

PSALTER (pg 507)

Psalm 146

GOSPEL LESSON (pg 819)

Mark 7:24-37

SERMON

What Are We To Do With This?

*HYMN #29

O God, You Search Me (v 1,2,5)

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 New Hanover Music Group *Everlasting Arms*

*RESPONSE OF THANKSGIVING #607 *Trinitarian Doxology*

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

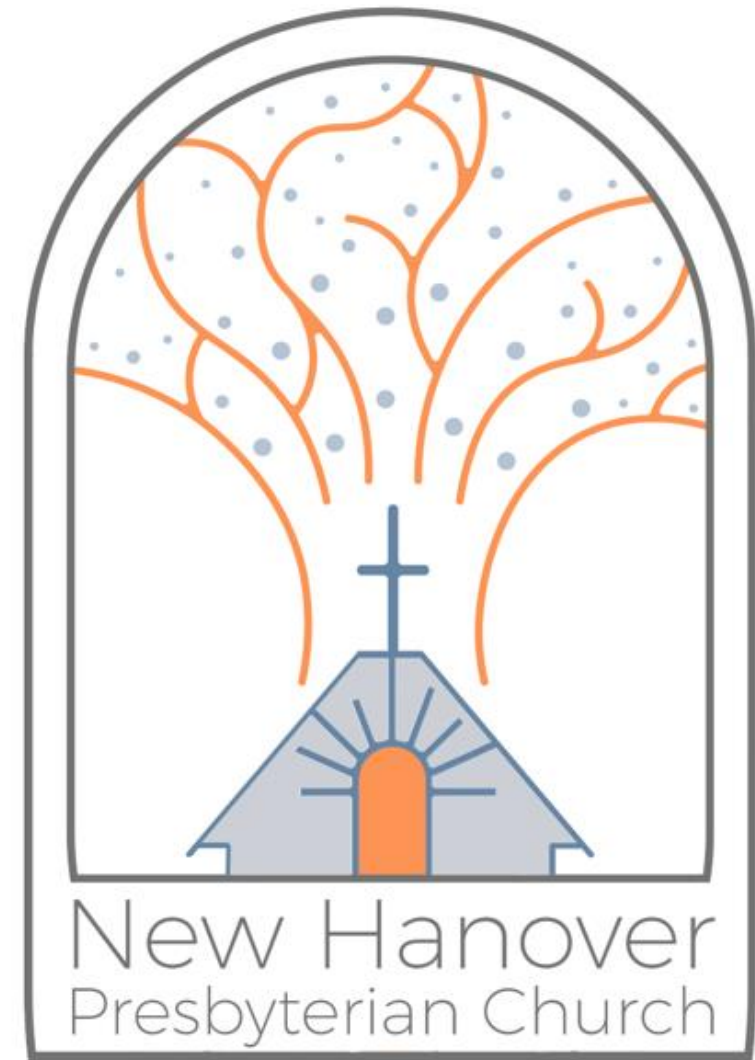
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*HYMN #543 *God Be The Love to Search and Keep Me (v 1,4,5)*

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

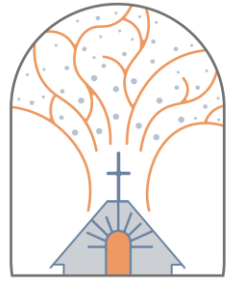
*POSTLUDE

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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, September 8, 2024

The Sixteenth Sunday After 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.

*Our Lord, You have made us as the daughters and sons
of your family. Yet we often do not feel like daughters and sons.
Help us to believe what You say about us,
And so live the abundant life of the children of God. Amen.*

GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder Debbie Blackburn

Welcome Visitors!

PRELUDE

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

The Rev. Leigh Anne Ring

❖CALL TO WORSHIP

From Psalms 32 & 33

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

**O Lord, I love the house in which you dwell,
and the place where your glory abides.**

Probe me, O LORD, and try me,
test my heart and mind;

**Fix our eyes are on Your steadfast love;
Help us to set our course by it.
Guide us so that we may walk in integrity;
Redeem us and be gracious to us.**

❖PRAYER OF ADORATION

❖HYMN #625

How Great Thou Art (v 1,2,4)

CALL TO CONFESSION

The Rev. Terry Nathan Diebold

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty and merciful God,
we have sinned and strayed from your ways like lost sheep.
We have too often followed
the devices and desires of our own hearts.
We have offended against your holy laws.
We have left undone those things
which we ought to have done;
and we have done those things
which we ought not to have done.
O Lord, have mercy upon us.
You forgive who confess their faults.
And restore those who are penitent,
according to your promises declared to the world
in Christ Jesus, our Lord.
May we live a holy, just, and humble life
to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

(silent prayer)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

❖RESPONSE OF PRAISE #630

Fairest Lord Jesus (v 4)

A MINUTE FOR MISSION

A Case For Love

Debbie Blackburn

THE WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Leigh Anne Ring

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION