

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

All Hallows' Eve Saturday, October 31, 2020, 7:00 p.m.



All Hallows' Eve at Duke Chapel Grace Cai, T '19, 2018

Tonight is the eve of All Saints' Day, the festival in the Church that recalls the faith and witness of our brothers and sisters in Christ throughout all ages. The service celebrates our continuing communion with them, and memorializes the recently deceased. The early Church followed the Jewish custom that a new day began at sundown; thus, feasts and festivals in the Church were observed beginning on the night before. The night before All Saints (or All Hallows) became known as All Hallows' Eve, or Halloween. Our Scripture readings tonight point to Jesus, for it is by faith in him that we step from darkness into light, and from death into life. This worship service celebrates the saints with newly recorded prayers and readings as well as past recordings of music from previous Chapel services.

Gathering Opening Voluntary

Komm, süßer Tod, komm, selige Ruh (Come, sweetest death, come blessed rest)

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750) arr. Virgil Fox

Greeting and Opening Prayer

Choral Introit

Bring us, O Lord God

William H. Harris (1883–1973)

Bring us, O Lord God, at our last awakening into the house and gate of heaven, to enter into that gate and dwell in that house, where there shall be no darkness nor dazzling, but one equal light; no noise nor silence, but one equal music; no fears nor hopes, but one equal possession; no ends nor beginnings, but one equal eternity: in the habitations of thy majesty and glory, world without end. Amen

Text: John Donne

*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.

*Greeting of Peace | All exchange signs and words of God's peace.

Minister: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Proclamation

Prayer for Illumination

O Living God, bring us forth from death to life, so that as the scriptures are read and your word is proclaimed, we, like all of your saints, may be brought to a sure and living faith in your lordship; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Old Testament Lesson

Isaiah 25:6-9

Witness of the Saints

Jareena Lee (1783–1864)

Anthem

Give us the Wings of Faith

Ernest Bullock (1890–1979)

Give us the wings of faith to rise
Within the veil, and see
The Saints above, how great their joys,
How bright their glories be.
We ask them, whence their victory came:
They, with one united breath,
Ascribe the conquest to the Lamb,
Their triumph to His death.
They marked the footsteps that He trod,
His zeal inspired their breast;
And following their incarnate God
They reached the promised rest.

Text: Isaac Watts

Witness of the Saints

Paul Chong Hasang (1795–1839)

New Testament Lesson

Revelation 21:1–7

Witness of the Saints

Titus Brandsma (1881–martyred 1942)

Anthem

The Souls of the Righteous

Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and there shall no torment touch them. In the sight of the unwise they seemed to die, and their departure is taken for misery, and their going from us to be utter destruction, but they are in peace. For though they be punished in the sight of men, yet is their hope full of immortality, and having been a little chastised, they shall be greatly rewarded. For God proved them and found them worthy for Himself.

Text: Book of Wisdom 3:1-5

Witness of the Saints

Ann Atwater (1935–2016)

*Gospel Lesson

John 11:32–44

Response

*Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made human.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

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.

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 against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Choral Benediction

In Paradisum (from Requiem, Op. 48)

Gabriel Fauré (1845–1924)

In paradisum deducant angeli

In tuo adventu suscipiant te martyres

Et perducant te

In civitatem sanctam Jerusalem.

Chorus angelorum te suscipiat

Et cum Lazaro, quondam paupere

Aeternam habeas requiem.

Text: Requiem Mass

May angels lead you into paradise,
Martyrs receive you at your arrival,
And bring you
To the holy city Jerusalem.
May the choir of angels receive you,
And with Lazarus, once a pauper,
May you have eternal rest.

Sending Forth

Benediction

Plainsong Hymn

*Closing Hymn

For All the Saints SINE NOMINE

Closing Voluntary

Tu es petra (Thou art the rock)

Henri Mulet (1878–1967)

TODAY IN WORSHIP

PRESIDING MINISTERS

FRESIDING MINISTERS	
The Rev. Bruce Puckett	el
The Rev. Breana van Velzen	el
LECTORS	
Mr. Santino PanzicaChapel Scholar, Chapel Choir, Presbyterian Campus Ministry, Trinity '2	4
Ms. Sua Cho	4
Mr. Oluwaseun Oguntunmibi	2
Ms. Margaret Gaw	
Mr. Noah Breuss-Burgess	2
Ms. Eka Ebong	2
Mr. Parker Betts	2
MUSICIANS	
Duke Chapel Choir	ir
Evensong Singers	ir
Vespers Ensemble	ir
Dr. Philip Cave	
Mr. Christopher Jacobson	el
Mr. Joseph Fala	

ENGAGE

MUSIC FROM DUKE CHAPEL 2020–2021 | The Chapel is offering a series of online sacred music concerts and recitals during this academic year. The series includes an online presentation of parts of Handel's *Messiah* on December 6, which will blend live performances of arias and recitatives with virtual, sing-along choruses. Organ recitals, a jazz vespers service, and a spring concert are also part of the yearlong schedule. The next online concert in the series is a recital by Chapel Organist Christopher Jacobson, FRCO, titled "J. S. Bach's Great Eighteen Organ Chorales," on Sunday, November 8, at 4:00 p.m. Learn more at chapel.duke.edu/music.

ENGAGING THE PSALMS THROUGH MUSIC AND ART | The Chapel's *Psalms in Dialogue* online event on October 17 approached the meaning of the Bible's Psalms through painting, dance, music, and original translations. The *Psalms in Dialogue* premiere video focused on Psalm 22, 23, and 24 and is still available for viewing for a limited time. Watch it at chapel.duke.edu/psalmsvideo.

MIDWEEK PRAYER | Please join in for a brief service of prayer on Wednesdays at noon through the end of the semester. To participate in this prayer time, <u>please register for the Zoom call here</u>.

THE LATEST FROM DEAN POWERY | Chapel Dean Luke A. Powery regularly preaches, speaks, and writes for audiences across the country and beyond. Recently he joined fellow theological leaders Barbara Brown Taylor, the Rev. Dr. Starsky Wilson, Parker J. Palmer, Gregory C. Ellison II, and others for a virtual launch of the new book about theologian Howard Thurman, *Anchored in the Current*. Dean Powery also continues to write a biweekly column in the (Duke) *Chronicle*; the most recent one is on "The Value of Gratitude." Find the dean's latest talks and writings on the Chapel website at chapel.duke.edu/dean.

FALL RETREAT: BEGINNING A REMEDY FOR RACISM Racism is infectious, insidious, and injurious to individuals, communities, and society. If racism is like a virus, are there remedies available? Christian theology is a resource for a remedy to racism. The Rev. Dr. David Goatly will lead a virtual retreat on the topic of "Beginning a Remedy for Racism" on Saturday, November 14, from 9:00 a.m. to 12-noon. Dr. Goatley is the research professor of theology and black church studies and the director of the Office of Black Church Studies at Duke Divinity School. Please register for the retreat online or contact congregation@duke.edu.

JOIN A RELIGIOUS LIFE GROUP | Students can deepen their faith and make friends through Religious Life groups. Duke has more than twenty Religious Life groups representing a wide range of faith traditions, including Catholic, Hindu, Latter-Day Saints, Jewish, Muslim, and a variety of Protestant denominations. See how to connect with Religious Life leaders at chapel.duke.edu/ReligiousLife. For questions, contact the Chapel's director of Religious Life, the Rev. Kathryn Lester-Bacon, at kathryn.lester.bacon@duke.edu.

PRAYER FOR RACIAL JUSTICE | Please join us in purposeful prayers for racial reconciliation in our community, nation, and world on Saturday mornings at 9:00 a.m. via Zoom hosted by the Congregation. The service includes short readings, unison prayers, and the option of prayer from the participants. For more information and logon information, please contact Nathaniel Metz at nathaniel.metz@duke.edu.

JOIN A VISUAL CONVERSATION ABOUT FINDING SANCTUARY | Amid the coronavirus pandemic and nationwide calls for justice, the Chapel is re-engaging a question for the Duke community at a time when many of the ways we usually worship, pray, and find solace are evolving: Where (or how) do you find sanctuary? We invite you to participate in this online, visual conversation by posting on social media with the hashtag #FindSanctuary a photo of a way you find sanctuary in certain places, people, or practices.

VESPERS AND EVENSONG REBROADCASTS | Weekly rebroadcasts of Evensong (Sunday afternoons, 4:00 p.m.) and Vespers (Thursday evenings, 7:00 p.m.) continue this week. Each rebroadcast will be on the Chapel's Facebook page and website, and be available for one week until the next rebroadcast. The rebroadcasts feature commentary on the services provided by Chapel Music staff.

CARILLON LIVESTREAM | You are invited to participate virtually in an ongoing campus tradition. Listen live online to the playing of the Duke Chapel carillon bells weekdays at 5:00 p.m. on the Duke Chapel Facebook page at facebook.com/dukechapel.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SCHEDULE | Online and video classes for all ages are offered Sunday mornings from 9:45–10:45 a.m. New participants are always welcome. Please see the Congregation's eNews for links or contact the Congregation office at congregation@duke.edu. Classes are:

- Wee Praise Music and movement for children ages 0–3 with parents or caregivers
- Godly Play Spiritual formation for children ages 4 through 5th grade
- Youth Bible Study A study of Ezekiel-Malachi for students in 6th–12th grades
- Adult Bible Study A study of Ecclesiastes
- New Member Class For those considering membership in the Congregation
- Adult Forum On Sunday, November 8 Carl Hollomon, Congregation member, will present "Pascal's Pensées: Worship with Mind and Spirit."