

SERMON
NOTES

Imitators of God

EPHESIANS 5:1-2 (ESV)

Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

GENEROSITY UPDATE & WAYS YOU CAN GIVE

08/23 Giving: \$43,781 • Weekly Budget Requirement: \$37,425
Jan-Jul 2026 Giving: Income: \$1,160,574 • Expenses: \$1,239,032 • Difference: (\$78,458.90)



IN PERSON

in offering plate or boxes in the Lobby



TEXT

NEWHOPEFORTMYERS
to: 77977



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10051 Plantation Rd
Fort Myers, FL 33966



SCAN TO GIVE
ONLINE

MISSION
STATEMENT

New Hope exists to glorify God and make disciples by living out the gospel together.

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August 30, 2026

CONTEMPORARY ORDER OF WORSHIP

I THANK GOD

Aaron Moses | Chuck Butler | Dante Bowe | Jesse Cline | Enrique Holmes | Maryanne J. George
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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HIS TITHE AND OUR OFFERINGS

WHO ELSE

Abbie Gamboa | Josiah Funderburk | Zac Rowe
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SERMON – *IMITATORS OF GOD*

Pastor Sheldon MacGillivray

Scripture Reference – Ephesians 5:1-2

RECKLESS LOVE

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BENEDICTION

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TRADITIONAL ORDER OF WORSHIP

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Please prepare your heart for worship as you listen to the prelude.

PRELUDE.....*Joyful Praise to Holy God*
Arr Ruth Elaine Schram
Karen Maxwell, Organ

WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP.....*Philippians 2:1-4

HYMN OF PRAISE.....*To God Be the Glory
Tune NAME: TO GOD BE THE GLORY | Words by: Fanny Crosby | Music by: William H. Doane

CONFESSION OF SIN.....*From the Valley of Vision*

SILENT PRAYER.....

ASSURANCE OF PARDON.....*1 Corinthians 4:6*

HIS TITHE & OUR OFFERINGS.....

OFFERTORY MUSIC.....*Dona Nobis Pacem/*
When Morning Gilds the Skies
Tune NAME: DONA NOBIS PACEM | Traditional Latin Chant | Arranged Catherine McMichael
Tune NAME: LAUDES DOMINI | Joseph Barnaby | Arranged Catherine McMichael
Hannah and Saenu Dougherty, Violin | Ellen Whitten, Piano

RESPONSE.....*Gloria Patri
Tune NAME: GLORIA PATRI (GREATOREX) |
Words by: Book of Common Prayer, 1549 | Music by: Henry W. Greatorex

PASTORAL PRAYER.....

HYMN OF PREPARATION.....*My Jesus, I Love Thee
Tune NAME: GORDON | Words by: James H. Duffell | Music by: Adoniram Judson Gordon

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Pastor Sheldon MacGilliray | *Scripture Reference – Ephesians 5:1-2*

HYMN OF RESPONSE.....*May the Mind of Christ, My Savior
Tune NAME: ST. LEONARDS | Words by: Kate B. Wilkinson, Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty |
Music by: A. Cyril Barham-Gould, Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty

***BENEDICTION.....**

POSTLUDE.....*Hail to the Brightness*
Arr Harold DeCou
Karen Maxwell, Organ