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· [www.nhccftl.org/streams](http://www.nhccftl.org/streams)  
Sunday Morning Worship (10:00 am)  
· [www.nhccftl.org/sunam](http://www.nhccftl.org/sunam)  
The AfterChurch (11:45 am)  
· [www.nhccftl.org/after](http://www.nhccftl.org/after)  
Wed. Night Bible Study (6:30 pm)  
· [www.nhccftl.org/acts](http://www.nhccftl.org/acts)  
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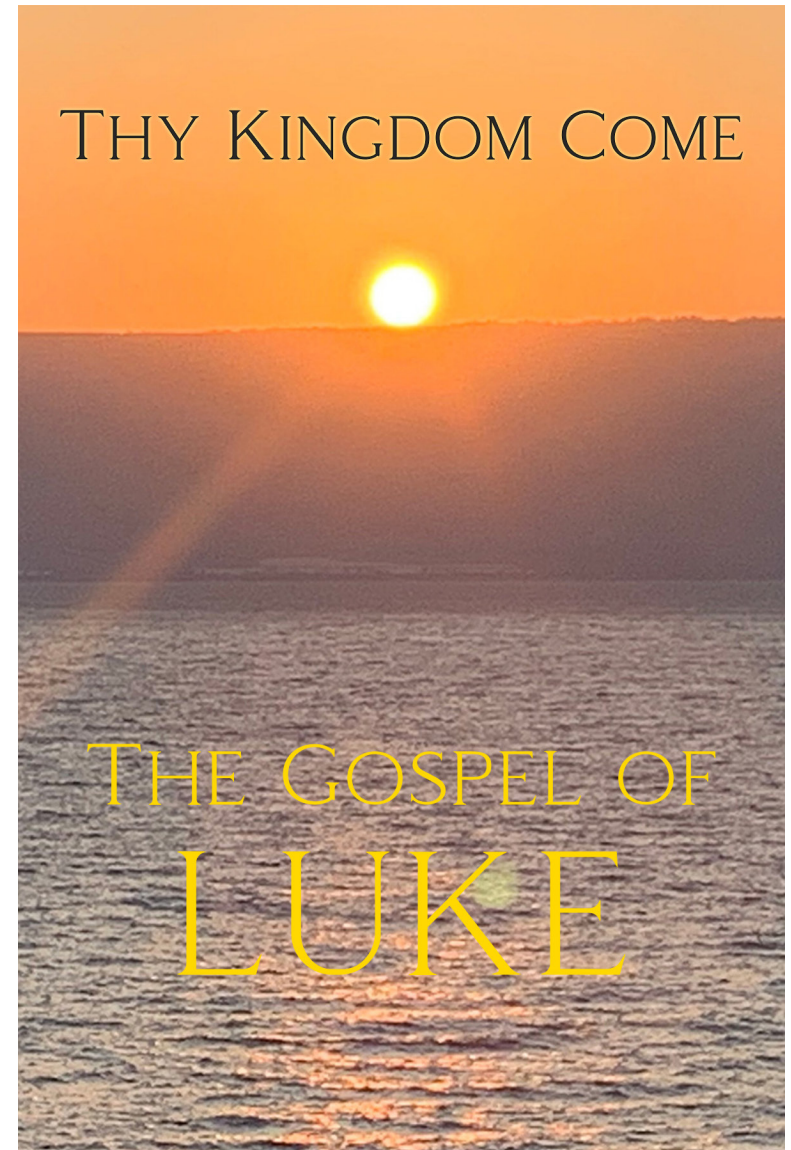


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**Worship Service**  
November 6, 2022  
10:00 a.m.

**Announcements**

**Call To Worship**

"I Love to Tell the Story"

**Welcome And Invocation To Worship**

**Moment In The Word:** 1Chr. 29:17-18

Elder Will Aviles

**Singing Together:**

"O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer"

"Like a River Glorious"

"Holy Spirit, Rain Down"

**Responsive Reading:** Psa. 26:1-12

**Prayer For The Gathering**  
**The Lord's Prayer**

**Doxology**

**Friendship Time**

**Offertory and Special Music:** "One Day (When We All Get To Heaven)"

\*\* Dismissal of Children's Church

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 8:22-25

**Prayer For Illumination**

**Message:** "God's Purposeful Storms"

**Prayer For Understanding**

**Response Song:** "I Love to Tell the Story"

**Benediction**

**Choral Benediction:** "All Hail King Jesus"

**Discipleship Opportunities**

**The AfterChurch**

Immediately after the Service  
On campus & streamed\*

*Seeking Deeper Illumination...  
from God's Word.*

**Youth AfterChurch** meets in the old  
choir room until 1:00 p.m.

**Wednesday Night Bible Study**

*On campus & streamed 6:30 p.m.*

**Wednesday Night Youth Group**

*On campus from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.  
6th - 12th grade*

**J.A.M. Club**

*On campus from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.  
K - 5th grade*

**Saturday Bible Studies** (2nd & 4th  
Saturdays)

\* Men's Breakfast at 7:30 a.m.

\* Women's Bible Study - "The 10  
Commandments" at 9:00-11:00 a.m,  
**resumes January 14, 2023.**

**Women's Ministries Prayer Team**

Third Saturday of each month.  
9:00 a.m. in the Library.

*Women praying for women.*

**We Thank Those Who Serve Today**

Sound Booth Bob Timmer  
Anita Orsini

Ushers Steve Shoemaker  
Bill Slager

Greeter Frank Medina

Treats Cheryl Comer and  
Sherry Shoemaker

Nursery Dora Medina

**Prayer Needs**

Louis Gander  
Donna Weyd  
Edie Husinga  
Grace Karim  
Ashley Williams  
Bobbie Sayre  
Dee Miller  
Paul & Anna DaCosta

**Prayer Chain:** [prayer@nhccftl.org](mailto:prayer@nhccftl.org)

**Birthdays**

Ciara Walters	November 6
Ariah Haines	November 8
Mitou Lucien	November 10
Sarah Pierre	November 13
Janet Sessa	November 13
Frances Russo	November 16
PJ Rogers	November 20
Donna Weyd	November 21
Devyn Comer	November 25
Theodore Rosa	November 30

**Anniversaries**

Wayne & Cheryl Comer November 12  
Jephthe & Mitou Lucien November 30

**This Week...**

- 6 Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.  
The AfterChurch: 11:45 a.m.
- 9 Wednesday Night Discipleship  
"Acts of the Apostles" 6:30 p.m.
- 12 \*Men's Breakfast 7:30 a.m.  
\*Fall Arts & Crafts Fair 9:00 a.m.  
to 1:00 p.m.

## Announcements

Welcome to NewHope Community Church!

### Offerings –

- Today's tithes will support the ministries of New Hope Community Church.
- Today's Special Offering is for: A/C Replacement Fund
- Next Sunday, our special offering will be for: Benevolence Fund

### Giving Opportunities –

• Offering Boxes are located at the back of the church. Please drop your offerings as you exit or enter the Sanctuary.

• Online Giving can be made at [www.nhccftl.org/give](http://www.nhccftl.org/give)

### Tithes and Offerings –

10/30 General: \$6,161.06  
10/30 Special: \$ 585.00

### Special Offering Schedule –

11/6 A/C Replacement Fund  
11/13 Benevolence Fund  
11/20 Outreach Fund  
11/27 Faith Promise Fund  
12/4 Technology Fund  
12/11 Major Building Repairs  
12/18 Parent Outreach Fund  
12/24 Benevolence Fund  
12/25 NHCS Scholarship Fund  
12/31 Ark Fund

**The International Day of Prayer for Persecuted Christians:** is today. Please remember to pray for our brothers and sisters in restricted countries.  
Hebrew 13:3

**Haiti Boxing Day:** Our next boxing day for the Haiti Thrift Store is tomorrow, Monday, November 7, at 9:00 a.m. in the narthex.

**The Fall Arts & Crafts Fair:** will be held Saturday, November 12, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Baked Goods Donations:** are still needed for the November 12 Arts & Crafts Fair's Bake Sale. A sign-up sheet is in the lobby.

### New Hope Thanksgiving Feast Saturday, November 19!

Reserve your seat by signing up for this covered dish dinner today! Save the date: Saturday, November 19th at 6:00pm! Admission is free, just bring your favorite dish to pass. Space may be limited, so be sure to sign up right away! The turkey and beverages will be provided.

**A Christmas Tea Hostesses meeting:** will be held at 9:00 a.m. on November 26.

**Christmas Decorating:** is planned: for 10:00 a.m. November 26. We need volunteers to construct the tree, decorate it and the narthex, as well as the sanctuary. A sign-up sheet is in the lobby.

### Ladies Christmas Tea

**Saturday, December 3 at 1:30 p.m.**

If you would like to attend this annual holiday event, please find the sign-up sheet in the lobby.

## Scripture Reference: Luke 8:22-25 (ESV)

Luke 8:22. One day he got into a boat with his disciples, and he said to them, "Let us go across to the other side of the lake." So they set out, Luke 8:23. and as they sailed he fell asleep. And a windstorm came down on the lake, and they were filling with water and were in danger.

Luke 8:24. And they went and woke him, saying, "Master, Master, we are perishing!" And he awoke and rebuked the wind and the raging waves, and they ceased, and there was a calm.

Luke 8:25. He said to them, "Where is your faith?" And they were afraid, and they marveled, saying to one another, "Who then is this, that he commands even winds and water, and they obey him?"

### Synopsis: "God's Purposeful Storms"

Some time after the teaching of the parable of the Sower, Jesus and His disciples get into a boat to go to the "other side". During the voyage a "perfect storm" arises that despite the best efforts of the disciples, threatens to sink the little boat. In desperation they wake the sleeping Jesus who rebukes the wind and the waves and returns the lake to a perfect calm. After explaining the physical nature of the storm, we will explore the profound figurative meaning of the text. Leaving the stunning revelation of Christ's divinity until next week, our focus for this message will be on the disciples' faith (or lack thereof!); and how Jesus used the adversity of the storm to bolster their faith, thereby preparing them for the rigors that lay ahead. Through this example, we can better deal with the storms in our own lives and ministry-- learning even to be thankful when God's purposeful storms create in us a deeper and more robust faith.

## "God's Purposeful Storms" - Luke 8:22-25

I. Introduction, Acts 16:31; Rom. 3:28, 10:9, 12:3; Heb. 11:6; Hab. 2:4; Eph. 2:8.

II. Exposition of the text, Luke 8:22-25.

### A. Context

1. Focusing on the faith of discipleship.
2. Noticing the missionary theme in Luke, Luke 4:43, 8:15,8; Matt. 5:14; Acts 1:8.

### B. The storm on the way to the other side.

1. Setting the scene, vs. 22.
  - a. Some vague details.
  - b. The destination.
    - i. The literal destination.
    - ii. The figurative destination.
  - c. On "hearing" the words of Christ, Luke 8:21, John 14:2.

### 2. The great storm, vs. 23.

- a. The King sleeps, vs. 23a.
  - i. A "slice-of-life".
  - ii. Evidence of Christ's humanity, Heb. 4:15.
  - iii. Setting up the central lesson.
- b. The storm arrives, vs. 23b.
  - i. From a physical perspective.
    - 1) The words Luke uses for "windstorm".
    - 2) The fear of the fishermen.
    - 3) Ready to sink.
  - ii. The figurative perspective.
    - 1) The deeper meaning of the boat.
    - 2) The deeper meaning of the sea.
    - 3) The deeper meaning of the storm.

### 3. The cry of the disciples, vs. 24a.

- a. Comparing the Synoptics, Matt. 8:25, Mark 4:38.
- b. A desperate situation.

### 4. Jesus rebukes the storm, vs. 24b.

- a. The nature of the rebuke.
- b. An immediate calm, Mark 4:39; Phil. 4:7.

### 5. Jesus rebukes the disciples, vs. 25a, Jer. 32:27.

### III. Application

#### A. The "unsinkable boat".

1. Christ's church will never sink, Matt. 16:18, Eph. 2:19-21.
2. Our Church will accomplish its purpose.
3. Christians are immortal until God is through with us, Eph. 2:22.

#### B. An exercise in faith.

1. Storms with a purpose.
  - a. The object of the exercise.
  - b. Purposeful adversity.
  - c. A personal illustration.
2. Discipleship is hard.

### IV. Conclusion

## Notes

## Worship Songs

November 6, 2022

### I Love to Tell the Story

I love to tell the story,  
Of unseen things above,  
Of Jesus and His glory,  
Of Jesus and His love.  
I love to tell the story,  
Because I know 'tis true.  
It satisfies my longings,  
As nothing else can do.

Refrain

I love to tell the story!  
'Twill be my theme in glory;  
To tell the old, old story,  
Of Jesus and His love.

I love to tell the story;  
More wonderful it seems,  
Than all the golden fancies,  
Of all our golden dreams.  
I love to tell the story;  
It did so much for me,  
And that is just the reason,  
I tell it now to thee.  
(Refrain)

I love to tell the story;  
'Tis pleasant to repeat.  
What seems each time I tell it,  
More wonderfully sweet.  
I love to tell the story,  
For some have never heard;  
The message of salvation,  
From God's own holy Word.  
(Refrain)

## Moment in the Word: 1Chr. 29:17-18

1Chr. 29:17. I know, my God, that you test the heart and have pleasure in uprightness. In the uprightness of my heart I have freely offered all these things, and now I have seen your people, who are present here, offering freely and joyously to you.

1Chr. 29:18. O Lord, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, our fathers, keep forever such purposes and thoughts in the hearts of your people, and direct their hearts toward you.

### O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
Greatest treasure of my longing soul.  
My God, like You there is no other,  
True delight is found in You alone.  
Your grace, a well too deep to fathom,  
Your love exceeds the heavens' reach.  
Your truth, a fount of perfect wisdom,  
My highest good and my unending need.

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
Strong defender of my weary heart.  
My sword to fight the cruel deceiver,  
And my shield against his hateful darts.  
My song when enemies surround me,  
My hope when tides of sorrow rise.  
My joy when trials are abounding,  
Your faithfulness, my refuge in the night.

O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer,  
Gracious Savior of my ruined life.  
My guilt and cross laid on Your shoulders,  
In my place You suffered, bled and died.  
You rose, the grave and death are conquered,  
You broke my bonds of sin and shame.  
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You broke my bonds of sin and shame.

O Lord, my Rock and My Redeemer,  
May all my days bring glory to Your name.  
May all my days bring glory to Your name.

## Like a River Glorious

Like a river glorious Is God's perfect peace,  
Over all victorious In its bright increase;  
Perfect, yet it floweth Fuller every day;  
Perfect, yet it groweth Deeper all the way.

Refrain

Stayed upon Jehovah, Hearts are fully blest -  
Finding, as He promised, Perfect peace and rest.

Hidden in the hollow Of His blessed hand,  
Never foe can follow, Never traitor stand;  
Not a surge of worry, Not a shade of care,  
Not a blast of hurry - Touch the Spirit there.  
(Refrain)

Every joy or trial Falleth from above,  
Traced upon our dial By the Sun of love;  
We may trust Him fully All for us to do;  
They who trust Him wholly Find Him wholly true.  
(Refrain)

Finding, as He promised, Perfect peace and rest.

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## Holy Spirit, Rain Down

Holy Spirit, rain down, rain down!  
O Comforter and Friend  
How we need Your touch again!  
Holy Spirit rain down, rain down!  
Let Your power fall, let Your voice be heard,  
Come and change our hearts,  
As we stand on Your Word  
Holy Spirit, rain down.

No eye has seen, no ear has heard,  
No mind can know what God has in store,  
So open up heaven, open it wide.  
Over Your church, and over our lives.

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## Scripture Reading: Psa. 26:1-12

[Pastor:] Vindicate me, O Lord, for I have walked in my integrity, and I have trusted in the Lord without wavering.

[Congregation:] Prove me, O Lord, and try me; test my heart and my mind.

[Pastor:] For your steadfast love is before my eyes, and I walk in your faithfulness.

[Congregation:] I do not sit with men of falsehood, nor do I consort with hypocrites.

[Pastor:] I hate the assembly of evildoers, and I will not sit with the wicked.

[Congregation:] I wash my hands in innocence and go around your altar, O Lord,

[Pastor:] proclaiming thanksgiving aloud, and telling all your wondrous deeds.

[Congregation:] O Lord, I love the habitation of your house and the place where your glory dwells.

[Pastor:] Do not sweep my soul away with sinners, nor my life with bloodthirsty men,

[Congregation:] in whose hands are evil devices, and whose right hands are full of bribes.

[Pastor:] But as for me, I shall walk in my integrity; redeem me, and be gracious to me.

[All:] My foot stands on level ground; in the great assembly I will bless the Lord.

## Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him, all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.  
Amen.

## One Day (When We All Get To Heaven)

One day You'll make everything new, Jesus.  
One day You will bind every wound.  
The former things shall all pass away;  
No more tears!

One day You'll make sense of it all, Jesus.  
One day every question resolved.  
Every anxious thought left behind;  
No more fear!

When we all get to heaven,  
What a day of rejoicing that will be  
When we all see Jesus!  
We'll sing and shout the victory!

One day we will see face to face, Jesus,  
Is there a greater vision of grace?  
And in a moment we shall be changed  
On that day!

And one day we'll be free, free indeed, Jesus.  
One day all this struggle will cease,  
And we will see Your glory revealed  
On that day!

When we all get to heaven,  
What a day of rejoicing that will be  
When we all see Jesus!  
We'll sing and shout the victory!  
(repeat)

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Yes, one day we will see fact to face, Jesus.  
Is there a greater vision of grace?  
And in a moment, we shall be changed.  
Yes, in a moment, we shall be changed.  
In a moment, we shall be changed.

No more tears, no more pain!  
No cancer, no depression!  
No more fear!  
And we will see Your face!

When we all get to heaven,  
What a day of rejoicing that will be!  
When we all see Jesus!  
We'll sing and shout the victory!  
We'll sing and shout the victory!

We will weep no more.  
No more tears, no more shame!  
No more struggle, no more  
Walking through the valley of the shadow!  
No cancer, no depression.  
Just the brightness of Your glory;  
Just the wonder of Your grace.  
Everything as it was meant to be.  
All of this will change,  
When we see You face to face –  
Jesus, face to face!

## **I Love to Tell the Story**

I love to tell the story,  
For those who know it best,  
Seem hungering and thirsting,  
To hear it like the rest.  
And when in scenes of glory,  
I sing the new, new song,  
'Twill be the old, old story,  
That I have loved so long.

I love to tell the story!  
'Twill be my theme in glory;  
To tell the old, old story,  
Of Jesus and His love.

## **All Hail King Jesus**

All hail, King Jesus! All hail Emmanuel!  
King of kings, Lord of lords, Bright Morning Star.  
And throughout eternity I'll sing His praises.  
And I'll reign with Him throughout eternity.

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