Outer Banks Presbyterian Church  
Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina

Transfiguration of the Lord  
& The Sacrament of Holy Communion

March 3, 2019  
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: “Come, Thou Fount” ...................................................... arr. Jason Payne

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (Please pass the guest pads and hunger baskets)

††THE GATHERING SONG NO. 408: “There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit” (Vs. 1)....... SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT
The Sanctuary Choir & Congregation

♦ THE CALL TO WORSHIP (Spoken Responsively) ..................................................... Ike McRee, Liturgist

ONE: We gather together to worship God.
ALL: We gather because we have seen:
ONE: the bush was aflame,
ALL: and yet it was not consumed.
ONE: There were just five small loaves,
ALL: and yet there was bread leftover.
ONE: We gather because we have heard God’s voice in mighty thunder,
ALL: and in sighs too deep for words.
ONE: God called Jesus “Beloved” on a mountaintop,
ALL: and God has called our names.
ONE: We have seen. We have heard.
ALL: God is here. Let us worship God together!

♦ THE OPENING PRAYER......................................................................................... Ike McRee, Liturgist

♦ † THE HYMN OF PRAISE NO. 192: “Lord, the Light of Your Love Is Shining” ... SHINE, JESUS, SHINE

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Spoken in Unison)

God of compassion, in Jesus Christ you reveal the light of your glory, but we turn away, distracted by our own plans. We confess that we speak when we should listen, and act when we should wait. Forgive our aimless enthusiasm. Grant us wisdom to live in your light and to follow in the way of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

THE ASSURANCE OF GOD’S FORGIVENESS

♦ THE GLORIA NO. 2: “Come, Thou Almighty King” (Vs. 4 only) .......................... ITALIAN HYMN

To thee, great One in Three, eternal praises be, hence ever more!
Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see,
And to eternity love and adore. 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 DOXOLOGY NO. 612: “We Praise you, O God” (Verse 1) ............................................. KREMSER

We praise, you O God, our Redeemer, Creator;
In grateful devotion our tribute we bring.
We lay it before you; we kneel and adore you;
We bless your holy name, glad praises we sing.

THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION .......................................................... Bobby Gentry, Greeting Elder

~ The Word of the Lord ~

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION ......................................................... Ike McRee, Liturgist

THE FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Psalm 99 ............................................. Ike McRee, Liturgist

The Lord is king; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples. Let them praise your great and awesome name. Holy is he! Mighty King, lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob. Extol the Lord our God; worship at his footstool. Holy is he!

Moses and Aaron were among his priests, Samuel also was among those who called on his name. They cried to the Lord, and he answered them. He spoke to them in the pillar of cloud; they kept his decrees, and the statutes that he gave them. O Lord our God, you answered them; you were a forgiving God to them, but an avenger of their wrongdoings. Extol the Lord our God, and worship at his holy mountain; for the Lord our God is holy.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM: “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross” .................. arr. Fred Mallory

The Sanctuary Choir with Congregation joining on verse 4 as directed.

Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.


Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, “This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!” When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.

LEADER: This is the Word of the Lord.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

THE SERMON: “Getting Our Attention” .............................................. The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore
THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Spoken in Unison)

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 Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

~ The Sacrament of Holy Communion ~

THE COMMUNION HYMN NO. 66: “Every Time I Feel the Spirit”

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 CHARGE & BENEDICTION

THE CLOSING RESPONSE: "Shalom to You”

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: “Swiftly Pass the Clouds of Glory”

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Ash Wednesday Service
March 6, 2019, Noon
Joel 2:1-2, 12-17. The prophet Joel calls God's people to repent with fasting and weeping, offering our entire hearts to the Lord. Lent is traditionally a period of introspection, a time to recognize the weight of our sin and our need for a Savior. We will examine how a prayerful attitude can lead to spiritual growth through the Lenten season.

Lenten Devotionals Now Available
The devotional is “In the Shadow of the Cross” written by Chad Bird. Lent is a season of shadows. Throughout this holy season we wrestle with the very real shadows of death, doubt, fear, sadness, guilt and shame. But in these powerful daily devotions for Lent, Chad Bird helps us discover anew the definitive truth that Christ through his cross lifts us out of those shadows into his glorious light of hope, freedom, joy, forgiveness and new life. These are available in the Gathering Space.

Adult Sunday School
Starting March 10 we will take a break from Psalms and start a Lenten study based on the book “Be Holy” by the Rev. Brian Coulter. This book shows us what it means to be holy in today's world and how living into this calling helps us discover and develop our sense of identity, belonging, and purpose. We will have copies of a Lenten devotional guide based on “Be Holy” at class.

Scholarships Available
Graduating high school seniors who are members of OBPC and/or members of the Youth Group, are eligible for scholarships to help support their continuing education at institutions of higher learning. Applications are available on the church's website and are due by March 25.

Ruthie's Kitchen
Our church will be providing dinner for Ruthie's Kitchen on Tuesday, March 12. It is held at the Son Rise Church in Kill Devil Hills. A sign-up poster is in the Gathering Space. If you have any questions, please contact Jeanne Martie, at 252-441-8608 or jeanne_martie@yahoo.com.

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, 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 go to the Beach Food Pantry. All are invited to these services of music and reflection. The schedule for the 2019 Lenten season is as follows:

March 6, Ash Wednesday
The Rev. Dr. Jody Moore
From Outer Banks Presbyterian Church
Lunch by OBPC Presbyterian Women

March 13
The Rev. Charles Daly
From Mt. Carmel United Methodist Church
Lunch by Mr. Carmel United Methodist

March 20
The Rev. Phil Glick, Retired
Lunch by All Saints Episcopal Church

March 27
The Rev. Tanta Luckhardt-Hendricks, Retired
Lunch by Roanoke Island Presbyterian Church

April 3
The Rev. Keith Dey
From Emmanuel Lutheran Church
Lunch by Holy Redeemer Catholic Church

April 10
Chaplain Cherri Wheeler
From Kitty Hawk Baptist Church
Lunch by Kitty Hawk Baptist Church

April 17
The Rev. Spottswood Graves
From Calvary Presbyterian, Swan Quarter
Lunch by St. Andrews Episcopal Church
This Week at OBPC

**Sunday, March 3, 2019**
9:00 am ...................... Sunday School  
10:00 am .................. Morning Worship  
4:30 pm ..................... Youth Group

**Monday, March 4, 2019**
7:30 am ...................... A.A.  
10:00 am ...................... A.A.  
6:30 pm ................. Boy Scouts

**Tuesday, March 5, 2019**
7:30 am ...................... A.A.  
8:00 am .............. NDMA Breakfast  
10:00 am ...................... A.A.  
6:30 pm ..................... Cub Scouts

**Wednesday, March 6, 2019**  
**Ash Wednesday**
7:30 am ...................... A.A.  
10:00 am ...................... A.A.  
12:00 pm ............ Lenten Service  
5:30 pm ..................... Choir  
6:30 pm ........... Adult Evening Study  
7:00 pm ...................... Handbells

**Thursday, March 7, 2019**
7:30 am ...................... A.A.  
9:30 am ...................... Dorcas Circle  
10:00 am ...................... A.A.  
5:00 pm ..................... Girl Scouts

**Friday, March 8, 2019**
7:30 am ...................... A.A.  
8:00 am ............ Men's Bible Study  
10:00 am ...................... A.A.

**Saturday, March 9, 2019**
7:30 am ...................... A.A.  
10:00 am ...................... A.A.  
10:00 am ..................... Choir

**Sunday, March 10, 2019**
9:00 am ...................... Sunday School  
10:00 am .................. Morning Worship  
2:30 pm ................. Stamp Club  
4:30 pm ..................... Youth Group

**Vital Signs**
February 24 .................. $111,113.75  
Total for February ............... $264,454.75  
Souper Bowl of Caring ............. 633.18

**Attendance**
February 24 .................. 103

Those Serving Today

**This Week…**  
**March 3, 2019**
Greeting Elder: Bobby Gentry  
Liturgist: Ike McRee  
Coffee Hour: Finance Committee  
Children's Church: Hollie & Jody Lewis  
Communion Guild: Helen & Fred Gauvreau

**Next Week…**  
**March 10, 2019**
Greeting Elder: Bobby Gentry  
Liturgist: Brenda Brown  
Coffee Hour: Communion Guild  
Children's Church: Braymiller & Michler

What is Lent?
Lent is a period of prayer and reflection that begins on Ash Wednesday, March 6, and ends on Easter Sunday, April 21. 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.

Spring Forward!
Daylight Savings Time Begins  
Sunday, March 10th  
Set Your Clocks Ahead 1 Hour  
When You Go to Bed Saturday Night!
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.

**Homebound, Nursing Home & Out of Town Members**

Don & Nancy Bierwerth........................................... 410 Hastings Ln, Apt. 309, Elizabeth City, NC 27909
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**Christian Sympathy**

We offer our prayers to the family of Terry Collins, a member of the church, who passed away on February 27 following brain surgery. A Service of Witness to the Resurrection was held at OBPC on Saturday, March 2, 2019.

**Members & Friends**

Jack Abernethy ................................................................. Health Concerns
Nathalie & Duel Ballard .................................................. Health Concerns
Martha Butcher (Art Teacher at FFES & MES) .................................. Health Concerns
George Daniels ............................................................ Recovering from Cancer
John Dick .................................................................. Health Concerns
Arlene Evans ................................................................. Health Concerns
Matt & Dorothy George .................................................. Health Concerns
Esther Huntsinger ......................................................... Health Concerns
Ansley Johnson (Friend of Sharon McRee) ........................................ 7-year old with Leukemia
Terry Legel .................................................................. Complex Metastatic Cancer
Nancy Messinger ............................................................. Health Concerns
Howard Miller .................................................................. Health Concerns
Richard Phersick (friend of Barbara Rust) ...................................... Health Concerns
Louie Rodriguez, Jr. (Single-parent of 9-year-old in Scouts) ............... Metastatic Cancer
Kevin Scholl (Son of Ruth Ann and Tom Scholl) ............................... Metastatic Melanoma
Shirley (friend of Sharon McRee) .............................................. Cancer Treatments
Fred Smith .................................................................. Health Concerns
Hans Stelzer (Donna Lowcher’s Uncle) .......................................... Health Concerns
Trish Thomas ................................................................. Recovering from a Stroke
Pat Wilson (Wife of Fr. Tom Wilson) ............................................ Health Concerns
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. One way to give to the church is to make online donations via the link on our website: www.outerbankspresbyterian.org.

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