

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost &
The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Sunday, July 2, 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!

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: "Prelude on 'Finlandia'"Jean Sibelius (1865-1957) / arr. Whitworth

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS *(Please pass the guest pads & Pennies for Hunger Baskets)*

◆⚡THE CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT NO. 337: "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" *(Vs. 1 Only)*..... AMERICA

**My country, 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrim's pride,
From every mountain side let freedom ring.**

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively based on Psalm 80)*Nonie Booth, Liturgist

ONE: You are my God; be gracious to me, O Lord, for I cry to you to deliver me.

**ALL: For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all
who call on your name.**

ONE: For you are great and do wonderful things.

**ALL: Teach us your ways, O Lord, so we may walk in your truth; give us an undivided
heart to revere your name.**

ONE: Let us worship almighty God!

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

◆⚡THE HYMN NO. 331: "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand" NATIONAL HYMN

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

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

Triune God, Holy Three, Holy One, we confess that we do not know how to look for you. We do not sense your nearness, and if there are angels among us, we are unaware. We do not show the kind of hospitality to strangers that Abraham showed to you. We do not trust that our hardships can be transformed by your Spirit. O Lord, forgive us. Send us out with your good news so that others will also receive your blessings. 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 FOR CHILDREN The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

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

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “Creation Will Be at Peace”Anna Laura Page
The Sanctuary Choir

THE OFFERING OF GIFTS Melinda Mogowski, Greeting Elder

THE ORGAN OFFERTORY: “If My People” arr. Bob Krogstad

◆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

~ The Word of the Lord ~

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Nonie Booth, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: 1st Peter 2:2-5, 9-10 Nonie Booth, Liturgist

Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation—if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God’s sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God’s people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

THE SPECIAL MUSIC: “My Help Cometh from the Lord” (*Based on Psalm 121*)arr. Cymbala
Lauren Taylor, Soloist

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Psalm 121 The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

I lift up my eyes to the hills—from where will my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. He will not let your foot be moved; he who keeps you will not slumber. He who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade at your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The Lord will keep your going out and your coming in from this time on and for evermore.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON: “Our True Light” The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

◆THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*Spoken in Unison*)(from *the Iona Abbey Worship Book*)

**We believe in God above us, maker and sustainer of all life, of sun and moon,
of male and female.**

We believe in God beside us, Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh, born of a woman, servant of the poor, tortured and nailed to a tree. He descended into the earth, to the place of death. On the third day he rose from the tomb. He ascended into heaven, to be everywhere present, and his kingdom will come on earth.

We believe in God within us, the Holy Spirit of Pentecostal fire, life-giving breath of the church, spirit of healing and forgiveness, source of resurrection and of eternal life. Amen.

~ The Sacrament of Holy Communion ~

◆THE HYMN NO. 45: "I to the Hills Will Lift My Eyes" (Psalm 121) DUNDEE

THE INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE & THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

LEADER: The Lord be with you.

PEOPLE: **And also with you.**

LEADER: Lift up your hearts.

PEOPLE: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

LEADER: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

PEOPLE: **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

LEADER: As we join with all the angels singing:

**Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.



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 COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

We offer communion by intinction.

Dip the bread in the chalice as it is passed to you.

When taking the bread say: This is the body of Christ given for you.

When taking the cup say: This is the blood of Christ shed for you.

THE PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~

◆THE HYMN OF SENDING NO. 340: "This Is My Song"FINLANDIA

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆THE CLOSING RESPONSE: "God, Bless America"Irvin Berlin (1898-1989)

The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

God, Bless America - Land that I love

Stand beside her and guide her thru the night with a light from above.

From the mountains to the prairies to the oceans white with foam -

God bless America, my home sweet home -

God bless America, my home sweet home.

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE: "America, the Beautiful" arr. Harold DeCou

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**The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this morning by
Tom & Marilyn Smith in loving memory of Marilyn's mother,
Katherine G. Nowell who passed away on May 27, 2017**

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian

Welcome Back!



We would like to take this opportunity to welcome The Rev. Dr. Moore back in the pulpit this morning following an 8 week sabbatical. We hope you are rejuvenated from your study, travel and time with your wife, Jeanne, and your twins, Joseph and Anna. We are excited to you have back home this week!

Nominations for Elder Class of 2020 (Today is the Final Day!)

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 through this morning Sunday, July 2, 2017.

Next Sunday at OBPC

Next Sunday, July 9, The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore will begin a series called "Jonah: The Reluctant Prophet Experiences God's Grace". Jonah is one of pastor's favorite books of the Bible. Jonah is more than just a story about a big fish! Compared to most books of the Bible, it is very short (only four chapters), but it has tremendous meaning for how we live as Christians today. Many of us can relate to Jonah. God interrupts his life when things seem to be going just fine for him. By sending Jonah where he does not wish to go, God teaches Jonah about his calling, expressing honest pain, repentance, and grace.



HOME OF THE FREE

HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



This Week at OBPC

Sunday, July 2, 2017

9:00 am..... Sunday School
 10:00 amMorning Worship
 1:30 pm Sanctuary Orchestra Rehearsal
 2:00 pm..... Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
 5:00 pm..... Let Freedom Ring Concert

Monday, July 3, 2017

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

Tuesday, July 4, 2017 Church Offices Closed

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

Wednesday, July 5, 2017

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

Thursday, July 6, 2017

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

Friday, July 7, 2017

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

Saturday, July 8, 2017

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

Sunday, July 9, 2017

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



Sun., June 25..... \$4,139.00
 Total for June \$27,877.23
 Pennies for Hunger \$144.11
 Vacation Bible School.....\$247.80
 Pentecost Offering.....\$572.00

Attendance

Sun., June 25..... 122

Those Serving Today....

This Week.... July 2, 2017

Greeting Elder: Melinda Mogowski

Liturgist: Nonie Booth

Coffee Hour:
 Worship Committee

Children's Church:
 Hollie & Jody Lewis

Next Week.... July 9, 2017

Greeting Elder: Melinda Mogowski

Liturgist: Jeanne Martie

Coffee Hour:
 Congregational Care

Children's Church:
 Hollie & Jody Lewis



Let Freedom Ring Patriotic Concert

This Evening
 5 pm

Choral Festival Concert

Sunday, August 27, 2017
 4 pm

World Renowned Concert Pianist Teresa Walters

Sunday, October 1, 2017
 4 pm



Saturday, October 14, 2017
 7 pm

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
Al Grimm (*in hospice care at home*)..... 115 Oak Knoll Drive, Nags Head NC 27959-9479
Etta Parrott3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949
Mickey Meekins Peak Resources, Nags Head

Christian Sympathy

- To Arlene Evans in the death of her sister, Christine Copeland, and Jason Evans in the death of his aunt, Christine Copeland, on Thurs., June 29. Funeral Services and Burial will be in Hertford, NC.
- Jerry Hale in the death of his sister.

Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

Ansley Johnson (*Friend of Sharon McRee*)..... 7-year old undergoing treatment for Leukemia.
Helen Gauvreau Health Concerns
Richard Pfersick (*Friend of Barbara Rust in Georgia*) Serious Heart Problems
Kathy Ballard (*Daughter of Natalie & Duell 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
Lois Werner 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.

Disbursing Treasurer

Jeanne Martie (441-8608)

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