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· [www.nhccftl.org/sunam](http://www.nhccftl.org/sunam)  
The AfterChurch (12:00 pm)  
· [www.nhccftl.org/after](http://www.nhccftl.org/after)  
Wed. Night Bible Study (6:30 pm)  
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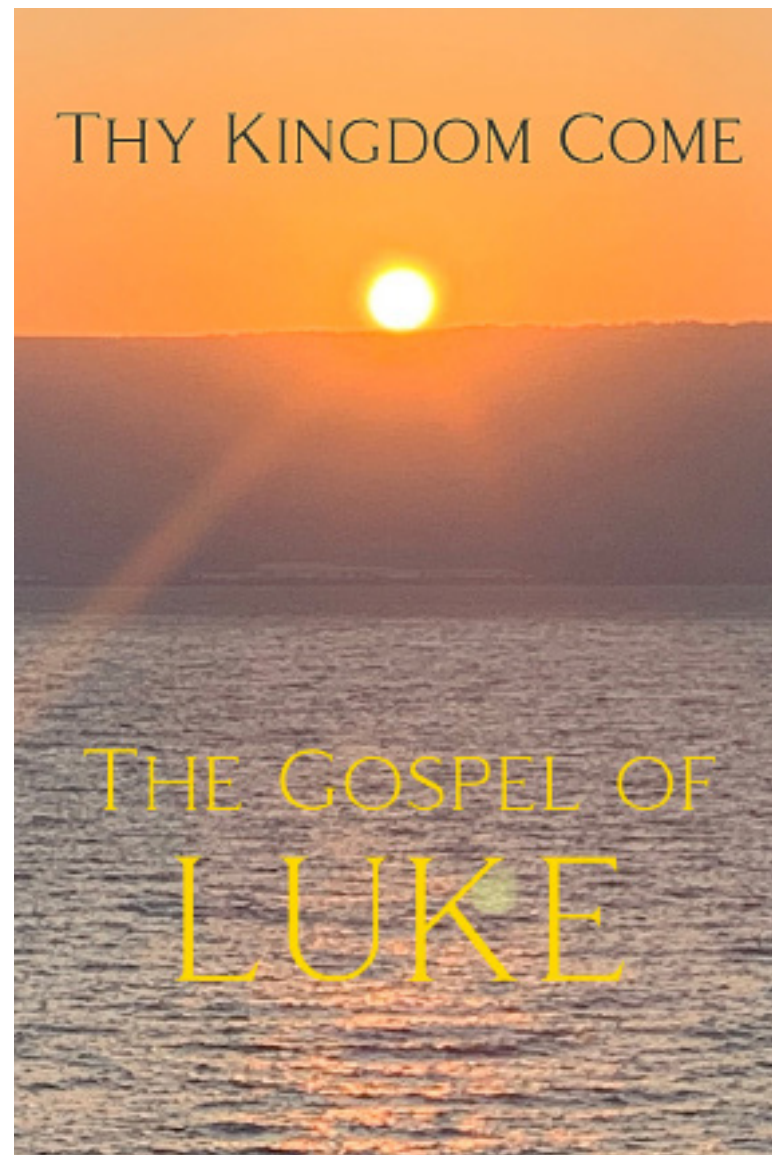


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**Worship Service**  
**September 14, 2025**

**Announcements**

**Call To Worship:** "Heaven Came Down"

**Welcome And Invocation To Worship**

**Moment In The Word:** Jer. 23:5-6      Elder Freddy Montilla

**Singing Together:**

"My Worth is Not What I Own (At the Cross)"

"Near to the Heart of God"

"I See the Lord"

**Congregational Reading:** "The Ten Commandments"

**Prayer For The Gathering**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Doxology**

**Friendship Time**

**Offertory & Special Music:** "He Giveth More Grace"

*\*\*Dismissal of Children's Church*

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 22:39-46

**Prayer For Illumination**

**Message:** "The Lord Our Righteousness"

**Prayer For Understanding**

**Communion**

**Response Song:** "I Will Serve Thee"

**Benediction**

**Choral Benediction:** "We Worship and Adore You"

**Discipleship Opportunities**

**The AfterChurch**

Immediately after the Service

On campus & streamed\*

*Seeking Deeper Illumination...*

*from God's Word.*

**Wednesday Night Bible Study**

On campus & 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 Ministry**

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**

Sound Booth	Bob Timmer Anita Orsini
Ushers	Steve Shoemaker Bill Slager
Greeter	Frank Medina
Treats	Lynn Calhoun and Linda Mateychick
Nursery	Mitou Lucien

**Prayer Needs**

Sherry Shoemaker

Bobbie Sayre

Donna Weyd

Paul & Ariella DaCosta

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

**Birthdays**

Dawn Duplak      September 10

Ena Ramraj      September 10

Ashley Williams      September 10

Robert Alcuis      September 11

Joshua Andrews      September 15

Andrew Swanson      September 25

Candy Cawley      Septembet 30

**This Week...**

14      Worship Service:      10:00 a.m.  
AfterChurch      11:45 a.m.

15      Prayer for      6:30 p.m.  
Unsaved Loved Ones

17      JAM Club  
Youth Group      6:30 p.m.  
Adult Bible Study –  
"Acts of the Apostles"

20      Ladies' Prayer      9:00 a.m.  
Meeting

## 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 New Hope Missions 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 –

9/07 General: \$7,957  
9/07 Special: \$ 170

### Special Funds Schedule –

9/14 Benevolence  
9/21 New Hope Missions  
9/28 A/C Replacement

### Nursery:

Infants to 3 yrs  
Children's Church:  
Ages 4–5th grade;  
Dismissed at Special Music.

Please – no food or drink  
in the Sanctuary....

**New Member's Class:** We will be holding another New Member's Class in the near future. If you are interested in joining our church or just want to know more about what we believe – then this is the class for you! There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby.

**Prayer for Unsaved Loved Ones** will meet tomorrow evening, September 15, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. If interested please email:  
[Ms\\_Janet@nhccftl.org](mailto:Ms_Janet@nhccftl.org)

**Ladies' Prayer Ministry:** will be meeting at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 20. Look for an email this afternoon, asking for prayer.

**Save the Date for our last Craft Fair Meeting.** We ask all those involved in any part of the fair (not just those bringing crafts) to come on October 4 at 9:00 a.m. for final instructions. Following the meeting, there will also be a time for making crafts together.

**EvenFall:** will resume next Sunday, September 21.

## Scripture Reference: Luke 22:39–46 (ESV)

Luke 22:39. And he came out and went, as was his custom, to the Mount of Olives, and the disciples followed him.

Luke 22:40. And when he came to the place, he said to them, "Pray that you may not enter into temptation."

Luke 22:41. And he withdrew from them about a stone's throw, and knelt down and prayed,

Luke 22:42. saying, "Father, if you are willing, remove this cup from me. Nevertheless, not my will, but yours, be done."

Luke 22:43. And there appeared to him an angel from heaven, strengthening him.

Luke 22:44. And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly; and his sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground.

Luke 22:45. And when he rose from prayer, he came to the disciples and found them sleeping for sorrow,

Luke 22:46. and he said to them, "Why are you sleeping? Rise and pray that you may not enter into temptation."

## Synopsis: "The Lord Our Righteousness"

After warning His disciples they would face great trials and temptations in the future, Jesus leads them to the Garden of Gethsemane to face the greatest trial of His own life to date. In this familiar scene, Luke will fix our attention on the temptation Jesus faces as He prays in agony to His Father to let the "cup" pass from Him. We will analyze what is in that cup and why it so horrifies Jesus that He would distinguish His own will from that of His Father. But ultimately we will celebrate the perfect obedience and love that Jesus manifests as He bends His will to His Father's and thereby maintains perfect righteousness. Realizing we are on hallowed ground, we will witness in reverence and awe the pinnacle of human holiness as it is revealed in the Lord OUR righteousness.

# "The Lord Our Righteousness" – Luke 22:39–46 (ESV)

- I. Introduction, Jer. 23:5–6.
- II. Exposition of the text, Luke 22:39–46.
  - A. Context
  - B. The prayer of obedience.
    - 1. Setting the scene, vs. 39–40a.
      - a. Noticing the form.
      - b. Looking at the words.
        - i. Point of departure.
        - ii. An act of obedience.
        - iii. The destination.
        - iv. Followed by the disciples.
        - v. Arriving at "the place".
    - 2. The commandment to pray, vs. 40b.
      - a. The inevitability of trials, Luke 22:32, 11:1–2, 22:28.
      - b. Jesus' focus on the disciples, Matt. 26:40.
    - 3. Preparing to pray, vs. 41.
      - a. Forming a mental image.
        - i. A solitary prayer, John 13:36.
        - ii. How far is "a stone's throw"?
        - iii. The body language of the prayer, Matt. 26:39.
    - 4. Analyzing the prayer, vs. 42.
      - a. A deepening distress, John 12:27; Matt. 26:38.
      - b. Understanding the reason for distress.
        - i. Noticing the address, Mark 14:36.
        - ii. A crucial "if", Matt. 26:39; Mark 14:36.
        - iii. The horror of the cup.
        - iv. Turning the prayer around.
        - v. The juxtaposition of the wills.
      - c. Interpretation
        - i. The cup of God's wrath, Psa. 11:6; Isa. 51:17; Jer. 25:15; Rev. 14:9–10, 18–20, 16:19.
        - ii. The two wills of Jesus.
        - iii. Summation, Psa. 22:12–13.
    - 5. A ministering angel, vs. 43.
      - a. Another "inclusio", Luke 1:11, 2:9.
      - b. The nature of the visit, Matt. 4:11; Luke 9:30–31; Dan. 10:17–18.
      - c. The reason for the visit.
    - 6. The prayers of anguish, vs. 44.
      - a. Looking at the words.
        - i. In a state of anguish.
        - ii. An earnest prayer.
        - iii. Sweating drops of blood.

- b. A critical verse in Luke's Passion Narrative.
            - i. What it says about prayer.
            - ii. What it says about His temptations, Isa. 53:4–6; 2Cor. 5:21.
            - iii. The blood of the covenant, Luke 22:20.
7. Return to the apostles, vs. 45–46.
  - a. The nature of their sleep, Mark 14:33–34.
  - b. Jesus' rebuke.
  - c. The power of prayer, Luke 21:36.
  - d. Failing to stay awake.
- III. Application, Jer. 23:6; 2Cor. 5:21.
- IV. Conclusion

## Notes

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# Worship Song

## September 14, 2025

### Heaven Came Down

O what a wonderful, wonderful day –  
Day I will never forget;  
After I'd wandered in darkness away,  
Jesus my Savior I met.  
Oh what a tender, compassionate friend –  
He met the need of my heart;  
Shadows dispelling,  
With joy I am telling,  
He made all the darkness depart!

### Refrain

Heaven came down and glory filled my soul.  
[filled my soul]. When at the cross the  
Savior made me whole [made me whole.]  
My sins were washed away,  
And my night was turned to day.  
Heaven came down and glory filled my soul.  
[filled my soul.]

Born of the Spirit with life from above  
Into God's fam'ly divine, Justified fully  
thro' Calvary's love, O what a standing  
is mine. And the transaction so quickly  
was made when as a sinner I came;  
Took of the offer of grace He did proffer;  
He saved me, O praise His dear name!  
(Refrain)

Now I've a hope that will surely endure  
after the passing of time; I have a future  
in heaven for sure, there in those mansions  
sublime. And it's because of that wonderful  
day when at the cross I believed;  
Riches eternal and blessings supernal from His  
precious hand I received.  
(Refrain)

### Moment in the Word: Jer. 23:5-6

Jer. 23:5. Behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land.

Jer. 23:6. In his days Judah will be saved, and Israel will dwell securely. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The Lord is our righteousness.'

### My Worth is Not What I Own (At the Cross)

My worth is not in what I own,  
Not in the strength of flesh and bone,  
But in the costly wounds of love- At the cross.

My worth is not in skill or name,  
In win or lose, in pride or shame,  
But in the blood of Christ that flowed- At the cross.

I rejoice in my Redeemer,  
Greatest Treasure,  
Wellspring of my soul;  
I will trust in Him, no other.  
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.

As summer flowers we fade and die,  
Fame, youth and beauty hurry by,  
But life eternal calls to us- At the cross.

I will not boast in wealth or might,  
Or human wisdom's fleeting light,  
But I will boast in knowing Christ- At the cross.

I rejoice in my Redeemer,  
Greatest Treasure,  
Wellspring of my soul;  
I will trust in Him, no other.  
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.

Two wonders here that I confess,  
My worth and my unworthiness,  
My value fixed - my ransom paid; At the cross.

I rejoice in my Redeemer,  
Greatest Treasure,  
Wellspring of my soul  
I will trust in Him, no other.  
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.  
I rejoice in my Redeemer,  
Greatest Treasure,  
Wellspring of my soul.  
I will trust in Him, no other.  
My soul is satisfied in Him alone.

### Near to the Heart of God

There is a place of quiet rest,  
Near to the heart of God;  
A place where sin cannot molest,  
Near to the heart of God.

Refrain  
O Jesus, blest Redeemer,  
Sent from the heart of God,  
Hold us, who wait before Thee,  
Near to the heart of God.

There is a place of comfort sweet,  
Near to the heart of God;  
A place where we our Savior meet,  
Near to the heart of God.  
(Refrain)

There is a place of full release,  
Near to the heart of God;  
A place where all is joy and peace,  
Near to the heart of God.  
(Refrain)



### **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.

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And the whole earth is filled with His glory.

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Holy is the Lord.

I see the Lord seated on the throne, exalted.

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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.

### He Giveth More Grace

He giveth more grace when the burdens grow greater;  
He sendeth more strength when the labors increase.  
To added affliction He addeth His mercy;  
To multiplied trials, His multiplied peace.

#### Refrain

His love has no limit;  
His grace has no measure.  
His pow'r has no boundary known unto men.  
For out of His infinite riches in Jesus,  
He giveth, and giveth, and giveth again.

When we have exhausted our store of endurance,  
When our strength has failed ere the day is half done,  
When we reach the end of our hoarded resources,  
Our Father's full giving is only begun.  
(Refrain)

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### I Will Serve Thee

I will serve Thee because I love Thee;  
You have given life to me.  
I was nothing before You found me;  
You have given life to me.

Heartaches, broken pieces,  
Ruined lives are why You died on Calv'ry.  
Your touch is what I longed for;  
You have given life to me.

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### We Worship and Adore You

We worship and adore You,  
Bowing down before You,  
Songs of praises singing,  
Hallelujah's ringing.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! Amen.