

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

REJOICE
& Give Thanks
GOD'S HOUSE, OUR TIME

Sunday, August 20, 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 PRELUDE..... Nonie Booth

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

♣THE CHORAL INTROIT "The God of All Creation" Dorothy Harrison
The Sanctuary Choir

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively from Psalm 92)*Kevin Sheets

ONE: It is good to give thanks to the Lord and to sing praises
to your name, O Most High.

**ALL: I will declare your steadfast love in the morning, and your
faithfulness throughout the night.**

ONE: For you, O Lord, have made me glad by your work.

ALL: At the work of your hands, I will sing for joy. Let us worship God!

◆THE OPENING PRAYER.....Kevin Sheets

♣◆THE HYMN NO. 826: "Lift High the Cross"CRUCIFER

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

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

**Holy God, we confess that we have not been obedient to your will for us.
We have sought justice for ourselves but neglected justice for others. We
have insisted on our rights but have not lived rightly in our relationships.
We have desired mercy for our sins, but we have not offered mercy to
those who have sinned against us. By the power of your Holy Spirit, free
us from the prison of our disobedience. Help us to love as you have loved
us Lord that our lives may testify to your abounding grace through Jesus
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.

THE TIME FOR CHILDREN Mrs. Barbara Hardy

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

~ The Word of the Lord ~

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION..... Kevin Sheets

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Psalm 133 Kevin Sheets

How very good and pleasant it is when kindred live together in unity! It is like the precious oil on the head, running down upon the beard, on the beard of Aaron, running down over the collar of his robes. It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of Zion. For there the Lord ordained his blessing, life for evermore.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “Seek Ye First”Karen Lafferty

The Sanctuary Choir

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Romans 12: 9-21 The Rev. Dr. Moore

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honor. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, ‘Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.’ No, ‘if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.’ Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON: “Holding Fast to Goodness” The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

~ We Respond to the Word ~

THE HYMN NO. 372: “O for a World” AZMON

◆THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *(Spoken in Unison)*

Adapted from The Confessions of Belhar

We believe in the Triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, who gathers, protects, and cares for the church through Word and Spirit. This God has done since the beginning of the world and will do to the end. We believe in one holy, universal Christian church, the communion of saints called from the entire human family. . . We believe that God has entrusted the church with the message of reconciliation in and through Jesus Christ; that the church is called to be the salt of the earth and the light of the world, that the church is called blessed because it is a peacemaker, that the church is witness both by word and deed to the new heaven and new earth in which righteousness dwells.

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 GIFTSBuzz Boyd, Greeting Elder

THE OFFERTORY Nonie Booth

◆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 DEDICATIONBuzz Boyd, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~

◆THE SENDING NO. 727: "Will You Let Me Be Your Servant" THE SERVANT SONG

◆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 POSTLUDE Nonie Booth

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**We now go forth in peace to love and serve
God and God's people in Christ's name!**

**The Rosebud is placed in the sanctuary this morning in honor
of baby Gideon Wayne Writtenberry-Lewis who was
born on Tuesday, August 8, 2017.**

**The beautiful flowers placed in the sanctuary last Sunday, August 13,
were given in loving memory of Stan Dutt by his wife, Ruth.**

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian

Choral Festival Concert Next Sunday!



The Eastern Carolina Concert Society (ECCS) is pleased to announce it is sponsoring a Choral Festival Concert next Sunday, August 27, 4 p.m., here at Outer Banks Presbyterian Church, The ECCS is excited to welcome the return of Ms. Billye Brown-Youmans, widely acclaimed performing vocalist; Virginia Wesleyan University Instructor; clinician, conductor; and music director at Great Bridge Presbyterian Church in Chesapeake, VA. Mrs. Brown-Youmans will conduct a community choir of approximately 50 singers, accompanied by Jason Evans, organ/piano; Cheryl Needham, piano; and Virginia Symphony brass and timpani/percussion. The concert is free and open to the public. A love offering will be received.



Helping Ocracoke

Disaster
Relief

This is the final week that we will be collecting supplies to those impacted in Ocracoke by the recent power outage. A shopping list of needed items may be found at the visitor's center. If you would rather participate financially, monetary donations will be accepted at the display in the Gathering Space. If you write a check, make it to OBPC and put on the memo line, "Helping Ocracoke". You may bring your donations or items to the church office any day during the week or next Sunday morning and we will be delivering the supplies to them.

New Members to be Received



On Sunday, September 3, we will be receiving new members into our church family. Should you be interested in membership, we encourage you to speak with the pastor, any staff member or elder for more information!

**Save
the
Date**



Second Annual Worship & Picnic

September 10 | 10:30 am

We will have our second annual "Worship Service/Picnic" at Soundside Park in Point Harbor, just across the Wright Memorial Bridge. Lunch will be catered by Darrell's II - barbecue, fried chicken and all the fixins! It will be a wonderful time of worship and fellowship together.

Presbyterian Women Fall Gathering

Thurs. , September 14,
5:30 pm



Presbyterian Women Fall Retreat

Saturday - Sunday,
October 28-29, 2017

This Week at OBPC

Sunday, August 20, 2017

9:00 am.....Sunday School
10:00 am Morning Worship
11:15 amHealing Service
4:00 pm Choral Festival Rehearsal

Monday, August 21, 2017

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

Tuesday, August 22, 2017

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

Wednesday, August 23, 2017

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

Thursday, August 24, 2017

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

Friday, August 25, 2017

7:30 am A.A.
10:00 am A.A.
8:00 am..... Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm..... Choral Festival Rehearsal

Saturday, August 26, 2017

7:30 am A.A.
9:30 am..... Choral Festival Rehearsal
10:00 am A.A.

Sunday, August 27, 2017

9:00 am.....Sunday School
10:00 am Morning Worship
1:30 pm Choral Festival Rehearsal
4:00 pmChoral Festival Concert
5:00 pm..... Youth Group



Sun., August 13.....\$5,599.00
Total for August.....\$13,177.00
Pennies for Hunger.....\$138.87

Attendance

Sun., August 13121

Those Serving Today

This Week....

August 20, 2017

Greeting Elder:
Buzz Boyd

Liturgist: Kevin Sheets

Coffee Hour:
Goes/Mogowski

Children's Church:
Hardy/Davis

Next Week...

August 27, 2017

Greeting Elder:
Buzz Boyd

Liturgist: Brenda Brown

Coffee Hour:
Fellowship

Children's Church:
Braymiller/Wood

Upcoming Events

Choral Festival Concert

Sunday, August 27, 2017
4 pm

2nd 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 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

The Al Grimm Family: Al passed away on July 26. Continue to keep Shirley and the family in your thoughts and prayers. Funeral services were held here at Outer Banks Presbyterian on Thursday, August 10.

The Gary Martie Family: Gary passed away on August 5. Continue to keep Jeanne and the family in your thoughts and prayers. Funeral services were held here at Outer Banks Presbyterian on Monday, August 14.

Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

Faculty and Staff of Dare Co. Schools..... Returning to school tomorrow, Aug. 21
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 & Duell 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
Thomas Bower (*Let Freedom Ring attendee*) Health Concerns
The Family of Lori O'Neil Died on 7/24 – leaves behind husband & 6 children

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'
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