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CHRISTIAN LIVING

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

Bible Reading: Philippians 1:1-11 (NIV)

1 Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus, To all God's holy people in Christ Jesus at Philippi, together with the overseers and deacons: **2** Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. **3** I thank my God every time I remember you. **4** In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy **5** because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now,**6** being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. **7** It is right for me to feel this way about all of you, since I have you in my heart and, whether I am in chains or defending and confirming the gospel, all of you share in God's grace with me. **8** God can testify how I long for all of you with the affection of Christ Jesus. **9** And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight,**10** so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, **11** filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God.

Sermon Notes

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

24 February 2019

11:55 A.M. SILENT MEDITATION

Gathering in God's Presence

Prelude	Tomasz Piętak
Choral Invocation	VCC Choir
Greeting	Pastor Gábor

- Call to Worship

Pastor: Oh come, let us worship and bow down;

All: Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

- Opening Hymn *"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"* #254
- Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Dear Heavenly Father, when we look at You, and then look at ourselves, we realize how tiny we are. But we are not so small that our actions don't matter. Sometimes a word of thanks brings warmth. Sometimes a choice to forgive opens up a new future. Sometimes our inaction leaves the world in its sorry state. We ask for Your help. We ask that we will not be captive to the wrong we do, but changed by the mercy You grant. 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.

New Member Celebration

Cersten Gerd Buro and the Collins family, Ashley, Jolene and Anne.

Hearing the Word of God

Special Music		David Corcoran
Bible Reading	Philippians 1:1-11 (NIV)	Louise Pickart
Sermon	“Vibrant Christian Living”	Pastor Gábor

Responding to God’s Word

- **Responding Hymn** *“More Love to Thee, O Christ”* #527 v1-3
- Offering** VCC Choir
- **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** *“How Great Thou Art”* #33
- **Benediction**
- **Congregational Amen** #312
- **Dismissal**

Pastor: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Tomasz Piętak

What's happening

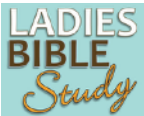
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39/3 Untere Donaustraße, 1020 Vienna

Memorial Service for Anne Peschek
March 8th, 6.00 pm
Dorotheergasse 16, 1010 Vienna

Special Congregational Meeting

Agenda: Extension of the Pastor's Contract
After worship today
at 1:30 pm in the Gemeindesaal.



TUESDAY, February 26th at 10am
Ladies' Morning Bible Study hosted by Tertia Behr



THURSDAY, February 28th at 7 pm
College & Career Group
Hosted by Francesca Lim, Reinier & Noelanie Coetzer
vccyoungadults@viennacommunitychurch.com

MONDAY, February 25th at 7pm
Adult Bible Study hosted by Pastor Gábor

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!

Would You Like to be a Sunday School Teacher?



Dear Church Family! We would like to address everyone our request: we all love our children and would like to provide more continuity and stability in the Sunday School, therefore **we need more teachers and assistance**. If anyone enjoys working with the children, come and join us! Please do not hesitate, we will help you and warmly welcome you!

Please contact Linda Bednar: linda.bednar@reflex.at



PRAYER CHAIN: prayer@viennacommunitychurch.com



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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

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Goodbye, Auf Wiedersehen, Totsiens, さようなら
Paalam, Tchou, Kwaheri, Vizontlátásra!

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

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