

Presbyterian Church of Vinton



*God's stock market will always
prophet.*

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Palm/Passion Sunday

Sunday, April 13, 2025

10:30 AM

Prelude

Welcome And Announcements

Liturgist

A special welcome to our online visitors.

Introit

Lord, I Lift Your Name on High

Joyful Noise

***Call To Worship/Procession of The Cross Psalm 32 Liturgist**

(The cross is carried from the back of the sanctuary to the front.)

Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord? And who shall stand in his holy place?

Those who have clean hands and pure hearts, who do not lift up their souls to what is false, and do not swear deceitfully.

They will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the God of their salvation.

Such is the company of those who seek him, who seek the face of the God of Jacob.

Lift up your heads, O gates! and be lifted up, O ancient doors! That the King of glory may come in.

Who is the King of Glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle. Who is this King of Glory? The Lord of hosts, he is the King of Glory.

(The cross is set on the communion table, and everybody lays their palm branches on the floor in the aisles.)

***Hymn # 173**

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Call to Confession*Liturgist**

When the parade is over, do we pick up our lives, brush them off, and live in the old way? Do we toss our palm branches aside, so we can grasp the seductions of the world? As we begin the journey through the holiest of weeks, let us speak the truth, as we confess to our God, praying together,

Unison Prayer of Confession*Liturgist**

Sustainer of the weary, we know how we sang for joy when Christ came into our lives, and how we have not followed him when he leads us on this journey. We have hidden our faces from the pain and suffering of our world. We have turned a deaf ear to the cries of the poor, the hungry, the oppressed. We trust in the slick promotions of the world, and not in your words that can transform our lives.

Forgive us, Steadfast God, and shine your face upon us. Help us to have the same mind as Christ, so we would know your promises; help us to have the same heart as Christ, so we might serve your children; help us to have the same Spirit as Christ, so we might go wherever you lead us.

Responsive Assurance of Pardon*Liturgist**

God does not turn away when we fail to be faithful. God does not reject us when we do not trust fully. God continues to love us, to forgive us, to restore us.

It is God who helps us; it is God who saves us. God is all we need or ever will need. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Gloria Patri*Scripture****Psalm 118:19-27****Liturgist****Scripture****Luke 19:29-38****Pastor****Message****Through the Golden Gate****Pastor**

Hymn # 174

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Invitation To Offering

Pastor

Offertory

***Doxology**

Special Music

Because He Lives

Joyful Noise

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastor

Pastoral Prayer

...Lord in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

***Hymn # 277**

The Church's One Foundation

(vs. 1-3)

Benediction

Adult Choir

Congregation shall Depart in Silence

*You are invited to rise in body/spirit as you are able

Today's Service

Minister: Pastor Hans

Liturgist: Pauline Elwick and Jax Elwick

Organist: Inge Schminke

Ushers: Personnel/Nominating Committee

Every Sunday's Schedule

- 9:00 AM Sunday School
- 9:30 AM Adult Sunday School
- 10:30 AM Sunday Worship Service
- 11:30 AM Fellowship in Fellowship Hall
- 11:30 AM Choir Practice

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Presbyterian Church of Vinton Leadership:

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Elders: Nancy Baldwin, Mindy Burke, Jerry Blank, Terrie Johnson, Bonnie Peacock, Rosemary Schwartz, Angie Merchant-Stueck, and Marilyn Yedlik.

Deacons: Kathy Blank(Chr.), Jorgie Bendull, Karen Buseman, Gwen Eells, Marti Eckhart, Jeff Holmes, Jean Lewis, Joan Oliphant, Dianna Wiese

President of the Corporation: Terrie Johnson

Treasurer: Linda Druschel

Secretary: Bonnie Peacock

Next Sunday, April 20, 2025

Pastor Johannes Poetschner

Scripture readings: Isaiah 65:17-20

Luke 24:1-9

Theme: Perplexed

Liturgist: Terrie Johnson

4/13 Matthew Reams
 4/14 Tammy Fett
 4/15 Bennett Burke
 4/18 Carly Bendull
 4/18 Kelly Henkle
 4/19 Chris Bendull
 4/19 Bray Mullenix
 4/1 Elsa Page



Announcements

“None of our success would be possible without generous donors like you. Thank you again for your commitment and kindness.”

Per Capita: \$45.34 Attendance on April 6: 37

Zoom: (4) Facebook: (2) Views: (95)

This Week:

Monday, April 14	9 – noon	Office closed
Monday, April 14	6:00 PM	Bell Choir Practice
Tuesday, April 15	9 – 11 AM	Sewing Circle
	7:00 AM	Maundy Thursday
Thursday, April 17		Ecumenical Service
	7:00 PM	Maundy Thursday Service

Bible Study on the book of Revelations will be held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at 6:30 PM, and the next Bible Study class will be April 16, 2025.

Thank You

To the Personnel/Nominating Committee for the delicious treats in Fellowship Hall today following our morning worship service.

Lenten Services at Our Church

4/13 10:30 AM Palm Sunday Service
4/17 7:00 AM Community Service
4/17 7:00 PM Maundy Thursday Service
4/20 8:00 AM Easter Sunrise Service
4/20 10:30 AM Easter Worship Service

Ecumenical Services – Plan to Attend

Monday, April 14 7:00 AM Bethlehem Lutheran Church
Tuesday, April 15 7:00 AM First Christian Church
Wednesday, April 16 7:00 AM St Mary's Catholic Church
Thursday, April 17 7:00 AM Presbyterian Church of Vinton
Friday, April 18 12:00 PM Wesley Methodist Church

(refreshment to and fellowship to follow except for Friday)

This is sponsored by VAMA (Vinton Area Ministerial Association)

Ecumenical -- Good Friday Service

Wesley United Methodist Church will be hosting the Ecumenical Good Friday service on Friday, April 18 at Noon. Your congregation is invited to participate in the Ecumenical choir that will be singing for the service. Those who would like to sing should come to Wesley Church (516 2nd Avenue) that morning at **11 a.m. for rehearsal in the choir room on the 2nd floor.** (We have an elevator to all floors and also ramp accessibility to the choir loft.) Music will be handed out at rehearsal, but if anyone would like music ahead of time, please call Lori Ferguson at Wesley Church, 319-472-2581. We look forward to you joining us!

Sunrise Service at 8:00AM on Easter Sunday, April 20, 2025

Plan to attend! The Menu: Pancakes, French Toast, fresh fruit and drinks.

Please remember to fill out the yellow attendance slip.



Vision Statement:

"A Community Rooted in Faith"

Mission Statement:

"A Voice of Hope and Love to All"