

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

All Saints' Sunday Sunday, November 3, 2019, 11:00 a.m.



God with Angels and Saints Mosaic, Philippines, c. late twentieth century

On All Saints' Sunday we celebrate the life, work, and witness of God's people, living and deceased. We remember our loved ones and forebears in the faith who have died in Christ. With the apostle Paul, we give thanks for saints who "live for the praise of Christ's glory" through lives of faith and service. We honor those whom Jesus blesses in today's gospel—the poor, the hungry, the mourning, and the persecuted. At the Lord's table we are bound together in one communion with all of these saints, both now and throughout eternity.

# Gathering

Opening Voluntary

In Memory – H.H.L.

Dan Locklair (b. 1949)

### Greeting

\*Opening Litany

Minister: There is a time for everything, for all things under the

sun:

People: A time to be born and a time to die, a time to laugh

and a time to cry, a time to dance and a time to mourn, a time to seek and a time to lose, a time to

forget and a time to remember.

Minister: This day in sacred convocation we remember those who

gave us life. We remember those who enriched our lives with love and beauty, kindness and compassion, thoughtfulness and understanding. We renew our bonds to those

who have gone the way of all the earth.

People: As we reflect upon those whose memory moves us

this day, we seek consolation, and the strength and

insight born of faith.

\*Processional Song

The Kontakion

Rupert Lang (b. 1948)

Cantor: Give rest unto your servants with your saints, O God, give rest, give rest. Where there is neither pain nor

sorrow, neither sighing but life everlasting.

All: Antiphon



Cantor: For you, God, only are immortal, the Creator and the

Maker of all, and we are mortal formed of the earth, and

to the earth we shall return.

All: Antiphon

Choir: For so you did ordain when you created me, saying, "You

are dust, and to dust you shall return." All of us go down to the dust, yet even at the grave we make our song:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia...

All: Antiphon

Text: Eastern Orthodox Memorial Liturgy

## **Proclamation**

Prayer for Illumination | In unison:

Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.

New Testament Lesson | NT pages 180-181 in the pew Bibles.

Ephesians 1:3-23

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

\*Gradual Hymn 712

I Sing a Song of the Saints of God

**GRAND ISLE** 

\*Gospel Lesson | NT page 60 in the pew Bibles

Luke 6:20-31

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Apprenticing with the Saints

# Response

### Call to Prayer

Minister: The Lord be with you. People: And also with you.

Minister: Let us pray.

**Prayers of the People** | The congregation responds to each petition:

People: Hear our prayer.

### Offertory Anthem

Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal

arr. Alice Parker

Hark, I hear the harps eternal ringing on the farther shore, As I near those swollen waters with their deep and solemn roar.

Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah, praise the Lamb! Hallelujah, hallelujah, glory to the great I AM!

And my soul, though stained with sorrow, fading as the light of day, Passes swiftly o'er those waters, to the city far away.

Souls have crossed before me saintly, to that land of perfect rest; And I hear them singing faintly in the mansions of the blest.

Text: attr. F. R. Warren, 1878

### \*Doxology

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise God above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

# Thanksgiving and Holy Communion

\*Prayers of Confession and Words of Assurance | In unison:

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

- \*Peace | All exchange signs and words of God's peace.
- \*The Great Thanksgiving | Musical setting A, found on page 17 in the hymnal.
- \*The Lord's Prayer | All are encouraged to pray the Lord's Prayer in the language of their choosing. The English version is number 895 in the hymnal.

Sharing of the Bread and Wine | All who love Christ, earnestly repent of their sins, and seek to be at peace with God and neighbor are invited to receive Communion. Wine is used for Communion. If you would prefer to receive grape juice, it is available upon request at a Communion station on the pulpit side.

If you have a gluten allergy, there is a server near the Memorial Chapel who will be ready to serve you gluten-free wafers and wine. If you will not receive Communion, you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

#### Communion Anthem

The Souls of the Righteous

Charles Beaudrot (b.1951)

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment shall touch them.

They are at peace, they rest from their labors.

For God has made trial of them, and found them to be worthy of himself. The faithful shall abide with him, for grace and mercy are to his chosen.

Text: Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9, alt. Charles Beaudrot

Communion Hymn 723

Shall We Gather at the River

HANSON PLACE

\*Post-Communion Prayer

# Sending Forth

\*Benediction

\*Closing Hymn 711

For All the Saints SINE NOMINE

**Closing Voluntary** 

Placare Christe Servulis

Marcel Dupré

## **TODAY IN WORSHIP**

PRESIDING	MINISTERS

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#### **HEAD USHERS**

**TODAY'S FLOWERS** | Today's flowers are provided by the generosity of the Congregation at Duke Chapel.

**TODAY'S OFFERING** | All of today's cash offerings and checks written to Duke University Chapel will be given to the Chapel's Development Fund for Mission and Ministry.

**TODAY'S MUSIC |** The music in today's service moves from remembrance to celebration as we mark our oneness with the saints as members of Christ's body. To begin, the Chapel Choir and soloists lead us in a modern version of a *Kontakion*, a hymn from the Greek Orthodox Church with origins in the Byzantine empire. Our gradual hymn, *I Sing a Song of the Saints of God*, was written for a children's hymnal in 1929; its playful imagery reminds us of the diversity of people who "love to do Jesus' will." The communion anthem *The Souls of the Righteous* was composed by Charles Beaudrot, a former member of the Duke Chapel Choir who resides in Georgia.

**ACCESSIBILITY** | Large print hymnals and bulletins are available at the visitor desk. Hearing assistance units are available at the rear sound desk.

**FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN** | Children four and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel lower level, beginning at 10:45 a.m. each week.

## **ENGAGE**

**WELCOME TO DUKE CHAPEL** | If you have questions about the ministries of Duke Chapel or the Congregation at Duke Chapel, please stop by the Welcome Desk in the narthex. Those staffing the table will be happy to answer your questions. **CHAPEL TOUR** | For a tour of Duke Chapel, meet today's docent near the front steps of the Chapel following the service.

ALL SAINTS' REQUIEM EUCHARIST TODAY | This service featuring Maurice Durufé's Requiem, Op. 9, takes place at 4:00 p.m. this afternoon. Duke Chapel, Duke Evensong Singers, and the Anglican Episcopal House of Studies at Duke Divinity School combine to lead this service of remembrance for All Saints' Sunday. Prayed the whole world over for centuries the beauty of words and music of the Requiem service provide a quiet place of sanctuary and reflection.

SERVICE PROJECT NOV. 9 | Volunteers are needed on Saturday, November 9, 9:30 a.m. to 12-noon to sort and fold donated clothing at Urban Ministries of Durham located at 410 Liberty St., Durham. Urban Ministries connects poor and homeless neighbors to food, shelter, and a future. Transportation is available for students. Please contact the Congregation office at congregation@duke.edu to volunteer or for more details.

**BACK PEW COLLECTION** | On Sundays, November 10 and 17, the Congregation will collect items for neighbors at Urban Ministries of Durham, a local homeless shelter. Currently, the shelter needs disposable razors, shaving cream, deodorant, new men's underwear, and new gloves and hats (men's and women's). Donations may be placed on the back pew on November 10 and 17.

**ORGAN RECITAL NOV. 10** | Dr. Timothy Olsen gives a recital on the Flentrop organ, "Dancing through the Centuries," which includes works by J. S. Bach, Guy Bovet, Calvin Hampton, and others. Dr. Olsen is Kenan Professor of Organ at the University of North Carolina School of the Arts, as well as an associate professor of organ at Salem College. The concert, which is free and open to the public, begins at 5:15 p.m. on Sunday, November 10.

**FELLOWSHIP LUNCH NOV. 10** | Worshipers are invited to eat together after worship on Sunday, November 10, in the Brodhead Center. The Brodhead Center is located a short walk from the Chapel and volunteers will be on hand to provide directions. Diners will purchase their meal from one of many vendors, then gather in the Great Hall for fellowship. All are welcome.

**URBAN MINISTRIES DINNER** | Ten volunteers and twenty cooked lasagnas are needed every month to serve our neighbors at Urban Ministries. The next service date is Sunday, November 10, at 5:15 p.m. Please contact the Congregation

## **ENGAGE** (Continued)

office if you are able to assist with these meals. New volunteers are welcome at any time and detailed instructions are provided.

**SECOND WEDNESDAY LUNCH** | Informal conversation and fellowship in a local restaurant is the only agenda for the Second Wednesday Lunch. On November 13 at 12-noon, participants will gather at First Watch, 5307 New Hope Commons Blvd. Ext., Durham. Each person will purchase their own meal. Please email the Congregation Office or call 919-684-3917 by Monday, November 11, if you plan to attend.

**JAZZ VESPERS NOV. 19** | Mark your calendars for the Chapel's next Jazz Vespers worship service: Tuesday, November 19, at 7:30 p.m. This service combines the form of the traditional evening vespers service with the musical improvisation of jazz. The music is led by Professor John Brown and his Little Big Band.

**BEACH WEEKEND** | Save the weekend of May 15-17 for a weekend retreat at Ft. Caswell, Oak Island, NC. This annual overnight retreat is sponsored by the Congregation

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES** | Classes for all ages will meet throughout the summer at 9:45 a.m. in the lowest level of the Westbrook building, Duke Divinity School. Refreshments and fellowship begin at 9:30 a.m. Classes are:

Wee Praise: For children ages 0–3 with parents or caregivers in 0011 WB Godly Play: For children ages 4 through 1st graders in 0054 Langford Godly Play Advanced: For children in 2nd–5th grade in 0050 Langford Youth Bible Study: For youth in 6th–12th grade in 0013 Westbrook Adult Bible Study: A study of Isaiah in 0015 Westbrook Adult Forum: On November 10, The Rev. Dr. Jerusha Neal, Assistant Professor of Homiletics, Duke Divinity School, and guest preacher in Duke Chapel, will present "Witness to the Resurrection: Scripts, Substitutes and Sermons" in 0012 Westbrook.

For a complete listing of events, please visit chapel.duke.edu/events or sign up to receive weekly emails at chapel.duke.edu/email



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The Congregation is the interdenominational church home for university students and community members who consider the Chapel to be their primary place of worship. Through ministries of mission, education, and fellowship, members of the Congregation strive to deepen connections with God and neighbor.

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