Conditions, Conversations and Conversions
Colossians 4:2-6

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

November 6, 2016
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 and login. If you do not have a login or have questions about logging in, please contact Deb at deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org, 703.938.9050 x108.

And please pickup a copy of the devotions located in the narthex or online at viennapres.org/devotions

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

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 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
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Holy Is the Lord

Soul on Fire

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Worship 9:30am

Holy Is the Lord  Tomlin

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon  David Jordan-Haas

Soul on Fire  Third Day

Children’s Message  Megan Gerbracht

Offering  Chris Tomlin

Good, Good Father

Scripture  James Wright

Colossian 4:26

Sermon Conditions, Conversations and Conversations  Charles Geschierre

Behold the Lamb  Getty

Communion The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving (Page 13 in Hymnal) Tomlin

Communion Music: The Table

Mighty to Save  Hillsong

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Worship 11:00 am

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 perfector 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 SINE NOMINE

Prayer of Confession

& Assurance of Pardon

Anthem

Sanctuary Choir

Bach

Offering

Doxology and the Lord’s Prayer

Scripture:

Colossians 4:2-6

Sermon

Conditions, Conversations and Conversions Charles Geschiere

Behold the Lamb

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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

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

Passages/DivorceCare: Support for those in the process of separation or divorce. viennapres.org/care

Renewing Prayer: Healing for emotional pain. glenda.hoffman@viennapres.org

Visit viennapres.org/care for additional care and support groups.

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Need Prayer for Yourself or Someone You Love?
USE THE CARD S 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 lea.taylor@viennapres.org or enter a prayer request ONLINE at viennapres.org/prayerrequest

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

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

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!
TODAY

Husbands and Wives: Looking for a couples small group? New ones forming now! Contact Deb at deb.crumbliss@viennapres.org or 703.938.9050 x108 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 lockup. Contact Michelle Lowell, HR Manager at 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. 7:30pm, 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 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 or visit viennapres.org/care.

Bridgepoint Luncheon with special guest Anna Whiston-Donaldson, Friday, November 11, Maggianos Tyson’s Corner, Galleria. Register at bridgepointconnections.com

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 for more information or contact 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.

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

LOOKING FOR HELP?

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

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 or contact Minh Towner at minhperspectives@gmail.com

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