

Service of Worship

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany February 2, 2014 Eleven o'clock in the morning

≈ Keeping the heart of the University listening to the heart of God ≪



What does God desire for his people? Today's passage from Micah reveals God in controversy with his people—for all God's saving actions, the people of Israel offer only burnt offerings, when God desires that they do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly with him. In Matthew, Jesus preaches the Sermon on the Mount, where conventional wisdom is turned upside down. Here Jesus proclaims that God's blessings fall upon those who mourn, who are meek, who are poor in spirit, and who are persecuted.

At the close of today's service, the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the Memorial Chapel located to the left of the chancel. Immediately following the Lord's Supper, a service of prayer for healing will be held. The service consists of prayers for healing and wholeness, with anointing and laying on of hands. All are invited.

The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

GATHERING

Carillon

Organ Prelude

Prelude and Fugue in G Major, BWV 541 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Greeting and Announcements

*Processional Hymn 132 All My Hope Is Firmly Grounded

MICHAEL

*Prayer of Confession and Words of Assurance (in unison)

The minister offers words of confession in three biddings, to which the congregation responds as follows:

Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

*PEACE

(All exchange signs and words of God's peace.)

Proclamation

Prayer for Illumination (in unison)

God of heaven, you send the gospel to the ends of the earth and your messengers to every nation: send your Holy Spirit in the reading of this word to transform us by the good news of everlasting life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Micah 6:1-8 (OT page 816 in the pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Beatitudes

Victor Kalinnikoff (1870-1927)

O Lord, remember us when thou comest into thy kingdom.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Blessed are they that mourn, for they shall be comforted.

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

Blessed are they who do hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled.

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the children of God.

Blessed are they which are persecuted for righteousness sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

O blessed are ye when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely for my sake.

Rejoice and be exceeding glad, for great is your reward in heaven.

-Matthew 5:3-12

New Testament Lesson—1 Corinthians 1:18-31 (NT page 156)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 402 (stanzas 1-2)

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN (All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

*Gospel Lesson—Matthew 5:1-12 (NT page 4)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 402 (stanzas 3-4)

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

I WANT TO BE A CHRISTIAN

SERMON—Mountaintop Mentalities

RESPONSE

*The Apostles' Creed

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. 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: "Hear our prayer.")

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Ave Maria

Franz Biebl (1906-2001)

Angelus Domini nuntiavit Mariae, et concepit de Spiritu Sancto. Ave Maria, gratia plena, Dominus tecum, benedicta tu in mulieribus et benedictus fructus ventris tui, Jesus.

Maria dixit: Ecce ancilla Domini, fiat mihi secundum Verbum tuum. Et verbum caro factum est et habitavit in nobis.

Sancta Maria, Mater Dei, ora pro nobis peccatoribus, nunc et in hora mortis nostrae. Amen.

The angel of the Lord announced to Mary and she conceived by the Holy Spirit. "Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus."

Mary said, "Behold I am the handmaid of the Lord; let it be according to your word." And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

*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

This morning we give thanks for the Duke University School of Law. We celebrate its dedication to training students to be servants of local and global communities through their passion for the law and their pursuit of justice. A representative brings a gavel to the altar.

In Durham, we remember those who struggle with their body image and any who are affected by eating disorders or disordered eating. The ushers bring forward a brochure from Veritas Collaborative, a nearby in-patient facility that offers hope to young people living with eating disorders.

A child and youth member of the Congregation at Duke University Chapel bring forward offerings collected in the children and youth Sunday School classes.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*The Lord's Prayer (number 895 in the hymnal, in unison)

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

*RECESSIONAL HYMN 441 What Does the Lord Require

SHARPTHORNE

*CHORAL BLESSING

God Be in My Head

John Rutter (b. 1945)

God be in my head and in my understanding. God be in mine eyes and in my looking. God be in my mouth and in my speaking. God be in my heart and in my thinking. God be at my end and in my departing.

Organ Postlude

Overture to Castor et Pollux

Jean-Phillipe Rameau (1683-1764) arr. Robert Horton

CARILLON

*All who are able may stand.

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EACH WEEK AT DUKE CHAPEL

COMMUNION AND HEALING - Tuesday at 5:15 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel MID-WEEK PRAYER - Wednesday at noon in the Memorial Chapel Choral Vespers - Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in the Chancel







CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S FLOWERS—The flowers for the worship service today are given to the glory of God by the Erlenbach Family Trust.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used to support human service organizations in the greater Durham area. These nonprofit organizations are identified to receive funds by a panel of Congregation members, Friends of Duke Chapel, and students. The grantmaking process not only benefits people in need but also seeks to introduce students to faithful stewardship and community development.

Today's Anthems – February 2 marks the Presentation of Jesus at the Temple, also known as Candlemas or the Feast of the Purification of the Virgin, among others. It is celebrated 40 days after the birth of Jesus, when Mary and Joseph brought him to the Temple in Jerusalem for rituals involving the purification of Mary and the redemption of her firstborn child, as prescribed by Jewish law. Today's introit and offertory anthems mark this occasion.

Interfaith Leadership in Public Life—On Monday, February 3, at 7:30 p.m., Duke Chapel and the College of Arts and Sciences are hosting a public event with Eboo Patel, president of the InterFaith Youth Core. Dr. Patel will address the need for service-minded interfaith leaders in today's world. Dr. Laurie Patton, Dean of Trinity College, will respond. The event will be held in Goodson Chapel at Duke Divinity School. It is free and open to the public.

Vespers Evensong—The Duke Vespers Ensemble, in collaboration with the Duke Episcopal Center and the Anglican Episcopal House of Studies, invites the community to a Choral Evensong on Thursday, February 6, at 5:15 p.m. The service will commemorate Candlemas (the presentation of Jesus in the temple) and will follow the 1662 Book of Common Prayer.

DUKE CHAPEL EVENT EMAIL LIST—If you would like to receive emails about upcoming events sponsored by Duke Chapel, such as concerts, dialogues, special worship services, and more, please visit www.chapel.duke.edu/contact and sign up via the link in the left-hand box.

THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION—Christian education classes for all ages for all ages are normally held on Sunday mornings from 9:45-10:45 a.m. in the lowest level of the Westbrook Building in the Divinity School. On Sunday, February 9, everyone invited to attend the Pancake Breakfast held in the Chapel kitchen.

Pancake Breakfast—All are invited to the Congregation's annual Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, February 9. Breakfast is served from 8:45 a.m to 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel kitchen and will include pancakes, eggs, sausage, danish, fruit, and a huge serving of fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there! If you have any questions, please call Judy Arneson 919-968-7822.

BACK PEW COLLECTION—The February "back pew collection" is for the Achievement Academy, which assists young adults in reaching their educational goals. The Academy welcomes donations of flash drives (new or used), multiuse copy/printer paper, spiral notebooks, Texas Instrument 30XS calculators, black dry erase markers, lined notebook paper, 1.5" or 3" ring binders (no larger ones, please), digital minute timers, two-pocket folders, paper towels, paper cups, and Clorox wipes. Donations may be placed in the back pews the weeks of February 9 and 16.

Young Adult Fellowship—Adults in their 20s and 30s along with their families are invited to a fellowship dinner on the first Friday of the month. On Friday, February 7, at 6:00 p.m., young adults will met at Bull City Burger and Brewery, 107 E Parish St, Durham for dinner. For more information, contact Brad Troxell at brad.troxell@duke.edu.

40s And 50s Dinner—Good food and fellowship is the goal of gathering adults in their 40s and 50s on the second Friday of the month. On Friday, February 14, at 6:00 p.m., the gathering spot will be Nosh, located at 2812 Erwin Road, Suite 101 in Durham. For additional information, contact David Eck at david.eck@earthlink.net

Saturday Service Project—On Saturday, February 15, from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon, volunteers are needed to paint a study room at the Achievement Academy. The Academy provides education and support for young adults who are striving to earn the NC Equivalency Diploma. If you are interested in helping with this project, either by painting on February 15 or lending painting supplies, please email brad.troxell@duke.edu or janeafellows@msn.com or call the Congregation office at 919- 684-3917.

Lectionary Bible Study—All are invited to participate in a study of the lectionary readings on Friday, February 7, at 10:00 a.m. in the library at The Forest at Duke. This study meets on the first Friday of the month.

DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL



Duke Chapel is a grand building, suitable for hosting major events in the life of the University and its members; it acts as a moderator for the diversity of religious identity and expression on campus; and it is a Christian church of an unusually interdenominational character, with a tradition of stirring music, preaching, and liturgy. We welcome you to our life of worship, learning, dialogue, and service.

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FOR WORSHIPERS & VISITORS

- † Prayer requests may be placed in the prayer box located by the Memorial Chapel.
- † For a tour of Duke Chapel, meet today's docent near the front steps of the Chapel following the service.
- † Hearing assist units and a Braille hymnal are available at the attendant's desk at the entry way of the Chapel. See the Chapel attendant if you would like to use one of our large-print Bibles or hymnals for the worship service this morning.

FOR FAMILIES & CHILDREN

- † Children 4 and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel basement, beginning at 10:50 a.m. each week. Pagers are available for parents to keep with them during worship. Parents needing a place to feed, quiet, or change infants are also welcome.
- † Activity Bags are available at the rear of the Chapel for children 5 or younger. Please return the bags at the end of the service. Children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

We invite you to consider joining the Congregation at Duke Chapel. The Congregation is an interdenominational church with a variety of vibrant ministries, including discipleship and spiritual formation (for children, youth, and adults), mission and outreach, and pastoral care. If you would like to receive the weekly eNews from the Congregation or have any questions, please email congregation@duke.edu or call 919-684-3917.

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