

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost/
Tenth Anniversary Celebration for Jason Evans

Sunday, October 15, 2017

10:00 am

Freed
& RENEWED
in **Christ**
500 YEARS OF GOD'S
GRACE IN ACTION

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

This is God's House! All are Welcome!



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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 INSTRUMENTAL PRELUDE (*beginning at 9:40 am*)

- “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing”.....arr. Jason Payne
Jason Evans, organist
- “O Worship the King”..... arr. Joel Raney
Cheryl Needham, pianist & Jason Evans, organist
- “The Lord’s Prayer” arr. J. Evans
Jason Evans, pianist
- “Gabriel’s Oboe with How Great Thou Art” arr. Al van der Beek, Jon Schmidt & Steven Nelson
Timothy Briggs, cellist & Jason Evans, pianist
- “Piano Song”Paul Halley
Cheryl Needham, pianist & Jason Evans, organist

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

♣THE CHORAL INTROIT: “I Call You to Praise” arr. Bill Wolaver
The Sanctuary Choir
Pamela Tanner, soloist

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP (*Spoken Responsively from Psalm 150*) Brenda Brown, Liturgist

ONE: Praise the Lord for all of God’s mighty deeds.

ALL: Praise God with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp!

ONE: Praise God with tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe!

ALL: Praise God with clanging cymbals; praise him with loud clashing cymbals!

ONE: Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!

◆THE OPENING PRAYER..... Brenda Brown, Liturgist

◆♣THE HYMN NO. 634: “To God Be the Glory”TO GOD BE THE GLORY

THE SPECIAL MUSIC: “Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!” Fanny Crosby
Patrice Taylor-Welch, Lauren Taylor & Pamela Tanner

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Spoken in Unison*)

O God, we confess that being Christian is not easy for us. We are naturally prideful, arrogant, and inconsiderate. We confess that spiritual disciplines are not easy for us either. We are not inclined to sit quietly and meditate on your word. We have questioned you, O God, and we have questioned the Bible, and doubted the church’s doctrine. We confess that we can be cynical about others’ motives and unsympathetic to others’ troubles. Strengthen us, O God. Soften our hardened hearts, and fit them for compassionate ministry. Put a fire in our bones for the work of justice and liberation. In Jesus’ name 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.**

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

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “Praise His Holy Name”arr. Bradley Knight
The Sanctuary Choir

~ The Word of the Lord ~

THE MINUTE FOR STEWARDSHIP..... Linda & Gary McGee

THE PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Brenda Brown, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Ephesians 1: 3-14..... Brenda Brown, Liturgist

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, just as he chose us in Christ before the foundation of the world to be holy and blameless before him in love. He destined us for adoption as his children through Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of his will, to the praise of his glorious grace that he freely bestowed on us in the Beloved. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and insight he has made known to us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure that he set forth in Christ, as a plan for the fullness of time, to gather up all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. In Christ we have also obtained an inheritance, having been destined according to the purpose of him who accomplishes all things according to his counsel and will, so that we, who were the first to set our hope on Christ, might live for the praise of his glory. In him you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit; this is the pledge of our inheritance towards redemption as God’s own people, to the praise of his glory.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “At the Name of Jesus” Cindy Berry
The Sanctuary Choir

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: II Chronicles 20:5-12The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

Jehoshaphat stood in the assembly of Judah and Jerusalem, in the house of the Lord, before the new court, and said, ‘O Lord, God of our ancestors, are you not God in heaven? Do you not rule over all the kingdoms of the nations? In your hand are power and might, so that no one is able to withstand you. Did you not, O our God, drive out the inhabitants of this land before your people Israel, and give it forever to the descendants of your friend Abraham? They have lived in it, and in it have built you a sanctuary for your name, saying, “If disaster comes upon us, the sword, judgement, or pestilence, or famine, we will stand before this house, and before you, for your name is in this house, and cry to you in our distress, and you will hear and save.” See now, the people of Ammon, Moab, and Mount Seir, whom you would not let Israel invade when they came from the land of Egypt, and whom they avoided and did not destroy—they reward us by coming to drive us out of your possession that you have given us to inherit. O our God, will you not execute judgement

upon them? For we are powerless against this great multitude that is coming against us. We do not know what to do, but our eyes are on you.'

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON: "God's Eternal Reign".....The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

~ We Respond to the Word ~

◆THE HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 840: "When Peace like a River" VILLE DU HAVRE

◆THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*Spoken in Unison*)(From *A Declaration of Faith*, Ch. 2.1)

God created and rules in love. God created all the worlds that are and upholds and rules everything. We affirm that the universe exists by the power of God's Word and Spirit. God has chosen to give it reality out of the love we have come to know in Christ. God still works through the processes that shape and change the earth and the living things upon it. We acknowledge God's care and control in the regularity of the universe as well as in apparently random happenings. There is no event from which God is absent and God's ultimate purpose in all events is just and loving. That purpose embraces our choices and will surely be accomplished. The Creator works in all things toward the new creation that is promised in Christ.

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 Melinda Mogowski, Greeting Elder

THE INSTRUMENTAL OFFERTORY: "Exaltation".....Clarence Dickinson (1873-1969)

Cheryl Needham, pianist - Jason Evans, organist

Timothy Briggs, cellist - Shannah Boone, violinist

◆THE DOXOLOGY NO. 609 (*Modified*)..... LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below. Alleluia, alleluia;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! Amen.**

◆THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION Melinda Mogowski, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~

◆THE HYMN OF SENDING NO. 269: "Lead On, O King Eternal!"LANCASHIRE

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆THE CHORAL RESPONSE: "All Rise" arr. David Clydesdale

The Sanctuary Choir

Pamela Tanner, soloist

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE: "Postlude on 'Ellacombe'"arr. Jason Payne

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**We now go forth, as ministers, in peace to love and
serve God and God's people in Christ's Name!**

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian

The flowers this morning are given to the Glory of God and in thanksgiving for Jason Evans and the many gifts he has shared with Outer Banks Presbyterian Church over the past ten years.

There will be a basket located in the fellowship hall in which to place well-wishes for Jason.

Flu Clinic on October 15



Immediately after worship this morning, the Rite Aid Pharmacy will be providing flu vaccines at our church. A sign-up sheet is in the Gathering Space. In addition, information forms are available now. Filling them out ahead of time really speeds up the process. Thanks to the Congregational Care Committee and Donna Frye for setting this up.

We Celebrate Jason Evans' 10th Anniversary Today!



This morning, the Music Ministry and Worship Committee present a Service of Worship and Celebration honoring Jason Evans on the occasion of his 10th Anniversary here at Outer Banks Presbyterian. Many friends and guests who have enhanced the many musical programs here will be with us this morning sharing in the celebration. The Prelude music will begin at 9:40 AM with Worship following at 10 AM. A Reception in the Fellowship Hall will follow. OBPC is truly blessed by the many talents Jason shares with us each and every day.

Pastor's Classes on the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation

The Pastor will continue a Study of the Reformation on Tuesdays, October 17 and 24 and on Monday, October 30 at 5:15 pm. This Bible Study is in conjunction with celebrating the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation. We will learn about Martin Luther, John Calvin, and the key theological concepts of the Reformation and its implications for Christians today.

Pancake Supper



The youth will host a pancake supper on Sunday, October 22. Please join us for food, fellowship and fun as well as support our Youth Ministry here at Outer Banks Presbyterian Church. The youth are selling tickets today after worship and at the door. Tickets are \$10 each or \$20 per family. Should you have any questions, please contact Hollie Writtenberry-Lewis at holliewrittenberry@gmail.com or at 252.489-0089.

Third Thursday Luncheon

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This year we will be cutting back on our Third Thursday lunches. Mark your calendar now – lunches will be held on October 19, January 18, and April 19.

Thursday

Our next luncheon will be on Thursday, October 19, at noon at High Cotton in Kitty Hawk (milepost 2 on the Beach Road – across from the Hilton). You will make your own selection off their menu, and receive a separate check. In order for them to have enough seats and staff, please let Jeanne Martie (441-8608 or jlmartie@charter.net) know by Sunday, October 15, if you will be at High Cotton. Hope to see you there!

Luncheon

Stewardship News



In the Gathering Space today, and through Consecration Sunday, is a poster titled "They have told the church about your love." The title is drawn from 3 John verse 6 and embodies part of this year's theme for Stewardship. Next Sunday, Oct. 22, is Consecration Sunday. Please bring your pledge cards with you to church next week!

This Week at OBPC

Sunday, October 15, 2017

9:00 am..... Sunday School
 10:00 amMorning Worship
 11:15 am Flu Shot Clinic
 5:00 pm..... Youth Group

Monday, October 16, 2017

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

Tuesday, October 17, 2017

7:30 amA.A.
 10:00 amA.A.
 5:15 pm.....Pastor's Bible Study
 6:30 pm..... Stated Session

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

7:30 amA.A.
 10:00 amA.A.
 2:00 pm..... Congregational Care Committee
 5:15 pm..... Christian Education Committee
 6:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
 6:30 pm..... Adult Evening Study

Thursday, October 19, 2017

7:30 amA.A.
 10:00 amA.A.
 12:00 pm Third Thursday Luncheon

Friday, October 20, 2017

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

Saturday, October 21, 2017

7:30 amA.A.
 10:00 amA.A.

Sunday, October 22, 2017

9:00 am..... Sunday School
 10:00 am Morning Worship
 5:00 pm..... Pancake Dinner Fund Raiser



Sun., October 8\$10,527.00
 Total for October \$14,778.00
 Pennies for Hunger \$140.39

Attendance

Sun., Oct. 8 (Morning Worship)..... 113

Those Serving Today....

This Week....

October 15, 2017

Greeting Elder:
 Melinda Mogowski

Liturgist: Brenda Brown

Reception:
 Worship Committee

Children's Church:
 Braymiller/Wood

Next Week....

October 22, 2017

Greeting Elder:
 Melinda Mogowski

Liturgist: Jeanne Martie

Coffee Hour:
 Martie/Lamb

Children's Church:
 Ben & Melanie Cahoon

This Morning's Musicians

Jason Evans

Organ/Piano

Cheryl Needham

Piano

Hollie Writtenberry-Lewis

Flute

Suzanne Blackstock

Flute

Christi Briggs

Clarinet

Shannah Boone

Violin

Billy Tanner

Violin

Sue Waters

Viola

Timothy Briggs

Cello/Piano

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.

Homebound, Nursing Home & Out of Town Members

Don & Nancy Bierwerth 410 Hastings Ln, Apt. 309, Elizabeth City, NC 27909
Jane Smith46565 Harry Byrd Hwy., Apt. #239, Sterling, VA 20154
Etta Parrott.....3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949
Mickey Meekins.....Peak Resources, Nags Head
Max Strange 138 Clairborne Creek Dr., W. Monroe, LA 71291

Christian Sympathy

There are no known deaths at time of press.

Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

Cindy Goes Undergoing treatments for cancer
Russel Taylor.....Diagnosed with stage IV Cancer that is quite progressive
Phyllis Porcher (*friend of OBPC Sanctuary Choir*) Recovering from surgery
Jason Evans (*OBPC Music Director/Organist*)...Recovering from serious automobile accident
Norm Sparks Health Concerns
Lou Batzler (*son of the late Rev. Dr. Richard Batzler*)..... Throat Cancer
Claudia (*mother of Louise Roberts*)..... In Rehab recovering from a fall
Ansley Johnson (*Friend of Sharon McRee*) 7-year old with Leukemia
Tim Tiller (*Friend of Kathryn Lamb*)..... Recovering from a Stroke
Richard Pfersick (*Friend of Barbara Rust in Georgia*) Serious Heart Problems
Kathy Ballard (*Daughter of Natalie & Duel Ballard*) Diagnosed with oral cancer
June Harris..... Recovering from Brain Injuries sustained in a car accident
Al (*friend of Lois Werner*) Colon Cancer
Gwen Engleright..... Health Concerns
Margaret Brown..... Health Concerns
Billie S. (*Friend of Melinda Mogowski*) Cancer
Donna K. (*Friend of Melinda Mogowski*) Battling Cancer
Bud Sheets..... Health Concerns
Thomas Bower (*Let Freedom Ring attendee*)..... 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 of 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 or any of our programs, please contact us!

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.

Disbursing Treasurer

Jeanne Martie (441-8608)

Receiving Treasurers'

Becky Lofton-DeSanto
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