PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

GOSPEL LESSON John 2:1-11

EPIS TLE LESSON 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

SERMON With the Calling Come the Gifts

\*HYMN #733 We All Are One in Mission

## 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

Marlene Jolliffe, Trumpet Trinitarian Doxology

\*Prayer of Dedication

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

## SENDING

\*HYMN #749

Come! Live in the Light!

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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!



<sup>\*</sup>Charge and Benediction

<sup>\*</sup>Postlude



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, January 19, 2025

The Second Sunday in Epiphany

\* = 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.

O God, you pour out the Spirit of grace and love. Deliver us from cold hearts and wandering thoughts, that with steady minds and burning zeal we may worship you in spirit and truth. Amen.

## GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

Elder Thomas Rayner

Welcome Visitors!

PRFI UDF

Marlene Jolliffe, Trumpet Kayla Jarvis, Music Director

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

The Rev. Dr. Robert Johnson

\*Call to Worship

From Psalm 36

Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens,

Your faithfulness to the clouds.

Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains;

Your judgments are like the great deep;

You save humans and animals alike, O LORD.

How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

They feast on the abundance of your house,

and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.

\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Song

Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me

**CALL TO CONFESSION** 

Deacon Karen Chandler

**CONFESSION OF SIN** 

Lord, sometimes our lives have such little focus:

we have so much to do;

we possess so much stuff;

we're driven by the need for still more—

and it easily seems to control us.

We're sorry, Lord, for how distracted we've become

and for losing our way without even realizing it.

Forgive us and help us

to know that you are the only one we need. Amen.

(silent prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

Righteousness from God comes

through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe.

By faith I have a wholehearted trust,

which the Holy Spirit creates in me by the gospel,

that God has freely granted,

not only to others but to me also,

forgiveness of sins, eternal righteousness, and salvation.

These are gifts of sheer grace,

granted solely by Christ's merit.

\*RESPONSE OF PRAISE #648

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise

THE WORD

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

Dr. Debbie Blackburn