

# Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina



## A Celebration of the Lord's Day

February 4, 2018

10:00 am

**The Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
The Sacrament of Holy Communion  
& Scout Sunday**

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: "There Is a Redeemer" .....arr. Mark Kellner

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

◆THE PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS & THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

♣THE GATHERING SONG NO. 337: "My Country, 'Tis of Thee" *(Verse 1 only)*.....AMERICA  
*The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation*

◆THE CALL TO WORSHIP *(Spoken Responsively from The Scout Law)* .... Marion Siefferman, Scout Leader

Leader: The Scout Law is a guiding light to millions of boys and young adults throughout the world today, but the principles of the law have been brought to us from ancient days.

**People: You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.** (Exodus 20:16)

Scouts: A Scout is trustworthy.

Leader: He who is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and he who is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. (Luke 16:10)

Scouts: A Scout is loyal.

Leader: You shall not take vengeance or bear any grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself. (Leviticus 19:18)

**People: For the poor will never cease out of the land; therefore I command you, you shall open wide your hand to your brother, to thy needy and to the poor, in the land.**

Scouts: A Scout is helpful.

Leader: And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength. (Mark 12:30)

Scouts: A Scout is reverent, he is reverent toward God. He is faithful in his religious duties and respects the convictions of others in matters of custom and religion.

**People: Let us worship almighty God!**

◆THE OPENING PRAYER.....Marion Siefferman, Scout Leader

◆♣THE HYMN NO. 305: "Come Sing, O Church, in Joy" .....DARWALL'S 148th

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Spoken Responsively)*

**God, you are everlasting, the creator of all that is. Your understanding is beyond measure. We confess to you that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. We have forgotten your commands. We have neglected your will. In your compassion, forgive us, for we place our hope in your steadfast love. 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 OFFERING OF GIFTS ..... Bobby Gentry, Greeting Elder

THE ORGAN OFFERTORY: "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" .....arr. Albin Whitworth

◆THE DOXOLOGY NO. 606 ..... OLD HUNDRETH

**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

**~ The Word of the Lord ~**

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION ..... Barbara Hardy, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Mark 1:32-39..... Barbara Hardy, Liturgist

That evening, at sunset, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons; and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him. In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, 'Everyone is searching for you.' He answered, 'Let us go on to the neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also; for that is what I came out to do.' And he went throughout Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: "The Power of the Cross" ..... arr. Dave Williamson  
The Sanctuary Choir

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 9:16-27 ..... The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

If I proclaim the gospel, this gives me no ground for boasting, for an obligation is laid on me, and woe to me if I do not proclaim the gospel! For if I do this of my own will, I have a reward; but if not of my own will, I am entrusted with a commission. What then is my reward? Just this: that in my proclamation I may make the gospel free of charge, so as not to make full use of my rights in the gospel. For though I am free with respect to all, I have made myself a slave to all, so that I might win more of them. To the Jews I became as a Jew, in order to win Jews.

To those under the law I became as one under the law (though I myself am not under the law) so that I might win those under the law. To those outside the law I became as one outside the law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law) so that I might win those outside the law. To the weak I became weak, so that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, so that I might by any means save some. I do it all for the sake of the gospel, so that I may share in its blessings. Do you not know that in a race the runners all compete, but only one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may win it. Athletes exercise self-control in all things; they do it to receive a perishable garland, but we an imperishable one. So I do not run aimlessly, nor do I box as though beating the air; but I punish my body and enslave it, so that after proclaiming to others I myself should not be disqualified.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: **Thanks be to God**

THE SERMON: "Translating the Gospel" .....The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

### ~ We Respond to the Word ~

◆THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*Spoken in Unison*) ..... From A Declaration of Faith, Ch. 8.2

**God sends us to proclaim the gospel. We testify God is at work here and now when people obey Christ's commission to witness to him and make disciples of all nations, when they spread the good news by their words and embody it in their lives. We believe that God sends us to tell all nations that Christ calls everyone to repentance, faith and obedience. We are to proclaim by word and deed that Christ gave himself to set people free from sin and self-hatred, from ignorance and disease, from all forms of oppression, and even from death. We are to offer them in Christ's name fullness of life now and forever. We must not distort the gospel by weakening its promises or demands, by identifying it with oppressive structures, by pointing to ourselves instead of Christ. We must not restrict our proclamation to persons just like ourselves. We invite people everywhere to believe in Christ and become his followers. We urge them to join us in telling others the good news and in struggling for justice, compassion, and peace.**

### ~ The Sacrament of Holy Communion ~

◆THE COMMUNION HYMN NO. 753: "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace" .....PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS

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 NO. 837: "What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine" .....SHOWALTER

◆ THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆ THE CLOSING RESPONSE: "Shalom to You" ..... Eslinger  
*The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation*

**Shalom to you now, shalom, my friend.  
May God's full mercies bless you, my friend.  
In all your living and through your loving,  
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.**

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE: "God of Grace" ..... arr. Paul Manz (1919-2009)

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**The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this morning by Susan Poling Smith and her husband, Fred,  
In loving memory of Chaplain Clark V. Poling, Lt., USAF, on the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
of the sinking of the S. S. Dorchester.**

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

## ***This Week at OBPC***

### ***Sunday, February 4, 2018***

9:00 am ..... Sunday School  
10:00 am ..... Morning Worship  
5:30 pm ..... Youth Group

### ***Monday, February 5, 2018***

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

### ***Tuesday, February 6, 2018***

7:30 am ..... A.A.  
8:00 am ..... Ministerial Assn Meeting  
10:00 am ..... A.A.  
1:30 pm ..... Outreach Committee  
6:30 pm ..... Cub Scouts

### ***Wednesday, February 7, 2018***

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

### ***Thursday, February 8, 2018***

7:30 am ..... A.A.  
10:00 am ..... A.A.  
12:00 pm ..... "Second" Thurs. Lunch

### ***Friday, February 9, 2018***

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

### ***Saturday, February 10, 2018***

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

### ***Sunday, February 11, 2018***

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

### **Vital Signs**

January 28 ..... \$6,062.00  
Total for January ..... \$20,168.00

### **Attendance**

Jan. 28 (10:00 am) ..... 114

## **Those Serving Today**

### **This Week....**

**February 4, 2018**

Greeting Elder: Bobby Gentry

Liturgist: Barbara Hardy

Coffee Hour:  
Lydia Circle

Children's Church:  
Andrea Braymiller / Lynda Wood

### **Next Week...**

**February 11, 2018**

Greeting Elder: Bobby Gentry

Liturgist: Nonie Booth

Coffee Hour:  
Mogowski/Gentry

Children's Church:  
Hardy/Davis



### **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.

### **2018 Flower Schedule**

The sign-up sheet for flowers is now available in the Gathering Space! Placing flowers in the sanctuary is a wonderful way to honor or memorialize a person(s) or to honor a birthday, anniversary, birth or any other special occasion!

## News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian Church!

February 4, 2018

### Death of Gwen Englewright

A member of our church family, Gwen Englewright, passed away on January 26. She had been living in Virginia. There will be a Service to the Witness of the Resurrection for Gwen at OBPC on Monday, February 19, at 1:00 pm.

### Souper Bowl of Caring

Last Sunday our Youth Group distributed grocery bags for you to fill and return today. At the end of worship, they will be collecting money in soup pots. The food and money collected will be donated to the Beach Food Pantry to assist OBX families in need.

### "Second" Thursday Lunch – February 8

The "Second" Thursday lunch will take place at the Restaurant at Coinjock Marina on Waterlily Road, off Rt. 158 in Coinjock. You will see the billboard on Rt. 158 pointing the way to the marina. If you end up in Barco, you've gone too far north! The date is Thursday, February 8 (in honor of a second attempt) at noon. The sign-up sheet has been wiped clean. So, no matter what you told Jeanne for the previous attempt, let her know if you would like to attend this time.

We are going to use the church bus for this outing. We are allowed to take 14 passengers – so make your reservation with Jeanne to hold a spot for you. It will be first come, first seated!! If we have more than 14 people requesting rides, we will arrange for carpools. Of course, you will be able to drive directly to the restaurant. The restaurant is about 40-50 minutes from the church.

Please let Jeanne Martie (441-8608 or jlmartie@charter.net) know no later than TODAY if you will be attending. All members and visitors are welcome to join us!!

### Pledge Envelopes

2018 envelope boxes are in the Gathering Space waiting to be picked up. If you still have some 2017 envelopes remaining, please throw them away. Accounts are renumbered each new year. If you need envelopes, please contact Barb Nowland at (252) 480-0423.

### 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.

### 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  
from Unitarian Universalist Congregation  
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

# 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)

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## **The Stated Session**

**Bev Jones, Clerk of Session**

305-9181

### **Class of 2018**

#### **Jeanne Martie**

441-8608

#### **Melinda Mogowski**

441-7195

#### **Tom Smith**

441-3572

### **Class of 2019**

#### **Jean Basnight**

480-1028

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480-0858

#### **Jim Goes**

261-1149

### **Class of 2020**

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