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

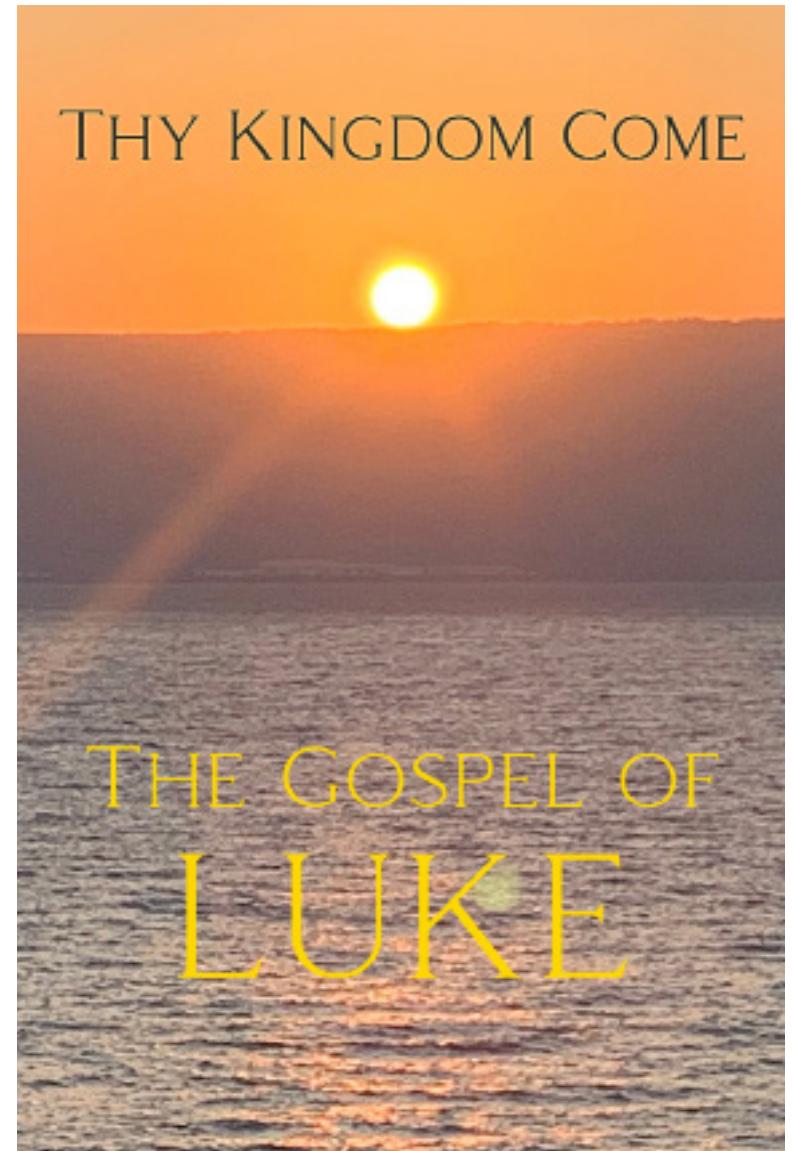
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Worship Service

March 3, 2024

10:00 a.m.

Announcements

Call To Worship: "The Church's One Foundation"

Welcome And Invocation To Worship

Moment In The Word: Phil. 2:9-13 Elder Will Aviles

Singing Together:

"Grace Greater than Our Sin"

"Behold Our God"

"I See the Lord"

Responsive Reading: John 10:1-11

Prayer For The Gathering
The Lord's Prayer

Doxology

Friendship Time

Offertory & Special Music: "How We Pray"

*** Dismissal of Children's Church*

Scripture Reading: Luke 13:22-24

Prayer For Illumination

Message: "Striving Through The Narrow Door"

Prayer For Understanding

Response Song: "Have Thine Own Way, Lord"

Benediction

Choral Benediction: "He Alone Is Worthy"

Discipleship Opportunities

The AfterChurch

Immediately after the Service

On campus & streamed*

Seeking Deeper Illumination...

from God's Word.

Wednesday Night Bible Study

On campus and 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

Ladies' Prayer Meeting

Third Saturday of each month.

9:00 a.m. in the Library.

Women praying for women

** Check the back page for streaming links!*

Prayer Needs

Elroy Timmer

Jan Vermaas

Ashley Williams

Moreen Bennett

Nancy Gritter

Donna Weyd

Bobbie Sayre

Dee Miller

Paul & Anna DaCosta

Prayer Chain: prayer@nhccftl.org

Birthdays

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| Matilde Tolmos | March 1 |
| Norma McLane | March 4 |
| Frank Perkins | March 4 |
| Kim Becker | March 5 |
| Jonathan Karim | March 6 |
| Katalyna Avila | March 10 |
| William Aviles | March 11 |
| Kirby Williams | March 14 |
| Charles Calhoun | March 17 |
| Daniel Avila | March 19 |
| Steve Shoemaker | March 19 |
| Egle Montilla | March 23 |
| Isaac Timmer | March 28 |

Anniversaries

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| Carmen Adorno & John Rebesch | March 14 |
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We Thank Those Who Serve Today

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| Sound Booth | Bob Timmer Anita Orsini |
| Ushers | Steve Shoemaker Bill Slager |
| Greeter | Frank Medina |
| Treats | Rhonda McLane & Cheryl Comer |
| Nursery | Matilde Tolmos |

This Week...

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| 3 | Worship Service | 10:00 a.m. |
| | AfterChurch | 11:45 a.m. |
| | Evenfall Worship Service | 6:30 p.m. |
| 5 | Adult Bible Study - Acts | |
| | J.A.M. Club | 6:30 p.m. |
| | Youth Group | |
| 9 | Men's Breakfast | 7:30 a.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: the A/C Replacement fund.
- Next Sunday, our special offering will be for: the Technology 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

Tithes and Offerings –

2/25 General: \$ 4,519
2/25 Special: \$ 811

Special Funds Schedule –

3/3/24 A/C Replacement
3/10/24 Technology Fund
3/17/24 Flat Roof Fund
3/24/24 Tuition Assistance
3/29/24 Benevolence
3/31/24 NHCC Missions

Daylight Savings Time Returns:
next Sunday, March 10; "spring forward" your clocks Saturday night.

**Please – no food or drink
in the sanctuary.**

The Women of the Church are Invited: to a card-making workshop held on March 23 from 10:00 a.m. until noon. There is a \$5 charge per person. We have a limit of 24 attendees, so sign up in the lobby to save your place.

The Haiti Item of the Month for March: Incontinence Products for Men, Women (liners, pads, underwear, etc.). Brands: Depends, Always, Poise, etc. Although we highlight a different item each month, we accept all items on the Haiti Wish List at any time! Thank you for your generosity.

AfterChurch: Parents, we now have volunteers for childcare during afterChurch. If you plan to attend afterChurch today, please sign your child up on the sign up sheet in the lobby. This needs to be done on a weekly basis.

The Evenfall Worship Service: will be held tonight at 6:30 p.m.

Prayer for Unsaved Loved Ones: will be meeting March 18 in the library at NHCC from 6:30–8pm. You are always welcome to join us. More info email: Ms_Janet@nhccftl.org

Men's Breakfast: The men will gather Saturday morning, March 9th, at 7:30 in the Fellowship Hall for breakfast, followed by Bible Study and discussion. All men are invited..

Scripture Reference: Luke 13:22–24 (ESV)

Luke 13:22. He went on his way through towns and villages, teaching and journeying toward Jerusalem.

Luke 13:23. And someone said to him, "Lord, will those who are saved be few?" And he said to them,

Luke 13:24. Strive to enter through the narrow door. For many, I tell you, will seek to enter and will not be able.

Synopsis: "Striving Through The Narrow Door"

After two powerful parables of how the Kingdom of God will grow, both externally and internally, Luke takes us from the one (the woman Jesus healed), to the many (the exponential growth of the Kingdom), to the few (those who will actually be saved). When a man asks Jesus if those who will be saved are few, it raises a multitude of soteriological questions that must be answered first. Questions like "What is salvation?" and "Saved from what?" and "Who is actually saved?". But as is so often the case, Jesus does not directly answer the question but addresses the core issue, which is: "Are you saved?!" So important is the answer Jesus gives in our text that we will study virtually every word in His two sentence answer to fully understand His profound meaning. Ultimately we will realize that everyone who desires to enter God's Kingdom, must avoid the pitfalls of "cheap grace", embrace the preeminence of Christ, and deeply consider the importance of "striving through the Narrow Door"!

The Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q19. What is the misery of that estate whereinto man fell?
A19. All mankind by their fall lost communion with God, are under his wrath and curse, and so made liable to all miseries in this life, to death itself, and to the pains of hell for ever.

Q20. Did God leave all mankind to perish in the estate of sin and misery?

A20. God having, out of his mere good pleasure, from all eternity, elected some to everlasting life, did enter into a covenant of grace, to deliver them out of the estate of sin and misery, and to bring them into an estate of salvation by a Redeemer.

“Striving Through The Narrow Door” – Luke 13:22–24

I. Introduction

II. Exposition of the text, Luke 13:22–24.

A. Context

B. The narrow gate.

1. On the journey to Jerusalem, vs. 22, Luke 9:51, Ex. 34:7.

2. The question of soteriology, vs. 23.

a. Identifying the “asker”, Luke 11:39, 12:13, 22:54.

b. The question.

i. Noticing the address, Luke 12:41.

ii. The ultimate question, Luke 18:18.

iii. Three soteriological questions.

1) What is salvation?

a) To the non-Theist.

b) To the religions of man.

c) To the Christian, Rom. 2:4–5, 10:9–10,
John 3:36.

2) Who is saved?

a) To the non-Theist.

b) To the religions of man.

c) To the Christian, Luke 9:23, 1 John 3:7–9.

3) Saved from what (or Whom!)? Rev. 21:8,
John 3:36.

c. The assumption.

3. Strive for the narrow door, vs. 23b, 24, Luke 13:3.

a. The luxury of a word study.

i. The word “strive”.

ii. The word “enter”, Num. 15:2, Psa. 24:9, Matt. 18:3.

iii. The word “narrow”.

iv. The word “door”, John 10:7–9.

v. The phrase, “For many, I tell you”.

vi. The word “seek”.

1) Determining the intensity of “seeking”,
Luke 12:31, 13:6, 25, 19:10.

2) Seeking too late, Luke 11:9–10, 12:58–59, Isa. 55:6.

b. Putting the words together.

III. Application, Luke 9:23, Phil. 2:12, John 14:6.

IV. Conclusion

Notes

Worship Songs

March 3, 2024

The Church's One Foundation

The church's one foundation Is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
She is His new creation by water and the Word:
From heav'n He came and sought her to be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died.

Elect from every nation, yet one o'er all the earth,
Her charter of salvation: one Lord, one faith, one birth.
One holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food;
And to one hope she presses, with every grace endued.

'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation of peace forevermore,
Till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious shall be the Church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union with God, the Three in One,
And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won:
O, happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we
Like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with Thee.

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Moment in the Word: Phil. 2:9-13

Phil. 2:9. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name,

Phil. 2:10. so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

Phil. 2:11. and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Phil. 2:12. Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling,

Phil. 2:13. for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

Grace Greater than Our Sin

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord,
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt,
Yonder on Calvary's mount out-poured,
There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

Refrain

Grace, grace, God's grace,
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within!
Grace, grace, God's grace,
Grace that is greater than all our sin!

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold,
Threaten the soul with infinite loss;
Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold,
Points to the refuge, the mighty cross.
(Refrain)

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide—
What can avail to wash it away?
Look! there is flowing a crimson tide;
Whiter than snow you may be today.
(Refrain)

Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace,
Freely bestowed on all who believe!
You that are longing to see His face,
Will you this moment His grace receive?
(Refrain)

Behold Our God

Who has held the oceans in His hand?
Who has numbered every grain of sand?
Kings and nations tremble at His voice,
All creation rises to rejoice.

Behold, our God seated on His throne,
Come, let us adore Him.
Behold our King, nothing can compare,
Come, let us adore Him!

Who has given counsel to the Lord?
Who can question any of His words?
Who can teach the One who knows all things?
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds?

Behold, our God seated on His throne,
Come, let us adore Him.
Behold our King, nothing can compare,
Come, let us adore Him!

Who has felt the nails upon His hands,
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man?
God eternal, humbled to the grave;
Jesus, Savior, risen now to reign.

Behold, our God seated on His throne,
Come, let us adore Him.
Behold our King, nothing can compare,
Come, let us adore Him!

You will reign forever! (Let Your glory fill the earth).
You will reign forever! (Let Your glory fill the earth).
You will reign forever! (Let Your glory fill the earth).
You will reign forever! (Let Your glory fill.)

Behold, our God seated on His throne,
Come, let us adore Him.
Behold our King, nothing can compare,
Come, let us adore Him!
(Repeat)

Responsive Reading: John 10:1-11

I See the Lord

I see the Lord seated on the throne, exalted;
And the train of His robe fills the temple with glory.
 And the whole earth is filled,
 And the whole earth is filled,
And the whole earth is filled with His glory.

Holy, holy, holy, holy,
 Holy is the Lord.
Holy, holy, holy, holy,
 Holy is the Lord.

I see the Lord seated on the throne, exalted;
And the train of His robe fills the temple with glory.
 And the whole earth is filled,
 And the whole earth is filled,
And the whole earth is filled with His glory.

Holy, holy, holy, holy,
 Holy is the Lord.
Holy, holy, holy, holy,
 Holy is the Lord.

I see the Lord seated on the throne, exalted.

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[Pastor:] Truly, truly, I say to you, he who does not enter the sheepfold by the door but climbs in by another way, that man is a thief and a robber.

[Congregation:] But he who enters by the door is the shepherd of the sheep.

[Pastor:] To him the gatekeeper opens. The sheep hear his voice, and he calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.

[Congregation:] When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice.

[Pastor:] A stranger they will not follow, but they will flee from him, for they do not know the voice of strangers."

[Congregation:] This figure of speech Jesus used with them, but they did not understand what he was saying to them.

[Pastor:] So Jesus again said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, I am the door of the sheep.

[Congregation:] All who came before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them.

[Pastor:] I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture.

[Congregation:] The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have life and have it abundantly.

[All:] I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.

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.

How We Pray

Our Father who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name;
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done;
In heaven and earth You reign!

God of all creation, over ev'ry nation,
There is none like Thee, Holy Trinity!

Give us this day our daily bread,
For body, mind, and soul;
Forgive us all our debts,
As we forgive our foes.

God of all creation, over ev'ry nation.
There is none like Thee, Holy Trinity!
God of all creation, over ev'ry nation.
There is none like Thee, Holy Trinity!

Lead us not into temptation;
Give us strength for today;
Deliver us from damnation,
O Lord we pray, O Lord we pray!
Lead us not into temptation;
Give us strength for today;
Deliver us from damnation.
O Lord we pray, O light our way!

God of all creation, over ev'ry nation,
There is none like Thee, Holy Trinity!
You're our firm foundation, Author of Salvation;
Loudly we proclaim, Your majestic name!

For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power,
And the glory forever. Amen! Amen.

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Have Thine Own Way, Lord

Have Thine own way, Lord! Have Thine own way!
Hold o'er my being absolute sway!
Fill with Thy Spirit 'till all shall see,
Christ only, always living in me!

He Alone Is Worthy

He alone is worthy,
To worship and adore,
The Lamb of God victorious,
Our risen Lord.
He purchased our redemption,
Our righteousness is He,
Exalt the name of Jesus.
He is worthy!
(Repeat)

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