

NEW DORP MORAVIAN CHURCH

Sunday, September 1, 2024
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Pastor *Rev. Walter Bishop*

***Indicates everyone who is able is invited to stand**

PREPARATION: As you share in quiet conversation, please be aware that others around you may be preparing for worship in moments of silence and prayer.

Welcome. We are glad that you are here to worship. If you are visiting with us today, please complete a Visitor Card (located in the pew racks) so that we may send you a letter of welcome and some information about our congregation. As we gather on this Lord's Day, let us turn our hearts toward God who can calm our fears, cool the turmoil of our souls, restore our hope, and fill our lives with abundant joy.

If you have a prayer request to be shared during the service, please complete a Prayer Request Card (located in the pew racks.)

Please remember to silence your cell phone.

GREETINGS AND WELCOME

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK:

"Let everyone be quick to listen, slow to speak, slow to anger."
James 1:19

A PRAYER TO PREPARE:

"God, all that we see, feel, and touch was created by you. May this be a reminder of your love for us and may our faith continue to grow stronger. Thank you for your blessings. Amen."
(2024 Moravian Daily Texts)

PRELUDE *Lift High the Cross*

***HYMN** *You Are the Way* **MBW #661**

***LITURGY** *Education* **MBW p. 127**
Omitting all hymns and the Lord's Prayer
(The Lord's Prayer will be included in the Holy Communion Service.)

READINGS FROM THE SCRIPTURE

First Scripture Lesson **Deuteronomy 4:1–2, 6–9** **Page 178**
Second Scripture Lesson **James 1:17–27** **Page 246**
Gospel Lesson **Mark 7:1–8, 14–15, 21–23** **Page 42**

CHILDREN'S TIME

THE MESSAGE **Rev. Bishop**

***HYMN** *I Am Thine, O Lord* **MBW #607**

PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Response: *Hear Our Prayer, O Lord* **MBW #825**

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

Offertory Invitation
***Offertory Response Prayer** *Praise God* **MBW #817**

***HYMN** *Come, Faithful Shepherd, Bind Me* **MBW #795**

THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

In Celebration of Christ's Coming **MBW p. 183**
and On Screen

(Please note we will use 2 hymns during the serving of each element: p.184 and top of p.185; p.188 and top of p.190. Omit hymn p.193 and use On Screen hymn.)

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *How Good the Name of Jesus Sounds*

**Following worship please join us in the Conference Center
for a time of fellowship and refreshments.**

Please scan the QR code for offering gifts on-line.

