Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

The Sixth Wednesday in Lent
March 20, 2019
12:00 noon

Lenten Services Sponsored by
The North Dare Ministerial Association

This is God’s House! All are Welcome!

Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
907 South Croatan Highway
Kill Devil Hills, NC 27948
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The Order of Service for the Lord’s Day

♦ = Congregation Standing as Able

~ We Gather Together as God's People ~

THE PRELUDE.................................................................Mr. Jason Evans, Organist

THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Please Stand)

Officiant O God, make speed to save us.
People O Lord, make haste to help us.
Together Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever.

THE OPENING PRAYER......................................................The Rev. Phillip R. Glick

Officiant The Lord be with you.
People And also with you.
Officiant Let us pray . . .


THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON.............................................. Genesis 15: 1-12, 17-18

The word of the Lord came to Abram in a vision, "Do not be afraid, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." But Abram said, "O Lord God, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" And Abram said, "You have given me no offspring, and so a slave born in my house is to be my heir." But the word of the Lord came to him, "This man shall not be your heir; no one but your very own issue shall be your heir." He brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven and count the stars, if you are able to count them." Then he said to him, "So shall your descendants be." And he believed the Lord; and the Lord reckoned it to him as righteousness.

Then he said to him, "I am the Lord who brought you from Ur of the Chaldeans, to give you this land to possess." But he said, "O Lord God, how am I to know that I shall possess it?"
He said to him, "Bring me a heifer three years old, a female goat three years old, a ram three years old, a turtledove, and a young pigeon." He brought him all these and cut them in two, laying each half over against the other; but he did not cut the birds in two. And when birds of prey came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away.

As the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram, and a deep and terrifying darkness descended upon him.

When the sun had gone down and it was dark, a smoking fire pot and a flaming torch passed between these pieces. On that day the Lord made a covenant with Abram, saying, "To your descendants I give this land, from the river of Egypt to the great river, the river Euphrates."

Psalm 27: 1-7 (in unison)
1 The Lord is my light and my salvation;
   whom then shall I fear? *
   the Lord is the strength of my life;
   of whom then shall I be afraid?
2 When evildoers came upon me to eat up my flesh, * 
   it was they, my foes and my adversaries, who 
   stumbled and fell.

3 Though an army should encamp against me, * 
   yet my heart shall not be afraid; 

4 And though war should rise up against me, * 
   yet will I put my trust in him. 

5 One thing have I asked of the LORD; 
   one thing I seek; * 
   that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life; 

6 To behold the fair beauty of the LORD * 
   and to seek him in his temple. 

7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe 
   in his shelter; * 
   he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling 
   and set me high upon a rock. 

A READING FROM THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE: 13: 31-35 

Some Pharisees came and said to Jesus, "Get away from here, for Herod wants to kill you." He said to them, "Go and tell that fox for me, 'Listen, I am casting out demons and performing cures today and tomorrow, and on the third day I finish my work. Yet today, tomorrow, and the next day I must be on my way, because it is impossible for a prophet to be killed outside of Jerusalem.' Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the city that kills the prophets and stones those who are sent to it! How often have I desired to gather your children together as a hen gathers her brood under her wings, and you were not willing! See, your house is left to you. And I tell you, you will not see me until the time comes when you say, 'Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.'"

THE HOMILY.................................................................The Rev. Phillip R. Glick 

THE PRAYERS
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People And also with you. 
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THE LORD’S PRAYER
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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass again us. And lead 
us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and 
the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE HYMN NO. 54: “Make a Joyful noise to God”.............................. DIX

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

THE POSTLUDE..............................Mr. Jason Evans, Organist

Please join us in the fellowship hall following the worship service 
for a lunch prepared by the Presbyterian Women of 
All Saints’ Episcopal Church.

The cost of the lunch $5.00.
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, March 6 at 12:00 noon and will continue through April 17. 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 will go to the Beach Food Pantry, Food for Thought, Mt. Olivet Food Pantry, and the Hatteras Island Food Pantry. All are invited to these services of music and reflection. The schedule for the 2019 Lenten season is as follows:

**March 20**
The Rev. Phil Glick, Speaker  
*(Retired)*
All Saints’ Episcopal Church, Luncheon

**March 27**
The Rev. Tanta Luckhardt-Hendricks, Speaker  
*(Retired)*
Roanoke Island Presbyterian Church, Luncheon

**April 3**
The Rev. Keith Dey, Speaker  
*from Emmanuel Lutheran Church*
Holy Redeemer Catholic Church, Luncheon

**April 10**
Chaplain Cherri Wheeler, Speaker  
*from Kitty Hawk Baptist Church*
Kitty Hawk Baptist Church, Luncheon

**April 17**
The Rev. Spottswood Graves, Speaker  
*from Calvary Presbyterian, Swan Quarter*
St. Andrew’s Episcopal Church, Luncheon