

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church  
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, July 30, 2017

10:00 am

PART IV IN A SERMON SERIES ON

**JONAH**

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

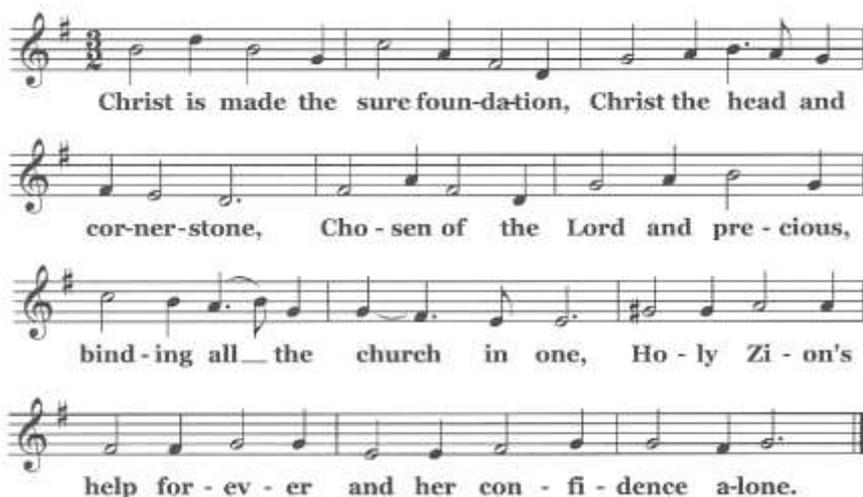
♠ = Appropriate times to be Seated when Arriving After Service Begins

## ~ We Gather Together as God's People ~

THE ORGAN PRELUDE: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" .....arr. D. Miller

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

◆♠THE GATHERING: "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation"..... WESTMINSTER ABBY  
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation



Christ is made the sure foun-dation, Christ the head and  
cor-ner-stone, Cho-sen of the Lord and pre-cious,  
bind-ing all the church in one, Ho-ly Zi-on's  
help for-ev-er and her con-fi-dence a-lone.

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP (*Spoken Responsively*) ..... Jean Basnight, Liturgist

One: God is a stronghold for the oppressed, a refuge in times of trouble.

**All: Those who know your name put their trust in you.**

One: You, O Lord, have not forsaken those who seek you.

**All: Sing praises to the Lord! Declare God's deeds in the congregation!**

One: The mercies of the Lord come to us anew every morning.

**All: Let us worship God!**

◆THE OPENING PRAYER ..... Jean Basnight, Liturgist

◆♠THE HYMN NO. 307: "God of Grace and God of Glory" ..... CWM RHONDDA

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

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

**O God, you do not look on our outward appearance but on our hearts. You see the truth within us: the evil that we try to hide, the impure motives behind our good deeds, and the ways we waver in our devotion to you. God, there are times we resent how gracious you are to people we do not think deserve your mercy. Change our hearts and cleanse us from sin. Help us to live with integrity so that we may serve you faithfully. 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 ..... Jean Basnight

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

**~ The Word of the Lord ~**

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION.....Jean Basnight, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Luke 15: 22-32.....Jean Basnight, Liturgist

But the father said to his slaves, “Quickly, bring out a robe—the best one—and put it on him; put a ring on his finger and sandals on his feet. And get the fatted calf and kill it, and let us eat and celebrate; for this son of mine was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found!” And they began to celebrate. ‘Now his elder son was in the field; and when he came and approached the house, he heard music and dancing. He called one of the slaves and asked what was going on. He replied, “Your brother has come, and your father has killed the fatted calf, because he has got him back safe and sound.” Then he became angry and refused to go in. His father came out and began to plead with him. But he answered his father, “Listen! For all these years I have been working like a slave for you, and I have never disobeyed your command; yet you have never given me even a young goat so that I might celebrate with my friends. But when this son of yours came back, who has devoured your property with prostitutes, you killed the fatted calf for him!” Then the father said to him, “Son, you are always with me, and all that is mine is yours. But we had to celebrate and rejoice, because this brother of yours was dead and has come to life; he was lost and has been found.””

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “At the Name of Jesus” .....Cindy Berry

*Text adapted from Philippians 2: 6-11  
The Sanctuary Choir*

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Jonah 4: 1-11 ... The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

But this was very displeasing to Jonah, and he became angry. He prayed to the Lord and said, ‘O Lord! Is not this what I said while I was still in my own country? That is why I fled to Tarshish at the beginning; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and ready to relent from punishing. And now, O Lord, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live.’ And the Lord said, ‘Is it right for you to be angry?’ Then Jonah went out of the city and sat down east of the city, and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, waiting to see what would become of the city. The Lord God appointed a bush, and

made it come up over Jonah, to give shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort; so Jonah was very happy about the bush. But when dawn came up the next day, God appointed a worm that attacked the bush, so that it withered. When the sun rose, God prepared a sultry east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint and asked that he might die. He said, 'It is better for me to die than to live.' But God said to Jonah, 'Is it right for you to be angry about the bush?' And he said, 'Yes, angry enough to die.' Then the Lord said, 'You are concerned about the bush, for which you did not labor and which you did not grow; it came into being in a night and perished in a night. And should I not be concerned about Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than a hundred and twenty thousand people who do not know their right hand from their left, and also many animals?'

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON: "Getting Angry about the Wrong Things" ...The Rev. Dr. Moore

### ~We Respond to the Word~

◆THE HYMN NO. 761: "Called as Partners in Christ's Service".....BEECHER

◆THE DECLARATION OF FAITH (*Spoken in Unison*)..... The Nicene Creed (Ecumenical)

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and became truly human. For our sake, he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day, he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son, he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. 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 ..... Melinda Mogowski, Greeting Elder

THE ORGAN OFFERTORY: "Praise Him! Praise Him!" ..... arr. M. McDonald

◆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 SENDING NO.475: "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" ..... NETTLETON

◆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: "Te Deum" ..... Marc-Antoine Charpentier (1636-1704)

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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

### Sermon Series on Jonah

The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore is continuing a series called "Jonah: The Reluctant Prophet Experiences God's Grace". This morning, Dr. Moore will be preaching from Jonah chapter 4 where God is merciful to and bestows grace upon the people of Nineveh. Rather than seeing it as good news, Jonah sulks because God is not fair. Scripture, however, reveals that it is much better for God to be gracious rather than fair!

### Montreat Youth Conference

Please be in prayer for our youth group and adult sponsors as they left yesterday to travel to Montreat for the youth conference, "A Missing Peace." They will be returning on Saturday, August 5. Throughout the week, our youth will attend small groups, recreation, and relevant worship and keynote addresses. Our youth will stay in a house together for the week where they become a family, sharing the cooking and housekeeping responsibilities. This is sure to be a life-changing week for our youth, and we have a very large group attending this year!

### Prospective New Members Gathering

If you are interested in learning more about our church, we invite you to join us for a "Getting to Know You" luncheon after church on Sunday, August 13 in the fellowship hall. We welcome you to become a part of our church family. Please RSVP to Donna in the church office at 252.441.5897. We look forward to meeting each of you!

## This Week at OBPC

### Sunday, July 30, 2017

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

### Monday, July 31, 2017

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

### Tuesday, August 11, 2017

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

### Wednesday, August 2, 2017

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

### Thursday, August 3, 2017

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

### Friday, August 4, 2017

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

### Saturday, August 5, 2017

*Youth Return from Montreat*

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

### Sunday, August 6, 2017

9:00 am.....Sunday School  
10:00 am ..... Morning Worship  
11:15 am ..... Session Meeting  
4:00 pm ..... Sanctuary Choir  
5:00 pm..... Youth Group



Sun., July 23..... \$3,735.00  
Total for July .....\$26,649.50  
Pennies for Hunger.....\$51.81

### Attendance

Sun., July 23 ..... 174

## Those Serving Today

### This Week....

**July 30, 2017**

Greeting Elder:  
Melinda Mogowski

Liturgist: Jean Basnight

Coffee Hour:  
Dorcas Circle

Children's Church:  
Hardy/Davis

### Next Week...

**August 6, 2017**

Greeting Elder:  
Mollie Bass

Liturgist: Brenda Brown

Coffee Hour:  
Hope, Faith & Love Circle

Children's Church:  
Bev Jones

## Upcoming Events

### Montreat Youth Conference

July 29 – August 5

### Choral Festival Concert

Sunday, August 27, 2017  
4 pm

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Worship/Picnic

Sunday, Sept. 10, 2017  
10:30 am

### Presbyterian Women Fall Gathering

Thursday, Sept. 14, 2017  
5:30 pm

### World Renowned Concert Pianist, Teresa Walters

Sunday, October 1, 2017  
4 pm

### Cotton Patch Gospel

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 Smith .....46565 Harry Byrd Hwy., Apt. #239, Sterling, VA 20154
- Etta Parrott .....3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949
- Mickey Meekins..... Peak Resources, Nags Head

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## Christian Sympathy

We express our Christian sympathy to the family of Al Grimm who passed away on Wednesday, July 26 in his home. Please keep his wife, Shirley and their children and grandchildren your thoughts and prayers. Funeral Services will be held here at the Outer Banks Presbyterian Church on Thursday, August 10th at 2:00 pm.

We express our Christian sympathy to the family of Lori O'Neil. Lori, 47, who passed away on Monday, July 24 in her home and leaves behind her husband, John, her 6 children and her parents. Jon & Lori are members of Holy Redeemer Catholic Church.

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## Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

- Norm Sparks ..... Health Concerns
- Gary Martie (*In hospice at home*) ..... 209 Eagle Dr., Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948
- Lou Batzler (*son of the late Rev. Dr. Richard Batzler*) ..... Throat Cancer
- Claudia (*mother of Louise Roberts*) ..... 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 an 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

## **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)

Barbara Nowland  
(480-0423)

## **The Church Staff**

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**Heather Day**  
Nursery Caregiver

**Brenda Feury**  
Sexton

## **The Stated Session**

**Bev Jones, Clerk of Session**

### Class of 2017

**Nonie Booth**  
261-6058

**Kathryn Lamb**  
441-6400

**Melinda Mogowski**  
441-7195

### Class of 2018

**Buzz Boyd**  
255-0496

**Jeanne Martie**  
441-8608

**Tom Smith**  
441-3572

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**Jean Basnight**  
480-1028

**Mollie Bass**  
480-0858

**Jim Goes**  
261-1149