

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

A Celebration
of the Lord's Day

February 11, 2018
10:00 am



**Transfiguration
of the Lord**

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

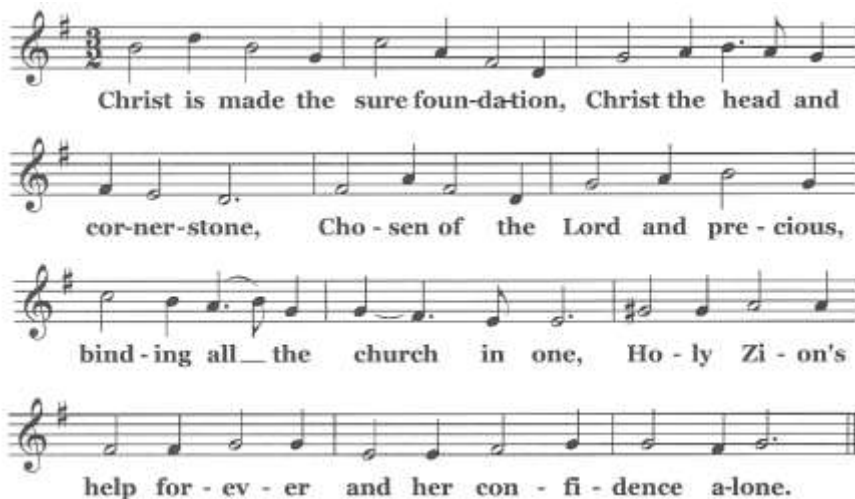
♠ = Appropriate times to be Seated when Arriving After Service Begins

~ We Gather Together as God's People ~

THE ORGAN PRELUDE: "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing" arr. Jason Payne

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

◆◆THE GATHERING SONG: "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)*Nonie Booth, Liturgist

ONE: On mountaintops and valleys,

ALL: The Glory of God surrounds us.

ONE: In whispers and in shouts,

ALL: The Glory of God surrounds us.

ONE: In nature's variety and color,

ALL: The Glory of God calls to us.

ONE: In baptism's claim and communion's welcome,

ALL: The Glory of God comes home to us.

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

◆◆THE HYMN NO. 12: "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"ST. DENIO

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Spoken in Unison)*

Jesus Christ, you are dazzling in your glory, but we are no longer amazed. Forgive us when we explain away your miracles or try to contain your mystery. Open us again to your holiness, and give us a glimpse of your true glory, that in your mercy, we may shine forth in love. 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 Nonie Booth, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Mark 9: 2-9..... Nonie Booth, Liturgist

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. Then Peter said to Jesus, ‘Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.’ He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, ‘This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!’ Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them anymore, but only Jesus. As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “He Loved Me When”Phil Perkins
The Sanctuary Choir

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: II Kings 2: 1-14 The Rev. Walt Hunting

Now when the LORD was about to take Elijah up to heaven by a whirlwind, Elijah and Elisha were on their way from Gilgal. Elijah said to Elisha, ‘Stay here; for the LORD has sent me as far as Bethel.’ But Elisha said, ‘As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.’ So they went down to Bethel. The company of prophets who were in Bethel came out to Elisha, and said to him, ‘Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?’ And he said, ‘Yes, I know; keep silent.’ Elijah said to him, ‘Elisha, stay here; for the LORD has sent me to Jericho.’ But he said, ‘As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.’ So they came to Jericho. The company of prophets who were at Jericho drew near to Elisha, and said to him, ‘Do you know that today the LORD will take your master away from you?’ And he answered, ‘Yes, I know; be silent.’ Then Elijah said to him, ‘Stay here; for the LORD has sent me to the Jordan.’ But he said, ‘As the LORD lives, and as you yourself live, I will not leave you.’ So the two of them went on. Fifty men of the company of prophets also went, and stood at some distance from them, as they both were standing by the Jordan. Then Elijah took his mantle and rolled it up, and struck the water; the water was parted to the one side and to the other, until the two of them crossed on dry ground. When they had crossed, Elijah said to Elisha, ‘Tell me what I may do for you, before I am taken from you.’ Elisha said, ‘Please let me inherit a double share of your spirit.’ He responded, ‘You have asked a hard thing; yet, if you see me as I am being taken from you, it will be granted you; if not, it will not.’ As they continued walking and talking, a chariot of fire and horses of fire separated the two of them, and Elijah ascended in a whirlwind into heaven. Elisha kept watching and crying out, ‘Father,

father! The chariots of Israel and its horsemen!" But when he could no longer see him, he grasped his own clothes and tore them in two pieces. He picked up the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and went back and stood on the bank of the Jordan. He took the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and struck the water, saying, "Where is the LORD, the God of Elijah?" When he had struck the water, the water was parted to the one side and to the other, and Elisha went over.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God**

THE SERMON: "Eternal God – Time Bound People" The Rev. Walt Hunting

~ We Respond to the Word ~

◆ THE HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 687: "Our God, Our Help in Ages Past" ST. ANNE

◆ 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 Bobby Gentry, Greeting Elder

THE PIANO OFFERTORY: "I Love You, Lord" arr. Mark Hayes

◆ THE DOXOLOGY NO. 606 OLD HUNDREDETH

**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 Bobby Gentry, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus' Name ~

◆ THE HYMN 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: "Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory" Troeger/Day

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian Church!

February 11, 2018

Welcome to The Rev. Walt Hunting

We are pleased to welcome The Rev. Walt Hunting back to our pulpit this Sunday. Rev. Hunting was born in Highland Park, Michigan and grew up in Royal Oak, Michigan. He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Michigan and a Bachelor of Divinity degree from Princeton Theological Seminary. During the 45 years that followed, he served churches in Pennsylvania, Washington, D.C., and most recently, in Portsmouth, VA for the 33 years prior to his retirement in 2012. Be sure to give Rev. Hunting and his wife, Elizabeth, a warm OBPC welcome!

Souper Bowl of Caring Thank-You

A special thank you to all who gave money and brought food to support the Beach Food Pantry through the Souper Bowl of Caring. \$476.00 was collected as monetary donations as well as a lot of food!

Lenten Devotionals Now Available

The devotion is "Practicing Love" – Family Devotions for Lent written by Leah and Robyn Perrault. As Christians, we strive to live and love as Jesus did. In order to love well, we need to practice. And practicing as a family helps everyone to grow in their faith together each day. During Lent, we more sharply reflect upon the Word of God and upon modeling our behaviors after those of our Savior. This booklet is filled with reflections and activities that gently invite the whole family to practice love for Lent, even though love never goes out of season. These are available in the Gathering Space.

2018 Annual Report

There are extra copies of the Annual Report in the Gathering Space. If you did not get one last Sunday, you are welcome to pick one up.

ECCS Concert Next Sunday

Next Sunday, Feb. 18, at 4 pm the Eastern Carolina Concert Society invites you to their February concert which will be held in the Parish Hall at St. Andrew's by the Sea Episcopal Church. This month's feature is The Riff Tides. The Riff Tides bring a very special brand of music to the Outer Banks. The band features music of the early days of rock and roll through the early 60's. Keeping this music alive are six very talented local vocalist/musicians.

Wednesday Lenten Worship Service Schedule

Outer Banks Presbyterian has proudly hosted community Lenten Service sponsored by the Dare County Ministerial Association for many years. The services begin on Ash Wednesday, February 14 at 12:00 noon and will continue through March 28. There is a service in the sanctuary followed by a light lunch in the fellowship hall. The cost of the lunch is \$5.00 and the proceeds go to the Beach Food Pantry. All are invited to these services of music and reflection. The schedule for the 2018 Lenten season is as follows:

February 14

Ash Wednesday

The Rev. Tom Wilson, Speaker
from All Saints' Episcopal Church
All Saints' Episcopal Church, Luncheon

February 21

The Rev. Nick Hodsdon, Speaker
United Church of Christ
Dare County Ministerial Association,
Luncheon

February 28

The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore, Speaker
from Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Presbyterian Women, Luncheon

March 7

Chaplain Cherri Wheeler, Speaker
from Kitty Hawk Baptist Church
Kitty Hawk Baptist Church, Luncheon

March 14

The Rev. Keith Dey, Speaker
from Emmanuel Lutheran Church
St. Andrews' Episcopal Church, Luncheon

March 21

The Rev. Charles Daly, Speaker
from Mt. Carmel United Methodist Church
Mt. Carmel United Methodist Church,
Luncheon

March 28

The Rev. Spottswood Graves, Speaker
from Calvary Presbyterian, Swan Quarter
Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, Luncheon

This Week at OBPC

Sunday, February 11, 2018

9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Morning Worship
2:30 pm Stamp Club
4:00 pm Sanctuary Choir
5:00 pm Youth Group

Monday, February 12, 2018

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

Tuesday, February 13, 2018

7:30 am A.A.
10:00 am Faith Knitters
10:00 am A.A.
6:30 pm Cub Scouts

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

7:30 am A.A.
10:00 am A.A.
12:00 pm Ash Wednesday Service
6:30 pm Adult Evening Study

Thursday, February 15, 2018

7:30 am A.A.
10:00 am A.A.
6:00 pm Sanctuary Choir

Friday, February 16, 2018

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

Saturday, February 17, 2018

7:30 am A.A.
10:00 am Sanctuary Choir
10:00 am A.A.
12:00 pm . PW Luncheon (*Duck Woods*)

Sunday, February 18, 2018

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

Vital Signs

February 4 \$7,416.00
Total for February \$7,416.00
Souper Bowl of Caring \$476.00

Attendance

Feb. 4 (10:00 am) 134

Those Serving Today

This Week....

February 11, 2018

Greeting Elder: Bobby Gentry

Liturgist: Nonie Booth

Coffee Hour:
Mogowski/Gentry

Children's Church:
Hardy/Davis

Next Week....

February 18, 2018

Greeting Elder: Bobby Gentry

Liturgist: Ben Cahoon

Coffee Hour:
Finance Committee

Children's Church:
Hollie & Jody Lewis

Lent



What is Lent?

Lent is a period of prayer and reflection that begins on Ash Wednesday, February 14, and ends on Easter Sunday, April 1. Lent is a holy season of preparation for the church. During Lent, we follow Jesus on the road toward Jerusalem and his death on the cross for our sake. Lent recognizes that life is full of temptations and that we too often succumb to sin and distance ourselves from God's will. In Lent, God calls us to a time of simplicity where we focus our attention on God's voice. Jesus himself spent forty days in the wilderness so that he could more clearly discern God's direction for his life.

Today's Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this morning by Barbara Nock in loving memory of her husband, Richard Nock, born on February 6, 1937, on the occasion of his 81st birthday.

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

Bud Sheets 5500 W. Seachase Dr., Nags Head, NC 27959
Joan Phifer 325 Horace Ave., Virginia Beach, VA 23462
Don & Nancy Bierwerth 410 Hastings Ln, Apt. 309, Elizabeth City, NC 27909
Jane Smith Greenfield Reflections #107
304 Bowman Mill Rd, Strasburg, VA 22657
Etta Parrott 3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949
Mickey Meekins Peak Resources, 430 Health Center Dr., Nags Head, NC 27959
Max Strange 138 Clairborne Creek Dr., W. Monroe, LA 71291

Christian Sympathy

Longtime church member, Gwen Engleright, passed away on January 26. There will be a Service to the Witness of the Resurrection for Gwen at OBPC on Monday, February 26, at 11:00 am.

Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

Anita Bennett Recovering from a fall
Millie Rickers Health Concerns
Ellen Grove Health Concerns
Anne Cramer Health Concerns
Shirley Garrett Recovering from injuries in auto accident
Tom Charlton Recovering from surgery
George Daniels Recovering from cancer
Liz Hamley Health Concerns
John Dick Health Concerns
Sarah Garvin (*Mother of Teddy Garvin*) Serious health concerns
Lawrence Rust (*Grandson of Barbara Rust*) Deployed to Afghanistan
Cindy Goes Undergoing treatments for cancer
Amanda Kirkman (*Friend of Trish Thomas*) Health concerns
Lou Batzler (*son of the late Rev. Dr. Richard Batzler*) Throat cancer
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

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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