



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

Dorotheergasse 16, 1010 Vienna

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

Pastor: Dr. Gábor Lassu



Bible Reading

John 8:1-11 (NIV)

1 Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. 2 At dawn he appeared again in the temple courts, where all the people gathered around him, and he sat down to teach them. 3 The teachers of the law and the Pharisees brought in a woman caught in adultery. They made her stand before the group 4 and said to Jesus, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the act of adultery. 5 In the Law Moses commanded us to stone such women. Now what do you say?" 6 They were using this question as a trap, in order to have a basis for accusing him. But Jesus bent down and started to write on the ground with his finger. 7 When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." 8 Again he stooped down and wrote on the ground. 9 At this, those who heard began to go away one at a time, the older ones first, until only Jesus was left, with the woman still standing there. 10 Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" 11 "No one, sir," she said. "Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin."

Sermon Notes

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

25 November 2018

11:55 A.M. SILENT MEDITATION

Gathering in God's Presence

Prelude

Choral Invocation *"All Ye Lands, Sing Alleluia!"*

Greeting

• Call to Worship

Fiona Pollak
VCC Choir
Pastor Gábor

Pastor: The rising sun will come to us from heaven

All: **To shine on those living in darkness
 To guide our feet into the path of peace**

- Opening Hymn *"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"* #718
- Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Forgive us, God who comes near to us. When we have lost our way, show us yours. Lead us in humility down the streets of your kingdom. Teach us your truth, so we might be able to keep your Word, revealed to us in Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. 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.

Hearing the Word of God

Special Music

"For these Blessings"

VCC Choir

Bible Reading

John 8:1-11 (NIV)

Kitty McKinsey

Sermon

"What Did Jesus Write on the Ground?"

Pastor Gábor

Responding to God's Word

- **Responding Hymn** *"This is a Day of New Beginnings"* #518 v.1-3

Offering

- **Doxology** #46

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

- **Apostle's Creed**
- **The Words of Institution**

Holy Communion

Pastoral Prayer

Silent Prayers

- **The Lord's Prayer (in your own language)**

Closing

Welcome and Congregational News

- **Closing Hymn** *"Now Thank We All Our God"* #715
- **Benediction**
- **Choral Benediction** *VCC Choir*
- **Dismissal**

Pastor: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Fiona Pollak

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

new MEMBER
SUNDAY

December 16th

Is God leading you to be part of our church family? If yes, and you need more information, please let me know! We would be delighted to welcome you! **Pastor Gábor** pastor@viennacommunitychurch.com



MONDAY, November 26th at 7 pm

Adult Bible Study - The Parables of Jesus
Hosted by Pastor Gábor



TUESDAY, November 27th at 10am

Ladies' Morning Bible Study hosted by Tertia Bair



THURSDAY, November 29nd at 7 pm

College & Career Group
Hosted by Francesca Lim, Reinier & Noelanie Coetzer
vccyoungadults@viennacommunitychurch.com



PRAYER CHAIN: prayer@viennacommunitychurch.com



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

**BEGIN YOUR CHRISTMAS SEASON
WITH VCC'S 3rd ANNUAL
INTERNATIONAL
CHRISTMAS POTLUCK!**

WHEN: SATURDAY, 1 DECEMBER 2018

TIME: 5-9 PM

**WHERE: VCC Meeting Point; Untere Donaustraße
39, 1020 Vienna**

GOOD FOOD

GOOD FRIENDS

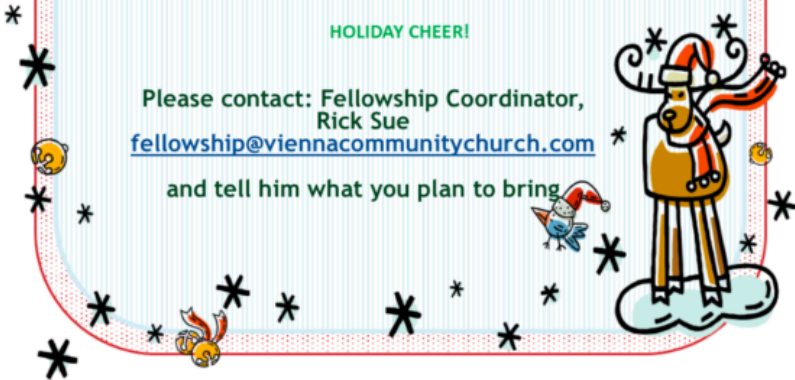
NEW FRIENDS

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

HOLIDAY CHEER!

Please contact: Fellowship Coordinator,
Rick Sue
fellowship@viennacommunitychurch.com

and tell him what you plan to bring



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!

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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 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

MEETING POINT

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THANK YOU TO ALL SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor: Dr. Gábor Lassu
Choir Director: Cassandra McConnell
Organist: Tomasz Piętak
Guest Organist: Fiona Pollak
Sunday School: Linda Bednar
Bulletin Editor: Dr. David Nolland
Greeters & Ushers: David Nolland & Katrin Karschat
Reader: Kitty McKinsey
Flowers: Kitty McKinsey (in memory of her parents, Eleanor and Donald McKinsey)

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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