

## Featured Events

### **New Year's Eve Sunday Morning - December 31, 10:00 am**

One morning worship at 10:00 am. Childcare is offered for ages 1 month through Pre-K on the Second Floor. There will not be any Sunday School that day.

### **Moms Morning Meet Up - January 6, 8:30 am**

Leave the kids at home and take a break to connect with other moms who are also in the thick of parenting. Saturday, January 6, 8:30 am, Caboose Tavern. For more information, contact Heather Boehm at [heather.boehm@viennapres.org](mailto:heather.boehm@viennapres.org)

## Prayers for Our Community

**Health/Care/Concern:** Bob Becker; Teri Dungan's mom Ruth Dale; Mary Ellen Keaton's sister Cynthia; Stella Lansing; Stephanie Russell; Wayne Schrader; Phyllis Smith; Allyn Van Patten's son Mark

**Cancer:** Gail Bamford's aunt Barbara; Cathie Becker; Lucy Anne and Don Black's great-grandson Aiden Cook; Paul Cicio's son-in-law; Justin Dodd; Mike Ellison's mother Liz Weingart; Corrine Fields' parents; Jeanne Harrison's sister-in-law Wendy; Connie Jordan-Haas' aunt Julia Preston; Wes Hildebrandt's mother Joy; Amanda McCormick; Steve O'Brien's brother Don; David Romero; Mary Ann Singlaub's niece Emily Finne; Joanne Stevens; Jaren Van Den Heuvel; Ran Whittle; Bonnie Wright

**Grieving:** Michelle Rahal (father Paul Layer); Burt LeJune (father George); Mary Davis (brother John); Joyce Miller (brother-in-law)

**Other:** Pray for those whose family relationships are strained

## Upcoming Events

### **December**

- 24 | Christmas Eve | 5:00, 7:00 and 9:00 pm
- 30 | A memorial service for Mary Prussing will be held at 10:30 am in the Sanctuary, with a reception to follow
- 31 | New Year's Eve Sunday Morning Worship | 10:00 am

### **January**

- 2 | DivorceCare | 7:00 pm
- 6 | Moms Morning Meet Up | 8:30 am
- 7 | Mission Partner Spotlight | 10:10 am
- 7 | Confirmation | 10:10 am
- 8 | Dementia Care Ministry | 11:00 am
- 8 | Women's Gathering | 7:00 pm
- 8 | Monday Night Men's Kick-off | 7:00 pm
- 9 | Women's Gathering | 9:00 am
- 9 | 60s Plus Lunch | 11:30 am
- 12 | Playground Playdates | 10:00 am
- 20 | Playground Playdates | 10:00 am
- 21 | Pastor Connie Jordan-Haas Installation | 3:00 pm
- 21 | CLUB (4th & 5th Grades) | 5:00 - 7:00 pm
- 22 | Mental Health Ministry | 6:00 pm

For a complete listing of events and details, visit:  
[viennapres.org/calendar](http://viennapres.org/calendar)



# December 24, 2023



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# Welcome

Welcome to worship - we are so thrilled that you are here today! Whether this is your first visit or you're a lifelong member, we hope that you will find God's grace, welcome, and love in this special place. Guests, please stop by the Welcome Center to receive a welcome gift.

## Our Mission

A Caring Fellowship  
Bringing Christ Into Our Diverse Community  
Through Discipleship and Service

## Connect with Us

### Sunday Morning

**10:00 am:** Children remain in the Sanctuary to worship with their families. Childcare for ages 1 month to 3 years is offered on the Second Floor. Children turning 4-years-old after September 30 of each school year stay in childcare until the following September.

**Give:** Support the work of Christ through VPC by giving online at [viennapres.org/giving](http://viennapres.org/giving) or text VPC to 73256 (REALM)

**Contact Us:** Need to reach a staff member? Visit: [www.viennapres.org/staff](http://www.viennapres.org/staff)

**Prayer or Care Request:** If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, support, care or a hospital visit, please speak with any of our Pastors, or visit [www.viennapres.org/prayer](http://www.viennapres.org/prayer)

## Preaching: Rev. Dr. Robert Austell

### 10:00 AM Worship Service

#### *Good Christians, All Rejoice*

#### Welcome

#### Lighting of the Advent Candles

#### Greeting

#### Scripture

Isaiah 7:14; 9:2-7

#### Reflection

#### *Love Has Come*

#### Scripture

Luke 1:26-38

#### Reflection

#### *What Child Is This*

#### Scripture

Matthew 1:18-25

#### Reflection

#### *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

#### Scripture

John 1:14, 18; 15: 9-11

#### Sermon

The Joy of Love

#### Prayer

#### Giving of Tithes and Offerings

#### *O Come, All You Unfaithful*

#### Benediction