

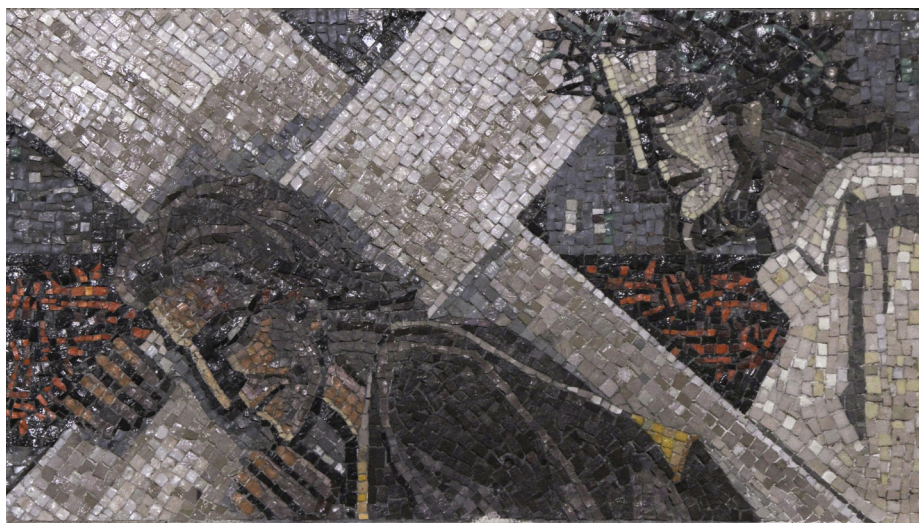


Duke
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Worship

Third Sunday after Pentecost
June 25, 2017
Eleven o'clock in the morning

✻ *Bridging Faith and Learning* ✻



*"Carrying the Cross of Christ," mosaic in St. Mary's Cathedral, Aberdeen,
by Gabriel Loire, (1904–1996)*

In this morning's Gospel passage, Jesus gives fierce teaching on how those who find their life in this world will lose it, and those who lose their life for his sake will find it. Jesus calls us to be outspoken and fearless in proclaiming the Gospel, as we take up our crosses and follow him. Likewise, the apostle Paul urges us to live as those dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.

The congregation is invited to reflect silently 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

CHORAL PRELUDE

This Little Light Of Mine	arr. William Bradley Roberts (b. 1947)
God So Loved The World	Bob Chilcott (b. 1955)
View Me, Lord, A Work Of Thine	Richard Lloyd (b. 1933)
Alleluia	Crys Armbrust
Lord, In Thy Mercy, Grant Us Peace	Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)
Bright Canaan	Robert Shaw and Alice Parker (1916–1999, b. 1925)

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 702 (*found in the hymnals located in the pew racks*)

Sing with All the Saints in Glory HYMN TO JOY

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE

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*)

Loving Father, pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, and send your Spirit to come and illuminate your holy word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Genesis 21:8–21 (*OT page 16*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

Jubilate Deo

Glenn Rudolph
(b. 1951)

O be joyful in the Lord all ye lands;
Serve the Lord with gladness and come before his presence with a
song.

Be ye sure that the Lord he is God; it is he that hath made us and
not we ourselves;

We are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

O go your way into his gates with thanksgiving

And into his courts with praise;

Be thankful unto him and speak good of his name.

For the Lord is gracious; his mercy is everlasting,

And his truth endureth from generation to generation.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,

World without end, Amen.

—*Psalm 100, 1928 Book of Common Prayer*

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—Romans 6:1b–11 (*NT page 146*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 141 (*Stanzas 1–2*)

Children of the Heavenly Father

TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA

(*All turn to face the Gospel Procession.*)

*GOSPEL LESSON—Matthew 10:24–39 (*NT page 10*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 141 (*Stanzas 3–4*)

Children of the Heavenly Father

TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA

SERMON—It's Hard - Do it Anyway

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: "Hear our prayer."*)

TESTIMONY

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Greater Love Hath No Man

John Ireland
(1879–1962)

Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it.

Love is strong as death.

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree,

That we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness.

Ye are washed, ye are sanctified, ye are justified in the name of the Lord Jesus.

Ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation;

That ye should show forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

I beseech you brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies, a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto to God, which is your reasonable service.

—*Song of Solomon 8:7,6, John 15:13, 1 Peter 2:24,
1 Corinthians 6:11, 1 Peter 2:9, Romans 12:1*

*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.**

SENDING FORTH

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*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.)*

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING PROCESSIONAL HYMN 415

Take Up Thy Cross

GERMANY

POSTLUDE

Allegro vivace from Symphony V

Charles Marie Widor
(1844–1937)

**All who are able may stand.*

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Ministers	The Rev. Dr. Luke A. Powery The Rev. Andrew Phillips
Preacher	The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg
Lectors	Mr. Drew Middleton <i>Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel</i> Ms. Leisa Dennehy <i>Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel</i>
Testimony	Dr. Walker Robinson <i>Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel</i>
Guest Musicians	Choir of the Church of the Holy Comforter, Charlotte
Soloists	Ms. Hannah Jessup, <i>soprano</i> Mr. Charlie Faris, <i>baritone</i>
Choral Director	Dr. Patrick Pope
Organ Scholar	Mr. Jordan Prescott
Memorial Chapel Communion	Rev. Andrew Phillips
Head Ushers	Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong

LEARNING THE LITURGY OF THE CHAPEL

The church is called to give witness to God's work in the world. Through our actions and words, we are called to testify to God's presence and activity in our lives. The practice of bearing witness to, and telling others about, how Jesus' love and grace has inspired and equipped us to be people of faith is critical to the life of the church and to spreading the good news of Jesus. A testimony can inspire and encourage other believers in their journeys of discipleship. A testimony can also be used by the Holy Spirit to draw people into God's love in Christ for the first time. By listening to others share in worship, we learn how to tell our own story of Jesus at work in us.

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S FLOWERS—The flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God by the Nancy Hanks Fund.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used for an emergency fund for disaster and recovery support for communities affected by natural disasters and humanitarian crises. Your generosity enables the Chapel to respond quickly with financial support in times of acute crisis.

GUEST MUSICIANS—The Holy Comforter Choir is a volunteer ensemble of 35 adults and undergraduate Choral Scholars from the Episcopal Church of the Holy Comforter, Charlotte, NC. The choir sings weekly for Holy Eucharist during the program year (September–June) and for special liturgies throughout the year, including All Saints' Day, Advent Lessons and Carols, Christmas Eve, and Holy Week. In 2015, the choir sang a week-long residency at Bristol Cathedral, UK.

CHAPEL TOURS—For a tour of Duke Chapel, meet today's docent near the front steps of the Chapel following the service.

EVENSONG THIS SUMMER—There will be special services of Choral Evensong this summer on Sunday, July 9, and Sunday, July 16; both services begin at 4:00 p.m. The first one will feature a guest choir from Trinity Episcopal Church from Staunton, Virginia. The second one will serve as the closing service for the Royal School of Church Music Carolina Course for Girls and Adults.

AWARD NOMINATIONS—The Chapel is now accepting nominations for the Humanitarian Service Award. Each year it is awarded to a person with a commitment to service and simplicity. The recipient receives a grant of between \$1,500 and \$3,000 to further humanitarian efforts. Nominations are due by August 14. Contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett at bruce.puckett@duke.edu with nominations or questions.

NEW WELCOME MINISTRY—The Chapel and Congregation are considering instituting a welcome station in the narthex on Sunday mornings where visitors may learn more about the ministries available to them. Several volunteers are needed to explore this possibility. If you are interested, please contact Bruce Puckett (bruce.puckett@duke.edu) or Carol Gregg (carol.gregg@duke.edu).

JOB OPENINGS—Two part-time positions are now open at the Chapel. The community ministry outreach coordinator position will communicate about the Chapel's growing involvement in city-wide faith and justice initiatives, create and coordinate opportunities for education and action, and build on the community ministry efforts of the Chapel community. Contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett at bruce.puckett@duke.edu. A visitor relations assistant will work weekends at the Chapel's front desk, greeting visitors and answering questions about the Chapel. Contact James Todd at james.todd@duke.edu.



THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES—Christian Education classes for all ages are held throughout the summer in the lowest level of the Divinity School from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m., with fellowship beginning at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome at any time. Classes are as follows:

Wee Praise: For children ages 0-3 with parents or caregivers in 0011 Westbrook.

Lift Ev'ry Voice: For ages 4 through 5th graders in 0014 WB.

Bible Study: A study on the wisdom literature in the Bible for youth and adults in 0013 Westbrook.

LEMONADE ON THE LAWN—Please stay after worship today for a time of refreshment and fellowship on the Chapel lawn. The gathering will be under the shade of the magnolia tree near Page Auditorium. All are welcome.

MISSION AND OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES—The Congregation provides multiple ways to serve our neighbors and is grateful for both new and experienced volunteers. Please contact the Congregation office at 919-684-3918 or congregation@duke.edu for detailed information and to volunteer for any of the opportunities listed below.

URBAN MINISTRIES DINNERS—Volunteers and cooked lasagnas are needed every month to serve our neighbors at the Urban Ministries shelter in Durham. Upcoming commitments are for Sunday, July 9, 5:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., and Wednesday, August 23, 6:15 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Please contact the Congregation office at 919-684-3918 or congregation@duke.edu for detailed information and to volunteer to assist.

FAMILIES MOVING FORWARD—Volunteers to provide dinner and child care are needed on Monday, July 10, and Tuesday, July 11, at Families Moving Forward, which is a shelter for homeless families in Durham. Dinner is from 5:00–6:00 p.m. and childcare is from 6:00–7:00 p.m. The shelter is located at 300 N. Queen St. in Durham.

SATURDAY SERVICE PROJECT—Once a month, volunteers invest in a local agency through the gift of service. On Saturday, July 15, volunteers are needed from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. to work in the Habitat for Humanity ReStore, to process and display donations. The ReStore is located at 5501 Durham-Chapel Hill Blvd., Durham.

BACK PEW COLLECTION—Once a month, the Congregation collects supplies for a local agency. On July 9 and July 16, donations will support the Episcopal Farmworker Ministry. Current needs include lightweight men's clothing that will protect the workers from sun, such as long pants with waist sizes 30-34 and long sleeve shirts in S, M, L, or XL sizes. Both new and used clothing is appreciated. Donations may be placed on the back pew on Sunday mornings.

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

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NEXT WEEK IN WORSHIP AT DUKE CHAPEL

PREACHER—Our preacher will be the Rev. Joshua Lazard,
the Chapel's C. Eric Lincoln Minister

OFFERING—Next week's offering will go to support
the Chapel's PathWays Fund.