NEW DORP MORAVIAN CHURCH

Sunday, September 7, 2025 Thirteenth 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.

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

PLEASE NOTE: All worship materials are provided on-screen. Hymn numbers and page numbers are provided herein if you would prefer to follow along in the Moravian Book of Worship and/or the pew Bible.

Please remember to silence your cell phone.

GREETINGS AND WELCOME

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK:

"Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him."

Deuteronomy 30:19,20

A PRAYER TO PREPARE:

"Today we sing your praises, O Lord. A chorus of humanity joyfully praises your name: the shy person in the back of church praises your name; the squeaky alto in the choir praises your name. Everyone knows the blessing you bring. May we remember to always sing your praises. Amen."

(2025 Moravian Daily Texts)

PRELUDE

Ji-Yong Kim

*HYMN Be Still, My Soul

*LITURGY Education MBW p. 127

omitting hymn pg. 130 and The Lord's Prayer

READINGS FROM THE SCRIPTURE

First Scripture Lesson Deuteronomy 30:15–20 Page 206
Second Scripture Lesson Philemon 1–21 Page 233
Gospel Lesson Luke 14:25–33 Page 79

CHILDREN'S TIME

CHORAL ANTHEM As the Deer

NDMC Choir

MBW #757

THE MESSAGE Rev. Bishop

*HYMN Deeper, Deeper On Screen

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 Goodness of God On Screen

*THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

In Celebration of the Atonement MBW p. 196

POSTLUDE

Ji-Yong Kim

Following worship please join us in the Conference Center (located behind the sanctuary) for fellowship and refreshments.

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

