1 Timothy 1:18
This charge I commit to you, son Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you may wage the good warfare…

Sunday, August 16, 2026
(Tongues given through Leslie Cook/Interpretation from Natalie Ashby)
And we beheld His glory. And we stand in the glory of His presence even now. And it is in the atmosphere of His glory that He makes all things available. We learn who He is. We become in that place of intimacy, in the Holy of Holies, where we learn who the Father is and we look at His Son and we beheld His glory. It is all in the glory of the Lord. His Holiness, His purity, His righteousness, His justice, your healing, your freedom, your deliverance…It's all found in His glory. And we beheld His glory.

(Tongues given through Pastor Terrie Council/Interpretation given by Pam Ayres)
You've given Me all you've got but it's partial. It's not all you have. Surrender. **It's an "all or nothing" thing.**
My love surrendered to you. My love gave you everything. I didn't hold back anything; not My love, not My body, not My thoughts and not My future.
You have a future you haven't tapped into and I'm waiting for you to ask Me to show you. I'm waiting for you. I'm waiting for you to give Me more than you've given. It's not that you haven't given me everything you know to give but I have more to give you to give to Me and I'm asking you to make a surrender that is full that would say, "If it costs me everything, I'm giving it to you. I'm giving it to you. I'm not going back." And I love and bless you as you are but I'm asking you, I'm asking you for more because I want you forever.

(Written word received)
Grace and Peace,
As I sat in the service, several things began coming together.
OVERARCHING WORD — ROBUST GRACE
• There is a **robust grace upon this church**.
• By robust, I mean something strong, full, active, resilient, and able to carry weight.
"**Robust**" = Strong, muscular, vigorous health!
• This is not merely grace to maintain what has already been established; it is **grace with capacity for what is next**.
• This connects with the **New Port**:
- The assignment may be changing, but grace is already available for the transition.

- God is not sending the vessel into a new port without supplying what it needs for the journey.

• **2 Corinthians 12:9** — "My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness."
• **Acts 4:33** — "And great grace was upon them all."

The progression becomes:
ROBUST GRACE → NEW PORT → NEW PORTAL → NEW DIMENSION → NEW LAYER → NEW NEWS.

- The emphasis isn't simply that something new is happening.
- There is **sufficient, strong grace already resting upon this house to carry what God is bringing them into.**

1. <u>THE CHURCH</u> — "NEW PORT, NEW NEWS"
• While sitting in Newport News, I began hearing:
NEW PORT — NEW NEWS.
Moving from the old port into the new port.
• A **port** represents:
- Arrival
- Departure
- Exchange
- Receiving
- Sending

• I sense the **old port** represents a place where God:
- Sustained the church.
- Developed the church.
- Prepared the church. - Accomplished what was necessary for that season.

• **Old does not mean bad.**
- The old port served its purpose.
- What God did there should be honored.
- But a vessel cannot remain docked when it is time for its next assignment.

<u>The new port may represent:</u>
- New positioning.
- New assignment.
- New opportunities to receive.
- New opportunities to send.
- A fresh work of God.

Then there is NEW NEWS:

- A new testimony.
- A fresh message.
- Fresh evidence of what God is doing.

• **Isaiah 43:18–19** — "Do not remember the former things… Behold, I will do a new thing."

The phrase I'm carrying is:

"You are moving from the old port into the new port, and there is new news at the new port."

There is also an interesting historical connection. One traditional explanation of the name Newport News is that early Jamestown colonists received good news that reinforcements and supplies had arrived, causing them to turn around rather than abandon the colony.

That makes what I was hearing even more striking:

"You are moving from the old port into the new port, and there is new news at the new port."

A port is a place of arrival, departure, exchange, and sending. So spiritually, this may not simply be about changing locations — it may point to a **transition in assignment**.

There may even be another layer in **News**: the message coming out of this next season. Not merely Newport, but **Newport News—a new place of positioning carrying new testimony of what God is doing.**

2. THE PASTOR/WORSHIP LEADER — "NEW PORTAL"

• I sense another progression:

Newport → New Port → New Portal.

• Pastor, I sense you are being **ported into a new portal—a new dimension in God**.

• There is an increased grace upon you concerning:

- Wisdom.
- Word of wisdom.
- Word of knowledge.
- Spiritual understanding.
- Revelation.

• What you have operated in previously has been **preparation**, but I sense another measure opening.

• This is not merely about entering a new physical place.

• It speaks of entering a **new dimension of spiritual understanding and revelation**.

• **1 Corinthians 12:8** — "For to one is given the word of wisdom through the Spirit, to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit."

• **Daniel 2:21–22** — God gives wisdom and knowledge and reveals deep and secret things.

The progression I'm sensing is:
"New Port → New Portal → New Dimension → New Wisdom → New Knowledge."
I sense that you are being ported into a new portal—a new dimension in God. There is an increased grace coming upon you in wisdom and in the word of knowledge. What God has allowed you to operate in before has prepared you, but there is another measure opening.

This is not merely a new place; it is a new dimension of spiritual understanding and revelation.

<u>THE CONNECTING THREAD</u>
• **The church:** New Port.
• **The pastor:** New Portal.
• **The result:** New News.

<u>And over all of it:</u>
ROBUST GRACE.
ROBUST GRACE → NEW PORT → NEW PORTAL → NEW DIMENSION → NEW LAYER → NEW NEWS.
There is sufficient, strong grace already resting upon this house to carry what God is bringing them into.
Get ready revival is here. Yesterday 10/25/25 during worship, I saw the wells of revival. I saw the well with a heavy cap on top.
The Lord said it is time to uncap the wells. I saw water coming out under the cap ready to burst forth, then I saw the water bursting out of the well with no cap.
I saw the water rising at the altar so fast overflowing. Healings are coming. I saw the water going over the pulpit splashing up over the podium filling the altar very quickly. The water was rising like a flood fast then spilling splashing over the chairs like waves crashing over each row and forcefully opened the front doors and the river rushed out of the church. I was Crying out for revival, repenting for America, the church, leaders, the intercessors, Israel, and to the nations. The Lord said America isn't ready; the church is ready. Not Wow! You are preparing us all together at once from the foundation up in unity. It is time! The Lord has put WOW here for such a time as this. The Lord said He will fill this house.
Get ready! The Lord said He has you right where He wants you. No more holding back. Let the fresh fire from the alter fall.

Well done good and faithful servant. You both and the pastors of Wow understand to let the Lord have His way. Because of the obedience you will be one of the first churches to see the revival. This is so much bigger than we know. Yesterday was confirmation.
As we agree with our forefathers, agree with the Word and agree with the Lord. Thank you so much for your covering. The Lord gave Natalie a word for me that
The mantle of revival rests on your shoulders. God is using you in intercessory prayer. He is calling you to hold up the hands of the pastors and leaders of this house for the specific assignment on this house. He has allowed you to feel the sense of urgency of revival and preparation that the pastor is carrying. I pray great grace over you as you step into this place of intercession.
Let the fire of the altar never go out. Continue to rekindle & stoke the fire.... This is much bigger than we know.

There is an urgency to get ready. Be ready. The time is now to step into what the Lord is getting ready to uncap.

<u>Carnality is a Barrier to Revival:</u>

- **Anyone of us at any moment can succumb to carnality.**
- **Revival atmosphere cannot exist where carnality rules because it means we are living in the natural realm more than the spiritual realm.**
- **The only way to get carnality out is through growing spiritually and intentional prayer and revival discipleship.**
- **For revival and transformation to happen, <u>everyone</u> has to give themselves to spiritual pursuit, to knowledge, wisdom, revelation.**

We must realize that personal daily sacrifice
is required to maintain the spiritual fire!

Our failure to cultivate deep and passionate spiritual hunger for God results in a shallow Christianity that makes shallow churches.

When human carnality goes unchallenged it will go unchanged!

There is more for us to untap as Holy Spirit and the Word guides us in this journey.

It is attainable as we turn to the Lord and seek Him with a new and refreshed heart of wanting to know Him.

I encourage you to spend time in prayer and the Word at home, take seriously this opportunity the Lord is calling us into a more intimate relation with Him. Carve out time to spend in prayer, come to the corporate prayer times at both campuses.
Let's make the sacrifice of our precious time to spend it on seeking the Lord and pressing into all He has for this congregation.
May the price we pay affect the Hampton Roads region for Transformation.