

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The 20th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, October 22, 2017

10:00 am



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 ORGAN PRELUDE: "Variations on 'Nettleton'" ar. Al Travis

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

♣THE CHORAL INTROIT: "Lord, Prepare Me" *(Sung twice)*.....SANCTUARY
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

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

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively)*Jeanne Martie, Liturgist

ONE: This Consecration Sunday is an important day in the life of our church.

ALL: It is an important day in our lives as individuals because it is an occasion for us to dedication ourselves to Christ.

ONE: We know that the real blessings of God are for those who are truly committed to our Lord and to his kingdom.

ALL: Therefore we want to offer God our hearts, minds, and souls in all their fullness and follow Jesus with all we have.

ONE: The Lord is our shepherd and leads us into paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

ALL: It is an honor to be God's children and to seek to be faithful to him forever through the lives we lead and the offerings we bring.

◆THE OPENING PRAYERJeanne Martie, Liturgist

◆♣THE HYMN NO. 694: "Great God of Every Blessing" AURELIA

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

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

God of many blessings, we forget all that we have. We are shattered when misfortune strikes and fail to see anything good. Forgive us our lack of perspective. Remind us of all that we do have and help us to quit focusing on what we do not have. Forgive us those times when we have been careless with your creation, careless with each other, and indifferent to the problems surrounding us. Restore us to your grace, mercy, and peace. Amen.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

◆THE GLORIA: "Crown Him with Many Crowns" DIADEMATA

**Crown Him the Lord of heav'n! One with the Father known,
One with the Spirit thro' Him giv'n from yonder glorious throne.
To Thee be endless praise, For Thou hast died for us.
Be Thou, O Lord, thro' endless days adored and magnified.**

◆◆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 Word of the Lord ~

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION..... Jeanne Martie, Liturgist

THE FRIST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Matthew 22: 15-22 Jeanne Martie, Liturgist

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap Jesus in what he said. So, they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, ‘Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?’ But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, ‘Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.’ And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, ‘Whose head is this, and whose title?’ They answered, ‘The emperor’s.’ Then he said to them, ‘Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.’ When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “I Surrender All” arr. Joel Raney
The Sanctuary Choir

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: III John 1-8, 11-15..... The Rev. Dr. Moore

Beloved, I pray that all may go well with you and that you may be in good health, just as it is well with your soul. I was overjoyed when some of the friends arrived and testified to your faithfulness to the truth, namely, how you walk in the truth. I have no greater joy than this, to hear that my children are walking in the truth. Beloved, you do faithfully whatever you do for the friends, even though they are strangers to you; they have testified to your love before the church. You will do well to send them on in a manner worthy of God; for they began their journey for the sake of Christ, accepting no support from non-believers. Therefore, we ought to support such people, so that we may become co-workers with the truth. Beloved, do not imitate what is evil but imitate what is good. Whoever does good is from God; whoever does evil has not seen God. Everyone has testified favorably about Demetrius, and so has the truth itself. We also testify for him, and you know that our testimony is true. I have much to write to you, but I would rather not write with pen and ink; instead I hope to see you soon, and we will talk together face to face. Peace to you. The friends send you their greetings. Greet the friends there, each by name.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON: “Centuries of Supporting God’s Work” The Rev. Dr. Moore

~ We Respond to the Word ~

◆THE HYMN NO. 716: “God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending” BEACH SPRING

◆THE STATEMENT OF FAITH *(Unison)* *A Declaration of Faith (Ch. 2.3)*

God made us to care for other created things. God made human beings along with all other creatures and charged them to care for the earth and all that lives on it. We acknowledge we share in the interdependence that

binds together all God's creation. Yet God gives us power to rule and tame, to order and reshape the world. We hold the earth in trust for future generations of living things. The Lord forbids us to plunder, foul, and destroy the earth. The Lord expects us to produce, to consume and to reproduce in ways that make the earth's goodness available to all people and to reflect God's love for all creatures. The Lord bids us use our technical skills for beauty, order, health, and peace.

THE PRESENTATION OF THE 2018 PLEDGE CARDS

◆THE CHORAL INTROIT: "We Lift Our Voices" OFFERING
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

**We lift out voices; we lift our hands;
We lift our lives up to you: we are an offering.
Lord, use our voices; Lord, use our hands;
Lord, us our lives; they are yours: we are an offering.
All that we have, all that we are, all that hope to be,
We give to you, we give to you.
We lift our voices; we lift our hands;
We lift our lives up to you: we are an offering; we are an offering.**



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 OFERTORY: "Bring You All the Tithes into the Storehouse"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 Melinda Mogowski, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~

◆THE HYMN OF SENDING NO. 697: "Take My Life" (*Verses 1-4 only*) HENDON

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆THE BENEDICTION RESPONSE: "May the Lord, Gracious Lord"Unknown
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

**May the Lord, gracious Lord, bless and keep us forever.
Let us be more like thee in our every endeavor.
Holy Spirit, Eternal God, this we pray together.
May the Lord, gracious Lord, bless and keep us forever.**

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE: "The Solid Rock"arr. Evans

This Week at OBPC

Sunday, October 22, 2017

9:00 am.....Sunday School
10:00 am Morning Worship
4:00 pm.....Sanctuary Choir
5:00 pm..... Pancake Supper

Monday, October 23, 2017

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

Tuesday, October 24, 2017

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

Wednesday, October 25, 2017

7:30 am A.A.
1:00 pm Officer Training
10:00 am A.A.
6:00 pmSanctuary Choir
6:30 pm Adult Evening Study

Thursday, October 26, 2017

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

Friday, October 27, 2017

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

Saturday, October 28, 2017

7:30 am A.A.
10:00 am A.A.
9:00 am.....Presbytery in Goldsboro
10:00 am Sanctuary Choir

Sunday, October 29, 2017

9:00 am.....Sunday School
10:00 am Morning Worship
4:00 pm.....Sanctuary Choir
5:00 pm.....Youth Group



Sun., October 15 \$4,629.00
Total October \$19,407
Pennies for Hunger \$140.39

Attendance

Sun., October 15 (AM) 178

Those Serving Today

This Week....

October 22, 2017

Greeting Elder:
Melinda Mogowski

Liturgist: Jeanne Martie

Coffee Hour:
Jeanne Martie

Children's Church:
Ben & Melanie Cahoon

Next Week....

October 29, 2017

Nonie Booth

Liturgist: Ben Cahoon

Coffee Hour:
Fellowship

Children's Church:
Bev Jones / Jeanne Thomson

Sanctuary Choir Christmas Musical

The Sanctuary Choir has started rehearsing for the 2017 Christmas at Outer Banks Presbyterian musical. If you are interested in singing with us for our Christmas musical, please see Jason Evans or Nonie Booth! We would love to have you!

Ushers & Usher Captain Needed

The Worship Committee is in search of ushers to help greet people, hand out bulletins and collect the offering. There is also a need for an usher captain to be the overall coordinator. If you are interested in serving in either of these capacities, please see Nonie Booth or contact the office!

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian

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



The Pastor will continue a Study of the Reformation on Tuesdays, October 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 This Evening: 5 pm



The youth will host a pancake supper this evening beginning at 5 pm. Please join us for food, fellowship and fun as well as support our Youth Ministry here at our 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 see Hollie Writtenberry-Lewis.

All Saints Sunday: Nov. 5



We will celebrate All Saints on Sunday, November 5, during the morning worship service. On that Sunday, we will remember and celebrate the lives of our church members who died during the past year. All Saints Day, November 1st, commemorates those whom God has chosen, have died in the faith, and have joined the church triumphant. We will be remembering the lives of Morris Bennett, Greg Browder, Al Grimm and Gary Martie.

Called Congregational Meeting: Nov. 12



There will be a called congregational meeting on November 12th after the worship service. The purpose of the meeting is to elect a person to fill the unexpired one-year term on the Session for Buzz Boyd (Class of 2018) who has resigned for personal reasons. The Nominating Committee has recommended Melinda Mogowski for his position.

Considering to Pledge Your Time & Talents!

Today is Consecration Sunday. The Stewardship Committee has asked each member and friend of OBPC to prayerfully consider pledging of their time and talents in 2018. This year we are remembering the 500th Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation. One of the basic ideas of Martin Luther was "the priesthood of all believers." As we think of how to minister to each other, please consider participating in the work of one of our committees. Contact the church office or the committee moderator as you feel God's call:

Administration - Gary McGee

Building and Grounds - Tom Williamson and Tom Smith

Christian Education - Susan Harman-Scott

Congregational Care - Jim Goes

Evangelism - Barbara Nock

Fellowship - Brenda Brown

Finance - Jeff Aldridge

Outreach and Witness - Kevin Sheets

Stewardship - Ben Cahoon

Transportation - Karen Lurie

Worship - Nonie Booth



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 Parrott3400 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

Russell Taylor..... Diagnosed with stage IV Cancer that is quite progressive
Cindy Goes Undergoing Chemotherapy due to cancer
Tommy Redmond..... Lung Cancer due to Agent Orange
Norm Sparks Health Concerns
Lou Batzler (*son of the late Rev. Dr. Richard Batzler*) Throat Cancer
Phyllis Porcher (*friend of OBPC Sanctuary Choir*)..... Recovering from Surgery
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
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
(480-0724)

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The Church Staff

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Bev Jones, Clerk of Session

Class of 2017

Nonie Booth

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441-6400

Melinda Mogowski

441-7195

Class of 2018

Buzz Boyd

255-0496

Jeanne Martie

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Tom Smith

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Class of 2019

Jean Basnight

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Mollie Bass

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Jim Goes

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