SUPPER—PASTA
- 5:25 PM NOVA/SHALOM CHOIR
- 6:00 PM WORSHIP
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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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