Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Third Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, June 25, 2017
10:00 am

To God be the Glory
Great Things He Hath Done!

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 WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please pass the guest pads) ....................... Jeanne Martie

♦ THE CHORAL INTROIT: “The God of All Creation”................................. Dorothy Harrison

The Sanctuary Choir

♦ THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Spoken Responsively) .............................................. Jeanne Martie, Liturgist

ONE: Call on the name of God.

ALL: God hears our voice and listens to our longings.

ONE: Even when times are hard, there is hope in our God.

ALL: Let us worship the God who inspires and calls us to live creatively.

♦ THE OPENING PRAYER.............................................................. Jeanne Martie, Liturgist

♦ THE HYMN NO. 619: “Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven”.........................LAUDA ANIMA

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Spoken in Unison)

Eternal God, forgive us for failing to go and proclaim the gospel to all your children. Like the disciples, we are afraid of being rejected; we are busy; we are scared. You know all our excuses. You call us to travel lightly yet we allow ourselves to become burdened with so much. You call us to proclaim the good news, cure the sick, offer new life to those who are lost. Forgive us our failure to be obedient to your call. Forgive us and send us on our way. In the name of the Risen Christ, 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 Word of the Lord

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

THE EPISTLE LESSON: Romans 6: 1b-11 ......................................................... Jeanne Martie, Liturgist

What then are we to say? Should we continue in sin in order that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin go on living in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? Therefore we have been buried with him by baptism into death, so that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, so we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we will certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the body of sin might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. For whoever has died is freed from sin. But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we will also live with him. We know that Christ, being raised from the dead, will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. The death he died, he died to sin, once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God. So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “He Leadeth Me” ................................................. arr. Mary McDonald The Sanctuary Choir

THE GOSPEL LESSON: Matthew 10: 24-39 ..................................................... The Rev. Walt Hunting

‘A disciple is not above the teacher, nor a slave above the master; it is enough for the disciple to be like the teacher, and the slave like the master. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebul, how much more will they malign those of his household!

‘So have no fear of them; for nothing is covered up that will not be uncovered, and nothing secret that will not become known. What I say to you in the dark, tell in the light; and what you hear whispered, proclaim from the housetops. Do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul; rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in hell. Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground unperceived by your Father. And even the hairs of your head are all counted. So do not be afraid; you are of more value than many sparrows. ‘Everyone therefore who acknowledges me before others, I also will acknowledge before my Father in heaven; but whoever denies me before others, I also will deny before my Father in heaven.

‘Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; and one’s foes will be members of one’s own household. Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON: “Choices” ................................................................. The Rev. Walt Hunting

We Respond to God’s Word

♦THE HYMN NO. 828: “More Love to Thee, O Christ” ........................................ OLIVET

♦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; 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 GIFTS ................................................. Tom Smith, Greeting Elder

THE ORGAN OFFERTORY: “Lord of All Hopefulness” .................................. arr. Dale Wood

♦ 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. 81: “Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”......... AUSTRIAN HYMN

♦ 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: “Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven” ...... arr. Michael Burkhardt

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The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this morning by Barbara Nock
in loving memory of her husband Richard who was born on
Feb. 6, 1937 and went to be with the Lord on June 18, 2007.

Next Sunday at Outer Banks Presbyterian

Join us next Sunday morning, July 2 as we welcome The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore back to the pulpit following an 8-week sabbatical. We will observe The Sacrament of Holy Communion and Dr. Moore will deliver a message from Psalm 121. In this passage, the psalmist recognizes that his help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. What does it look like for us to put our faith in God as our keeper, who offers us shade and protection? The Lord invites us to put our trust in God’s wonderful promises.
News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian

A Special Thanks!

On behalf of the entire Outer Banks Presbyterian Church the Worship Committee and Session wish to express our deep appreciation and thank you to Walt Hunting. Walt has served as our interim for the past two months while Jody has been on his sabbatical. It has been a delight to have Walt and his wife, Elizabeth, with us every Sunday. Their granddaughter also participated in VBS. We are grateful for the inspiring sermons, visitations to those in need, moderating a Session meeting and the warmth and friendliness of their smiles, handshakes and hugs each week. We wish God’s blessings on them both and look forward to future visits.

Nominations for Elder Class of 2020

The Nominating Committee for the Elder Class of 2020 requests your input for Session members for the Class of 2020. We ask that prayerful nominations from our congregation reflect the values of our Church:

- Participation in Church life;
- Christian Living in daily life;
- Willingness to seek God’s will and the common good.

Nomination forms may be placed in the box that is located in the narthex until Sunday, July 2, 2017.

Baby Shower Today for our Director Youth, Children and Young Families

All women of the church are invited to a Baby Shower for Hollie Writtenberry-Lewis this afternoon, June 25th, 5:30 – 7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Hollie and Jody, along with Cailin, Joseph and Elisabeth, are expecting a baby boy in August. This is a wonderful and exciting time for them and for our church. Monetary gifts are being collected by Karen Lurie, Barbara Nock and Nonie Booth. These monies will be used to buy a crib with all the “trimmings”. If you would like to attend please let one of these ladies know. Also, if you are attending and would like to provide a heavy hors d’oeuvre type food – that would be great!! We hope you will be able to participate in this happy time.

Tenth Annual “Let Freedom Ring” Concert Next Sunday

The Music Ministry of Outer Banks Presbyterian Church invites you to join us on Sunday, July 2, at 5 pm for our tenth annual Let Freedom Ring patriotic concert. This musical presentation consists of song selections to celebrate our Country’s independence presented by a 70-voice choir and 17-piece orchestra. The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore will narrate along with Scout Troop #116 presenting the Colours and carrying the flags representing each of the Armed Forces. Additionally, we will honor both active military and veterans with a special presentation. Guest conductor, Kyle Cook, will direct the choir and orchestra for the performance. Kyle has been the choral director at Currituck and Moyock Middle Schools for the past four years as well as is the conductor for the Outer Banks Chorus for the last two years. Guest solo vocalists include; Pamela Tanner, Elaine Reed, Kim LeClaire, Lew Gregory and Shannah Boone. We invite all to attend this moving patriotic presentation. Admission is free, and a freewill love offering will be taken. Nursery will be provided. For additional information about the concert, please call 441-5897 or visit us on the web at www.outerbankspresbyterian.org.
This Week at OBPC

**Sunday, June 25, 2017**
9:00 am............................. Sunday School
10:00 am.......................... Morning Worship
4:00 pm .................... Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
5:00 pm............................ Youth Group

**Monday, June 26, 2017**
7:30 am.............................. A.A.
10:00 am.............................. A.A.
6:30 pm.............................. Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, June 27, 2017**
7:30 am.............................. A.A.
10:00 am.............................. A.A.

**Wednesday, June 28, 2017**
7:30 am.............................. A.A.
10:00 am.............................. A.A.
6:00 pm .................... Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
6:30 pm ................... Adult Evening Study

**Thursday, June 29, 2017**
7:30 am.............................. A.A.
10:00 am.............................. A.A.

**Friday, June 30, 2017**
7:30 am.............................. A.A.
10:00 am.............................. A.A.
8:00 am............................ Men’s Bible Study

**Saturday, July 1, 2017**
7:30 am.............................. A.A.
10:00 am.............................. A.A.

**Sunday, July 2, 2017**
9:00 am............................. Sunday School
10:00 am.......................... Morning Worship
1:30 pm ............ Sanctuary Orchestra Rehearsal
2:00 pm............. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
5:00 pm............. Let Freedom Ring Concert

**Sun., June 18**............................... $7,380.00
Total for June ...................... $23,738.23
Pennies for Hunger .................... $144.11
Pentecost Offering..................... $572.00

**Attendance**
Sun., June 18............................... 142

Those Serving Today....

**This Week.... June 25, 2017**
Greeting Elder: Tom Smith
Liturgist: Jeanne Martie
Coffee Hour:
Administration Committee
Children's Church:
Jones / Morgan

Next Week....  
July 2, 2017
Greeting Elder: Melinda Mogowski
Liturgist: Nonie Booth
Coffee Hour:
Worship Committee
Children's Church:
Jones / Morgan

**Let Freedom Ring**
**Patriotic Concert**
Sunday, July 2, 2017
5 pm

**Choral Festival Concert**
Sunday, August 27, 2017
4 pm

**World Renowned**
**Concert Pianist**
**Teresa Walters**
Sunday, October 1, 2017
4 pm

**Cotton Patch Gospel**
Saturday, October 14, 2017
7 pm
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 Smith ................................................................. 46565 Harry Byrd Hwy Apt. #239 Sterling, VA 20154  
Al Grimm *(in hospice care at home)* .............................. 115 Oak Knoll Drive, Nags Head NC 27959-9479  
Etta Parrott ........................................................................... 3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949  
Mickey Meekins ..................................................................... Peak Resources, Nags Head

**Christian Sympathy**

- To Marilyn Smith in the death of her mother, Katherine Griffin Nowell.  
- To Corinne Abernethy in the death of her brother.

**Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns**

Helen Gauvreau .................................................................................................. Health Concerns  
Richard Pfersick *(Friend of Barbara Rust in Georgia)* .................................. Serious Heart Problems  
Kathy Ballard *(Daughter of Natalie & Duel Ballard)* .................................. Diagnosed with oral cancer  
Lori Noble Gallagher *(Daughter of Ann & Bill Noble)* .......................... Recovering from a Stroke  
June Harris ................................................................. Recovering from Brain Injuries sustained in an automobile accident  
Gary Martie ................................................................................................. Health Concerns  
Al *(friend of Lois Werner)* ................................................................. Colon Cancer  
Gwen Engleright ......................................................................................... Health Concerns  
Al Grimm ................................................................................................. Health Concerns  
Billie S. *(Friend of Melinda Mogowski)* ...................................................... Cancer  
Donna K. *(Friend of Melinda Mogowski)* .................................................. Battling Cancer  
Etta Parrott ................................................................................................. Health Concerns  
Bud Sheets ................................................................................................. Health Concerns

**New Address for Max Strange**

Max Strange has now moved to Louisiana since the death of his wife, Jackie. Max’s last Sunday with us was on Sunday, June 4th. His new address is:

Max Strange  
138 Clairborne Creek Drive  
W. Monroe, Louisiana 71291
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.

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Jeanne Martie (441-8608)

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