Need a Doctor?

Luke 5:27-32

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What will help you become more like Christ?

This simple formula will help you with your Spiritual Growth Plan. Studies show that people change through a combination of worship, group discussion, and service.

Commit to gathering with God’s people on Sundays for worship.

On September 13 we will resume our three-service schedule with youth-led worship at 8am, a contemporary service with a family focus at 9:30, and traditional worship at 11:00. Pick the service that best fits your individual and family schedule, and make the commitment to be there every Sunday. Actually write it on your calendar!

Commit to 2 additional opportunities.

In worship we learn about how to live as Christians. Groups and service opportunities give us the space to practice what we have learned and receive coaching and support.

Pick a group: Whether you are young or old, new to faith or a long-time follower of Christ, connect with others by picking a group that fits where you are in your journey of faith. Flip through this book and pick one that fits your life!

Pick a service opportunity: Service not only helps others, it transforms you as you work in partnership with God in the lives of others through your own unique SHAPE—an acronym for spiritual gifts, heart, abilities, personality, and experience. This is what you were created to do! To find your SHAPE, go to viennapres.org/SHAPE.

The next nine months will come and go.

Let’s live it for God’s glory, the abundance of our own lives, and for the sake of others!

“Is your current schedule working for you? What would your schedule look like if God were in charge of it?... I am still learning that my schedule is far less about what I want to get done and far more about who I want to become.”
## A Place to Grow

### Monday Night Men’s Group
- **with Pete James & Phil Kratovil**
- Begins: Monday, 9.14, 7pm with the Great SteakOut
  - phil.kratovil@viennapres.org

### Women’s Bible Study
- **with Shannon Jordan**
- Begins: Monday, 9.14, 7pm
  - Tuesday, 9.15, 10am
  - Childcare available

### Small Groups
- Men’s • Women’s • Couples • Teens • Service
- Begins: Sunday, 10.4
  - viennapres.org/smallgroups

### Sunday Classes
- for all ages & stages
- Begins: Sunday, 9.13
  - viennapres.org/study

### Growing Your Soul
- Groups forming now.
- Application due by August 23.
- Begins: Sunday, 9.6
  - viennapres.org/GYS

### Care Groups
- GriefShare for those grieving the loss of a loved one.
- Begins Sunday, 9.13
- DivorceCare, divorce recovery support group.
  - Begins Sunday, 9.15

## A Place to Serve

### Family Ministries
- **Leverage a Kid’s Future**
  - TEACH • BE A BUDDY • ADMIN
  - Contact Family Ministries at familyministries@viennapres.org

### ESOL
- **English for Speakers of Other Languages**
  - TEACH • ASSIST • ADMIN
  - Contact Deb Rymer at deb.rymer@viennapres.org

### Music
- **Connect others to God through worship**
  - CHOIRS • INSTRUMENTS • ADMIN
  - Contact music@viennapres.org

### Hospitality
- **Help others feel welcome in God’s house**
  - WELCOME • COFFEE • MEMBERS
  - Contact Shannon Jordan at shannon.jordan@viennapres.org

### It’s All in the Details
- **Serve at VPC**
  - KITCHEN • ADMIN • VISUAL ARTS
  - Contact Mary Monie at mary.monie@viennapres.org

### For the World
- **Serve the community**
  - CROP WALK • TUTOR at CPES
  - Contact Sue Hamblen at sue.hamblen@viennapres.org

Visit the Great Hall for full descriptions of all study and service opportunities.
Your Grace Is Enough

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Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

Completely Done

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Benediction

Postlude

Please request large-print hymnals from ushers.

Assistive listening devices are available at the Welcome Table.

A hearing loop is installed under the rear balcony.

Please switch your hearing aid to T-coil.
**August 9, 2015**

Children are welcome in the service! Wiggles, giggles, and whimpering are expected! Worship folders for kids are available just outside the sanctuary doors.

Duke Ellington (1899-1974) once said, “By and large, jazz has always been like the kind of a man you wouldn’t want your daughter to associate with.” Yet, this master of jazz has a hymn in the United Methodist Hymnal! Our Offertory today is ultimately about the providence of God in all our lives. The refrain addresses God directly, “Lord, dear Lord above, God Almighty, God of love,” and then makes a petition, “please look down and see my people through.” concluding that “With God’s blessing we can make it through eternity.”

The Connect Pad provides a way for you to connect with others at VPC, as well as to let church leaders know what they can do to support you. Please fill it out and pass it on during the offertory. And visit the Connect Table in the lobby after the service!

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TODAY

Breakfast, 10am! Come meet friends & share a meal in the Great Hall!


LOOKING FORWARD

Widows and Widowers Luncheon: Saturday, August 15, 12 noon at the Maplewood Grill located at Danor Plaza, 132 Branch Rd SE, Vienna, VA 22180. Come for lunch and fellowship with other widows and widowers. Contact Harry Mason at 703.281.2634

Why the Changes in Children’s and Student Ministries? To learn more about where Family Ministries is headed this fall, come to an informational forum on either August 16 or 23 in the Underground at 10:45am. We'll tell you about the classes being offered and the vision behind the changes. Don't have children? We need you too!! Partner with us to help raise up the next generation of believers by volunteering to work with infants to high school seniors! For more information, contact Michelle.Rahal@viennapres.org

Sunday August 23rd is the last day to register to join with VPC friends and Pastor David Jordon-Haas to learn about the religious and cultural traditions we associate with the birth of the Christ Child, during the “Christmas Traditions Discovery Journey to Germany and Austria”, this December 2 through 10. Visit www.viennapres.org/centerpoint for details.

LOOKING FOR HELP?


It’s movie night at VPC!

August 15, 7pm, Great Hall
All ages, all stages, are invited to view Big Hero 6 on the big screen. Bring your blankets or lawn chairs, snacks and friends. Popcorn will be provided. Cotton candy will be available. Prizes will be awarded. Don’t miss it!!

HYMNS for the CHRISTIAN LIFE
KEITH & KRISTYN GETY

Tickets also available at Grapevine Books beginning August 21.
Follow along with the sermon:

1. What is your favorite part of today’s scripture reading?

2. List three things you learned or noticed in today’s sermon.
   1.
   2.
   3.

3. How can you apply what you learned today in your life?

Challenge of the Week

Jesus told the Pharisees that it’s sick people that need a doctor, not those who are well. Are there people we think are “too far” from God for Him to save? Or too much of an outcast or burden for us to spend time with? Write their name here, tear it off, keep it with you during the week & pray for them every day this week. Your heart will be changed in the process!

________________________ is loved by God.

Engage & Apply

Prayers for this week:

• That the lessons learned at our Vienna mission project will sink into attendees’ and volunteers’ hearts and bear lasting fruit.
• For VPC members to actively live out their faith. How is God calling you to volunteer this fall?

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