

#### SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Christ the King Sunday Sunday, November 20, 2022, 11:00 a.m.



Artist unknown, The Pantocrator, God the Son, from The Bible of St. Louis, ca. 1226.

Today, we mark the feast of Christ the King. It is a day for expressing our faith that, even though Christ was rejected and crucified, he rose, ascended, and forever reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit in glory. Jesus's reign means that no mighty power, tragic suffering, or evil force will have the last word; the last word is Jesus. It also means we may look to Jesus's life—his humility, his sacrifice, his compassion for outcasts—for a model of true kingship. Our loyalty to this Christ goes before our loyalty to any other claim on our lives. Today is the last Sunday of the Church year: next week, a new year begins with the First Sunday in Advent.

# Gathering Carillon

#### **Opening Voluntary**

Saraband (in modo elegiaco)

Herbert Howells (1892–1983)

Introit

Psallite Domino

William Byrd (c. 1540–1623)

Psallite Domino, qui ascendit super coelos coelorum ad orientem. Alleluia.

Sing to the Lord, who mounteth above the heaven of the heavens, to the east. Alleluia.

-Psalm 67:33-34, Latin Vulgate

Greeting and Call to Worship

\*Processional Hymn | UMH 154

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

CORONATION arr. Bankson

\*Prayer 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.

Minister: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

#### **Proclamation**

**Prayer for Illumination** | In unison:

God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and follow in his service, for he reigns forever with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. Amen.

New Testament Lesson | NT pages 188–189 in pew Bibles.

Colossians 1:11-20

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn | UMH 209

Blessed Be the God of Israel

MERLE'S TUNE

\*Gospel Lesson | NT page 54 in pew Bibles.

Luke 1:68-79

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Empowered

Response

Call to Prayer

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

Minister: Let us pray.

\*All rise as able

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

People: Hear our prayer.

Mission of the Month

Offertory Anthem

O Day Full of Grace

arr. F. Melius Christiansen (1871–1955)

O day full of grace which we behold, now gently to view ascending, thou over the earth thy reign unfold, good cheer to all mortals lending. That children of light, in every clime, may prove that the night is ending.

How blest was that gracious midnight hour, when God in our flesh was given; then flushed the dawn with light and power, that spread o'er the darkened heaven.

Then rose o'er the world that sun divine which gloom from our hearts hath driven.

Yea, were every tree endowed with speech, and every leaflet singing, they never with praise God's worth could reach, though earth with their praise be ringing. Who fully could praise the light of life who light to our souls is bringing? Praise the Lord!

With joy we depart for the promised land, and there we shall walk in endless light.

\*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

\*The Great Thanksgiving

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

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

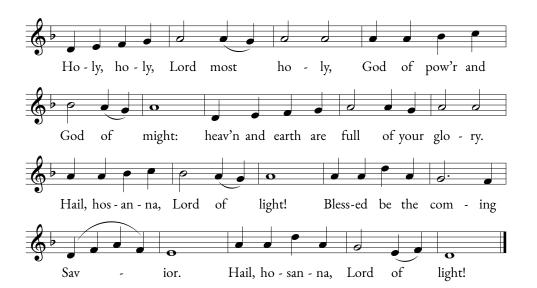
People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Minister: ...And so, we praise you with angels and archangels and all the

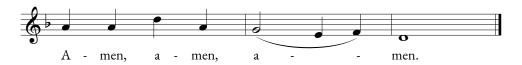
company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending praise:



Minister: ...great is the mystery of faith.



Minister: ...All honor and glory are yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.



\*The Lord's Prayer | All are encouraged to pray the Lord's Prayer in the language of their choosing.

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.

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 in the front and the back of the Chapel. A gluten-free option is available from a server positioned by Memorial Chapel and a server positioned opposite the attendant's desk near the narthex. 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 Hymn | UMH 188

Christ Is the World's Light

CHRISTE SANCTORUM

<sup>\*</sup>Post-Communion Prayer

# **Sending Forth**

#### \*Benediction

\*Closing Hymn | See printed hymn and instructions at end of worship guide.

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

GROSSER GOTT arr. Fothergill

**Closing Voluntary** 

Allegro assai vivace (from Sonata I in F Minor)

Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)

Carillon

### **TODAY IN WORSHIP**

**Presiding Ministers** 

Kathryn Lester-Bacon	Director of Religious Life, Duke University Chapel
Bruce Puckett	
Preacher	
Carol Gregg	Pastor, Congregation at Duke Chapel
Lector	
Sherman Criner V	Chapel Scholar, Trinity '26
Natasha Jacobs	
Mission of the Month	
Russell Pierce	Executive Director, Housing for New Hope; Divinity'01
Musicians	
Duke Chapel Choir	Choir
Zebulon Highben	Director of Chapel Music, Duke University Chapel
Robert Parkins	University Organist, Duke University
Chad Fothergill	Interim Chapel Organist, Duke University Chapel
	Organ Scholar, Duke University Chapel
Don Eagle	Trumpet, Amalgam Brass
	Trumpet, Amalgam Brass
Chris Caudill	Horn, Amalgam Brass
Mike Kris	Trombone, Amalgam Brass
Steve Truckenbrod	Tuba, Amalgam Brass
Mitchell Eithun	Chapel Carillonneur, Duke University Chapel
Head Usher	
James Ferguson	Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel

Mission of the Month | For more than thirty years, Housing for New Hope (HNH) has been serving Durham's most vulnerable neighbors by connecting them to affordable housing and the supportive services they need to remain stably housed. Each year, the agency supports more than 700 people with a variety of services. These includes two supportive housing communities, Williams Square and Andover, which serve people who have been unhoused for at least a year and have a disabling condition. Today's offering will close the gap between what tenants can pay toward their housing and the monthly rent. Send checks to: Duke University Chapel, Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708-0974. You are invited to give online at <a href="mailto:chapel.duke.edu/offering">chapel.duke.edu/offering</a>. You can also participate in the work of HNH by using the information on the card in this worship guide to connect someone without housing to services provided by HNH.

**Today's Flowers** | Flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God by the generosity of the Elizabeth Lucina Gotham Memorial Chapel Endowment.

**Music Acknowledgments** | *Holy, Holy, Lord Most Holy*. Text by Martin Seltz (b. 1951), adapt. from the Sanctus; © 1998 Augsburg Fortress. Reprinted under OneLicense #A-725399.

#### **ENGAGE**

**University Prayer of Thanksgiving** | Each week, we focus on a different campus unit, school, or department for whom to give thanks to God for their service and contributions to the wider university community and beyond. Today, we give thanks for the Department of Biomedical Engineering.

**Tour After the Service** | Learn about the history, architecture, and life of Duke Chapel on a tour immediately following the service. The tour is free and lasts about forty-five minutes. Meet the docent outside in front of the Chapel.

**Restrooms in Divinity School** | Public restrooms are available in the Divinity School. To access them, exit the Chapel through the main front doors, turn to the left, and enter the Divinity School. Restrooms are along the hallway in the Divinity School.

**Chapel Schedule for Thanksgiving Break** | The Chapel will be closed on Thanksgiving Day but otherwise open daily over the Thanksgiving break.

Bach Cantata Concert | The Bach Cantata concert today at 5:00 p.m. will have a theme of "Music for Christ the King Sunday." The concert includes two cantatas by J.S. Bach. The first, Cantata 147, Herz und Mund und Tat und Leben ("Heart and Mouth and Deed and Life"), contains one of Bach's most celebrated chorales, known in English as "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring." The second is Cantata 116, Du Friedefürst, Herr Jesu Christ ("Thou Prince of Peace, Lord Jesus Christ"). The two cantatas are separated by an instrumental work, Handel's Concerto Grosso, Op. 3, No. 6. The Chapel's Dr. Philip Cave directs the performance with chorus and distinguished soloists accompanied by the Mallarmé Chamber Players performing on period instruments. Admission is free. Interim Chapel Organist Chad Fothergill will be giving a free pre-concert talk in Goodson Chapel at 4:00 p.m.

Theology and Arts Fellowship for Students | Students are invited to apply for the Chapel's C. Eric Lincoln Fellowship. It is a competitive fellowship that 1) provides funding to an undergraduate or graduate student to complete a sacred art project, 2) invites the fellow to broaden the reach of artistic expression at Duke Chapel, and 3) reflects on the work and legacy of Duke scholar C. Eric Lincoln. Applicants can come from any religious or spiritual background. The fellowship runs the length of the Spring 2023 semester. Applications are due November 22. Learn more and apply at <a href="mailto:chapel.duke.edu/ArtsFellowship">chapel.duke.edu/ArtsFellowship</a>.

Two Advent Studies | Two Advent studies will begin after Thanksgiving. Starting November 27, on Sunday mornings from 9:45–10:45 a.m., the topic of discussion will be "The Angels of Christmas" in Westbrook 0013 and over Zoom. Starting November 30, on Wednesdays, at both 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., groups will meet over Zoom to discuss Mark Thibodeaux's book *God's Voice Within: The Ignatian Way to Discover God's Will*. Both studies will meet for four weeks. Please contact congregation@duke.edu for detailed information and the Zoom links.

**Upcoming Guest Preachers** | In next Sunday's worship service on November 27, we will welcome as our guest preacher the Rev. Rhonda Parker, senior director for ministerial formation and student life at Duke Divinity School. The following Sunday, December 4, our guest preacher is Bishop William Willimon, former dean of Duke Chapel and current professor of the practice of Christian ministry at Duke Divinity School.

**Choral Evensong Next Sunday** | Next Sunday, November 27, at 4:00 p.m., the Chapel will hold a service of Choral Evensong, which will include special music for the First Sunday in Advent. Following the *Book of Common Prayer*, the liturgy draws upon stirring choral and organ music of the English cathedral tradition, led by the Chapel's Evensong Singers.

**Duke Chorale Christmas Concert** | The Duke Chorale, directed by Allan Friedman, will present holiday music sung by the Chorale in English and Spanish as well as carols for all to sing. There will also be stories and treats for children. This family holiday event on Tuesday, November 29, at 7:00 p.m. in Duke Chapel is a long-standing tradition for many area residents. The cost of admission is one non-perishable food item for Urban Ministries of Durham.

**Tickets Nearly Sold Out for Handel's 'Messiah'** | Since 1933, G.F. Handel's *Messiah* has been the fulcrum of the Chapel's concert life and a cherished Duke holiday tradition. Tickets are nearly sold out for the Chapel's three performances of *Messiah* this year on December 2, 3, and 4. To purchase tickets, visit the Duke Box Office website at tickets, duke, edu.

**Advent Lessons and Carols Dec. 8** | This year, the Chapel's Service of Advent Lessons and Carols will be on Thursday, December 8, at 7:00 p.m. The Chapel's Vespers Ensemble leads the music for the service.

Christmas Open House Dec. 14 | The annual "Duke Chapel by Candlelight: Christmas Open House" will be on Wednesday, December 14, from 12-noon to 2:00 p.m. It's a chance to see the splendor of the Chapel decorated for the Christmas season. Take in the sights, and listen to music for Advent and Christmas! Admission is free, and free parking is available for the event in the Bryan Center Garage.

**Christmas Eve Services** | The Chapel will hold Christmas Eve services at 2:00, 5:00, 8:00, and 11:00 p.m. We will also have a Christmas Day service at 11:00 a.m. For details, see <a href="mailto:chapel.duke.edu/christmas">chapel.duke.edu/christmas</a>.

**Sunday Morning Classes** | Sunday morning Christian Education classes are available for all ages. These classes are offered from 9:45–10:45 a.m., with coffee and refreshments provided at 9:30 a.m. Classes meet in the lowest level of the Westbrook building. New participants are welcome at any time. Please contact congregation@duke.edu for additional information.



Text: sts. 1–3, 5, paraphrase of the *Te Deum laudamus*, attr. Ignaz Franz (1719–1790), trans. Clarence A. Walworth (1820–1900); st. 4, Francis Bland Tucker (1895–1984), © 1985 The Church Pension Fund. Music: GROSSER GOTT: *Katholisches Gesangbuch*, Vienna, 1774.

#### ACCESSIBILITY

Large-print hymnals and worship guides are available at the visitor relations desk. Hearing assistance units are available at the AV console in the rear of the Chapel. Please let us know if you need other accommodations by approaching a minister or usher, or email us at dukechapel@duke.edu.

# LET'S KEEP IN TOUCH

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