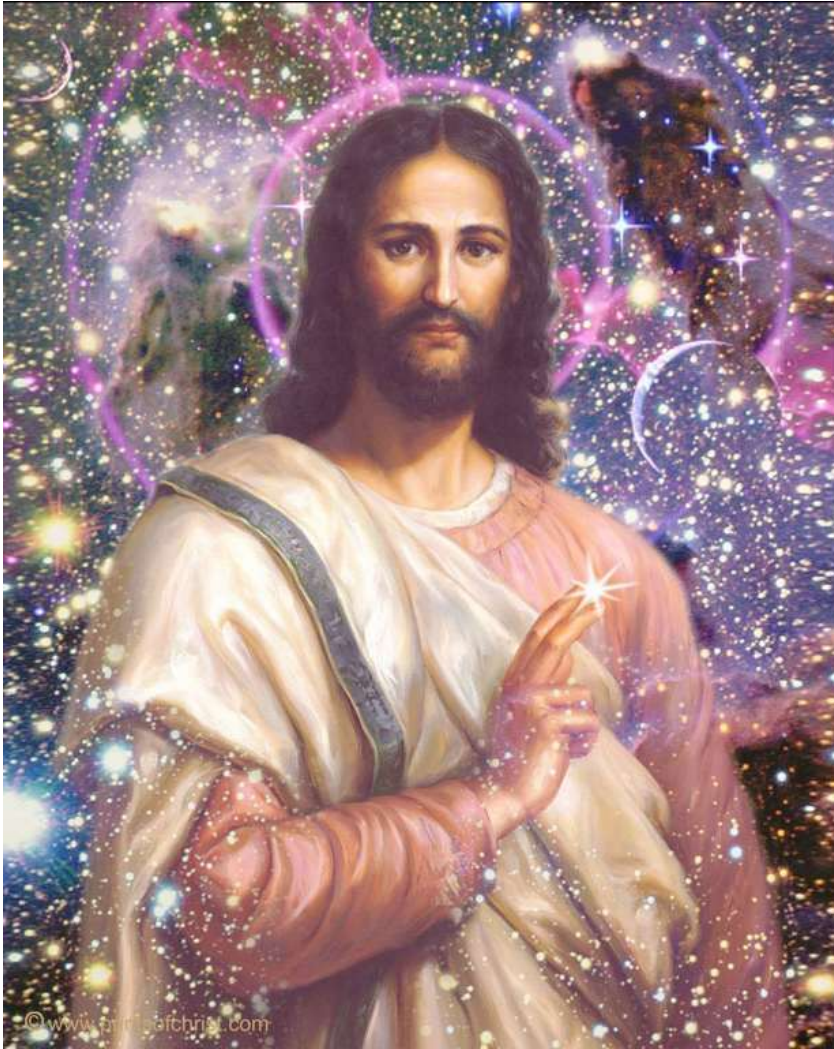


# *Presbyterian Church of Vinton*



*Save money on gas -  
walk with God.*

**Presbyterian Church of Vinton  
Trinity Sunday**

**Mission Statement:**

*“A Voice of Hope and Love to All”*

**Sunday, May 31, 2026**

**10:30 AM**

**Prelude**

**Organist**

**Welcome And Announcements**

**Liturgist**

*A special welcome to our online visitors.*

**Responsive Call to Worship**

**Psalm 8**

**Liturgist**

O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your glory above the heavens.

**Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.**

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars that you have established; what are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them?

**Yet you have made them a little lower than God, and crowned them with glory and honor.**

You have given them dominion over the works of your hands; you have put all things under their feet.

**O Lord, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!**

**\*Hymn # 262**

**Holy, Holy, Holy**

**(vs.1-3)**

**\*Call to Confession**

**Liturgist**

We know too well our foolishness, our brokenness, our human ways of doing things. But God knows our hearts, our hopes, our desire to be made new. As we offer our prayers of confession, let us open ourselves to God, who will forgive us and give us new life.

## **Unison Prayer of Confession**

**We have been created for goodness by you, Creator of all things, but we continue to be filled with bitterness. Your Word would enable us to speak of joy to others, but we offer only judgment. The Spirit which breathes hope into us could be shared with everyone we meet, but we are tempted to hold our breath until we turn blue, rather than giving peace to those around us.**

**But you have said that everything created is good, even we foolish children of yours, God of wonder and grace. With the Spirit as our sister, we know we can bring healing and hope to those who need it most. With your Word, Jesus Christ, as our brother, we know we can tell others of your mercy and of your love for them in every moment.**

## **\*Responsive Assurance of Pardon**

**Liturgist**

By God's grace, our chaotic choices become creative grace for others; our foolishness can be transformed by God's goodness; our lives can become new by the Spirit of our God.

**The good news is as true as it was on creation's first morning: Creator God is the redeeming Word who is the Breath of life for all people, even us. Thanks be to God for forgiveness and grace in our lives. Amen.**

## **\*Gloria Patri**

**Scripture**

**Genesis 1:1-3**

**Liturgist**

<sup>1</sup> In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup> The earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep; and the Spirit of God was moving over the face of the waters.

<sup>3</sup> And God said, "Let there be light"; and there was light.

**Scripture****Matthew 28:16-20****Pastor**

<sup>16</sup> Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. <sup>17</sup> And when they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. <sup>18</sup> And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age."

**Special Music****It Is Well with My Soul****Choir****Message****The Cosmic Background Noise and the Quiet Voice of God****Hymn # 4****How Great Thou Art****(vs 1-2)****Invitation To Offering****Pastor****Offertory****\*Doxology****Pastor****Sharing of Joys and Concerns****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 # 25**

**Immortal, Invisible**

**\*Benediction**

**Pastor**

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

### **Today's Service**

**Pastor: Johannes Poetschner**

**Liturgist:**

**Organist:** Inge Schminke

**Ushers:** Fellowship Committee

### **Every Sunday's Schedule**

10:30 AM Sunday Worship Service

11:30 AM Fellowship in Fellowship Hall

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### **Presbyterian Church of Vinton Leadership:**

**Pastor: Pastor Johannes Poetschner (Pastor Hans)**

**Elders:** Nancy Baldwin, Mindy Burke, Jerry Blank, Terrie Johnson, Bonnie Peacock, Rosemary Schwartz, Angie Merchant-Stueck, Pauline Elwick and Jax Elwick.

**Deacons:** Marilyn Yedlik (Chr.), Jorgie Bendull, Karen Buseman, Gwen Eells, Marti Eckhart, Joan Oliphant, Ron Tippett, Dianna Wiese.

**President of the Corporation:** Terrie Johnson

Treasurer: Linda Druschel

Secretary: Bonnie Peacock



- 5/31 Haley Clark
- 6/1 Bess Lippmann
- 6/3 Joann Schmidt
- 6/4 Jeannene Johnson
- 6/4 Lisa Elwick
- 6/4 Linda Greaser
- 6/6 Angela Merchant-Stueck

**Next Sunday, June 7, 2026**

**Pastor:** Johannes Poetschner  
**Scriptures:** Hosea 5:15-6:3  
 Matthew 9:18-26  
**Theme:** The Healing price of Christ  
**Liturgist:** Ron Tippett  
**Ushers:** Deacons

**Announcements**

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

**2026 Per Capita: \$46.63**

**Attendance on May 24, 2026: 28 plus 8 visitors**

**Zoom: (2) Facebook: (4) Views for the week: 87**

**This Week:**

Monday, June 1	9:00AM-12:00 PM	Office is closed
Tuesday, May 2	9:00 AM-11:00 AM	Sewing Group
Tuesday, June 2	5:00 PM	Friendship/Fellowship At the Vinton Restaurant
Wednesday, June 3	9:00 AM	Worship Committee
Friday, June 5	9:00AM-12:00 PM	Office is closed

## It's Time to Start Preparing for VBS.

Please find a list of items that are needed. There will be an announcement as to where to put the donations.



There is a box for VBS donated items in the fellowship hall under the VBS poster by the refreshments table

### Donations:

Gift cards for food and crafts. (Fareway or Dollar Fresh)

### Needed for crafts and decor:

Craft rope or twine.  
Empty Pringles cans,  
Empty paper towel rolls,  
Brown twisted packing material.  
Green construction paper,  
Green rectangular vinyl tablecloths  
Green napkins,  
Green plastic cups,  
Tissue paper for flowers  
Craft moss  
Spray foam  
Rainforest plants/trees - artificial or real

## Finance Report

Income for January - \$3949.79  
Income for February - \$10,559.27  
Income for March - \$21,143.89  
Income for April - \$4,106.25  
Income to Date - \$34,859.88

Expenses for January - \$10,559.40  
Expenses for February - \$14,344.48  
Expenses for March - \$12,532.13  
Expenses for April - \$18,517.42  
Expenses to Date - \$65,593.43

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“Therefore go and make disciples  
of all nations, baptizing them in the  
name of the Father and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit”

— Matthew 28:19