

SERMON

*Where Were You?*

♦HYMN #735

*I Need Thee Every Hour*

### **WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES, OFFERINGS AND COMMITMENTS

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

♦RESPONSE OF THANKSGIVING #607

*Trinitarian Doxology*

♦PRAYER OF DEDICATION

### **SENDING**

♦HYMN #819 v. 1&2

*Be Still, My Soul*

♦CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

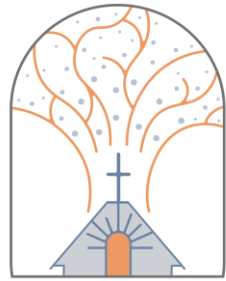
♦POSTLUDE

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the Presbyterian Church (USA) and the  
Presbytery of the James. We welcome you!





# New Hanover Presbyterian Church

**Our Vision:** Make Jesus Christ's life, death and resurrection relevant today

**Our Mission:** As a welcoming community of believers in Jesus Christ, we will unite our faith and works to share God's love

**Our Values:** Based on our understanding of the Bible, New Hanover Presbyterian Church believes that *love, acceptance, inclusion, redemption, mercy and equity* are values Jesus Christ taught and demonstrated.

The Lord's Day, June 23, 2024

The Fifth Sunday In Pentecost

❖ = Please stand in body or in spirit · Unison responses are in **bold print**

Greet each other in Jesus' name and prepare for worship.

You may use this reading as we prepare for worship:

*The grace of God means something like: Here is your life. You might never have been, but you are because the party wouldn't have been complete without you. Here is the world. Beautiful and terrible things will happen. Don't be afraid. I am with you. Nothing can ever separate us. It's for you I created the universe. I love you. There's only one catch. Like any other gift, the gift of grace can be yours only if you'll reach out and take it. Maybe being able to reach out and take it is a gift too.*  
Frederick Buechner (1926-2022)

## GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Christy Presseau

*Welcome Visitors!*

PRELUDE

Kayla Jarvis, piano

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

The Rev. Dr. Robert Johnson

❖CALL TO WORSHIP

O God, who created us in love,

Create us anew in love as we worship you.

**O Jesus Christ, who redeemed this world in love,  
Reclaim our hearts as we worship you.**

O Holy Spirit,

Who moves this world toward its God-appointed end,  
**Move within us as we worship you.**

❖PRAYER OF ADORATION

❖SONG

*Same God*

CALL TO CONFESSION

The Rev. Dr. Felecia Douglass

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Lord, you are a God who keeps promises.  
In the prayers we say and the songs we sing  
We state that we want to be Christians,  
but then we forget our promises.  
Our actions do not match up with our words.  
We say mean things to other people,  
we hurt their feelings,  
we think of ourselves first,  
and, worst of all, we ignore you.  
Lord, forgive us and hear our prayer  
for Jesus' sake. Amen. *(silent prayer)***

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

❖RESPONSE OF PRAISE #63

*The Lord Is God*

## THE WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

LESSON FROM THE GOSPELS

Mark 4:35-41

LESSON FROM THE EPISTLES

1 Corinthians 6:1-13

LESSON FROM THE OLD TESTAMENTS

Job 38:1-11