

THE VIENNA COMMUNITY CHURCH



WALK IN THE LIGHT

## ***Come As You Are!***

The Lord has the power to change lives and the world!

*"I am the way and the truth and the life."*

John 14:6

## **Worship: Sunday at 12 Noon**

With Child Care and Sunday School

We are a Bible-based, English-speaking,  
international, interdenominational, ecumenical,  
friendly and welcoming community.

**Pastor: Dr. Gábor Lassu**

Dorotheergasse 16, 1010 Vienna



### **Bible Reading: 1 John 1:5-10 (NIV)**

**5** This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. **6** If we claim to have fellowship with him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live out the truth. **7** But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin. **8** If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. **9** If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. **10** If we claim we have not sinned, we make him out to be a liar and his word is not in us.

# Sermon Notes

# PRAISE AND WORSHIP

5 August 2018

————— 11:55 A.M. SILENT MEDITATION —————

## *Gathering in God's Presence*

Prelude

Sven J. Koblischek, MA

Greeting

Pastor Gábor

- Call to Worship

Pastor: Let your light shine; God is faithful to us!

**All: Let our hearts be glad; let us worship God!**

- Opening Hymn *"Holy, Holy, Holy"* #4

- Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**Gracious and loving God, we know we do not always live as we ought: we turn away from you, from our neighbour, from our true selves. We know we dim your light within us, with our pride, our self-righteousness, and our need for control. We know that You love us, that you do not abandon us, and that again and again you call us back to your light. Forgive us, we pray, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

- Declaration of Forgiveness

Pastor: Hear, then, the good news of the Gospel:

**People: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!**

- Passing the Peace

Pastor: The Peace of the Lord be with you all.

**People: And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us extend the Peace of Christ to one another.

## *Time with Children*

Change for Change

*"Jesus loves me! This I know"*

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# What's Happening

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE: <http://viennacommunitychurch.com>

Unless otherwise stated, all events take place at the  
**Meeting Point, 39/3 Untere Donaustraße, 1020 Vienna**

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**New?  
Start  
Here**

Is God leading you to be part of our church family?  
Would you like to know more about our congregation?  
Please contact me via email and I would be honored to  
assist you and get to know you better! Thank you!

**Pastor Gábor** [pastor@viennacommunitychurch.com](mailto:pastor@viennacommunitychurch.com)

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**PASTORAL**



**VISITATION**

Dear Church Family,

I would like to extend my regular pastoral visitation towards those as well, with whom I have not met yet in their home. It would be wonderful to get to know you better, to talk about you, your family, your faith and just simply have a great time together around a coffee or tea. Please let me know after Sunday worship or via email if you would like to welcome a pastoral visit and then we can set up a time and date which works for both of us. I am looking forward to getting to know you better and pray together with you!

Thank you, many blessings and see you soon!

**Pastor Gábor**

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## THURSDAY, August 9th at 7 pm

### **College & Career Group**

Hosted by Francesca Lim, Reinier & Noelanie Coetzer.

[vccyoungadults@viennacommunitychurch.com](mailto:vccyoungadults@viennacommunitychurch.com)



**OUR DAILY DEVOTION:** <https://utmost.org>



**PRAYER CHAIN:** [prayer@viennacommunitychurch.com](mailto:prayer@viennacommunitychurch.com)



### Ladies Morning Bible Study Group

Please note that the first meeting of the new Ladies' morning Bible study group has been moved to Tuesday 23rd October at 10am. More details will follow, or please contact Tertia: [tertia@burkhard.co.za](mailto:tertia@burkhard.co.za) or on Whatsapp +27835568781



## **Silent Meditation**

We would like to respectfully ask all our members and visitors to:

## **Please come to church earlier**

than the worship begins at 12 noon just so you have plenty of time to get situated. Please note that we have a **Time for Silent Meditation from 11:55 a.m.** when we are all quietly able to pray.

### ***VISITORS/Prayer Request/Volunteer forms***

can be found at the ends of the pews. Please print your request clearly and place the completed form in one of the offering baskets. **Thank you!**

### **How to Donate to the Vienna Community Church**

Funding of VCC comes solely from the gifts of members, friends, and visitors. If you would like to support this congregation's ministry, please put your gift into the offering-basket: envelopes on the pew-racks are provided for your use. **All currencies** are welcome, as are **electronic transfers** to VCC's account:

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at the ERSTE Bank, (Bank Code / BLZ 20111) and **checks (cheques)**. For **U.S.A. tax credit**, please make checks **payable to AFCU (American and Foreign Christian Union)** and write **"Vienna Community Church"** on the memo line. Checks may also be **mailed to AFCU, AFCU Treasurer, 2885 Sanford Ave. SW #29934 Grandville, MI 49418 U.S.A.** (note new address)

## **CONTACT US**

If you would like to contact our pastor, you can reach him on:  
[pastor@viennacommunitychurch.com](mailto:pastor@viennacommunitychurch.com) If you have any other questions or like to know more about our church, choir, publications or gatherings, please contact us via email: [info@viennacommunitychurch.com](mailto:info@viennacommunitychurch.com)

## **MEETING POINT**

39/3 Untere Donaustraße, 1020 Vienna

## **THANK YOU TO ALL SERVING IN WORSHIP**

Pastor: Dr. Gábor Lassu  
Organist: Sven J Koblicsek, MA  
Choir Director: Cassandra McConnell  
Sunday School: Linda Bednar  
Bulletin Editor: Dr. David Nolland  
Greeters: Mary Geissler  
Ushers: Mary Geissler  
Reader: Sandra Nel  
Flowers: Rodessa & Denver Kil-o (celebrating birthday)

**Goodbye, Auf Wiedersehen, Totsiens, さようなら**  
**Paalam, Tchau, Kwaheri, Viszontlátásra!**

***Through Many Cultures, One Faith***  
***We Praise God by Reaching People for Christ!***

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