

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church

Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Eighth Sunday after Pentecost



Sunday, July 15, 2018

10:00 am



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 Happy Land"arr. George Shearing (1919-2011)

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)* Ben Cahoon, Liturgist

ONE: We do not live by bread alone, but by the Word who became flesh and lives among us.

ALL: Christ is the true bread of heaven, the manna of freedom.

ONE: We rely on Christ to sustain us day by day.

ALL: We praise and serve the God who gives our lives meaning and purpose.

ONE: Let us worship almighty God!

◆THE OPENING PRAYER.....Ben Cahoon, Liturgist

◆◆THE HYMN OF PRAISE NO.4: "Holy God, We Praise Your Name" ... GROSSER GOTT, WIR LOBEN DICH

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(Spoken in Unison)*

Holy One, whose love and justice condemn us, whose mercy and kindness feed us, we confess our sins and pray for your forgiveness. What terrible suffering we have unleashed. We have used other persons without regard for their dignity; we have abused the earth without care for its beauty or concern for future life. We have sought to bargain with you to smooth our way to heaven. God, change us. Put the Spirit of Christ within us and cause us to grow into mature, faithful disciples of the one who came from you to save us from our sin. Free us from captivity to our selfishness, bind us to the whole body of Christ, and let us bear witness to the truth that your love holds everything together in perfect unity. We pray in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ, 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.

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..... Ben Cahoon, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: 2nd Samuel 11:2-15..... Ben Cahoon, Liturgist

It happened, late one afternoon, when David rose from his couch and was walking about on the roof of the king's house, that he saw from the roof a woman bathing; the woman was very beautiful. David sent someone to inquire about the woman. It was reported, "This is Bathsheba daughter of Eliam, the wife of Uriah the Hittite." So David sent messengers to get her, and she came to him, and he lay with her. (Now she was purifying herself after her period.) Then she returned to her house. The woman conceived; and she sent and told David, "I am pregnant."

So David sent word to Joab, "Send me Uriah the Hittite." And Joab sent Uriah to David. When Uriah came to him, David asked how Joab and the people fared, and how the war was going. Then David said to Uriah, "Go down to your house, and wash your feet." Uriah went out of the king's house, and there followed him a present from the king. But Uriah slept at the entrance of the king's house with all the servants of his lord, and did not go down to his house. When they told David, "Uriah did not go down to his house," David said to Uriah, "You have just come from a journey. Why did you not go down to your house?" "Uriah said to David, "The ark and Israel and Judah remain in booths; and my lord Joab and the servants of my lord are camping in the open field; shall I then go to my house, to eat and to drink, and to lie with my wife? As you live, and as your soul lives, I will not do such a thing." Then David said to Uriah, "Remain here today also, and tomorrow I will send you back." So Uriah remained in Jerusalem that day. On the next day, David invited him to eat and drink in his presence and made him drunk; and in the evening he went out to lie on his couch with the servants of his lord, but he did not go down to his house.

In the morning David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. In the letter he wrote, "Set Uriah in the forefront of the hardest fighting, and then draw back from him, so that he may be struck down and die."

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: "Our Faith in God Alone" Mary McDonald
The Sanctuary Choir

Our faith in God will lead us forward,
Forward in the cause of Christ alone.
Believing God will lead us forward,
We will put our faith in God alone.

THE SECOND SCRIPTURE LESSON: 2nd Samuel 11:26-12:7, 9, 13a..... The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

When the wife of Uriah heard that her husband was dead, she made lamentation for him. When the mourning was over, David sent and brought her to his house, and she became his wife, and bore him a son. But the thing that David had done displeased the Lord, and the Lord sent Nathan to David. He came to him, and said to him, "There were two men in a certain city, the one rich and the other poor. The rich man had very many flocks and herds; but the poor man had nothing but one little ewe lamb, which he had bought. He brought it up, and it grew up with him and with his children; it used to eat of his meager fare, and drink from his cup, and lie in his bosom, and it was like a daughter to him. Now there came a traveler to the rich man, and he was loath to take one of his own flock or herd to prepare for the wayfarer who had come to him, but he took the poor man's lamb, and prepared that for the guest who had come to him." Then David's anger was greatly kindled against the man. He said to Nathan, "As the Lord lives, the man who has done this deserves to die; he shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity." Nathan said to David, "You are the man! Thus says the Lord, the God of Israel: I anointed you king over Israel,

and I rescued you from the hand of Saul. Why have you despised the word of the Lord, to do what is evil in his sight? You have struck down Uriah the Hittite with the sword, and have taken his wife to be your wife, and have killed him with the sword of the Ammonites.” David said to Nathan, “I have sinned against the Lord.”

ONE: This is the Word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON: “Looking Inward” The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore

~ We Respond to the Word ~

◆THE HYMN OF REPSONSE NO. 442: “Just as I Am, without One Plea”..... WOODWORTH

◆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 AND 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 Jeanne Martie, Greeting Elder

THE PIANO OFFERTORY: “I am Thine, O Lord”.....arr. Albin Whitworth

◆THE DOXOLOGY NO. 606..... OLD HUNDREDTH

**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 Jeanne Martie, Greeting Elder

~ We Go Forth in Jesus’ Name ~

◆ THE HYMN OF SENDING NO. 649: “Amazing Grace”AMAZING GRACE

◆THE CHARGE & BENEDICTION

◆THE BENEDICTION 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: “Proclaim the Glory of the Lord” arr. Mark Kellner

News Around Outer Banks Presbyterian Church!

Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are given by Rosalyn Pugh and Jean Basnight, "In memory of our beloved parents."



Third Thursday Luncheon

The next lunch will be this Thursday, July 19th, at the Sugar Creek restaurant in Nags Head. We hope you will join us for great food and fellowship! To reserve your spot, please call Ann (252-207-3131) or Dan Broadhead (252-202-0365) or Email: kittyhawklife@gmail.com.

Vacation Bible School 2018

Vacation Bible School begins tomorrow morning at 9:00 am. If you know any children who would like to register, they may go to our website or call the church office.

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!

Recently Moved

Longtime member, Shirley Grimm, has moved away from the Outer Banks. Shirley's new address is 115 Shenandoah W., 703 7LKS N, West End, NC 27376.

Summer Church Office Hours

The church office will be closed on Fridays during July and August (except for July 20, when it will be open). The office will continue to be open Mon-Thurs from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



Sermon Series on the Early Days of Israel's Rule by Kings June 24-July 22, 2018

When they were led by judges, the Israelites looked at their neighboring countries that were ruled by kings and they wanted a king for themselves. God warned the prophet Samuel and the people of Israel that having a king would lead to negative consequences, but the Israelites were undeterred and God relented to their demands. After a troubled reign by Saul, David becomes king, followed by Solomon. We will explore the ups and downs of Israel's early days being ruled by kings.

Next Week's Sermon

1st Kings 3:3-14: Solomon is beginning his rule over the nation of Israel and prays to God for assistance. Solomon asks God to give him wisdom. We discover in Solomon's prayer that it pleases God when those who are making decisions seek God's guidance. What does it look like for us to exercise wisdom? What kind of wisdom does God offer to us?

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, July 29, in the Fellowship Hall. We welcome you to become a part of our church family. Please RSVP to Cathie in the church office at 252-441-5897 by Wednesday, July 25th. We look forward to meeting with each of you! If you have any questions, please contact Barbara Nock or Pastor Jody.

Montreat Youth Conference

Please be in prayer for our youth group and adult sponsors who will travel to Montreat July 28-August 4 for the youth conference, "Lift Every Voice."



This Week at OBPC

Sunday, July 15, 2018

9:00 amSunday School
 10:00 am Morning Worship
 11:30 am VBS Decorating
 5:00 pm Youth Group

Monday, July 16, 2018

9:00 am Vacation Bible School
 6:30 pm Boy Scouts

Tuesday, July 17, 2018

9:00 am Vacation Bible School

Wednesday, July 18, 2018

9:00 am Vacation Bible School
 6:30 pm Adult Evening Study

Thursday, July 19, 2018

9:00 am Vacation Bible School

Friday, July 20, 2018

9:00 am Vacation Bible School
 12:00 pm VBS cook-Out

Saturday, July 21, 2018

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

Sunday, July 22, 2018

9:00 am Sunday School
 10:00 am Morning Worship



July 8 \$7,619.00
 Total for July \$15,305.00
 Pennies for Hunger \$128.44

Attendance

July 8 156

Those who serve . . .

This Week: July 15, 2018

Elder: Jeanne Martie

Liturgist: Ben Cahoon

Coffee Hour:
 Communion Guild

Children's Church:
 Moore/Hardy

Time with Children: Jean Basnight

Next Week: July 22, 2018

Greeting Elder:
 Jeanne Martie

Liturgist: Nonie Booth

Coffee Hour:
 Jean Basnight / Mollie Bass

Children's Church:
 Braymiller/Wood

Time with Children:
 Hollie Writtenberry-Lewis

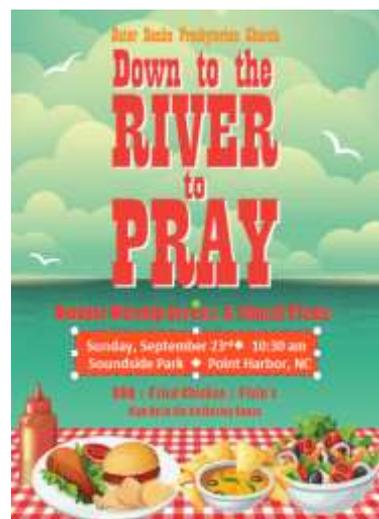
Looking Ahead. . .

Presbyterian Women

August 18, 5:00 pm, OBPC
 Dinner and overview of
 2018-2019 Bible Study

September 22, Annual Fall Gathering
 Bear Grass Presbyterian Church

Third Annual Worship/Picnic



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

Anne Cramer Spring Arbor, 803 Bermuda Bay Blvd, Room 101, Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948
Tom CharltonSpring Arbor, 803 Bermuda Bay Blvd, Room 129, Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948
Bud Sheets5500 W. Seachase Dr., Nags Head, NC 27959
Don & Nancy Bierwerth..... 410 Hastings Ln, Apt. 309, Elizabeth City, NC 27909
Etta Parrott3400 Bay Dr., Kitty Hawk, NC 27949 (temporarily at Peak Resources, Rm. 210)
Mickey Meekins Peak Resources, 430 Health Center Dr., Room 310, Nags Head, NC 27959

Members & Friends – Other Prayer Concerns

Clay Moore (*Cousin of Phil Moore*) Severe Injuries from Boating Accident
Etta Parrott Health 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
Judy DempseyRecovering from hip replacement surgery
Kevin Scholl (*Son of Ruth Ann and Tom Scholl*)Metastatic Melanoma
Terry Legel (*Arlene Evans' granddaughter's Mother-in law*)..... Complex Metastatic Cancer
Hans Stelzer (*Donna Lowcher's Uncle*) Health Concerns
Nancy Messinger Health Concerns
Jack Abernethy Health Concerns
Shirley (*Friend of Sharon McRee*).....Cancer Treatments
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

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
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Melinda Mogowski

441-7195

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261-1149

Class of 2020

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Barb Nowland

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