Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
& Father’s Day

June 17, 2018
10:00 am

To God be the Glory
Great Things He Hath Done!

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

~ We Gather Together as God’s People ~


THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please pass the guest pads)

♦THE CHORAL INTROIT: “Upon this Rock” ................................................... arr. Jay Albrecht
   The Sanctuary Choir

♦THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Spoken Responsively) .............................................Barbara Hardy, Liturgist
   ONE: Through our baptism, we are dead to sin.
   ALL: Now we are alive to God in Christ Jesus our Savior.
   ONE: Let the redeemed of the Lord rejoice.
   ALL: We will give thanks for the steadfast love of God!
   ONE: As a deer longs for flowing streams,
   ALL: so our souls thirst for the living God.
   ONE: Let us worship God!

♦THE OPENING PRAYER.............................................................. Barbara Hardy, Liturgist

♦♦THE HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 619: “Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven” .............LAUDA ANIMA

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Spoken in Unison)

Merciful God, we try to hide from your presence, knowing that we have traded your abundant life for a wasteland of sin. We have not followed your will, but instead heed other voices and pursue our own desires at the expense of others. We are so misguided that we cannot discern good from evil, we make the wrong choice and choose the wrong side. We ask for the courage to tell you truthfully what we have done. We pray for forgiveness so that we can live with ourselves, with others, and with you. You alone can restore us. We pray in Jesus’ name, 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 RECOGNITION OF CHILDREN’S CHURCH PARTICIPANTS

THE TIME FOR CHILDREN .......................................................... Mrs. Hollie Writtenberry - Lewis
   (Children in K-5 are dismissed to go to Children’s Church)
~ The Word of the Lord ~

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

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Mark 3:20-27 ........................................ Barbara Hardy, Liturgist

And the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, “He has gone out of his mind.” And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, “He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.” And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, “How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man’s house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “All Good Gifts” .............................................................. Joseph Martin

The Sanctuary Choir

The treasures of life are gifts sent from heaven,
blessings more precious than silver or gold.
Family and friends, the laughter of children;
these are the diamonds that fill us with hope.

All good gifts around us, come from heaven above.
So, thank you, Lord, so, thank you, Lord,
for all of the treasures of life, for all of your gifts of life.

For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies,
for the love which from our birth over and around us lies,
Lord of all, to Thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.

The treasures of life are meant for the sharing.
Blessed to be blessings, our cup overflows.
And now is the time to celebrate harvest
by giving to others and helping them grow.

All good gifts around us, come from heaven above.
So, thank you, Lord, so, thank you, Lord,
for all of the treasures of life, for all of your gifts of life.
For all of your gifts of life.

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: Mark 3:28-35........................................ The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

“Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin”—for they had said, “He has an unclean spirit.” Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.” And he replied, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” And looking at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.”

ONE: This is the Word of the Lord.
ALL: Thanks be to God

THE SERMON: “A Family of Disciples” ....................................................... The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

~ We Respond to the Word ~

♦ THE HYMN OF RESPONSE NO. 169: “Dear Lord and Father of Mankind” ...................... REST
As followers of Jesus Christ, living in this world—which some seek to control, but which others view with despair—we declare with joy and trust: Our world belongs to God! From the beginning, through all the crises of our times, until Christ's kingdom fully comes, God keeps covenant forever. Our world belongs to God! God is King! Let the earth be glad! Christ is Victor; his rule has begun. Hallelujah! The Spirit is at work, renewing creation. Praise the Lord!

We rejoice in the goodness of God, renounce the works of darkness, and dedicate ourselves to holy living. As covenant partners, called to faithful obedience, and set free for joyful praise, we offer our hearts and lives to do God's work in the world. With tempered impatience, eager to see injustice ended, we expect the Day of the Lord. And we are confident that the light which shines in the present darkness will fill the earth when Christ appears. Come, Lord Jesus! Our world belongs to you.

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.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below. Alleluia, alleluia!;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;

~ We Go Forth in Jesus’ Name ~

The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

May the Lord, gracious Lord, bless and keep us forever. Let us be more like thee in our every endeavor. Holy Spirit, Eternal God, this we pray together. May the Lord, gracious Lord, bless and keep us forever.


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The flowers are placed in the sanctuary this morning by Barb Nowland in loving memory of her husband Bob on his birthday, and in honor of her brother Allan Bogar on his 80th birthday.

We now go forth in peace to love and serve God and God’s people in Christ’s name!
Recognition of Children’s Church

This morning we recognize our Children’s Church participants:

- Kylie Michler
- Ethan Michler
- Sage Heath
- Ella Martens
- Timothy Baxho
- Jaylen Lindsey
- Liam McDowell
- Elisabeth Writtenberry

Children’s Church Teachers Needed

Will you consider giving up one Sunday a month to assist in Children’s Church? We are currently in need of volunteers to fill vacant spots on our rotation. Our children enjoy music videos, Bible stories and discussions, games, snack and hands-on experiments. All materials and lessons are provided. Please see Hollie to volunteer, or come visit us one Sunday to see how much fun we have!

Vacation Bible School 2018

Vacation Bible School will be the week of July 16-20, 2018. We need your help to make VBS the best week of the summer! Please pray about how God would use you to impact the children in our community. A sign-up sheet is located in the gathering space. Please see Hollie for more information.

Supplies Needed for VBS

Hollie providing list.

Nominations for Elder Class of 2021

The Nominating Committee is beginning to work on selecting 3 persons to serve as Elders for the Class of 2021. We would like your help. From May 20 through June 24, a ballot box will be on a little table in the Gathering Space. We ask you to nominate someone you feel has the energy and ability to help lead our church for the next 3 years. The final slate, after approval by Session, will be presented to the congregation at a Congregational Meeting in September. Thank you for your thoughtful considerations!

Congregational Care Committee

CCC will not be meeting during the summer months. Members will be notified when the next meeting is scheduled.

Presbyterian Church (USA) General Assembly

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) meets every two years. It consists of commissioners elected by each of its 172 presbyteries. The GA is full of activities: business sessions, committee meetings, an exhibit hall, daily worship services, and mission tours. The assembly acts on hundreds of items of business, which it receives through the reports and recommendations of various assembly entities, and through overtures from synods and presbyteries. The 223rd General Assembly is meeting in St. Louis, June 16-23. Please be in prayer for all of the Presbyterians gathering at the General Assembly this week.

3rd Thursday Luncheon June 21st!

All are invited to come and bring a friend to join in the luncheon scheduled for noon at the Coinjock Marina Restaurant on Waterlily Road, off Rt. 158 in Coinjock. You will see the billboard on Rt. 158 pointing the way to the marina. Bus seating is available on a limited basis. RSVP for meal and bus service no later than June 20 by calling Ann 252-207-3131, or Dan Broadhead 252-202-0365 or Email: kittyhawklife@gmail.com. Hope to see you on the 21st!
This Week at OBPC

Sunday, June 17, 2018
9:00 am ................. Sunday School
10:00 am ................. Morning Worship
4:00 pm ................. Julianne Laird Recital
5:00 pm ................... Youth Group

Monday, June 18, 2018
7:30 am .................... A.A.
10:00 am .................... A.A.
6:30 pm .................... Boy Scouts

Tuesday, June 19, 2018
7:30 am .................... A.A.
10:00 am .................... A.A.
6:30 pm .................... Cub Scouts
6:30 pm .................... Stated Session

Wednesday, June 20, 2018
7:30 am .................... A.A.
10:00 am .................... A.A.
5:00 pm .................... Stewardship
6:00 pm .................... Sanctuary Choir
6:30 pm ................. Adult Bible Study

Thursday, June 21, 2018
7:30 am .................... A.A.
10:00 am .................... A.A.
12:00 pm .............. 3rd Thursday Lunch

Friday, June 22, 2018
7:30 am .................... A.A.
8:00 am ................. Men’s Bible Study
10:00 am .................... A.A.

Saturday, June 23, 2018
7:30 am .................... A.A.
10:00 am .................... A.A.

Sunday, June 24, 2018
9:00 am ................. Sunday School
10:00 am ................. Morning Worship
4:00 pm .................... Sanctuary Choir
5:00 pm .................... Youth Group

Those who serve . . .

This Week….
June 17, 2018
Elder: Bob Messinger
Liturgist: Barbara Hardy
Coffee Hour:
Hope, Faith, & Love Circle
Children's Church:
Jeanne Moore

Next Week….
June 24, 2018
Elder: Bob Messinger
Liturgist: Ben Cahoon
Coffee Hour:
Administration
Children's Church:
Barbara Hardy/Warren Davis

Julianne Laird Recital Today!
Be sure to join us this afternoon, at 4:00. (Pre-recital notes will begin at 3:55 pm.) Julianne Laird and her husband, Richard Workman are summer residents of Kill Devil Hills and regularly sing in the choir of the Outer Banks Presbyterian Church. She is the daughter of David and Nancy Laird, who also reside part-time in Kill Devil Hills and attend OBPC.

Julianne is a music instructor in the Indiana Area School District in Indiana, PA, where she currently serves as Director of Orchestras. A coloratura soprano, she has recently completed a sabbatical year, pursuing the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in voice performance at West Virginia University. Julianne will present a concert consisting of the music of J.S. Bach, W.A. Mozart as well as spirituals.

Julianne will be accompanied by pianist, Yiwen Zhang. Yiwen is currently pursuing her Doctorate of Music Degree at West Virginia University.

The concert is free and open to the public.

Vital Signs
June 10 .................. $5,148.00
Total for June ........... $17,847.00
Pennies for Hunger ...... $77.13

Attendance
June 10 ..................... 144
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**

Tom Charlton .................................. Peak Resources, Rm. 408, 430 Health Center Dr., Nags Head, NC 27959
Bud Sheets .................................................. 5500 W. Seachase Dr., Nags Head, NC 27959
Don & Nancy Bierwerth ................................. 410 Hastings Ln, Apt. 309, Elizabeth City, NC 27909
Etta Parrott ................................................................. 3400 Bay Drive, Kitty Hawk NC 27949
Mickey Meekins .......................... Peak Resources, Rm. 310, 430 Health Center Dr., Nags Head, NC 27959

**Christian Sympathy**

Kim Futrell’s mother, Marsha Dale Collins, passed away on June 12, 2018.

**Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns**

Jane Rhodes (*Mother-in-Law of Lisa Rhodes*) ................................................. Health Concerns
Louie Rodriguez, JR. (*Single-parent of a 9-year-old in our Scout Troop*) ............... Metastatic Cancer
Teddy Garvin  .................................................................................. Serious Health Concerns
Etta Parrott ................................................................. Recovering from a Fall
Judy Dempsey ......................................................... Recovering from hip replacement surgery
Luke Mahler (*Grandson of Craig & Fran Peel*) .................................. Recovering from 2nd Degree Burns
Tom Charlton .............................................................................. Health Concerns
Kevin Scholl (*Son of Ruth Ann and Tom Scholl*) ........................................ Metastatic Melanoma
Terry Legel (*Arlene Evans’ granddaughter’s Mother-in-law*) ................. Complex Metastatic Cancer
Taylor Davis (*Infant granddaughter of Nina Davis, friend of L. Helmkamp*) ....... Health Concerns
Suzanne Olejasz ................................................................................. Health Concerns
Bob Manuel (*Brother of Carnell Boyle, friend of Nonie Booth*) ..................... Health Concerns
Hans Stelzer (*Donna Lowcher’s Uncle*) ...................................................... Health Concerns
Nancy Messinger .............................................................................. Health Concerns
Jack Abernethy ......................................................................................... Health Concerns
Shirley (*Friend of Sharon McRee*) ......................................................... Cancer Treatments
Anne Cramer ......................................................................................... Health Concerns
George Daniels .............................................................................. Recovering from cancer
John Dick ................................................................................................ Health Concerns
Sarah Garvin (*Mother of Teddy Garvin*) ....................................................... Health Concerns
Lawrence Rust (*Grandson of Barbara Rust*) ........................................ Deployed to Afghanistan
Ansley Johnson (*Friend of Sharon McRee*) ............................................. 7-year old with Leukemia
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.

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