*HYMN #757

Today We All Are Called To Be Disciples (v 1,2,4)

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES, OFFERINGS AND COMMITMENTS

Invitation to Offering

OFFERTORY

Kayla & Mike Jarvis

*Response of Thanksgiving #607

Trinitarian Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

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.

Breaking of the Bread

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE #510 We Gather Here in Jesus' Name

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING

*HYMN #726

Will You Come and Follow Me (v 1,3,4,5)

*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!





Our <u>Vision</u>: Make Jesus Christ's life, death and resurrection relevant today
Our <u>Mission</u>: As a welcoming community of believers in Jesus Christ,
we will unite our faith and works to share God's love

Our <u>Values</u>: 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, September 1, 2024

The Fifteenth 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.

Lord God, when we struggle to worship you as Lord, show us again the beauty and power of your rule. Teach us again that serving you is the path to true freedom. May your Holy Spirit strengthen us today, leading us to honor and worship you more

deeply, not only with the words we sing but also with the lives we lead before your face, through Jesus, our reigning Lord. Amen.

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Pat Davis

Welcome Visitors!

Prelude Kayla and Mike Jarvis

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

The Rev. Dr. Robert Johnson

*CALL TO WORSHIP

We will sing a song of thanksgiving, O Lord, and tell of all your wondrous deeds.

O Lord, we love the house in which you dwell, and the place where your glory dwells.

We ask, O Lord, that we be enabled to walk in integrity;

Redeem us, and be gracious to us.

Cause us to stand on level ground; And in the great congregation, we will bless the Lord.

*Hymn #749

Come Live in the Light v 1,2

CALL TO CONFESSION

The Rev. Dr. Felecia Douglass

CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord, in your mercy hear our prayer.

We confess that it is still all too easy for us

to sacrifice our convictions for convenience,

your standards for status, your principles for promotion,

your absolutes for our ambition,

our souls for shallow and unsatisfying success.

How easy it is for us to be seduced by power,

prestige, pleasure, or possessions—

seduced into violating our integrity or harming

our fellowship with others or our walk with you.

From earth's fullest bliss we turn to you again, unfulfilled.

Forgive us our half-hearted devotion,

and our double-minded spirit.

In the name of him who refused to save himself we pray.

Amen. (silent prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

RESPONSE OF PRAISE #630

Fairest Lord Jesus (v 4)

A MINUTE FOR MISSION

A Case For Love

Kayla Jarvis

THE WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

New Testament Lesson James 4: 1-10

PSALTER Psalm 15

SERMON Being A Psalm 15 Person

^{*}Prayer of Adoration