

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina



A Celebration of the Lord's Day

January 22, 2017
10:00 am

**The Third Sunday
after Epiphany**

A Member 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: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" arr. Dan Miller

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

◆♣THE GATHERING SONG NO. 701: "Lord, Prepare Me" *(Sung twice)*SANCTUARY
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively)*Joseph Lewis, Liturgist

ONE: I love you, O Lord, with all my strength.

ALL: The Lord is my rock, my fortress, and my deliverer. I take my refuge in God.

ONE: I call upon the Lord when I am in distress and I shall be saved from my enemies.

ALL: The Lord is alive and all-powerful! Blessed be the rock of my salvation.

ONE: Let us worship almighty God!

◆THE OPENING PRAYER..... Joseph Lewis, Liturgist

◆♣THE HYMN NO. 769: "For Everyone Born"FOR EVERYONE BORN

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

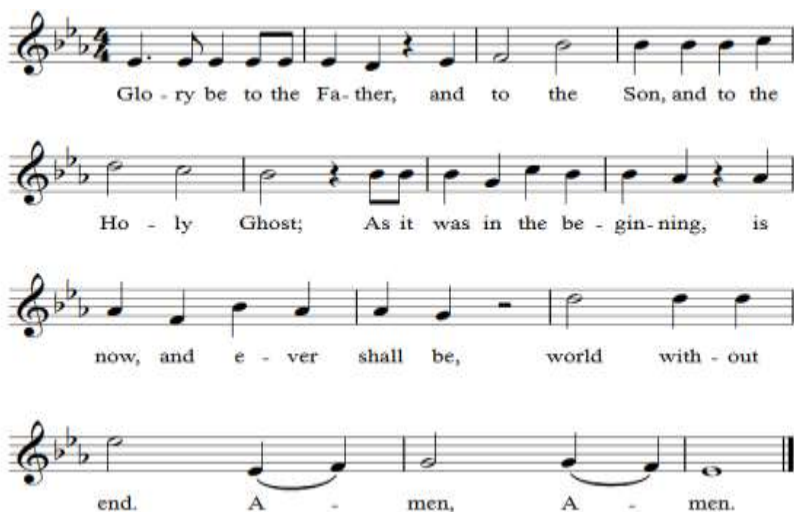
THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Spoken Responsively)*

Almighty and merciful God, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have given into temptation and have drifted away from your presence. You have asked us to be merciful, yet we have spread animosity and ill-will. You have asked us to be pure in heart, but we have followed our own desires. You have asked us to be peacemakers, yet we have been the cause of unrest and dissension. Forgive us and give us your blessing. Grant that we may live a holy, just, and humble life to the glory of your name. Amen.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

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



Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the
Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is
now, and e - ver shall be, world with - out
end. A - men, A - men.

◆◆THE PASSING OF THE PEACE *(Spoken Responsively)*

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

PEOPLE: **And also with you.**

(Children in K-5 are dismissed to go to Children’s Church)

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “I’ll Be There” arr. Mary McDonald
The Sanctuary Choir

~ The Word of the Lord ~

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Joseph Lewis, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Matthew 5: 1-10 Joseph Lewis, Liturgist

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: ‘Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. ‘Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. ‘Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. ‘Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. ‘Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. ‘Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. ‘Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. ‘Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

THE YOUTH SKIT: “Blessed” OBPC Youth Group

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Matthew 5: 11-16 The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

‘Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you. ‘You are the salt of the earth; but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything, but is thrown out and trampled under foot. ‘You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hidden. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON: “Unusual Ways to Be Blessed” The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

~ We Respond to the Word ~

◆THE HYMN NO. 172: “Blest Are They” BLEST ARE THEY

◆THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *(Spoken in Unison)* The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic *(Universal)* church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

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 GIFTSJeanne Martie, Greeting Elder

THE PIANO OFFERTORY: "How Majestic Is Your Name"arr. J. Evans

◆THE DOXOLOGY NO. 606 OLD HUNDRETH



Praise God, from whom all bles-sings flow; Praise Him, all crea tures



here be - low; Praise Him a - bove, ye heav'n-ly host; Praise



Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

◆THE PRAYER OF DEDICATIONJeanne Martie, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~

◆THE HYMN NO.157: "I Danced in the Morning"LORD OF THE DANCE

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆THE CLOSING RESPONSE: "May God's Blessings"Cliff Barrows
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

**May God's blessings surround you each day
as you trust Him and walk in His way.
May His presence within guard and keep you from sin.
Go in peace, go in joy, go in love.
Go in peace, go in joy, go in love.**

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE: "Postlude on "Old Hundredth" arr. Fred Bock

Approximately 15 minutes following worship, we will reconvene for the Annual Congregational Meeting

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

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian

PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY



This morning, The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore will be starting a six-week sermon series on the Sermon on the Mount, which is based on Jesus' message from Matthew 5-7. To supplement this sermon series, Jody will be teaching a six-week Bible study to help us understand Jesus' important lessons from the Sermon on the Mount. The Bible Study will begin on January 24 and will conclude on February 28. We will meet each Tuesday at 5:15 pm in the fellowship hall. As we have done in the past, we will be studying the same Scripture passage that Jody will be preaching on the following Sunday. We hope to see you on Tuesdays this winter for Bible Study!

FAITH KNITTERS TIME / LOCATION CHANGE



The Faith Knitters group has had a change to their schedule concerning time and location. The group will continue to meet on the second and fourth Tuesday's of the month. The new time will be 10:00 am and the new location will be in the church library. Should you have any questions or see additional information regarding Faith Knitters, please see Barbara Nock.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: TODAY



The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held today following the morning worship service. The agenda will be: Presentation of the 2016 Actual Budget, and the 2017 Proposed Budget; Review the Minister's Compensation Package for 2017; and Election of four members of the congregation to the 2017 Nominating Committee.

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING: FEBRUARY 5



On Sunday February 5, our youth will lead our church as we participate in the Souper Bowl of Caring. Started in 1990 by a Presbyterian pastor, Souper Bowl of Caring uses the energy of Super Bowl Sunday to tackle hunger in our own communities and beyond. Youth across the country collect food and money which is donated to local charities to feed hungry people. Last year, Souper Bowl of Caring generated over 8 million dollars with OBPC donating 197 pounds of food and \$691 to the Beach Food Pantry.

Prior to the service, the youth will collect non-perishable foods and following the service, they will be stationed at the exits with pots and pans to collect money. All of our donations will stay local at the Beach Food Pantry, where the youth will weigh and stock the food when they deliver it. We hope you will join us as we TACKLE HUNGER.

NEXT WEEK AT OBPC



Next Sunday, January 29, The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore will be preaching about **The Spirit of the Law** from **Matthew 5:17-30**. Jesus teaches us about God's law. The Old Testament was filled with over 600 laws. Jesus reveals that God's law is a gift. The law points us in the right direction and shows us how to discover the freedom that Christ offers for us to live up to our God-given potential.

This Week at OBPC

Sunday, January 22, 2017

9:00 amSunday School
 10:00 am..... Morning Worship
 11:15 am..... Annual Meeting
 5:00 pmYouth Group

Monday, January 23, 2017

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

Tuesday, January 24, 2017

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

Wednesday, January 25, 2017

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

Thursday, January 26, 2017

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

Friday, January 27, 2017

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

Saturday, January 28, 2017

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

Sunday, January 29, 2017

9:00 amSunday School
 10:00 am..... Morning Worship
 5:30 pmYouth Group

Those Serving in Worship....

This Week....

January 22, 2017

Elder: Jeanne Martie

Liturgist: Joseph Lewis

Coffee Hour:
 Smith/Martie

Children's Church:
 Andrea Braymiller

Next Week...

January 29, 2017

Elder: Jeanne Martie

Liturgist: Margaret Brown

Coffee Hour:
 Finance

Children's Church:
 Hollie & Jody Lewis

Your 2017 Session

During the morning worship service on Sunday, January 15, we had the installation and ordination of the Elder Class of 2019. Jean Basnight and Mollie Bass were installed and Jim Goes was ordained and installed. Meet the current 2017 Session below!



Pictured left to right: Tommy Smith, Mollie Bass, Jean Basnight, Nonie Booth, The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore, Melinda Mogowski, Jeanne Martie, Jim Goes and Kathryn Lamb (Not pictured, Buzz Boyd).

Vital Signs

January 15.....\$9,416.00
 Total for January.....\$14,913.00
 Pennies for Hunger..... \$52.35

Attendance

Jan. 15 103

Meet the Elder Class of 2019



Jean Basnight
 480-1028



Mollie Bass
 480-0858



Jim Goes
 261-1149

PRAYER

changes things

Each day, let us remember the many in our church family who are ill, hurting, homebound, and lonely along with those who have lost loved ones this year. Please continue to keep the following individuals in your thoughts and daily prayers!

Homebound Members & Out of Town Members

Don & Nancy Bierwerth 410 Hastings Ln, Apt. 309, Elizabeth City, NC 27909
Jane Smith 46565 Harry Byrd Hwy Apt. #239 Sterling, VA 20154
Al Grimm 115 Oak Knoll Drive, Nags Head NC 27959-9479
Etta Parrott 3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949
Mickey Meekins Peak Resources, Nags Head
Morris Bennett Hospice at daughter's, Mary Price, 399 Pine Run Rd., Doylestown, PA 18901

Christian Sympathy

Lucy Kidwell upon the death of her mother in Texas (D. Jan. 9)
Jeanne Moore and family upon the death of her Grandmother, Jeanne Clement (D. Dec. 21)
The Family of The Rev. Dr. Richard Batzler (D. Nov. 29)
Bev Jones upon the death of her husband, Spencer (D. Nov. 24)

Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

Norm Sparks Health Concerns
Terry VanderMyde Brain Tumor
Lisa Martinez (*former pastor's wife*) Battling advanced cancer
Gary Martie Health Concerns
Brantley Rogers (*5-year old Grandson of the Frank & Carol Moore*) Heart Surgery on 1/5/17
Patsy Keeler (*Friend of Carol Moore*) Brain Surgery at Duke on 1/16/17
Barbara Rust Recovering from surgery
Jean Basnight Fractured Kneecap
Linda Helmkamp Recovering from knee replacement surgery
John Rickers Health Concerns
Garrett (*Susi & Bobby Gentry's Grandson*) Undergoing medical tests
Jean Mace (*Linda McGee's mother*) Recovering from pneumonia
Al (*friend of Lois Werner*) Colon Cancer
Anita Bennett Recovering from Open Heart Surgery
Jan VanEe Health Concerns
Barry Stelzer (*Donna Lowcher's brother*) Diagnosed with Cancer
Judith Fearing (*friend of Susi Gentry*) Health Concerns
Gwen Engleright Health Concerns
John Creamer Heart Issues
Karen Lurie Battling Cancer
Max Strange Health Concerns
Landon Moore (*The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore's Uncle*) Health Concerns
Billie S. (*Friend of Melinda Mogowski*) Cancer
Donna K. (*Friend of Melinda Mogowski*) Battling Cancer
Bess Hunt Evans (*Margaret Brown's Sister*) Cancer
Etta Parrott Health Concerns
Bud Sheets Health Concerns

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- LewisDirector of Youth, Children & Young Family Ministries
Heather DayNursery Caregiver
Brenda FeurySexton

The Session

Bev Jones, Clerk of Session

Class of 2017

Nonie Booth
261-6058

Kathryn Lamb
202-9151

Melinda Mogowski
441-7195

Class of 2018

Buzz Boyd
255-0496

Jeanne Martie
441-8608

Tom Smith
441-3572

Class of 2019

Jean Basnight
480-1028

Mollie Bass
480-0858

Jim Goes
261-1149

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
(480-0423)

Disbursing Treasurer
Jeanne Martie
(441-8608)

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