Vienna Presbyterian Church
A Disciple-Making Community

From the Pew to the World

Jesus’ Mission
Luke 4:16-21

Planting Churches
Acts 16

Love One Another
John 13:31-35

Serve One Another
John 13:3-17

April 15, 2007
Prelude
Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing
Terry Sisk, organist
Manz

Welcome

Call to Worship
Shout to the North
Youth Choir
Martin Sleeth

The Heidelberg Catechism, Question #1
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Hymn
Glorify Your Name
AUSTRIAN HYMN
Gracious God of light and power, glorify your holy name.
Let your presence crown this hour; bring to earth Your grace-filled reign.
We are here, as cov’nant people, partners in your world-wide Church, Here to seek Your face and mission, and Your purposes on earth.
By Your grace, our sin confessing, humbly now we ask to see
What in love and endless wisdom, you are calling us to be.
Shape us by your Word’s instruction, cleanse us from our inward gaze, Take our wealth, our earthly power, fill us with your thoughts and ways.
Break our hearts as Yours is broken, and in Christ, bind us as one, That with eyes and hearts wide open we might join your work begun.
Called to care for friend and stranger, rich and poor, as each needs grace, Filled and strengthened by Your Spirit, may we outward turn our face.
Glory, honor, to the Father, glory, honor to the Son, Glory to the Holy Spirit, ever three and ever One.
We will tell your faithful story, your redeeming love proclaim.
Let Your glory fall upon us as You glorify Your name.

Prayer of Adoration

Worship Song
Hear Our Praises (see pages 6-7 for words and music)
Reuben Morgan

Please request large-print hymnals from the ushers.
Assistive listening devices are available in the balcony from the Sound Technician
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Minute For Witness
Oleg Reutki

Prayers For Missions

Offertory
Go Light Your World
Youth Choir
Arr. Pote

During the offertory, please pass the Friendship Pad.

Doxology & Prayer of Dedication
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Scripture
Luke 4:16-21
Pages 58-59 or 57 (NT)

Sermon
Jesus’ Mission
Sermon Series: From The Pew To The World
Pastor Pete James

Hymn
We’ve A Story To Tell To The Nations
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Benediction

Postlude
Christ Lay in Death’s Strong Bands
Terry Sisk, organist
J.S. Bach

If you, or anyone you know, would like prayer for spiritual, emotional or physical well-being,
a pastor will be available at the front of the sanctuary.
**Prelude**
All Glory, Laud and Honor
Joy Ringers; Jeanne Bingham, Director
Arr. McChesney

**Welcome**

**Call to Worship**
Joy In the Morning
Sanctuary Choir
Sleeth

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Children’s Message
After the baptisms, children in Bridges and Gateways may go to their classes; all other children may return to their seats.

Baptisms
9:30 Patrick Mclean Gaffney, child of Sean & Marielaine Gaffney
William Scott Aukema, child of Scott & Tiffany Aukema
Eleanor Grace Nichols, child of Lucy Nichols

11:00 Andrew Scott Fritz, child of Jeffrey & Lisa Fritz
Gabriel Wayne Goodrich, child of Garren & Gina Goodrich
Stephanie Lima Kumah, child of Emmanuel & Esther Kumah
Susan A Kumah, child of Emmanuel & Esther Kumah

Offertory
The Sure Foundation
Exsultate Handbells; Terry Sisk, Director
Arr. Sherman

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MISSIONS FEATURE

Oleg Reutki
New Hope International Country Director – Moldova

During the early stages of inaugurating ministry work with cooperative Christian churches throughout Moldova, New Hope was connected with Oleg Reutki. Oleg and his wife Marina had been working in a related ministry field, and discovered a strong spiritual leading to the work New Hope is doing with children, youth, young adults and young married couples. Oleg and Marina’s enthusiasm and energy for ministry has resulted in the creation of a dynamic six person team in Moldova, combined with a countrywide network of 292 volunteers, who are engaged in a wide array of evangelistic activities. The team’s span of activities includes work with 70 different churches, 120 youth pastors and leaders, 67 Christian Youth Clubs, and in 2006 a series of summer youth camps involving over 700 kids; many unchurched and over half of whom surrendered their lives to Christ as part of the camps’ spiritual experience.

New Hope International is committed to equipping the Church in Eastern Europe through partnerships that provide training, materials and encouragement as they win the next generation for Christ.

Missions Marketplace
May 6, 2007
9:00 – 1:00 the Great Hall.

Over 21 displays of Missions and Missionaries from around the world. Children’s activities
Hot dogs and hamburgers served from 11:30 - 1:00
Come learn and enjoy what God is doing in the World

Assisting with Worship:
Liturgist:
Glenda Simpkins - Hoffman

Baptism:
Emily Fritz
Graham Goodrich
Gary Goodrich
Drew Goodrich

Children’s Message:
Rita Lockwood

Music:
Jason Gottshall
Becky James
Danielle Talamantes

Need Prayer for Yourself or Someone You Love?

USE the cards in the Friendship Pads in your pew, or at the rear of the church, and place in the collection plate or the wooden box in the lobby/narthex.

CALL the church office at 703.938.9050 X301

SEND an e-mail to beth.goss@viennapres.org; or enter a prayer request via the church’s website at www.viennapres.org homepage “Prayer Requests”

Please make sure that you have permission before submitting a prayer request on behalf of someone else. Confidentiality requests are strictly honored. If requested for the weekly bulletin, prayer notices will normally be made for two weeks, but can certainly be extended upon request.
INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

**Grieving:** Erin Allen (mother), Adrian Eley (mother), Joan Gifford (sister-in-law), Bert Johnson (mother), Sue Sladek/Gloria Sladek (aunt/sister-in-law), family & friends of Brian Sizemore, Billie Jean Warhurst & Debbie Capps (brother & uncle)

**Hospitalized:** Wendy Bennett, Linda Wehrheim, Phyllis Cassee’s father, Heather Ichord’s friend 2nd Lt. Andrew Kinard, Steve Ertel’s grandmother

**Homebound:** Al Giles

**Ill or Convalescing:** Cecilia Baldwin, Raymond Beck, Julia Cornelius, Chuck Garland, Susan Gilmore, Margarita Hodge, Dick Hutcheson, Lee Ryan, Alice Seery (home), Fred Shirley, Paul Sorenson, Sheila Steele, Eleanor Steen, Bob Stifel, Ken Thomas, Kathy Van Meter, Laura Bachmann’s friend Vincent DiBennedeto (age 5), Hans Carlson’s father, June Follini’s/Donna Reichert’s son/brother, Laura Griffith’s friend’s daughter Lisle, Jean Hamill’s sister, Stuart Hoffman’s mother, Shirley Leedy’s/David Leedy’s niece/cousin, Rita Lockwood’s friend Cindy Hogan, Jenn Maggio’s mother, Betty Reed’s friend Donna Jackson Fitzgerald, Judy Smith’s son-in-law, May Spence Smith’s friend Joseph Schaffner, Tricia Stevely’s mother, Tom Taaffe’s father, Pam Waldron’s father, Bert Webb’s cousin, Ken Jones, Kevin Wilbur’s sister, Karen William’s husband’s cousin, Lauren’s friend (4 mos. old) baby Kaden

A note of thanks from Carol Forshee: “I want to thank all of you for your prayers, cards, and calls during my illness. It was heart-warming to me to feel your love and encouragement, and I feel it contributed to my return to health.”

Also, from Dixie Kenyon: “...my deepest appreciation to the many members who have lifted me up in prayer, visited, called, sent cards and flowers, and offered frequent words of encouragement, in connection with my recent ... surgery.”

**Please keep these military men and women in your prayers:** Caitlin Addams, Fred Arnold, John Belous, Clayton Bender, Lance Booth, Ryan Boula, Robert Cornejo, Joseph Cronin, John Douglas, John Eldridge, Kevin Eley, Robert Escamilla, Jonathan Forde, B.J. Ganem, Christopher Geiger, Jonathan Graebner, Scott Graham, Josh Hallanan, Zack Harper, Gary Hogan, Peter Hunt, Heather Ichord, Johnny John, Brian Kibitlewski, Don Kingston, Dr. Brian Krakover, Eric Kravada, John Landers, Dr. Janice Moseley Langer, Keith Langford, Adam Laxalt, Robert McCracken, Tom McElwee, Andy Meixell, Chase Niblett, Maurice Perdomo, David Neil Peters, Evin Planto, Charles Preston, Jonathan Rook, Joshua Roots, Adam Rosenbaum, Clifford Shearer, Scott Shick, John Michael Stephenson, Justin Wehrheim, Kevin Wiencek, Chris Wilkerson

We have also received from some of our members requests for prayer for their civilian relatives and friends who are working in Iraq: Jessica Karnis, Graham (“Mac”) Mackenzie and his team of 18.

Is there a burden on your heart for which you or someone you care about needs prayer or are you rejoicing for the ways that the Lord is working in your life and the lives of your family or friends? Then come join us today at 11:00 A.M. in the chapel for Prayer and Praise for Healing and Wholeness. We will pray for your needs and invite you to pray with us for the people listed here in the bulletin. The VPC Prayer Ministry is here to encourage you in your prayer life.

Please keep the church office up-to-date on the status of your loved ones. We try to be as current as possible. Thank
CHILDREN’S MINISTRIES

Children’s Ministries announces that the schedule and registration forms are available on the VPC under Calendars and Registration at the top of the page.

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Check out our new Student Ministry website! www.vpcstudents.org

ADULT MINISTRIES

Widows & Widowers Luncheon: Wolf Trapp Deli (in Vienna), April 21 at 12 N. Please call Gwen Datt for more information, 703.759.4290

MUSIC MINISTRIES

Cathedral Brass Concert: April 29, 7 pm, in the VPC Sanctuary!

Are you interested in becoming a member of VPC?
The next New Member Seminar will be on May 5 (8:30 am - 2:30 pm) AND May 6 (11 am - 12 N) (both days). If you have questions about VPC or what Presbyterians believe, please come on May 5 and learn more about these topics. Please help us plan for your participation by calling Linda Kemple at 703.938.9050 to register. Childcare is available by reservation (x351) lo less than 48 hours prior to the event. Yellow fliers on the Welcome Table give more details.

NEW PHOTO DIRECTORY COMING THIS FALL! Sign ups begin in June for July/August photo sessions. Submit digital photos for military and others not available for photo sessions to Ronniejean Irvin at RBlirvin@cox.net or Bryan Troutman, 703.790.5270.

COFFEE CONNECTION

VPC Ministries are in the Great Hall to build awareness for support and service. Join them for Coffee, Tea and Treats as you meet new and old friends.

Featured this Sunday:
New Hope
THIS WEEK AT VPC...

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

The Ellen Perkins Memorial Adult Library and Resource Center will be dedicated TODAY at 12:30 pm, on the second floor of the Ministry Center, in recognition of her many years of devoted service and to fulfill the wishes of her generous bequest. The Library is a central part of the Adult Ministries of VPC. The congregation is invited to the ceremony and following reception in this area.

**Grapevine Books turns 1 year old!** Stop in from 9-12N for cake and gifts. We’re giving the gifts! What? Can’t tell, it’s a surprise! Come and see.


**MONDAY, APRIL 16**

*Flex and Stretch* for the Young in Heart using weights, tubing and body weight exercises. 8 - 9 am in the Great Hall. Please contact Jan Cerie, 703.255.2370 or uscreries@earthlink.net, for more information.

**TUESDAY, APRIL 17**

**Fit & Flow Yoga**, 9:30 - 11:00 am, in the Great Hall. Join us for yoga that actively combines strength and flexibility. All levels welcomed! Please contact Jan Cerie, 703.255.2370 or uscreries@earthlink.net, for more information.

**Grapevine Bookstore** is open from 6 - 8 pm. Stop by and check out our bookstore! Christin French, 703.938.9050, x 135 or christin.french@viennapres.org.

**THURSDAY, APRIL 19**

**Beginner Mat and Standing Pilates class** for strengthening the core muscles and improving posture. All fitness levels welcome 9:30 -10:30 am in the Great Hall. Please contact Jan Cerie, 703.255.2370 or uscreries@earthlink.net.

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**SUNDAY, APRIL 22**

Please join us as we gather to pray for local outreach at VPC today at 6 pm in the Chapel. We want to pray for Rico Tice’s message on April 24, the local evangelist search and the church-wide goal for evangelism.

Do you wonder what is the core Christian Message? What is at the heart of Christianity?

Then please join us as Rev. Rico Tice explains in plain terms what it means to be a Christian.

Rev. Tice developed Christianity Explored, an informal course for people who’d like to investigate Christianity, or just brush up on the basics. He explains who Jesus was, what his aims were, and what it means to follow him.

Do you also wonder how to share the Christian Message?

After a short break, Rev. Tice will lay out in simple terms how anyone can share with friends, neighbors and co-workers what it means to be a Christian.

Then pick up a free copy of Rev. Tice’s jargon-free introduction to Jesus Christ. Pick one up for yourself or a friend!

Join us on April 24, 7:30 pm in the Great Hall!
ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES:

9:30 am:

**Beyond Basics**:
Hear “The Images of the Churches in Revelation”, a series of six lessons lead by Nora White. Room 203/204. Coordinator: Kate Lund

**Friendship Class**:
For developmentally-challenged adults. Teachers: Emmy Parker & Beth Gourley

**Lightseekers East**:
An in-depth discussion of this morning’s scripture text. Attendance at 8 AM worship service is not required. Pete James’ Office. Coordinator: Paul Chelson

**Lightseekers West**:
An in-depth discussion of this morning’s scripture text. Attendance at 8 AM worship service is not required, Parlor. Facilitator: Jim Swago

**Lightseekers Underground (20’s & 30’s)**:
An in-depth discussion of this morning’s scripture. Attendance at 8 am worship service is not required, OL4. Facilitators Shannon and John Jordan

**Searchers in the Word** -
In-depth study of the New Testament book of Colossians. The class meets at 9:30 AM in Dick Eagan’s office with a study guide for each class member. We share in leading the class study. Coordinator: Sharon Sigler.

**Partners with Christ**:
New six week study of “Fresh Wind, Fresh Fire” by Jim Cymbala beginning 4/15 - books available at Grapevine. Room 205 Contact: Martha Strauss wmstrauss@aol.com Come join us!

9:30 am:

**Berean**:
Study of Paul’s letter to the Romans. Texts are the Bible and Stott’s: “The Message of Romans,” 203/204. Coordinator: Esther & Duane Harder.

**Lightseekers II**:
Spiritual Classics: Selected Readings for Individuals and Groups on the Twelve Spiritual Disciplines, Conference Room. Facilitator: Connie Edens.

**ESOL Bible Study**:
1 Corinthians, 317. Facilitators: Brett & Dee Fallavollita.

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CHILDCARE:

Crib Room: 8, 9:30 & 11 am in MC 207-208

Toddler Room: 8, 9:30 & 11 am in MC 209-210

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- Robert Griffin
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- Beth Goss
- E. Stanley Ott
- Chris Hammond
- L. Thomas Vining

Parish Associate
- Terry Sisk

Music Director
- Ellie Cammer

Associate Music Director
- Julie Knight

Organist
- Daryl Wright

Children’s Ministries Director
- Barry Hill

Interim Children’s Ministries Director
- Becca Shick

Asst. Children’s Ministries Director
- Kayla Gray

Student Ministries Director
- Bonnie Downs

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- Sheila Breuer

College Ministries Director
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