

# Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina



Sunday Morning Worship

The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

August 14, 2016

10:00 am

A Member Church of the Presbyterian Church (USA)  
and the Presbytery of New Hope.

This Is God's House. All Are Welcome!

# The Order of Service for the Lord's Day

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.

◆ = Congregation Standing as Able

⚡ = Appropriate times to be Seated when Arriving After Service Begins

## ~ We Gather Together as God's People ~

THE ORGAN PRELUDE: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" .....J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

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

◆⚡THE GATHERING SONG NO. 408: "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit"..... SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT  
*The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation*

**There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;  
There are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.  
Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with Your love;  
And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise without a doubt we'll know that  
We have been revived when we shall leave this place.**

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively)* ..... Nonie Booth, Liturgist

**LEADER: In you, O Lord, I take refuge; never let me be put to shame.**

PEOPLE: In your righteousness, deliver and rescue us; incline your ear to us and save us.

**LEADER: Be to us a rock of refuge, a strong fortress, to save us, for you are our rock  
and our fortress.**

PEOPLE: Rescue us, O God, from the hand of the wicked and the grasp of the cruel  
and the unjust.

**LEADER: Let us worship God!**

◆THE OPENING PRAYER.....Nonie Booth, Liturgist

◆⚡THE HYMN NO. 33: "Praise the Lord! God's Glories Show".....LLANFAIR

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Spoken in Unison)*

**God of the oppressed, we come to You with heavy hearts, mourning the tragedies of this world. You are merciful, loving, and forgiving, and we love that about You. But we allow those characteristics to comfort us in our safe spaces, creating a false sense of peace in our lives. For too long we have silently stood by while injustice happens all around. For too long we have remained complicit in systems of power, money, and racial supremacy that have torn individual lives and nations asunder. For too long we have seen specks of saw dust in the eye of the other without acknowledging the log in our own hearts, homes, churches, and communities. God, we have truly made a mess of things. Help us. Call us back into caring for the world and people You so carefully crafted. Help us to restore what You intended, for our world and for us. Call us into Your ways of justice and mercy because the world needs it. Love us because without it, we are nothing. In the name of Christ, who went to the cross, through death and life for us, we pray. Amen.**

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

◆THE GLORIA NO. 581: “Glory Be to the Father” ..... GLORIA PATRI

**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 TIME WITH CHILDREN .....Bev Jones

*(Children in K-5 are dismissed to go to Children’s Church with Mrs. Bev.)*

**- The Word of the Lord -**

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION ..... Nonie Booth, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Psalm 82 ..... Nonie Booth, Liturgist

God has taken his place in the divine council; in the midst of the gods he holds judgement: ‘How long will you judge unjustly and show partiality to the wicked? Give justice to the weak and the orphan; maintain the right of the lowly and the destitute. Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked.’ They have neither knowledge nor understanding, they walk around in darkness; all the foundations of the earth are shaken. I say, ‘You are gods, children of the Most High, all of you; nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, and fall like any prince.’ Rise up, O God, judge the earth; for all the nations belong to you!

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “All Rise” ..... arr. David T. Clydesdale

*The Sanctuary Choir  
Julianne Laird, Soloist  
Richard Workman, Pianist*

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Luke 10: 25-37 ..... The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus. ‘Teacher,’ he said, ‘what must I do to inherit eternal life?’ He said to him, ‘What is written in the law? What do you read there?’ He answered, ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.’ And he said to him, ‘You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.’ But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, ‘And who is my neighbor?’ Jesus replied, ‘A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, “Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.” Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?’ He said, ‘The one who showed him mercy.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Go and do likewise.’

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God**

THE SERMON: “Like a Good Neighbor” .....The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

## ~We Respond to the Word~

◆ THE HYMN NO. 753: "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace" ..... PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

◆ THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*Spoken responsively*)

ONE: The good neighbor looks beyond the external accidents and discerns those inner qualities that make all human, and therefore, brothers and sisters.

**ALL: Let us be brothers and sisters.**

ONE: Unarmed truth and unconditional love will have the final word in reality.

**ALL: Let us seek truth.**

ONE: Hatred paralyzes life; love releases it. Hatred confuses life; love harmonizes it. Hatred darkens life; love illuminates it.

**ALL: Let us be illumined.**

ONE: Returning violence for violence multiplies violence, adding deeper darkness to a night already devoid of stars. . . Hate cannot drive out hate: only love can do that.

**ALL: Let us love.**

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Spoken responsively*)

(*Please respond to each plea with the phrase, "O Lord, hear our prayers."*)

ONE: "It was like a nightmare."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "Seeing your own friend getting shot in front of you, it's horrifying."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "We just want the truth to come out. We want justice."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "He's got a gun! Gun! If you move, I swear! He's going for the gun!"

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "Officer down. Officer down. Come now. Come now."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "You shot four bullets into him! He was just getting his license and registration."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "All his fellow officers were there. Something is really, really wrong, I thought. The hospital chaplain put his hand out to me and I knew. Nothing is the same. Nothing will ever be the same."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "He served three years in Iraq, came back without a scratch and then he loses his life in the homeland, by one of his own, in the service of his country. It's terrible. There's no words to really describe it."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "He wasn't who the media portrayed him to be. He was just trying to earn a living, to take care of his children."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "Now I'm walking a mile with them. We're wearing the same shoes right now."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "There is simply no place for more violence. We are not going to tolerate more hate and violence tearing apart the families and communities of our home."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "The only way that all lives matter is for each life to matter—black, white, blue."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

ONE: "You never really understand a person until you consider things from his point of view . . . Until you climb inside of his skin and walk around in it."

**ALL: O Lord, hear our prayers.**

(The prayers continue, concluding with the Lord's Prayer)

**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..... Tom Smith, Greeting Elder

THE PIANO OFFERTORY: "It Is Well with My Soul" ..... arr. Evans

◆THE DOXOLOGY NO. 606 ..... 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 ..... Tom Smith, Greeting Elder

***~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~***

◆THE HYMN OF SENDING NO.203: "Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love" ..... CHEREPONI

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆THE CLOSING RESPONSE NO. 300: "We Are One in the Spirit" ..... WE ARE CHRISTIANS  
*The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation*

**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.**

**We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand;  
We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand,  
And together we'll spread the news that God is in our land:  
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love;  
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.**

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE: "Let There Be Peace On Earth" ..... arr. Evans

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***We now go forth in peace to love and serve  
God and God's people in Christ's name!***

## Special Liturgy for Today's Bulletin

The Prayer of Confession for today's worship service originally appeared in the bulletin at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church in Washington D.C. on July 10, 2016. Portions of the Affirmation of Faith and the Prayers of the People originally appeared in the bulletin used in the worship service at the ninety-eighth stated gathering of the Presbytery of New Hope on July 26, 2016 in Wilson, NC.

The Prayers of the People is a litany composed of quotations of those intimately affected by violence in the last few weeks in our nation. They are from eyewitnesses, citizens, and law enforcement, black and white, male and female, family and friends. The lone exception is the last quotation, which is by Harper Lee in *To Kill a Mockingbird*. The Affirmation of Faith is adapted from four quotations attributed to the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., primarily from his work *Strength to Love*.

## Organ (Plus) Concert



Join us on Wednesday, August 24, 2016 at 7:00 pm for an organ concert featuring organist, Jesse Ratcliffe. Jesse is a native to Hinton, West Virginia. He is a

graduate of Concord University, Athens, WV, where he earned his Bachelor's Degree; Shenandoah Conservatory in Winchester, VA earning a Master's Degree in Music; and has completed postgraduate studies at the Westminster Choir College. Jesse is the Director of Music at St. James Episcopal Church in Warrenton, VA and the Carillonneur of Luray Singing Tower in Luray, VA.

The concert will consist of classical greats written for organ. It will also feature a rousing rendition of "A Mighty Fortress is Our God" performed by piano (Jason Evans), organ (Jesse Ratcliffe), handbells and choir. In addition, there will be a gospel choral selection, "We're Marching to Zion" scored for piano, organ and choir. The concert is free and open to the public. A love offering will be taken.

## Grief Support Group



The Outer Banks Presbyterian Church and Duck United Methodist Church have partnered to offer a Grief Support Group for people in

any stage of grief. This Confidential group, led by Lynn Blackburn, meets on Thursday mornings at 10:00 am in the library at Outer Banks Presbyterian Church. For more information, you may contact Lynn at (252) 261-6514 or by sending her an email at [lelyblackburn@embarqmail.com](mailto:lelyblackburn@embarqmail.com).

## Presbyterian Women Fall Gathering



Please join us on Monday, September 12, 2016 at 5:30 pm at

Please join us on Monday, September 12, 2016 at 5:30 pm at the church for our Presbyterian Women's Fall Gathering. Our bible lesson will be presented by The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore. Please bring a covered dish to share. For more information, please contact Carol Moore at (757) 508-1657 or you may send an email to [obxkdhcarol@gmail.com](mailto:obxkdhcarol@gmail.com).

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Saturday  
Aug 27th  
12 pm-7 pm

Desserts Available

Join us for  
Our  
Pig Pick'in  
Fundraiser

Outer Banks Presbyterian  
Church  
MP 8.5  
Roast Pork, Roll, Coleslaw,  
Baked Beans, Drink.  
\$9.00

## ***This Week at OBPC***

### ***Sunday, August 14, 2016***

9:00 am..... Sunday School  
10:00 am ..... Morning Worship

### ***Monday, August 15, 2016***

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

### ***Tuesday, August 16, 2016***

7:30 am ..... A.A.  
10:00 am ..... A.A.  
6:30 pm..... Stated Session Meeting

### ***Wednesday, August 17, 2016***

7:30 am ..... A.A.  
10:00 am ..... A.A.  
6:30 pm ..... Adult Evening Study

### ***Thursday, August 18, 2016***

7:30 am ..... A.A.  
10:00 am ..... A.A.  
10:00 am ..... Grief Support Group

### ***Friday, August 19, 2016***

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

### ***Saturday, August 20, 2016***

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

### ***Sunday, August 21, 2016***

9:00 am..... Sunday School  
10:00 am ..... Morning Worship  
5:00 pm..... Youth Group

### ***Vital Signs***

August 7, 2016 ..... \$7,881.00  
Total for August..... \$7,781.00  
Pennies for Hunger..... \$119.20

### ***Attendance***

August 7 (10:00 am)..... 146

## **Those Serving in Worship**

### **This Week August 14, 2016**

Elder: Tom Smith  
Liturgist: Nonie Booth  
Coffee Hour: Christian Education  
Children's Church:  
Bev Jones

### **Next Week August 21, 2016**

Elder: Tom Smith  
Liturgist: Nonie Booth  
Coffee Hour: Perry/Mogowski  
Children's Church:  
Andrea Braymiller/Lynda Wood

## **Upcoming Flower Schedule**

August 21 ..... Fred & Susan Smith  
August 28..... Available  
September 4..... Patty Rickers

## **Upcoming Coffee Hour Schedule**

August 21 ..... Perry/Mogowski  
August 28..... Fellowship  
September 4..... Helmkamp/Berg

## **Next Sunday at OBPC**

### **August 21: Galatians 3:23-29**

Throughout The Bible, God reveals the fact that we all have dignity because we are created in God's image and we are loved by our Creator. Societies throughout time tend to divide people into insiders and outsiders, the privileged and the underprivileged. In Galatians, Paul shares the equality that we have as Christians. Paul writes, "There is no longer Jew or Greek, slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus." What are the implications for our equality in Christ for the way we treat other people?

## 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  
Jason K. Evans ..... Director of Music Ministries/Organist  
Hollie Writtenberry- Lewis..... Director of Youth, Children & Young Family Ministries  
Heather Day ..... Nursery Caregiver  
Donna L. Frye ..... Church Secretary  
Brenda Feury..... Sexton

## The Session

*Bev Jones, Clerk of Session*

<u>Class of 2016</u>	<u>Class of 2017</u>	<u>Class of 2018</u>
<b>Melanie Cahoon</b> 441-7490	<b>Nonie Booth</b> 261-6058	<b>Buzz Boyd</b> 255-0496
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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 Treasurers'**

Becky Lofton-DeSanto  
(480-0724)  
Barbara Nowland  
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### **Disbursing Treasurer**

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