Vienna Presbyterian Church
A Disciple-Making Community

Sermon Series: David

The Hope of Sin

2 Samuel 12:7-15

November 10, 2013
The greatest day in history, death is beaten, You have rescued me, Sing it out, Jesus is alive! The empty cross, the empty grave, life eternal, You have won the day, Shout it out, Jesus is alive! He’s alive!

**Chorus:** Oh, happy day, happy day, You washed my sin away. O happy day, happy day, I’ll never be the same. Forever I am changed.

When I stand in that place, free at last, meeting face to face, I am Yours, Jesus, You are mine. Endless joy, perfect peace, earthly pain finally will cease. Celebrate, Jesus is alive, He’s alive!  

**Bridge:** Oh, what a glorious day, what a glorious way that You have saved me! And, oh what a glorious day, what a glorious Name, hey and  

What a glorious, glorious day, I’ll never be the same.

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**Prayer of Adoration**

**Hymn No. 184**  
*How Blest Are Those*, vs. 1, 2, 3  
David Nofrey, Guest Organist

**Corporate Prayer of Confession **  
*from Psalm 51*

**Leader:** Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness; in your great compassion blot out my offenses.  
**People:** Wash me through and through from my wickedness and cleanse me from my sin.  
**Leader:** For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.  
**People:** Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight.  
**Leader:** Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.  
**People:** Cast me not away from your presence and take not your Holy Spirit from me.  
**Leader:** Give me the joy of your saving help again and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.  
**People:** The sacrifice of God is a troubled spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.  
**All:** Strengthen us by your Holy Spirit that we may give you praise; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Anthem**  
Hear My Cry, O Lord  
Olympia Hatzilambrou, Soloist  
C. Franck

**Minute for Witness**

**Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer**

*Please request large-print hymnals from ushers.  
Assistive listening devices are available in the balcony from the Sound Technician.  
A hearing loop is installed under the rear balcony. Please switch your hearing aid to T-coil.*
Offering

Youth Choir

Offertory

Standing on the Promises

*During the Offertory, please pass the Friendship Pad.*

arr. Mark Hayes

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Scripture

2 Samuel 12:7-15

Sermon

The Hope of Sin

David Jordan-Haas

How Great Thou Art

Stuart Hine

Oh, Lord my God!, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy power throughout the universe displayed;

*Chorus:* Then sings my soul, my Savior God, To Thee,
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee;
How great Thou art, how great Thou art!

And when I think that God, His Son not sparing,
Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in;
That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing,
He bled and died to take away my sin; *(Chorus)*

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration,
And there proclaim, my God, how great Thou art! *(Chorus 2x)*

How great Thou art, how great Thou art, how great Thou art!

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Benediction

Postlude

*Allegro maestoso e vivace* (Sonata no. 2) Mendelssohn

David Norfrey, Guest Organist

The flowers in the sanctuary were given by Dick and Janet Titus in memory of Marguerite Titus.
Sunday Worship 9:30 and 11:00

Prelude
Grave-Adagio (Sonata No. 2)
David Norfrey, Guest Organist

When Morning Gilds the Sky

When morning gilds the skies, my heart awaking cries, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Alike at work and prayer, to Jesus I repair, May Jesus Christ be praised!

Does sadness fill my mind? A solace here I find, May Jesus Christ be praised!
Or fades my earthly bliss? My comfort still is this, May Jesus Christ be praised!

Let earth’s wide circle round ring joyous with the sound, May Jesus Christ be praised!
In Heaven’s eternal bliss the loveliest strain is this: May Jesus Christ be praised!

Be this, while life is mine, my canticle divine: May Jesus Christ be praised!
Sing this eternal song through all the ages long: May Jesus Christ be praised!

Adoration – from Psalm 103:8-11
Glenda Simpkins Hoffman

Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfector of our faith.
Who for the joy set before Him endured the cross, scorning its shame.
And sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.
Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
In His great mercy and forgiveness, He has given us new birth into a living hope,
through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

Cornerstone
Hillsong

My hope is built on nothing less, than Jesus’ blood and righteousness.
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly trust in Jesus’ name.

Chorus: Christ alone, Cornerstone, Weak made strong in the Savior's love.
Through the storm He is Lord, Lord of all.

When darkness seems to hide His face, I rest on His unchanging grace.
In ev’ry high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil.
My anchor holds within the veil. (Chorus)

When He shall come with trumpet sound, oh, may I then in Him be found.
Dressed in His righteousness alone, faultless stand before the throne.

Corporate Prayer of Confession – from Psalm 51

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Leader: For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

People: Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight.

Leader: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

People: Cast me not away from your presence and take not your Holy Spirit from me.

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Leader:  Give me the joy of your saving help again and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

People:  The sacrifice of God is a troubled spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

All:  Strengthen us by your Holy Spirit that we may give you praise; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

How Beautiful  Jennifer Lowery and Sanctuary Choir  Lippencott
In the stillness of my heart I will wait for You. In the silence of my soul I will speak Your name. With my voice I will proclaim. How beautiful Your songs of praise. How true and steadfast are Your ways. Let all that is within me rise and sing! How beautiful Your holy name. How marvelous Your saving grace, that You would call me as Your own, how beautiful.

In the movement of a breeze I can hear You speak. In the works Your hands have made, sun and moon and stars. I see everything you are. How beautiful ......

The Lord’s Prayer

Minute for Witness  Matthew Pearson
9:30 am Children in Bridges and Gateways are dismissed.

Welcome

Offering  Junior Choir

Offertory  Walk in the Light  Andre Thomas
Amy Moir, Conductor

During the Offertory, please pass the Friendship Pad.

Doxology

Scripture  2 Samuel 12:7-15

Sermon  David Jordan-Haas
The Hope of Sin

All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!
All hail the power of Jesus’ name! Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem, And crown Him Lord of all!
Let every kindred, every tribe, On this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel’s race, Ye ransomed from the fall,
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And Crown Him Lord of all!
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And Crown Him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng We at His feet may fall!
We’ll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all!
We’ll join the everlasting song, And crown Him Lord of all!

Benediction

Postlude  Allegro maestoso e vivace  (Sonata no. 2)  Mendelssohn
David Norfrey, Guest Organist

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**Grieving:** The family of Elizabeth Mayes (daughter is Melinda); Eunice ("Junior") McGarrah (mother); Pamela O'Connell (uncle)

**Hospitalized:** Bill Comerford; Debbie Capp's father; Kurt Gilchrist's mother; Julie Knight's brother Jim; Michelle Rahal's cousin Nicole (21)

**Facing Tests or Surgery:** Inajo Cox; Kay Sears' mother

**Homebound:** Frank Blasdell

**Ill or Convalescing:** Curt Anderson; Beverly Bender; Jane Bittner; Frances Brown; George Carlson (9); Mary Flounlacker; Patty Groce; Garth Jensen; Stella Lansing; Kate Lund; Andy Mitchell; Audrey Neeson; Capt. Andrew Peters; Walter Potts; Jane Seeman; Roger Simmons; Bob Stoepker; Ed Tennyson; Alice Winters (former missionary to Colombia supported by VPC); Carol Yates

**Family and Friends:** Dee Burn's brother John; Ruth Anne Buterbaugh's cousin; William Buterbaugh's sister-in-law; Lamar Collier's cousin Jeff; Beth Crowder's friend Andrew; Arayanna Darst's brother Karon and friends Kathy, Mary & family, and Maryanne & Vern (Hospice) & daughter Paula; Joe Darst's sister Dee; Sandi Davis's mother; Donna DeLanoy's mother; Gail Doughty's aunt (Hospice); Bill Downer's friend Dave; Stephanie Eberhart's friends Betsy and Kelly; Jennifer Fleisher's friend (3); Mary Flounlacker's father; Charles Geschiere's father; Lisa Gibb's father; Kurt Gilchrist's cousin; Bonnie Grouge's first father-in-law, Allan Kerr (Hospice); Emily Heuber's sister Polly; Sharon Hopkins's mother; Michelle Jones's friends Cassandra and Paulette; Clark Kattenburg's mother; Karen Dunlop's & Neil Kemple's friend Mike; Frank Kifer's neighbor Leonard; Valerie King's brother-in-law Danny; Megan Kritsky's friend Craig; Stella Lansing's granddaughter; Sharon Lewis's husband (Howard); Marty Martin's friend Sean; Janet McKechnie's daughter-in-law; Betty Rahal's sister; Baker & Jane Richard's relatives Walter & wife Nancy, and friends Dale and Pat; Caitlin Rose's friend Louis' father & family; Lee Self's friend James; Bob & Barb Spiller's friends Lena, Paula, and Pete; Bev Stream's goddaughter; Phyllis Swenson's friend Sheron; Shannon Swift's friend Shelley; Catherine Taylor's mother; Bonny Tynch's father; Hendrika Vande Kemp's sister Grace; Leslie Vereide's father; Roger Waldron's mother; Daryl Wright's father (Hospice)

**Other:** Allison & Brian; Stephanie Eberhart's friend Nancy; Linda Kemple's friend Jan; Crossroads-Connection (formerly Haymarket Crossroads Mission); peaceful resolution of the conflicts in Africa and the Middle East; the people across the US hit hard by natural disasters; persecuted Christians in Egypt, Iraq, Pakistan and the Sudan

**Missions/Missionaries of the week:** Keith & Marti Franchois, WEC International (International); Union Presbyterian Seminary, Richmond, VA (National); Miriam's Kitchen, Washington, DC (Local)

**Congratulations to:** Kip & Katy Downer on the birth of Brooks Michael Downer on October 27. Bill & Stephanie Downer are the proud grandparents.


**Non-military in Harm's Way:** Stephen F. Morrissey, Ed O'Donnell, Christina Tomasetti, Erik H. Vining

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**Need Prayer for Yourself or Someone You Love?**

USE THE CARDS in the Friendship Pad in your pew or at the rear of the church, and place them in the offering plate or the wooden box in the lobby/narthex; CALL the church office at 703.938.9050, x301;

E-MAIL linda.kemple@viennapres.org; or enter a prayer request ONLINE via [www.viennapres.org/prayerrequest](http://www.viennapres.org/prayerrequest)

Please ensure that you have permission before submitting a request on behalf of someone else. Confidentiality requests are strictly honored.

If requested for the weekly bulletin, prayer notices will be published up to four weeks but can certainly be extended upon request.
Announcements

New to VPC? *Just follow these steps to get connected in no time!*

**Let us know who you are.**
We want to help you become connected here at VPC! Letting us know who you are and how we can help you is the fastest way to find your way around! Two easy ways to do that are to fill out the Friendship Pad in worship on Sunday or to visit the Welcome Table found in the sanctuary lobby.

**Explore.**
If you have some extra time this morning, come for coffee after the 8 am and 9:30 am services in the Great Hall, or visit Grapevine Books and browse what some of our groups and classes are studying, as well as the latest in Christian books and gifts. Both are just around the corner from the Welcome Table!

**Connect Here.**
Visit our *Connect Here* table in the lobby on Sunday morning. We will help you connect to a group at VPC where you can learn and serve with others! Ask questions, get information, find what you need! We want to make it as easy as possible for you to begin to live into our mission statement, “Becoming Like Christ Together for the World.”

**Find out more, and even join VPC!**
*The Invitation to the Journey Class* is a three-week “VPC 101” that explores our mission statement “Becoming Like Christ Together for the World.” Our next class will begin in January. For more information or to register for future classes, contact Linda Kemple at 703.938.9050 x100.

To find out more, go to [viennapres.org/firststeps](http://viennapres.org/firststeps) or contact Shannon at [shannon.jordan@viennapres.org](mailto:shannon.jordan@viennapres.org) or 703-938-9050 x123.

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**Today! 2pm, Town Green**

Join our local 3-mile **CROP Hunger Walk**. Register **today** in the **narthex** at 1:15pm.

**Can’t walk?** Contact Betty Rahal at [betty.rahal@verizon.net](mailto:betty.rahal@verizon.net) for additional ways to contribute. Or donate online at [viennacropwalk.org](http://viennacropwalk.org)

You CAN make a difference!

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**Children’s Ministries: Sunday Morning Helpers Needed**

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Contact Dawn at [dawn.geschiere@viennapres.org](mailto:dawn.geschiere@viennapres.org) or 703.938.9050 x127
General Announcements

Advent Wreath Lighters Needed: Individuals or families who would like to light the Advent Wreath please call Lee at 703.938.9050 x103. Available Sunday mornings: Dec. 8 – 8 or 11am or Dec. 22 – 9:30 or 11am. Also needed: Advent Wreath lighters for Dec. 24 at: 4, 5:15, 8:45, and 10:30. First come, first served!

Christmas Eve Nativity Plays: Children ages 4 to 6th graders interested in helping in either the 4pm or 5:15pm Christmas Eve service: Mandatory rehearsals, Sundays, December 8 and 15. Sign up by December 2. Contact Elin Paier at paier-online@usa.net or contact Dawn Geschiere at dawn.geschiere@viennapres.org

Hanging of the Greens: December 6, 8am-5pm. Come help get the church decorated for the Christmas season. Stay all day or just for part of the day. Bring friends with you who would like to help. Lunch is provided. No childcare. Questions or concerns? Please feel to e-mail barbstrite@aol.com

Serve

Knit, Purl, Love: Knit for orphans! Every hand-knitted gift will be personalized with the knitter’s name and a Bible verse. Drop off scarves at the church office. Contact: Anna Katherine Scott, msyazoo@gmail.com or Sue Hamblen at sue.hamblen@viennapres.org.

The Lamb Center needs warm hats to give its homeless visitors. Drop off at the office until November 30. Contact Imacqueen10@gmail.com or Sue Hamblen at 703.938.9050 x111 for additional information.

Operation Christmas Child: Donations are needed to ship filled boxes, $7/box. Bring/send donations to the church office or contact Sue at sue.hamblen@viennapres.org.

CHO: Committee for Helping Others accepting donations of winter jackets for adults and children. Drop off Monday mornings to 133 Park Street, or anytime outside the church office (2nd floor).

Grapevine Book: Would you like a fun way to get connected at VPC and meet nice people? Then Grapevine Books has a place on its volunteer team for you! Short hours, great retail experience, bookstore discounts, and a warm, Christian environment are just some of the perks we offer! Interested? Email sally.mitchell@viennapres.org for details.

Almost New Book Sale

Sunday, December 1

Connect

SWATT (Christian Fellowship for Seniors 55+): Potluck luncheon Wednesday, November 13, noon, Great Hall. No reservation required; just bring a dish for 8 to share. Bring a friend! Dr Ruth Everhart, an author, speaker, and PC(USA) Presbyterian pastor, will speak to us at our luncheon. Her book is Chasing the Divine in the Holy Land.

Refuel: a community of young adults where men and women in their 20’s and 30’s can experience genuine fellowship, authentic discussion, and share life together. Thursday, November 21, 7:15-8:45pm, Underground. See you there. Contact: Kevin Miller at kevin.miller@viennapres.org

New Small Group forming near Tyson’s on Thursday nights! Great for men, women, or couples! Want more info? Contact Deb at 703.938.9050x108 or deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org

Widows and Widowers Luncheon: Saturday, November 16, 12noon, Maplewood Grille, Vienna. Contact: Harry Mason 703.281.2634

MOMSnext: Support and encouragement for moms of elementary-age students. Wednesday, November 20, 7-9pm. Special Guest, Dr. Larry Kennedy speaks to us on How to Talk to Your Kids About Sex. Register at viennapres.org/momsnext

Weekend to Remember Marriage Conference: Focus on God's best for you as a couple! November 22-24 at the Lansdowne Resort in Loudoun County. For group discount, use group code: VPC. Brochures available in the narthex. Register at familylife.com or 1-800-FL-TODAY. Financial assistance is available. Questions? Contact Bruce & Julie Knight 703.691.3406 or B_JKnight@msn.com.
Teachers for Haiti

Join us to fight poverty through education for children.

Ways to help:

Join the Trip! January 17-25

Donate: $35 for textbooks for a child; $75 for a uniform for a child; $360 to sponsor a child.

Needs: decks of cards to help improve math skills!

www.cchaiti.org or emelieparker@gmail.com for more information.

Gifts from the Heart

Coming November 24
Great Hall, Sundays through December 15, 9am-12:30pm

Volunteers gratefully accepted!
Contact: Sharon Lewis at Sharon.Lewis1@cox.net

Bridges

Afterschool enrichment program for underserved population at Cunningham Park Elementary.

Become a Mentor: Make a difference in the life of a student!

Afterschool snacks also needed: cookies, crackers, granola bars, etc.

Contact Don Long at: donwlong5@gmail.com

DRIVERS NEEDED

Commit to:
one Sunday a year or a Sunday every month.
Commitment issues?
Be an on-call driver!

Transportation also needed for a VPC member, any service, any Sunday.

Contact: lee.taylor@viennapres.org,
Learn

Monday Night Men's Group: All men are welcome for large group Bible study and small group fellowship and discussion. Led by Senior Pastor Pete James with Rev. Ed Dawkins and Phil Kratovil. Mondays 7-8:30pm, 3rd floor. For more info: viennapres.org/men

Women’s Bible Study: Mondays, 7-8:30pm, Room 109, or Tuesdays, 9:30-11:30am, 3rd floor. Lessons from the Life of David. This interactive study makes connections between our lives as women in Northern Virginia and the life of King David. Contact: Shannon at 703.938.9050 x123 or shannon.jordan@viennapres.org

CenterPoint is planning a 15-day Discovery Journey to Italy in September, 2014 to learn about religious art, architecture and history. Many details, such as the cost and when registration will open, are still being worked out. For more information visit viennapres.org/centerpoint

Want to work on your (parenting, marriage, Bible knowledge, money, service) in 15-20 minute videos?

For more information or to sign up for your FREE access, contact Deb at Deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org or 703-938-9050 x108.

Care

Renewing Prayer Ministers are trained and ready to come alongside you in prayer to invite Christ’s peace and renewal where life may have brought emotional scars and pain. For more information go to viennapres.org/healingprayer or pick up a brochure. To schedule an appointment, contact Glenda Simpkins Hoffman at 703.938.9050 x114.

GriefShare: Support for those grieving the death of a loved one. Sundays, 6-7:30pm, in Room 203/204. More information at: GriefShare@viennapres.org

Passages: For those going through separation or divorce. Tuesdays, 7-9pm, Room 203/204. Contact passages@viennapres.org.

Christian Cancer Companions: Contact Rita Lockwood at 703.573.6168.

Widows’ Dinner Group: 3rd Monday each month. Contact Betty Little at 703.281.4118.

Widows’ and Widowers’ Luncheons: 3rd Saturday each month. Linda Waters, coordinator: 703.860.8685.

NewSpring: Hope for the sexually abused. Contact David Jordan-Haas at 703.938.9050 x116.

Stephen Ministry: a one-on-one, distinctively Christian, caring, confidential ministry. Stephen Ministers care for people facing a difficult time or life transition. They are not professional counselors, but they are more than well-intentioned friends. They use both words and deeds to express Christ’s care and love for others.

In need of a Stephen Minister? Please contact David Jordan-Haas at 703.938.9050 x116.

Upcoming Stephen Minister Forum: December 4: Ministering to Families Who Have Lost Someone to Suicide, with Becky Shenefiel.

GriefShare presents

Surviving the Holidays

Saturday, November 16, 10am-12noon
for those grieving the death of a loved one.
For more information or to preregister, please go to griefshare@viennapres.org
Free admission. Donations are gratefully accepted to help with the cost of
Bridgepoint Connections
Career Networking Night
Wednesday, November 20, 7-9pm, Great Hall

Join us for dinner, speaker, job fair, and resume reviews.

Guest speaker
Greg Holmes, top US Realtor, presents

“Finding Hope and Strength in Times of Transition”

$10. Includes dinner and program.

For addition info, contact: Phil Kratovil at phil.kratovil@viennapres.org or 703.937.1897

Thanksgiving Eve Service
Wednesday, November 27, 7:30pm

A service of reflection, gratitude, and blessing.
Communion will be served.

Stop by Grapevine Books
(just across from the Great Hall)
and check out the new arrivals of Freeset jute bags.

Family Advent Celebration

Bring family and friends to celebrate the art of the holidays!

Sunday,
December 1,
3-5pm

Crafts for children ages 3 to 6th grade.
Food and Caroling for the whole family.

This is a family event; please, no drop-offs.
No reservations needed.
For more information please contact

These eco-friendly bags are manufactured in Kolkata, India. All profits from the business benefit the women employed there. Buy a quality gift—for yourself or someone you love—that changes lives.
Sunday Mornings at VPC

Children’s Room Assignments
For descriptions of classes, go to viennapres.org/ministries/children/sundays; to register on line: viennapres.org/cmsignups

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Middle and High School Sunday Youth Services
Lower Level, Light Breakfast Served, 9-9:30am; Sunday School, 9:30-10:30.
Youth Groups: Middle School, 5-7pm, and High School, 6:30-8:30pm. Undergound.

Vienna Presbyterian Church
124 Park Street NE, Vienna, VA 22180 - 703.938.9050
Pastors: Peter James; Glenda Simpkins Hoffman; David Jordan-Haas
Teaching Pastor E. Stanley Ott
Parish Associates: Connie Jordan-Haas; Ed Dawkins
Music Director Lance Vining
Adult Ministries Director Shannon Jordan
Transitional Leader of Student Ministries Kim Snyder
Children’s Ministries Director Dawn Geschiere
Preschool Director Marnie Sturm
Evangelism Director Phil Kratovil
Congregational Care Director Charles Geschiere
Missions Director Sue Hamblen
Operations Director Doug LeMasters
Office hours Monday–Friday, 8:30am–5pm
Website www.viennapres.org
Calendar, Building Reservations viennapres.org/calendar
Event Announcements communications@viennapres.org
Printed and recorded sermons are available at viennapres.org/sermons

VPC–U on Sunday Morning

100 Level
Friendship Class: Room 108C, 9:30am. For adults with intellectual disabilities. Teachers: Emmy Parker, Beth Gourley, Jamie and Andrea Strahan.

200 Level
Practical Christian Living: 11am, 2nd-floor conference room,
Foundations Class: Join us as we build on the twin foundations of scripture and friendship. No preparation required! John and Kathy Draper, 703.539.8300 or jkdraper@vmail.com. Room 203/204, 9:30am.
Partners With Christ: “Why We Believe the Bible,” 9:30am. parlor. Come and explore the claim that the Bible stands above all others as the book of books, pointing the way to God. No homework; no materials to purchase. Newcomers/drop-ins always welcome. Questions? Martha Strauss, martha.strauss@me.com
Plugged In: 11am. room 109. Shannon Jordan at shannon.jordan@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050 x123.
ESOL Bible Study: (English for Speakers of Other Languages) is open to adults from every country who are Level 2 or 3 students (intermediate or advanced). 11am, Room 311. Shun or Doris Ling, 703.255.0656 or shundoris@yahoo.com

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Beyond Basics Room 205, 9:30. Have a cup of coffee with us as we discuss The Gospel According to Jesus by John McArthur, led by Jon Lochhaas. Compare our thinking of today’s interpretation of scripture and what Jesus really said. Coordinator: Kate Lund katejlund@yahoo.com
Apprentices Class: Join us as we discuss Henri Nouwen’s The Return of the Prodigal Son 11am, room 205. All are welcome. Elaine Ryan, 703.470.1338 or isaiah122elaine@aol.com.
The Berean Adult Bible Study: 11am, Rooms 203-204.
”Hallelujah – The Bible and Handel's Messiah.” Everyone is welcome and encouraged to come. Contact John and Nancy Davidovich: 703.938.4775 or jadavidovich@verizon.net

What We Believe:
Jesus is Lord.
Scripture is our authority.
Everyone is called to discipleship.

Our Mission:
Being like Christ together for the world
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