Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end. Amen, amen.

The Passing of the Peace (Spoken Responsively)

Leader: The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: And also with you.

The Choral Anthem: “The Eternal Gates” ......................................................... arr. Howard Helvey
The Garden-Webb University Choir

~ The Word of the Lord ~

The Prayer for Illumination................................................................. Jeanne Martie

The First Scripture Lesson: I Corinthians 1:18-25 ......................................... Jeanne Martie

“For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, ‘I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.’ Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling-block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God’s foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God’s weakness is stronger than human strength.

The Choral Anthem: “I am His and He is Mine” ........................................... arr. Vicki Wright
The Garden-Webb University Choir

The Second Scripture Lesson: Psalm 19...................................................... The Rev. Jody Moore

The heavens are telling the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims his handiwork. Day to day pours forth speech, and night to night declares knowledge. There is no speech, nor are there voices; their voice is not heard; yet their voice goes out through all the earth, and their words to the end of the world. In the heavens he has set a tent for the sun, which comes out like a bridegroom from his wedding canopy, and like a strong man runs its course with joy. Its rising is from the end of the heavens, and its circuit to the end of them; and nothing is hidden from its heat. The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the decrees of the Lord are sure, making wise the simple; the precepts of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart; the commandment of the Lord is clear, enlightening the eyes; the fear of the Lord is pure, enduring for ever; the ordinances of the Lord are true and righteous altogether. More to be desired are they than gold, even much fine gold; sweeter also than honey, and drippings of the honeycomb. Moreover by them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward. But who can detect their errors? Clear me from hidden faults. Keep back your servant also from the insolent; do not let them have dominion over me. Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression. Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable to you, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.


“We Respond to the Word ~

The Chorus: “Lord, You Are More Precious than Silver” (Sung twice) ................. DeShazo

Lord, You are more precious than silver;
Lord, You are more costly than gold;
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds;
And nothing I desire compares with You.

The Affirmation of Faith (Spoken Responsively) .............................................. (From A Declaration of Faith, Ch. 6.3)

The Bible is the written Word of God. We accept the Old and New Testaments as the canon, or authoritative standard of faith and life, to which no further writings need be added. The Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are necessary, sufficient, and reliable as witnesses to Jesus Christ, the living Word. We must test any word that comes to us from the church, world, or inner experience by the Word of God in Scripture. Relying on the Holy Spirit, who opens our eyes and hearts, we affirm our freedom to interpret Scripture responsibly. God has chosen to address this inspired Word to us through diverse and varied human writings. Therefore we use the best available methods to understand them in their historical and cultural settings and the literary forms in which they are cast. When we encounter apparent tensions and conflicts in what Scripture teaches us to believe and do, the final appeal must be to the authority of Christ. Acknowledging that authority, comparing Scripture with Scripture, listening with respect to fellow-believers past and present, we anticipate that the Holy Spirit will enable us to interpret faithfully God’s Word for our time and place.

The Pastoral Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer (Spoken in Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

The Offering of Gifts ............................................................... Fred Gauvreau, Greeting Elder

The Choral Offertory: “Ain’t Got Time to Die” ............................................. Hal Johnson
The Garden-Webb University Choir

The Doxology No. 606 (Sung) ................................................................. OLD HUNDREDTH

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.

The Prayer of Dedication ............................................................... Fred Gauvreau, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus’ Name ~

The Hymn of Sending No. 625: “O Lord My God” ........................................ HOW GREAT THOU ART

The Charge & Benediction

The Choral Response: “A Parting Blessing” ................................................ J. Jerome Williams
The Garden-Webb University Choir

The Organ Postlude: “Toccata Festiva” .................................................... Franklin Ashdown

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The flowers this week are given by Les and Mary Kathryn Basnight in honor of the entire membership of OBPC whose prayers, cards, prayer shawls and hugs helped me to recover from the long string of health issues. May God bless you all.

Upcoming Flower Schedule
Mar. 8......... Les & Mary Basnight
Mar. 15....... Judy Dempsey
Mar. 22........... Vacant
Mar. 29....... Linda & Gary McGee

Upcoming Coffee Hour Schedule
Mar. 8.......... Communion Guild
Mar. 15........... Hope, Faith & Love
Mar. 22.......... Roberts Family
Mar. 29.......... Cahoon/Gauvreau

Singing of the Kyrie

Lent is a time of repentance, for us to admit our sin and turn back to God. To help us focus on repentance, we will be singing the Kyrie, asking for the Lord to have mercy upon us, in response to the Prayer of Confession.

Welcome!
We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to Outer Banks Presbyterian Church! Visitors will find a guest card in the Bible holders in the chairs ahead. We welcome you and ask that you fill out the card and drop it in the collection plate as it is passed.

Those Serving in Worship
This Week
March 8, 2015
Elder: Fred Gauvreau
Liturgist: Jeanne Martie
Coffee Hour: Communion Guild
Children’s Church: Jones/Sias

Next Week
March 8, 2015
Elder: Fred Gauvreau
Liturgist: Nonie Booth
Coffee Hour: Hope, Faith & Love
Children’s Church: Cahoon’s
Welcome!
Welcome to the Outer Banks Presbyterian Church. Our Church exists to worship God in Jesus Christ in Word and Sacrament; to join others to know the joy of God’s forgiveness in Jesus Christ; to grow under the Lordship of Christ and to serve Christ’s world in His name. We invite you to share with us our trust in Jesus Christ and to join us as we strive to:

- Grow and strengthen our FAITH,
- Love and support our FAMILY,
- Reach out to our FRIENDS in need.

We encourage you to read “Sue’s Story,” the inspiration behind these goals in its entirety, on our website, or in a brochure in the Gathering Space or on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall. We hope you will be inspired as we have been.

At OBPC, we recognize all our visitors as God’s children, united as brothers and sisters in Christ. We hope our service inspires you and strengthens your faith. We hope you will join us again in celebration and worship to God. If you are interested in becoming a member or would like to know more about our church and our programs, please contact us!

The Church Staff
The Rev. Joseph “Jody” G. Moore..........................................................Pastor
Mr. Jason K. Evans..............................................Director of Music Ministries/Organist
Mrs. Hollie W. Lewis.............................................Director of Youth, Children and Young Family Ministries
Mrs. Amy Larson..................................................Nursery Caregiver
Mrs. Donna L. Frye..................................................Church Secretary
Ms. Brenda Feury....................................................Sexton

The Session
Bev Jones, Clerk of Session

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Our church believes providing worship for visitors is a vital part of our mission. Our building was planned to accommodate the many visitors who come to this vacation community. This places an additional financial challenge on our resident membership. We need and welcome financial support from our visitors.

Receiving Treasurer
Norm Sparks (261-7068)
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Vital Signs
March 1 ...............................$7,692.80
Total for March ...............$7,692.80

Attendance
March 1 (AM).............................127
Lenten Service .......................52

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This Week at OBPC
Sunday March 8, 2015
9:00 am....................... Sunday School
10:00 am............. Morning Worship
4:00 pm....................... Sanctuary Choir
5:30 pm.............. Youth Group
6:30 pm.............. Sunday Evening Study

Monday, March 9, 2015
7:30 am.......................... A. A.
10:00 am........................ A. A.
7:00 pm....................... Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 10, 2015
7:30 am.......................... A. A.
9:30 am....................... Faith Knitters
10:00 am....................... A. A.
5:15 pm............... Bible Study
6:30 pm...................... Stated Session
6:30 pm...................... Cub Scouts

Wednesday March 11, 2015
7:30 am.......................... A. A.
9:30 am....................... Lydia Circle
10:00 am....................... A. A.
12:00 pm........... Lenten Service
4:30 pm............... Confirmation Class
6:00 pm....................... Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, March 12, 2015
7:30 am.......................... A. A.
10:00 am........................ A. A.

Friday, March 13, 2015
7:30 am.......................... A. A.
8:00 am....................... Men’s Bible Study
10:00 am........................ A. A.

Saturday, March 14, 2015
7:30 am.......................... A. A.
10:00 am........................ A. A.

Sunday, March 15, 2015
9:00 am....................... Sunday School
10:00 am............. Morning Worship
4:00 pm....................... Sanctuary Choir
5:30 pm.............. Youth Group
6:30 pm.............. Sunday Evening Study

The Third Sunday of Lent
March 8, 2015 | 10:00 am

＾＝ Congregation Standing as Able
＊＝ Appropriate times to be Seated when Arriving After Service Begins

As people enter the Sanctuary they are encouraged to greet one another and share the gifts of friendship and love. When the prelude begins, all are invited to begin personal preparation for worship. As a kindness to fellow worshippers, please silence all electronic devices.

~ We Gather Together as God’s People ~

Timothy Scruggs, Guest Organist

The WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please pass the guest pads)

The CHORAL INTROIT: “Praise to the Lord”................................arr. Hugo Distler
Gardner-Webb University Choir

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Spoken in responsively from Psalm 98)................................Jeanne Martie
ONE: O sing to the Lord a new song, for God has done marvelous things.
ALL: God’s right hand and holy arm have led us to victory over all of our foes.
ONE: All the ends of the earth have seen the majesty of our Lord.
ALL: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth; break forth into joyful song and sing praises.
ONE: We will celebrate with trumpet blasts and the sound of the horn announcing that God is in control!
ALL: Let us worship God!

THE OPENING PRAYER .................................................................Jeanne Martie

THE OPENING HYMN No. 14: “For the Beauty of the Earth”................................. DIX

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Spoken in Unison)
Merciful God, how fickle we are; we sin against you without even knowing it. Clear us, we pray, of any unknown sin, and save us from willfully ignoring your way. Let your commandments rule and guide us. Forgive us for worshipping anyone or anything except you; keep us faithful. Forgive us for failing to honor all our relationships: with those closest to us and those who are distant neighbors. Help us to speak words of blessing and kindness, rather than words that belittle or destroy. Turn us away from violence, falsehood, and selfishness. Forgive us for thinking that everything depends on our efforts and power, for you are the God who made us, led us out of slavery, and brought us into the community of faith. In Christ’s name we pray, Amen.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Concluding with Kyrie)

The DECLARATION OF PARDON

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