Living With Our Differences
2 Timothy 2:14-26

Sermon Series: Kingdom Legacy

June 29, 2008
Prelude
Dean Manson, piano

Welcome

▲ Hymn
Immortal, Invisible

See page 8 for music
Bob Kauflin

Immortal, invisible God, only wise,
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes.
Most holy, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
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‘Til one day in splendor we see face to face! (chorus - repeat)

▲ Prayer of Adoration

▲ Worship Song
Beautiful One

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Tim Hughes

▲ Congregation standing, as able
Please request large-print hymnals from the ushers
Assistive listening devices are available in the balcony from the Sound Technician
Song of Confession: Search Me, Know Me

Search me, know me, try me and see Every worthless affection hidden in me
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Clothe me in robes of righteousness, Cover my nakedness with grace,
All of my life before You now I humbly bring.

Assurance of Pardon

Minute for Witness

Prayer

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Prayers of the People The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory: Voice of Truth by Casting Crowns

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

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Beautiful One

Beautiful You opened my eyes to Your wonders anew. You captured my heart with this love, `cause nothing on earth is as beautiful as You. You opened my soul, my soul must sing. My soul, my soul must sing. My soul must sing.

beautiful One

Beautiful
Your Great Name We Praise (Immortal, Invisible)

Hymn by WALTER CHALMERS SMITH
New Words and Music by BOB KAULIN

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2. Un...

3. All...

4. Great...

NOTE: The CD modulates up one step to A major for Verse 4 and the final Chorus.

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Intercessory Prayers

**Grieving:** Dana Burnette (grandmother), The family of James Christopher Hendrix, Celeste Kacedan (mother), The family of Jack Kenyon, Jennifer Lansing (father), Rodney Neely (father), the family of Joe Schaffner (friend of Mary & Dave Smith)

**Hospitalized:** Madison Mahan (newborn), Emily Mandell (18 mos.)

**Facing Tests or Surgery:** Jane Dittig, Leslie Vereide’s step-father

**Homebound:** Audrey O’Shea

**Ill or Convalescing:** Cecilia Baldwin, Bev Bender, Edith Brinkley, Steven Brown, Ellie Cammer, Barbara Entwistle Carter, Mary Carter, Elaine Cherry, Marieke Ertel, Bill George, Marjorie Goad, Jack Kenyon, Irma Kerr, Gen Lee, Kat Mahan, Sue Merfa, Janine Mohl, Elsa Norris, Ruth Nowjack-Raymer, Jen Prunty, Judy Rhodes, JerrySchnell, Gordon Sine, Gloria Sladek, Phil Smith, Bob Stifel, Kathy Van Meter

**Family and Friends:** Barbara Addam’s friend Kathy, Laura Bachmann’s mother, Evette Baker’s friend Sara, Laurel Bassett’s mother-in-law, Bill Christopher’s brother, Beth Crowder’s brother, Margaret Cundiff’s friend Brent, Arayanna Darst’s friend Margaret Hodge, Bill Downer’s father, Nancy Ensey’s friend Cyndy, Louise Findlay’s niece (8), Paula Flores’s daughter Giselle, Kathryn Gilchrist’s friend Jeannie, Bonnie Grouge’s friend Jennifer, Jean Hamill’s brother, Marian Hay’s sister Roanne, Barbara Hildreth’s brother-in-law, Mary Ellen Keaton’s aunt, Linda Keple’s brother-in-law, Ron Kuykendall’s sister, Stella Lansing’s mother, Jim & Betty Larson’s friend Lisa, Tana Leasure’s cousin’s wife, Neil MacNeill’s brother-in-law, Allen & Suzie Martin’s grandson Wyatt (8) & Suzie’s friend Marcia, Jenn Mattson’s uncle, Debbie McBrien’s brother, Natalie Murray’s father, Laura Noble’s father, Stan Ott’s friend Rene, Betty Reed’s friend Donna, Robert Reeves’s mother, Kristina Schenck’s mother, Mary Ann Singlaub’s mother & stepmother, Dave Smith’s sister, Judy Smith’s son-in-law, Mary & Dave Smith’s friend Annie, and Elizabeth; Barbara Spiller’s brother, Tricia Stevely’s mother, & her friends Lloyd & Leanne, Mark Tracz’s mother, Pamela Vining’s friend Linda

**Congratulations to:** Bob & Jean Simpson on the birth of daughter Emma on June 22.

**Please hold in prayer in the week ahead, the people on SMP:** (Mexico – 6/22 -7/6) Caroline Beury, Nathan Bingham, Ingrid Christ, Christy Crowder, Daniel Dixon, Meredith Freund, Michelle Giovannoni, Marielle Grenade-Willis, Jenna Kronenberg, Jennifer Lonnquest, Ashleigh Martin, Alyssa McCartney, Allyson Neville, Nicole Nikovich, Dawn Shotwell, Leah Singleton, Callista Small, Amelia Smith, Gregory Vernon, Maddie Yoder

**Missions Prayer of the Week:** Please pray for the 40 million Chinese who have been forced in one way or another to contend with rivers running out of control. Pray that they may have the strength and courage to rebuild their lives. And pray for our brothers and sisters in the Midwest as they also are dealing with the devastation from flooding of the Mississippi and her tributaries.


**Non-Military, also “In Harm’s Way”:** Mark Bochetti

**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 ext. 301.

SEND an e-mail to shannon.jordan@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.
Missions Feature

SMILES!

For many, it is the first ball they have ever owned, the first pair of shoes, a much needed blanket to keep them warm or in some cases the only set of clothes they have not had to share with others. And in each case – SMILES! Lots and lots of SMILES! SOI is blessed to serve the poorest of the poor, to reach out to the hungry, the sick, and the neglected, in some cases the forgotten. To assist them, we collect that which we have in abundance, the items that simply take up space in the closet, drawers, basement or garage. We call this program Sports Bridge, and it gives each of us the opportunity to be faithful stewards of that which God has blessed us and to see that items that are still usable are placed in the hands of those less fortunate. We like to say that each ball, each article of clothing or pair of shoes represents a smile! For more information about this project visit:

Sports Outreach Institute (a ministry supported by VPC)
sportsoutreachinstitute.org

Family Missions Projects

Are your children too young to participate in SMPs? Opportunities are available at Krislund Camp (Presbyterian camp in Madisonburg, Pennsylvania) for families with young children to participate in service and recreation. There is still space available in the July and August dates. For more information please contact: sheila.breuer@viennapres.org.

Today’s flowers are given by

Nancy and Bill Jones, in loving memory of Nancy’s mother, M. Kathryn Arndt
Willing Hearts - Training Provided!

Sunday Teachers for Fall

Fall may seem a long way off, but our search to find dedicated teachers for the fall Sunday program has already begun. If you enjoy working with children, have some teaching skills hidden away, or just want to share God’s love, we have a class that needs your help. Please contact clare.maynard@viennapres.org for more details.

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There are many summer camp opportunities for children at VPC, but closing dates are coming up. Please see list below. For more information and registration forms, visit www.viennapres.org or pick up a form on the 3rd floor or in the narthex. Contact clare.maynard@viennapres.org with questions.

Children’s Mission Team - August 4-8
(closing date July 18);

ARC Infant and Child First Aid/CPR - August 23
(closing date August 1)

Something BIG!

VPC’s Vacation Bible School is going to be a BLAST! We are expecting 200 children to participate in the science-themed Power Lab Bible School, July 7 – 11th from 9 am – 12 N. If you want to be a part of children learning about Jesus, then consider volunteering for the week! To accommodate so many children, we need many, many adults and teens to shepherd the children around the building for the week. No previous experience necessary. Please contact Elaine Wright at Lainey1109@cox.net.
Annual VPC 4th of July Ice Cream Social

Join us on July 4th, at 8 pm, at the main parking lot entrance to celebrate our country’s independence! This event is open to EVERYONE, so spread the word and bring your neighbors and friends. Please contact Margaret Fischer at 703.790.5270, if you have any questions!

All Church Disciple-Making Day:
Save the date, Saturday, October 4, 2008

As a disciple-making church, we want to equip you in your life-long journey with Jesus Christ. We are planning an all-day disciple-making event and bringing in a special guest speaker, Dan Allender, to kick-off the fall season.

Who is Dan Allender?

Dan B. Allender, PhD, is an author, therapist, husband, father, professor and president of Mars Hill Graduate School (mhgs.edu) in Seattle. Dan is also a gifted speaker. He has many stories to tell and will deeply impact the stories you come to tell in and about your own life. He is the author of numerous books, including To be Told, The Wounded Heart, Intimate Mystery, Breaking the Idols of Your Heart and Leading with a Limp.

Questions?

Contact: Ginni Richards, ginni.richards@viennapres.org or at 703.938.9050 x123
OPEN DOORS...OPEN HEARTS

An important request from your church finance office! If you are giving to the building fund through your weekly offering envelopes, please make sure to indicate whether your gift is for completing the 2005-2008 Building on Christ campaign or the new 2008-2011 Open Doors..Open Hearts campaign.

To the more than 500 families who have now made their financial commitment to the campaign, thank you for this important support for your church.

We need to hear from at least 150 more families to reach our goal and be on par with previous campaigns. For those who have not yet returned a commitment card, your church needs to hear from you!

Commitment cards are available in the pew racks and on the tables in the narthex. You can return your card in the offering plate, by mail, or drop it off at the office.

You can also submit your pledge online at www.viennapres.org/commitmentcard. It’s quick and easy and greatly appreciated!

UPCOMING EVENTS

You Are Invited! Koffee Klache for Single Moms on Sunday, July 20, 11-12AM, room 324. We will continue what was started in June by sharing thoughts, needs, hopes and ideas for ongoing opportunities and gatherings. Hosted by Pastor Glenda Simpkins Hoffman.

Potluck dinner and a movie...SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, July 26th. We will be gathering for a potluck dinner followed by a showing of the movie “Chariots of Fire”. This family evening will help us prepare for our Disciple-Making Day with Dan Allender on October 4th. Childcare will be available, more details to follow. Contact Deb Crumbliss at deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050 ext.108 with any questions.

Are you in the process of planning your wedding? Marriage Prep Classes at VPC will be held in the parlor, from 11:00-12:15 on Sundays, July 13 – August 3. These free sessions are required for those being married by our pastors, but open to others also. With this seminar we are also adding a session on Saturday, August 2, from 8:45-12. Please call Linda Kemple at 703.938.9050 with questions, or enroll at www.viennapres.org. Next class October 5 – 26, 2008.

Want to get connected? Or to find out what’s going on in the life of our church community? Pick up a copy of the purple CONNECTIONS booklet at the Welcome Table or on the Gathering Space Wall. And remember, the most current version is always available at www.viennapres.org/connections.

Welcome Gifts for Visitors and Guests: VPC cordially welcomes our visitors and guests. We are delighted you are here. Please stop by the Welcome Table in the narthex for a special gift. We hope you visit with us again.
GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Grapevine Books:** Please join us in thanking God and Christin French for the vision and outstanding start up efforts with our Grapevine Books ministry. After two-and-a-half years, Christin is going to be “moving on” to a different ministry calling this summer. If you are interested or know of someone who is the right fit for this ministry resources leadership position, please contact Dick Eagan in the church office, dick.eagan@viennapres.org.

**Blood Donor Day was a success!** Did you know that every pint helps 2-3 people? Seventy-one people registered and 55 pints of blood were donated! Thanks to everyone who donated, attempted to donate, waited in line, and served as volunteers. Special thanks to Gerri Webb, Bryan Troutman and the SWATT group, and to Dee Burns for her leadership.

**Leave a Christian Legacy – the VPC Endowment Board can help!** Including VPC in your estate plans is a statement of faith and provides ongoing support for church programs far into the future. Not sure how to get started with planning your legacy? The Endowment Board can help. Call 703.938.9050 ext. 311, or email us at endowment@viennapres.org.

**Huge selection of gently used books** - in excellent condition for sale outside the second-floor Perkins Memorial Library and Resource Center (LARC). Self-serve, $1.00 for paperbacks, $2.00 for hard cover. Proceeds go to expand LARC services.

STUDENT MINISTRIES

**Rising Middle School and High School Students:** We're going mini golfing at Woody's "Perils of the Lost Jungle" on July 2. RSVP to Liz or Kim 703.938.9050. Meet at VPC at 11am, and we'll go over there together in the VPC vans and be back to VPC around 2 pm. Bring $10 cash to pay for the golfing.

**Tubing on the Shenandoah River:** Mark your calendars rising Middle School and High School students! We're going tubing on July 8 on the Shenandoah River. We'll meet at VPC at 11am (eat lunch before you come) and go out for a great day riding tubes down the river. Cost is $25/person (bring cash). We'll road trip in the VPC vans to Harpers Ferry and head out from there. We should be back to VPC about 4pm. RSVP's are a MUST by July 3 to Liz or Kim 703-938-9050.

CARE & SUPPORT

**Do you have a friend, neighbor, co-worker, or relative going through a difficult time?** A Stephen Minister may be able to offer the support he or she needs. Stephen Ministers are members of our church trained to provide emotional and spiritual care to people who are hurting. It’s confidential, free, and very helpful. To learn more, call Shannon Jordan at VPC 703.938.9050.
STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Young Adult (post college -30s) Bible Study will be meeting Tuesday evenings in June, at 7 pm, at the home of Jim and Barb Jones in Tysons Corner. If you have any questions contact kelly.gould@viennapres.org.

Join us for one of two Bible Studies beginning in September! We will be studying God's Salvation story through large group teaching, small groups and personal Bible study. Sunday night will be for men and women from 6:30 -8:30 pm. Thursday mornings for women from 9:30 -11:30. For more information please contact shannon.jordan@viennapres.org or call the church office!

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Do you have 45 minutes to spare one Sunday morning a month? The Coffee Connection is in great need of more helping hands every Sunday from 10:30-11:15 am. If you feel called to serve in this branch of the Welcome Ministry, please call 703.281.1372 and ask for Dee. ALL are welcome to serve!

Do you have a heart for service? The Deacons have a place for you by being a part of the Deacon Volunteer Care Ministries. For more information, please contact Shannon Jordan at shannon.jordan@viennapres.org or call the church at 703-938-9050, ext. 116.

English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL): Because of the tremendous growth in the ESOL program, this ministry is searching for additional teachers/assistants to staff our language and computer lab volunteer programs. Classes begin Sept 15 and end May 21: Monday or Wednesday mornings and Tuesday or Thursday evenings. Interested? Contact Bonnie Grouge, bonnie.grouge@viennapres.org, or Doris Cooper, doris.cooper@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050, ext. 102.

Do you have a heart for care and concern? If you do and have flexible time available during the day, then consider being a Volunteer Funeral Coordinator. Duties would include organizing the event and family for the church, and being the liaison for the funeral home. If this could be your calling, then please call the church at 703.938.9050 ext. 105, and speak with Deb Crumbliss about this opportunity.

More service opportunities listed at www.viennapres.org/connections.
**ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES:**

**9:30 am:**

**Beyond Basics:** We are studying the book of Exodus. Room 203/204. Coordinator: Kate Lund.

**Friendship Class:** For developmentally-challenged adults. Room 108C. Teachers Emmy Parker & Beth Gourley.

**Lightseekers East:** An in-depth discussion of this morning’s scripture text. Attendance at 8 am worship is not necessary. Room 211. Coordinator: Judy Chelson.

**Lightseekers West:** An in-depth discussion of this morning’s scripture text. Attendance at 8 am worship is not necessary. Parlor. Coordinator: Leslie Vereide.

**Lightseekers Underground (20's & 30's):** An in-depth discussion of this morning’s scripture text. Attendance at 8 am worship is not necessary. L4. Coordinator: Shannon & John Jordan.

**Searchers in the Word:** In-depth study of Paul's letter to Philemon. We use the Bible as the basic text and share in leading the class study. The class meets in Dick Eagan’s office. Coordinator: Marion Billington.

**11:00 am:**


**Light Seekers:** Study of Richard Foster’s book, “Prayer: Finding the Heart’s True Home.” Room 205. Join us!

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