

LESSON FROM THE OLD TESTAMENT

2 Samuel 11:26-12:13a

LESSON FROM THE PSALMS

Psalm 51:1-13

SERMON

The Creation of a Clean Heart

♦HYMN #442 (v 1-3)

Just as I Am, Without One Plea

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

(Donations for the PC/USA Cents-Ability offering will be collected today)

INVITATION TO OFFERING

OFFERTORY

♦RESPONSE OF THANKSGIVING #607

Trinitarian Doxology

♦PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING

♦SONG

King & Country

Benediction

♦CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

♦POSTLUDE

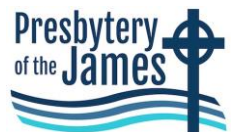
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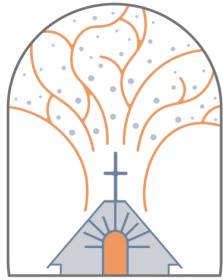


New Hanover Presbyterian Church



New Hanover Presbyterian Church
is a congregation of
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, July 21, 2024

The Ninth Sunday in Pentecost

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

Greet each other in the name of Jesus and use this prayer to prepare for worship.

"Let us endeavor to attain to purity of heart, which comes from paying heed to our ways and from constant confession of secret thoughts of the soul. For if we, moved by a penitent heart, constantly and daily confess these, it produces in us repentance for what we have done or even thought."

- Simeon the New Theologian (949-1022)

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Ron Garstka

Welcome Visitors!

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

The Rev. Dr. Robert Johnson

❖CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 51

Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love;

According to your abundant mercy blot out our transgressions.

Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity,

And cleanse us from our sin.

You desire truth in the inward being;

Therefore, teach us wisdom in our deepest selves.

Create in us clean hearts, O God,

And put a new and right spirit within us.

Restore, we pray, the joy of your salvation,

Sustain within us a willing spirit.

❖PRAYER OF ADORATION

❖SONG

B. Doerksen

Refiner's Fire

CALL TO CONFESSION

The Rev. Terry Diebold

CONFESSION OF SIN

Eternal and merciful God,

you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding,

and you have set us on paths of righteousness

for your name's sake.

Yet we have strayed from your way;

we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,

through what we have done and what we have left undone.

As we remember the lavish gift of your grace

symbolized in baptism, O God,

we praise you and give you thanks

that you forgive us yet again.

Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin,

and to rise daily to new life in Christ,

who lives and reigns with you,

and in whose strong name we pray. Amen.

(silent prayer)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE OF PRAISE #35 (v1 & 3)

Praise Ye the Lord the Almighty

THE WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

LESSON FROM THE GOSPELS

John 6:30-35