



Duke
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Worship

Ninth Sunday After Pentecost
August 10, 2014

Eleven o'clock in the morning

~ Keeping the heart of the University listening to the heart of God ~



"Disciples See Christ Walking on the Water," by Henry Ossawa Tanner, c. 1907.

In the midst of hardship or fear, it can be difficult to believe that God is for us. Yet, scripture affirms again and again this to be true. Today's lesson from Genesis describes the favored son of Jacob, Joseph, and the animosity of his brothers who sold him into slavery. Yet the surprises of God persist, and Joseph is not eclipsed from the line of promise. In Romans, Paul suggests the gift of salvation grows through belief from the heart. In Matthew 14, Jesus walks upon stormy water and invites Peter to join him, but Peter's fear prevents him. It is not the waves themselves that cause Peter to sink, but his fear of them. The lesson encourages us to trust the power of God, even in the face of unsettling storms.

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 Healing will be held in the Memorial Chapel. 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.

The Chapel welcomes families with children. If at any time during the service your child needs a place for active play, please know there is a nursery in the Chapel basement.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Ubi Caritas	Ola Gjeilo (b. 1978)
The Ground	Gjeilo
My Eternal King	Jane Marshall (b. 1924)
All That Hath Life and Breath Praise Ye the Lord	René Clausen (b. 1953)

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 529

How Firm a Foundation FOUNDATION

*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*)

Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small, as we hear your wisdom, make our faith grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28

(OT pages 32-33 in the pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

Pilgrims' Hymn

Stephen Paulus
(b. 1949)

Even before we call on Your name to ask You, O God,
When we seek for the words to glorify You,
You hear our prayer.
Unceasing love surpassing all we know.
Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Even with darkness sealing us in, we breathe Your name,
And through all the days that follow so fast, we trust in You;
Endless Your Grace, beyond all mortal dream.
Both now and forever, and unto ages and ages. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—Romans 10:5-15 *(NT pages 149-50)*

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 417 *(stanzas 1-2)*

O For a Heart to Praise My God

RICHMOND

(All turn and face the Gospel Procession.)

*GOSPEL LESSON—Matthew 14:22-33 *(NT page 15)*

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 417 *(stanzas 3-5)*

O For a Heart to Praise My God

RICHMOND

SERMON—We Have Forgotten How to Walk on Water

RESPONSE

SERMON RESPONSE

Let Us Ever Walk With Jesus

Dan Forrest
(b. 1978)

Let us ever walk with Jesus, follow his example pure,
Through a world that would deceive us, where to sin our hearts are lured.
Ever in his footsteps treading, living here, yet home above,
Full of faith and hope and love,
Let us do our Father's bidding, faithful Lord, abide with me;
Savior, lead, I follow thee.

Let us also die with Jesus, by his cross he conquered death,
Freed us from our souls' destruction,
Quickened us with life's new breath.
Let us mortify, while living, self and pride, and die to sin,
And the grave that shuts us in shall but prove the gate to heaven.
Jesus, here I die to thee, there to dwell eternally.

Let us gladly live with Jesus, he is risen from the dead.
Death is swallowed up in victory, Jesus, thou art now our head.
Living members of thy body, where thou livest, we shall be,
Thou wilt keep us constantly,
Even so, dear Lord, come quickly,
Jesus, here I live to thee, there to dwell eternally.

***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; he descended into hell. 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.")

This morning we give thanks for the Sarah P. Duke Gardens. We celebrate the way the Gardens are a focus for a diverse public community as well as university members, as a quiet location for study, contemplation, prayer, and fun.

In Durham, we remember parish nurses and home healthcare providers who visit patients in their homes, and we give thanks for the support they offer families, congregations, and physicians.

OFFERTORY

"Psalm 46" from A Festival of Psalms

John Ness Beck
(1930-1987)

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.
Therefore we will not fear though the earth be removed,

And the mountains be carried away to the very midst of the sea.
Though the waters roar and the mountains quake at his majesty
There is a river, the streams whereof shall make glad the city of God,
The holy place of the tabernacle, the holy place of the Lord.
God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved:
He shall defend her from the night through the dawn.
The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.

Be still and know that I am God:
I will be exalted above all nations.
I will be exalted upon the earth.

(The congregation may remain seated and join in singing the bold print)

**A mighty fortress is our God, a bulwark never failing;
Our helper he amid the flood of mortal ills prevailing.
His everlasting love will guide us from above.
All glory to his name, from age to age the same:
His Kingdom is forever.**

Amen. Alleluia. 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, Alleluia.**

THANKSGIVING

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*THE LORD'S PRAYER *(number 895 in the hymnal)*

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN 479

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

ABERYSTWYTH

POSTLUDE

Toccatina in F major, BWV 540/i

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685–1750)

CARILLON

**All who are able may stand.*

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Minister	The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg
Preacher	The Rev. Dr. James Howell
Lectors	Ms. Kathleen Perry <i>Divinity '16</i> Mr. Frank Coble <i>Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel</i>
Guest Choir	Myers Park United Methodist Church Chancel Choir Mr. James R. Jones, conductor Dr. Patrick A. Scott, organist Dr. Brian J. Winegardner, trumpeter
Organist	Mr. Christopher Jacobson
Presiding Minister over Memorial Chapel Communion	The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg
Head Ushers	Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong

TODAY'S GUEST PREACHER

Today we are pleased to welcome the Rev. Dr. James Howell as a Bishop W. Kenneth Goodson Guest Preacher. Dr. Howell (Duke M.Div. '79, Ph.D. '84) has been Senior Pastor of Myers Park United Methodist Church in Charlotte, NC, since 2003, and is an adjunct professor at Duke Divinity School. A native of Columbia, SC, James has published fifteen books and quite a few articles, reviews, and blogs, and is involved in many causes in Charlotte and his denomination. He is married to Lisa Stockton Howell (Duke B.A. '80), and they have three children. Sarah (Duke B.A. '09, M.Div. '12) is a pastor in Winston-Salem, and will preach at Duke Chapel on March 15. Grace teaches art at UMAR, a Methodist agency for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Noah is about to begin his third year at UNC-Chapel Hill.

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S FLOWERS—Flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Doris Altmeyer from her family.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used to underwrite the costs for undergraduate students going on the Chapel's Spring Break mission trips. Duke Chapel PathWays provides mission trip opportunities for students who are interested in spending their Spring Break in service and reflection. Most recently, Chapel staff led student trips to Costa Rica and South Carolina.

TODAY'S GUEST CHOIR—The 70+ voice Myers Park United Methodist Church adult choir sings weekly for the multiple Sunday morning worship services and also participates in special concerts throughout the year. The choir has commissioned and debuted works by nationally acclaimed composers, including René Clausen, Dan Forrest, Raymond Liebau, and Stephen Paulus. The choir recently toured in Europe and plan a tour of Salzburg, Vienna, and Prague in May of 2015.



THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL
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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

SUMMER SUNDAY EDUCATION—Weekly Christian education for all ages is available throughout the summer months. All classes begin at 9:45 a.m. in the lowest level of Duke Divinity School.

- *Wee Praise*: Infants through children age 3, and their parents or caregivers, will meet weekly for music and movement in Westbrook Room 0014.
- *Children and Youth Summer Choir*: Children and youth, age 4 through 12th grade, will meet in Westbrook Room 0012 to sing.
- *Wired Word*: Youth and Adults will reflect on current events in light of scripture in Westbrook Room 0011.

MEETINGS TODAY—The Education Committee and the Executive Committee will both meet after worship today in the lower level of the Chapel.

BACK PEW COLLECTION—The Local Missions and Outreach Committee is collecting back-to-school supplies for local Durham students with limited resources. Monetary donations will be accepted as well. Donated supplies may be dropped off in the back pew in the Chapel today.

HEAVENLY HUGS HAT MINISTRY—Those who knit and crochet are invited to create hats of all sizes for a newly organized hat ministry. If you would like more information and/or yarn, please meet in the right transept after worship today.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY—A group of women in the Congregation are interested in exploring a women's ministry, focusing on fellowship and prayer. Women are invited meet for dinner and share ideas on Monday, August 11, at 6:30 p.m. at Saladelia Durham, 4201 University Drive, #101, Durham. Please RSVP to congregation@duke.edu if you plan to attend on August 11.

URBAN MINISTRIES DINNERS—Volunteers are needed to help prepare Stouffer's frozen lasagnas and to serve dinner at the Urban Ministries Shelter Café, 412 Liberty St., Durham, on the following dates: Wednesday, August 27, at 6:30 p.m., and Sunday, September 14, at 5:45 p.m. Please email or call Ned Arnett (edward.arnett@duke.edu and 919-489-4133) or Cricket Scovil (scovilj@aol.com and 919-286-0556) to volunteer. Future dates are October 22 and November 9. Advance notice of availability is very welcome!

ENEWS—The Congregation at Duke Chapel publishes a weekly email announcing programs and events of the Congregation. If you would like to receive this weekly newsletter, please email congregation@duke.edu.

LET US KNOW—If you or a loved one is in need or prayer or a pastoral visit, please let the Congregation pastors know by contacting the office at 919-684-3917 or congregation@duke.edu.



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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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