

SERMON

Do You Believe?

*HYMN #415

Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy (v 1,2 & 4)

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Presentation

*Profession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed (on screen)

The Baptism & Laying on of Hands and Anointing

Welcome

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

OFFERTORY

On Eagle's Wings

Pam O'Brien, flute; Katherine Flynn, violin & Kayla Jarvis, piano

*RESPONSE OF THANKSGIVING #607

Trinitarian Doxology

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SENDING

*SONG #443

There Is a Redeemer

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

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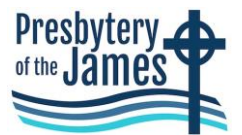


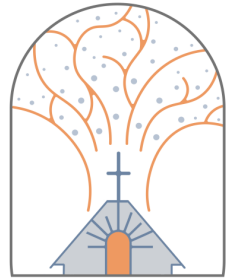
New Hanover Presbyterian Church

**Do
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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, March 9, 2025

The First Sunday In Lent

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

Greet each other in Jesus' name and consider this reading as you prepare for worship.

Both believers and their children are included in God's covenant love. The baptism of believers witnesses to the truth that God's gift of grace calls for our grateful response. The baptism of our young children witnesses to the truth that God claims people in love even before they are able to respond in faith. These two forms of witness are one and the same Sacrament.

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GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder J. T. Mathew

Welcome Visitors!

PRELUDE

As Morning Dawns

Pam O'Brien, flute; Katherine Flynn, violin & Kayla Jarvis, piano

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISM

The Rev. Dr. Robert Johnson

❖CALL TO WORSHIP

Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross,
He scorned its shame, and sat down at the right hand of God.

So now, the day of the Lord is coming!
In fact, the day of the Lord is here!
The time is fulfilled! The reign of God is at hand!
May we repent and believe in the gospel!
Let us turn and follow the Lord!

❖PRAYER OF ADORATION

❖HYMN

Yet Not I, But Through Christ In Me

CALL TO CONFESSION

Deacon Karen Chandler

CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty God, our Redeemer,
in our weakness we have failed
to be your messengers of forgiveness and hope.
you created us to be.
Renew us by your Holy Spirit,
that we may follow your commands
and proclaim your reign of love.
Create in us new and contrite hearts,
that, truly repenting of our sins
and acknowledging our brokenness,
we may obtain from you, the God of all mercy,
full pardon and forgiveness,
through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Redeemer,
Amen. *(silent prayer)***

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

❖Response of Praise #604

Lamb of God

THE WORD

Time With the Children

Children up to fourth grade are welcome to go to their Faith in Life class

Prayer of Illumination

Lesson from the Epistles

Philippians 2:5-11

Lesson from the Gospels

Luke 24:13-27