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All Current Streams:
· www.nhccftl.org/streams
Sunday Morning Worship (10:00 am)
· www.nhccftl.org/sunam
The AfterChurch (12:00 pm)
· www.nhccftl.org/after
Wed. Night Bible Study (6:30 pm)
· www.nhccftl.org/acts
Stream Library
· www.nhccftl.org/streamed

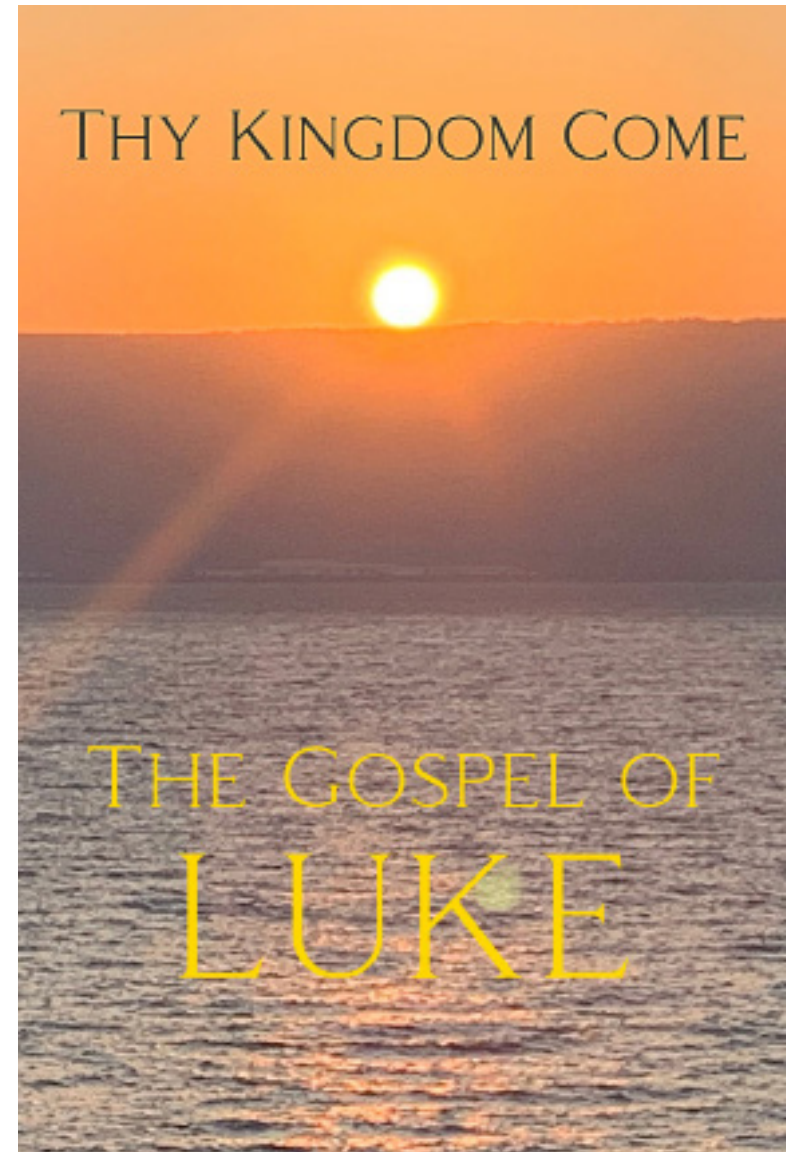


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Worship Service

March 9, 2025

Announcements

Call To Worship: "I Am Thine, O Lord"

Welcome And Invocation To Worship

Moment In The Word: 1Pet. 2:13-17 Deacon Frank Hackett

Singing Together:

"My Savior, My God"

"The Lord is My Salvation"

"I Will Praise Thee"

Congregational Reading: The 10 Commandments

Prayer For The Gathering

The Lord's Prayer

Doxology

Sacrament of Baptism: Claudia Dios Cabellero

Sacrament of Communion

Friendship Time

Offertory & Special Music: "All to Us"

** *Dismissal of Children's Church*

Scripture Reading: Luke 20:20-26

Prayer For Illumination

Message: "Caesar's Authority"

Prayer For Understanding

Response Song: "All the Way My Savior Leads Me"

Benediction

Choral Benediction: "Bless God"

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 at
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!*

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 |

Prayer Needs

Sherry Shoemaker
Bobbie Sayre
Donna Weyd
Paul and 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 |
| William Aviles | March 11 |
| Kirby Williams | March 14 |
| Charles Calhoun | March 17 |
| Steve Shoemaker | March 19 |
| Egle Montilla | March 23 |
| Isaac Timmer | March 28 |

Anniversaries

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| Carmen & John Adorno-Rebescher | March.14 |
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This Week...

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| 9 | Worship Service | 10:00 a.m. |
| | AfterChurch | 11:45 a.m. |
| 10 | Prayer for Unsaved Love Ones | 6:30 pm |
| 12 | JAM Club Youth Group | 6:30 p.m. |
| 15 | Ladies' Prayer Meeting Women's Ministry Meeting | 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. |

Announcements Welcome to New Hope Community Church!

Offerings –

- Today's tithes will support the ministries of New Hope Community Church.
- Today's Special Offering is for: the Benevolence fund.
- Next Sunday, our special offering will be for: the Flat Roof 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 –

3/2 General: \$16,195.33
3/2 Special: \$ 5,698.00

Special Funds Schedule –

3/9 Benevolence
3/16 Flat Roof
3/23 Tuition Assistance
3/30 Technology
4/6 NHCC Missions
4/13 Sanctuary
4/18 Benevolence
4/20 Technology
4/27 Major Repairs

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

Prayer for Unsaved Loved

Ones: will be tomorrow evening at 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. in the library. If interested in joining this gathering, please email: Ms_Janet@nhccftl.org

Adult Bible Study: will not meet on Wednesday evening, March 12.

Ladies' Prayer Meeting: will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 15.

Women's Ministry: will meet on Saturday, March 15 at 10:30 a.m.

School Supplies for Kentucky: During the months of February through May, we will be collecting school supplies for Kentucky. **Items being collected for March are:** yellow highlighters, blue, black and red pens, and large pink erasers. A collection box is located in the lobby. Thank you for your generosity.

Scripture Reference: Luke 20:20–26 (ESV)

Luke 20:20. So they watched him and sent spies, who pretended to be sincere, that they might catch him in something he said, so as to deliver him up to the authority and jurisdiction of the governor.

Luke 20:21. So they asked him, "Teacher, we know that you speak and teach rightly, and show no partiality, but truly teach the way of God.

Luke 20:22. Is it lawful for us to give tribute to Caesar, or not?"

Luke 20:23. But he perceived their craftiness, and said to them,

Luke 20:24. Show me a denarius. Whose likeness and inscription does it have?" They said, "Caesar's."

Luke 20:25. He said to them, "Then render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's."

Luke 20:26. And they were not able in the presence of the people to catch him in what he said, but marveling at his answer they became silent.

Synopsis: "Caesar's Authority"

Jesus' confrontation with the religious leaders in the Temple continues as a new delegation is sent to test Him concerning the authority of Caesar. The subject at hand was a "poll tax" that was mandated by the Romans but deeply hated by the Jews. Hoping to catch Jesus in the middle of a politically-charged and highly emotional issue, they asked Him whether it was lawful for God's chosen people to pay such a tax to a pagan overlord. Jesus asks for a coin as an object lesson and then famously responded to "render to Caesar the things that are Caesars". We will analyze both the question and the answer paying close attention to Luke's ongoing discussion of authority. We will pay particular attention to what it means when Jesus adds "and render to God the things that are God's". We will study the difference between "delegated authority", "arrogated authority" and "abrogated authority" to successfully navigate the sometimes confusing relationship between the church and the state, and thereby determine exactly what is "Caesar's authority"?

"Caesar's Authority" – Luke 20:20–26

- I. Introduction
- II. Exposition of the text, Luke 20:20–26.
 - A. Context, Luke 19:38, 20:2; Psa. 118:23.
 - B. Determining the authority of Caesar.
 - 1. The set-up, vs. 20, Luke 20:19.
 - a. The intent of the "plotters", Luke 19:39–40,47.
 - b. The "spies", Matt. 22:15–16.
 - i. The Pharisees.
 - ii. The Herodians.
 - c. The intended trap.
 - i. Feigned sincerity, Matt. 23:27–28.
 - ii. Laying a trap, Luke 23:26.
 - iii. The malicious intent.
 - iv. The desired result.
 - 2. Strategic flattery, vs. 21.
 - a. The nature of the flattery.
 - i. An honorable (and true) address.
 - ii. Teaching the truth, Luke 1:25, 11:15–16,53–54.
 - iii. Without partiality, Luke 11:45.
 - iv. The way of God.
 - b. Misunderstanding Jesus.
 - 3. The question, vs. 22.
 - a. Analyzing the question.
 - i. The legality of the tax.
 - ii. The nature of the tax.
 - iii. Demanding an answer.
 - b. A question of authority.
 - 4. Jesus' clear perception, vs. 23.
 - a. The historical perspective, Acts 5:29,37.
 - b. Reemphasizing the trap.
 - 5. The object lesson of the denarius, vs. 24.
 - a. The silver denarius.
 - b. The image of oppression.

- 6. The answer, vs. 25.
 - a. Looking at the words.
 - i. The transitional "then".
 - ii. Defining "render".
 - iii. What things?
 - b. The things belonging to Caesar, Prov. 8:15; Dan. 2:21.
 - c. The things belonging to God.
- 7. The silence, vs. 26.
 - a. The failed objective.
 - b. When silence speaks volumes.
- III. Application
 - A. Caesar's Delegated Authority.
 - 1. Caesar has authority, Rom. 13:1–7; 1Pet. 2:17.
 - 2. Caesar has boundaries.
 - B. Arrogated authority, Acts. 5:29.
 - C. The ultimate Authority.
- IV. Conclusion, 1Pet. 2:13,16.

Notes

Worship Songs

March 9, 2025

I Am Thine, O Lord

I am Thine, O Lord; I have heard Thy voice,
And it told Thy love to me.
But I long to rise in the arms of faith,
And be closer drawn to Thee.

Refrain

Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,
To the cross where Thou has died.
Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,
To Thy precious, bleeding side.

Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord,
By the pow'r of grace divine.
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope,
And my will be lost in Thine.
(Refrain)

O the pure delight of a single hour
That before Thy throne I spend,
When I kneel in prayer and with Thee, my God,
I commune as friend with friend!
(Refrain)

There are depths of love that I cannot know
Till I cross the narrow sea;
There are heights of joy that I may not reach
Till I rest in peace with Thee.
(Refrain)

Moment In the Word: 1Pet. 2:13-17

1Pet. 2:13. Be subject for the Lord's sake to every human institution, whether it be to the emperor as supreme,

1Pet. 2:14. or to governors as sent by him to punish those who do evil and to praise those who do good.

1Pet. 2:15. For this is the will of God, that by doing good you should put to silence the ignorance of foolish people.

1Pet. 2:16. Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God.

1Pet. 2:17. Honor everyone. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the emperor.

My Savior, My God

I am not skilled to understand;
What God has willed, what God has planned;
I only know at His right Hand;
Stands One who is my Savior.

I take Him at His Word and Deed;
Christ died to save me, this I read;
And in my heart I find a need;
Of Him to be my Savior.

That He would leave His place on high;
and come for sinful man to die;
You count it strange, so once did I;
Before I knew my Savior.

My Savior loves; my Savior lives;
My Savior's always there for me.
My God He was; my God He is;
My God is always gonna be.

Yes, living, dying, let me bring;
My strength, my solace from this spring;
That He who lives to be my King;
Once died to be my Savior.

That He would leave His place on high;
and come for sinful man to die;
You count it strange, so once did I;
Before I knew my Savior.

My Savior loves; my Savior lives;
My Savior's always there for me.
My God He was; my God He is;
My God is always gonna be.
(Repeat 2 more times)

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The Lord is My Salvation

The grace of God has reached for me,
and pulled me from the raging sea.
And I am safe on this solid ground,
the Lord is my salvation.

I will not fear when darkness falls,
His strength will help me scale these walls.
I'll see the dawn of the rising sun,
The Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God?
Strong to save, faithful in love.
My debt is paid and the vict'ry won!
The Lord is my salvation.

My hope is hidden in the Lord.
He flow'rs each promise of His Word.
When winter fades I know spring will come.
The Lord is my salvation.

In times of waiting, times of need,
when I know loss, when I am weak,
I know His grace will renew these days.
The Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God?
Strong to save, faithful in love.
My debt is paid and the vict'ry won!
The Lord is my salvation.

And when I reach my final day,
He will not leave me in the grave,
But I will rise, He will call me home!
The Lord is my salvation.

Who is like the Lord our God?
Strong to save, faithful in love.
My debt is paid and the vict'ry won!
The Lord is my salvation.

Glory be to God, the Father,
Glory be to God, the Son;
Glory be to God, the Spirit,
The Lord is our salvation.
(Repeat)

I Will Praise Thee

I will praise Thee, I will praise Thee,
With my whole heart, I will praise Thee.
For Thou hast multiplied Thy mercies unto me,
I will sing praises unto Thee.

All the kings of the earth shall praise Thee, O Lord,
When they hear the words of Thy mouth.
Yes, they shall sing of Thy ways, O Lord,
For great is Thy glory.

I will praise Thee, I will praise Thee,
With my whole heart, I will praise Thee.
For Thou hast multiplied Thy mercies unto me,
I will sing praises unto Thee.

All the kings of the earth shall praise Thee, O Lord,
When they hear the words of Thy mouth.
Yes, they shall sing of Thy ways, O Lord,
For great is Thy glory.

I will praise Thee, I will praise Thee,
With my whole heart, I will praise Thee.
For Thou hast multiplied Thy mercies unto me,
I will sing praises unto Thee.

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.

I will praise Thee, I will praise Thee,
With my whole heart, I will praise Thee.
For Thou hast multiplied Thy mercies unto me,
I will sing praises unto Thee.

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Congregational Reading: The Ten Commandments

You shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them,

You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's.

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.

All to Us

Precious cornerstone, sure foundation,
You are faithful to the end.
We are waiting on You, Jesus;
We believe You're all to us.

Precious cornerstone, sure foundation,
You are faithful to the end.
We are waiting on You, Jesus;
We believe You're all to us.

Let the glory of Your name be the passion of the Church.
Let the righteousness of God be a holy flame that burns.
Let the saving love of Christ be the measure of our lives.
We believe You're all to us.

Only Son of God sent from Heaven;
Hope and mercy at the cross.
You are everything, You're the Promise.
Jesus, You are all to us.

Let the glory of Your name be the passion of the Church.
Let the righteousness of God be a holy flame that burns.
Let the saving love of Christ be the measure of our lives.
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You're all to us. You're all to us.
You're all to us. Yes, You are.

You're all to us. You're all to us.
You're all to us. Yes, You are.

When this passing world is over,
We will see You, face-to-face.
And forever, we will worship.
Jesus, You are all to us.
Jesus, You are all to us.

All the Way My Savior Leads Me

All the way my Savior leads me;
O the fullness of His love!
Perfect rest to me is promised
In my Father's house above.
When my spirit, clothed, immortal,
Wings its flight to realms of day,
This my song thro' endless ages:
"Jesus led me all the way."
This my song thro' endless ages:
"Jesus led me all the way."

Bless God

Bless God for all He's done!
Bless God for Christ, His Son!
Let us magnify Him for He's holy, holy!

One voice in unity,
One voice of praise to Thee,
With hearts of love and worship we will sing,
"Bless God!"

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