

THE OFFERING OF GIFTS..... Joseph Lewis

THE YOUTH INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLE: “Fanfare and Processional”

◆THE OFFERTORY RESPONSE NO. 616: “Our God Is an Awesome God” AWESOME GOD

**Our God is an awesome God who reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, power, and love; our God is an awesome God!**

◆THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION Joseph Lewis

~ **The Word of the Lord** ~

THE SKIT: “Frozen People”

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Ryan Braswell

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: I Peter 4: 7-11..... Ryan Braswell

Everything in the world is about to be wrapped up, so take nothing for granted. Stay wide-awake in prayer. Most of all, love each other as if your life depended on it. Love makes up for practically anything. Be quick to give a meal to the hungry, a bed to the homeless—cheerfully. Be generous with the different things God gave you, passing them around so all get in on it: if words, let it be God’s words; if help, let it be God’s hearty help. That way, God’s bright presence will be evident in everything through Jesus, and he’ll get all the credit as the One mighty in everything—encores to the end of time. Oh, yes!

THE MUSICAL DRAMA: “If We Are the Body”

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Romans 12: 3-21 Chloe Futrell

I’m speaking to you out of deep gratitude for all that God has given me, and especially as I have responsibilities in relation to you. Living then, as every one of you does, in pure grace, it’s important that you not misinterpret yourselves as people who are bringing this goodness to God. No, God brings it all to you. The only accurate way to understand ourselves is by what God is and by what he does for us, not by what we are and what we do for him. In this way we are like the various parts of a human body. Each part gets its meaning from the body as a whole, not the other way around. The body we’re talking about is Christ’s body of chosen people. Each of us finds our meaning and function as a part of his body. But as a chopped-off finger or cut-off toe we wouldn’t amount to much, would we? So since we find ourselves fashioned into all these excellently formed and marvelously functioning parts in Christ’s body, let’s just go ahead and be what we were made to be, without enviously or pridefully comparing ourselves with each other, or trying to be something we aren’t. If you preach, just preach God’s Message, nothing else; if you help, just help, don’t take over; if you teach, stick to your teaching; if you give encouraging guidance, be careful that you don’t get bossy; if you’re put in charge, don’t manipulate; if you’re called to give aid to people in distress, keep your eyes open and be quick to respond; if you work with the disadvantaged, don’t let yourself get irritated with them or depressed by them. Keep a smile on your face. Love from the center of who you are; don’t fake it. Run for dear life from evil; hold on for dear life to good. Be good friends who love deeply; practice playing second fiddle. Don’t burn out; keep yourselves fueled and aflame. Be alert servants of the Master, cheerfully expectant. Don’t quit in hard times; pray all the harder. Help needy Christians; be inventive in hospitality. Bless your enemies; no cursing under your breath. Laugh with your happy friends when they’re happy; share tears when they’re down. Get along with each other; don’t be stuck-up. Make friends with nobodies; don’t be the great somebody. Don’t hit back; discover beauty in everyone. If you’ve got it in you, get along with everybody. Don’t insist on getting even; that’s not for you to do. “I’ll do the judging,” says God. “I’ll take care of it.” Our Scriptures tell us that if you see your enemy hungry, go buy that person lunch, or if he’s thirsty, get him a drink. Your generosity will surprise him with goodness. Don’t let evil get the best of you; get the best of evil by doing good.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

THE TESTIMONY

THE VIDEO RESPONSE: “Fix My Eyes”

◆THE YOUTH AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*Spoken in Unison*): “We Believe” Kristen Applebaum

We are a group of students who exist to serve Jesus Christ through fellowship, worship, missions, and discipleship. We believe that Jesus is the leader of our faith He is the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. We believe Jesus died for our sins and rose from the grave so that we could live eternally. We believe in Jesus no matter what circumstances this world presents us. We look to God for guidance and assistance. We are working to serve God by serving others. We wait with anticipation to see what God has in store for our lives. He has promised us a hope and future.

◆THE RESPONSE: "We Believe" Ryan/Fike/Hooper

**We believe in God the Father, we believe in Jesus Christ,
We believe in the Holy Spirit, and he’s given us new life.
We believe in the crucifixion, we believe that he conquered death,
We believe in the resurrection, and he’s coming back again, we believe.**

THE LORD’S PRAYER (*Spoken in Unison*) Kristen Applebaum

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 PASTORAL REMARKS..... The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

~ **We Go Forth in Jesus’ Name** ~

◆THE HYMN OF SENDING NO. 726: “Will You Come and Follow Me” KELVINGROVE

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION..... Joseph Lewis

◆THE CLOSING RESPONSE: "We Are One in the Spirit" Unknown

**We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord;
We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord,
and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:
And they’ll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;
Yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.**

THE DIXIELAND JAZZ POSTLUDE: “When the Saints Go Marching In” PUBLIC DOMAIN

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~ **Those Playing Musical Instruments this Morning** ~

Piano, Viola, French Horn

Parker Duck

Violin

Cailin Lewis

Delaney Hanf

Elisabeth Writtenberry

Flute

James LaCroix

Chyla Huber

Kristen Applebaum

Clarinet

Samantha Leopardi

Alto Saxophone

Logan Hanf

Trumpet

Jody Lewis

Trombone

Hopelyn Kovacs

Ronnie Sunkler

Cello

Ethan Duck

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
May 8, 2016**

Elder: Melanie Cahoon
Liturgist: Youth Group
Coffee Hour: Stewardship
Children’s Church:
(Youth Sunday – No C.C)

**Next Week
May 15, 2016**

Elder: Melanie Cahoon
Liturgist: Barbara Hardy
Coffee Hour: Building & Grounds
Children’s Church:
Andrea Braymiller/Lynda Wood

**UPCOMING FLOWER
SCHEDULE**

May 15 Buzz & Ann Boyd
May 22 Judy Dempsey
May 29 Gary & Linda McGee

**UPCOMING COFFEE
HOUR SCHEDULE**

May 15 Building & Grounds
May 22 Worship/Fellowship
May 29 Outreach & Witness

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this morning by Jason Evans in honor of his mother, Arlene H. Evans.

This morning’s scripture lessons are taken from “The Message” translation of the Bible.

This Week at OBPC

Sunday, May 8, 2016

9:00 am Sunday School
 10:00 am Morning Worship
 3:00 pm Stamp Club
 5:00 pm Youth Group

Monday, May 9, 2016

7:30 am A.A.
 10:00 am A.A.
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, May 10, 2016

7:30 am A.A.
 9:30 am Faith Knitters
 10:00 am A.A.
 5:15 pm Pastor's Bible Study
 6:00 pm Cub Scouts

Wednesday, May 11, 2016

7:30 am A.A.
 9:30 am Lydia Circle
 10:00 am A.A.
 4:00 pm Girl Scouts
 6:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
 6:30 pm Adult Evening Study
 7:30 pm Jubilate Ringers

Thursday, May 12, 2016

7:30 am A.A.
 10:00 am A.A.
 5:30 pm Hope, Faith & Love Circle

Friday, May 13, 2016

7:30 am A.A.
 8:00 am Men's Bible Study
 10:00 am A.A.

Saturday, May 14, 2016

7:30 am A.A.
 10:00 am A. A.

Sunday, May 15, 2016

9:00 am Sunday School
 10:00 am Morning Worship
 11:15 am Healing Service
 4:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
 5:00 pm Youth Group

Vital Signs

May 1 \$9,381.00
 Total for May \$9,381.00
 Pennies for Hunger \$83.52

Attendance

May 1 (10:00 am) 112

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, on 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. Dr. Joseph "Jody" G. Moore Pastor
 Donna L. Frye Church Secretary
 Jason K. Evans Director of Music Ministries/Organist
 Hollie Writtenberry-Lewis Director of Youth, Children & Young Family Ministries
 Heather Day Nursery Caregiver
 Brenda Feury Sexton

The Session

Beverly Jones, Clerk of Session

Class of 2016

Melanie Cahoon
 441-7490

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 202-3051

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 255-0705

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 441-6400

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Class of 2018

Buzz Boyd
 255-0496

Jeanne Martie
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 441-3572

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 Treasurers'

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Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

The Seventh Sunday of Easter /
 Youth Sunday & Mother's Day
 May 8, 2016 | 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 ~

THE PIANO PRELUDE Parker Duck, Pianist

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Please pass the guest pads)* Chyla Huber

◆ THE GATHERING SONG No. 743: "O God, You Are My God" STEP BY STEP

◆ THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively)* Chyla Huber

ONE: Dear God, help us follow the path that Jesus walked.

ALL: **To learn what needs to be done, to serve others.**

ONE: To connect with our church and our community

ALL: **To care for those who suffer, to know ourselves.**

ONE: To share our gifts, to love one another.

ALL: **To seek and embrace peace.**

◆ THE OPENING PRAYER Chyla Huber

◆♣ THE HYMN No. 705: "You Are Holy" YOU ARE HOLY

THE ACT OF CONFESSION *(Spoken in Unison)*

We confess to you and to one another, and to the whole communion of saints in heaven and on earth, that we have sinned by our own fault in thought, word, and deed; by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, and mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not forgiven others, as we have been forgiven. We have been deaf to your call to serve, as Christ served us. We have not been true to the mind of Christ. We have grieved your Holy Spirit. Accept our repentance, Lord, for the wrongs we have done: for our blindness to human need and suffering, and our indifference to injustice and cruelty, For all false judgments, for uncharitable thoughts toward our neighbors, and for our prejudice and contempt toward those who differ from us, Accomplish in us the work of your salvation, that we may show forth your glory in the world.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

◆ THE GLORIA No. 701: "Lord, Prepare Me" SANCTUARY

**Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true.
 With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.**

◆♣ THE PASSING OF THE PEACE *(Spoken Responsively)* Cailin Lewis

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

PEOPLE: **And also with you.**