

Conditions, Conversations and  
Conversions  
Colossians 4:2-6



November 6, 2016

Coffee Hour: Suspended this  
week and next. See you for  
coffee on November 20!

Serve &  
Grow

get involved.



## Evangelism...

.... Does the thought of this make you nervous? Uneasy? Filled with anxiety? You're not alone. For the next few weeks, we will look at what it's like to live out Jesus' command to share the Good News. We will explore simple, practical ways to share how your story connects with God's story.

As a resource to use during the sermon series, watch the video series *Perfect Blend* by Christ Conrad. It's available free on Right Now Media. Simply go to [rightnowmedia.org](http://rightnowmedia.org) and login. If you do not have a login or have questions about logging in, please contact Deb at [deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org](mailto:deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org) or 703.938.9050 x108.



And please pick up a copy of the devotions located in the narthex or online at [viennapres.org/devotions](http://viennapres.org/devotions)

A GREAT invitational event is the Vienna Church Street Stroll, November 28, 6:30-8:30. Bring your friends!

Thank you for joyfully making a commitment to support the Ministry and Mission of VPC in 2017. If you have not had the opportunity to make your commitment, it's not too late!

Drop your pledge card in the offering plate or consider pledging online at [viennapres.org/pledge](http://viennapres.org/pledge)

You can review your pledge by visiting MyVPC at [viennapres.org/giving](http://viennapres.org/giving)

All, see a quick overview of the 2017 budget at [viennapres.org/giving](http://viennapres.org/giving)

Need more info? Contact Nina at [nina.graves@viennapres.org](mailto:nina.graves@viennapres.org)



### VPC Capital Campaign:

This fall, Vienna Presbyterian held several focus groups to discuss what VPC leadership has discerned to be three new ways the VPC family can Love the Lord, Love the People; Serve the Lord, Serve the People.

If you were unable to attend one of the Ignite Focus Groups or just want to hear about the three initiatives again, please visit [viennapres.org/news](http://viennapres.org/news) to see video presentations of each initiative as well as overview videos from Pete James and Ted Davies.

Have questions? Contact Christina at [christina.jones@viennapres.org](mailto:christina.jones@viennapres.org)



**Ignite**  
love the Lord, love the people  
serve the Lord, serve the people

# Worship 8:00am

## November 6, 2016

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Holy Is the Lord Tomlin

Soul on Fire Third Day

Prayer of Confession  
& Assurance of Pardon David Jordan-Haas

Offering

Good, Good Father Chris Tomlin

Scripture  
Colossians 4:2-6

Sermon  
Conditions, Conversations and Conversions Charles Geschiere

Behold the Lamb Getty

Communion  
The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving (Pg. 13 in Hymnal)  
Communion Music: The Table Tomlin

Mighty to Save Hillsong

Benediction

Postlude

# Worship 9:30am

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Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon	David Jordan-Haas
Soul on Fire	Third Day
Children's Message	Megan Gerbracht
Offering Good, Good Father	Chris Tomlin
Scripture Colossian 4:2-6	James Wright
Sermon Conditions, Conversations and Conversions	Charles Geschiere
Behold the Lamb	Getty
Communion The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving Communion Music: The Table	(Page 13 in Hymnal) Tomlin
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# Worship 11:00am

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Prelude

Kristina Schenck

Responsive Reading:

David Jordan-Haas

Leader: Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, Let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles,

**People: And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us.**

Leader: Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith,

**All: Who for the joy before Him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.**

For All the Saints, #526, vss. 1, 2, 3, & 4

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Prayer of Confession

& Assurance of Pardon

Anthem

Sanctuary Choir

Crucifixus

Bach

Offering

Doxology and the Lord's Prayer

Scripture:

Colossians 4:2-6

Sermon

Conditions, Conversations and Conversions

Charles Geschiere

Behold the Lamb

Getty

Communion

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

(Pg. 13 in Hymnal)

The Church's One Foundation, #442, vss. 1, 2, & 5 AURELIA

Benediction

Postlude

# Prayers: for our friends, our loved ones, & our community

First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way.

1 Tim. 2:1-2



**GriefShare:** Support for those grieving the death of a loved one. Brochures are available in the lobby, or contact [GriefShare@viennapres.org](mailto:GriefShare@viennapres.org)

**Passages/DivorceCare:** Support for those in the process of separation or divorce. [viennapres.org/care](http://viennapres.org/care)

**Renewing Prayer:** Healing for emotional pain. [glenda.hoffman@viennapres.org](mailto:glenda.hoffman@viennapres.org)

Visit [viennapres.org/care](http://viennapres.org/care) for additional care and support groups .



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

USE THE CARDS on the Welcome table in the narthex and place them in the offering plate or the wooden box in the lobby/narthex; CALL VPC at 703.938.9050, x103; E-MAIL [lee.taylor@viennapres.org](mailto:lee.taylor@viennapres.org) or enter a prayer request ONLINE at [viennapres.org/prayerrequest](http://viennapres.org/prayerrequest).

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

The Prayer Page is not available online.

Please join us in worship, Sundays at 8am, 9:30am and 11am to receive a full bulletin.

We look forward to seeing you!

*Please take this list home, and hold these friends in prayer.*

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## TODAY

Husbands and Wives: Looking for a couples small group? New ones forming now! Contact Deb at [deb.crumbly@viennapres.org](mailto:deb.crumbly@viennapres.org) or 703.938.9050x108 for more info.

Parenting Teens Class: Tonight, 5:30pm, Underground, with Wood and Emmy Parker. Come join in a fun discussion!

VPC Now Hiring: Saturdays and Sundays, 3pm-10pm. Responsibilities include general custodial duties, event set-ups, building security, and evening lock-up. Contact Michelle Lowell, HR Manager at [michelle.lowell@viennapres.org](mailto:michelle.lowell@viennapres.org) for an application.

## THIS WEEK

Monday Night Men's Group: Led by Pastor Pete and Phil Kratovil. Study, discussion, and pizza. 7-8:30pm, Great Hall.

Women's Monday Night/Tuesday Morning Bible Studies: Monday evenings, 7-8:30pm; Tuesday mornings, 9:30-11:30am. Questions? Contact Shannon at [shannon.jordan@viennapres.org](mailto:shannon.jordan@viennapres.org) or 703.938.9050 x123.

DivorceCare for the Holidays, Tuesday, November 8, 7-9pm, 3rd floor. Wondering how you will survive the weeks surrounding Thanksgiving and Christmas? Find caring support here. Contact [passages@viennapres.org](mailto:passages@viennapres.org) or visit [viennapres.org/care](http://viennapres.org/care).

Bridgepoint Luncheon with special guest Anna Whiston-Donaldson, Friday, November 11, Maggiano's Tyson's Corner, Galleria. Register at [bridgepointconnections.com](http://bridgepointconnections.com)

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## LOOKING FORWARD

GriefShare for the Holidays, Sunday, November 13, 6pm. Help and hope as you navigate the Christmas season. You'll be welcomed by warm, caring people who understand what you are going through and who want to help. Visit [viennapres.org/care](http://viennapres.org/care) for more information or contact [griefshare@viennapres.org](mailto:griefshare@viennapres.org).

SWATT invites all to join a bus trip to see *Finding Christmas*. Saturday, December 10. Leave VPC at 8:45am; return at 6pm. Great show for the whole family! Bring the grandkids for a fun-filled day. Cost \$50, includes bus and show tickets. RSVP to Betty Little at the church office, 2nd floor. Questions? Mary Campbell, 703.772.6444.

Widows and Widowers Luncheon: Saturday, November 19, 12 noon, Maplewood Grill, 132 Branch Ave., Vienna. For more information or to RSVP, contact Harry Mason at 703.281.2634.

Conversations at Christmas: Sunday, November 20, 12-1:30pm, Great Hall. Learn how to begin faith conversations with those who don't know Christ. For more information contact Phil at [phil.kratovil@viennapres.org](mailto:phil.kratovil@viennapres.org).

Golf Ireland (and maybe Scotland, too)! If interested in joining a trip, please contact Charles at [charles.geschiere@viennapres.org](mailto:charles.geschiere@viennapres.org). Non-golfers welcome also. Looking for 25 people total for travel.

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## LOOKING FOR HELP?

GriefShare, DivorceCare/Passages, Christian Cancer Companions, Widows' Groups, NewSpring, Stephen Ministry, Renewing Prayer Ministry. Visit [viennapres.org/care](http://viennapres.org/care) or contact David Jordan-Haas at 703.938.9050 x116.

# Mission and Outreach Updates

## Hypothermia Shelter Volunteer Interest Meeting **Today! 11am, Room 322/323**

Be a part of the planning process for this life-saving ministry. VPC will host 35-40 people January 29-February 12. All skill levels and types will be needed. Like to organize? Be the Sign-up Genius coordinator. Like to play board games? Set up teams for games of chess, Monopoly, and the like. Enjoy movies? Watch movies with our guests. There is something for everyone who would like to be a part of this great ministry.



Donations needed for the CHO (Committee for Helping Others) Christmas Store: Please bring items on the Sundays, November 20 and 27, 9am-12:30pm, Great Hall. (Bikes will be collected in the parking lot on November 12 and 26)

*CHO—an all-volunteer organization comprised of churches and individuals in the Vienna, Oakton, Dunn Loring, and Merrifield area— provides simple, loving charity to those in need.*

Items requested: bikes, coats, LEGO's (BIG favorite!), gift cards, boy and girl children's clothing (infant to teenager sizes), and toys. Donated items should be new or gently used.

Questions? Rebecca Huffman, [ghuffman@att.net](mailto:ghuffman@att.net)



Perspectives Class: Wednesdays, beginning January 11, 7-9:45pm, McLean Bible Church. This 15-week class is taught by world-class speakers. A life-changing experience worth your look! For more info, visit: [www.perspectives.org](http://www.perspectives.org) or contact Minh Towner at [minhperspectives@gmail.com](mailto:minhperspectives@gmail.com)

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Wish to talk about our worship services?  
Contact Michael Bronson,  
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