

#### SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost Sunday, July 22, 2018, 11:00 a.m.



Personification of Fortitude, Quatrefoil on the exterior of Cathédrale d'Amiens, c. 1230

In this morning's reading from Deuteronomy, Moses begins to instruct Israel in the Lord's rules concerning warfare. Israel is called to determine the odds against them while remembering the Lord's mighty victories on their behalf. The public officials are then called to ask the troops a series of questions to test their resolve for battle. Those who do not make excuses to leave the ranks are then rallied by the commanders. Likewise, in Luke's Gospel, Jesus tells the parable of how many are invited to a great dinner, but all make excuses why they cannot attend. The master of the feast then calls for his house to be filled with others, including the poor, the crippled, the blind, and the lame. Jesus invites us to feast in his Kingdom, and warns us not to make excuses for rejecting the invitation.

## Gathering

Prelude

Concerto for Harp in B-flat, op.4, No.6

George Frideric Handel (1685–1759)

II. Larghetto

III. Allegro moderato

Hyfrydol

Rowland Pritchard (1685–1759) arr. Anita Burroughs-Price (b. 1960)

**Greetings and Announcements** 

\*Processional Hymn 116

The God of Abraham Praise

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\*Prayers of Confession and Words of Assurance | The minister offers words of confession in three biddings to which the congregation responds as follows:

Minister: Lord have mercy.

People: Lord have mercy.

Minister: Christ have mercy.

People: Christ have mercy.

Minister: Lord have mercy.

People: 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:

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: send your Holy Spirit now to grant us humility as we receive your holy word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Lesson | OT page 169 in the pew Bibles

Deuteronomy 20:1-9

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradual Music

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE (*Gaelic Melody*) arr. Burroughs-Price

Second Lesson | OT page 170 in the pew Bibles

Deuteronomy 21:1–9

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

\*Gradual Hymn 540 (Stanzas 1-2) | Face the Gospel Procession

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

ST. THOMAS

Gospel Lesson | NT pages 72-3 in the pew Bibles

Luke 14:15-24

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

\*Gradual Hymn 540 (Stanzas 3-5) | Face the Gospel Procession

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

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Sermon

At Third Glance

# 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: 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:

People: Hear our prayer.

Offertory Music

\*Doxology

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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.

# 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 559

Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Closing Voluntary

Fugue in F, BWV 540/ii

J.S. Bach

Communion Service in Memorial Chapel | Immediately following today's worship service, a brief communion service will be held in Memorial Chapel. Following communion, the pastor will be available to anoint and pray with individuals.

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### TODAY IN WORSHIP (Continued)

TODAY'S GUEST PREACHER | Today's Robert T. Young guest preacher is the Rev. Dr. Stephen Chapman. A proponent of theological interpretation, Professor Chapman is an associate professor of Old Testament at Duke Divinity School. He has studied, lectured, and taught internationally in a variety of academic and church settings. The Rev. Dr. Chapman's work focuses on the formation of the biblical canon, the nature of the Old Testament as scripture, the dynamics of biblical narrative, the challenge of biblical violence, and the history and use of the Old Testament within the Christian tradition and Western culture. He is the author of 1 Samuel as Christian Scripture (2016) and The Law and the Prophets (2000), as well as numerous essays. He co-edited The Cambridge Companion to the Hebrew Bible/Old Testament (2016) and Biblischer Text und theologische Theoriebildung (2001). He is an affiliate faculty member with Duke's Center for Jewish Studies and director of graduate studies for Duke's PhD program in religion. He is also an ordained American Baptist minister.

TODAY'S GUEST MUSICIAN | Anita Burroughs-Price serves as harpist with the North Carolina Symphony. She has appeared as soloist with the NC Symphony, in the Piccolo Spoleto Festival, and at England's Brighton Palace. She has collaborated with Grammy-winner Branford Marsalis and was featured in Joshua Bell's premiere performance of Bruch's *Scottish Fantasy*. She is harp instructor at Furman University and has taught at UNC-Chapel Hill, UNC-Charlotte, and Wake Forest University. An alumna of Furman University, she earned the Master of Music from Yale School of Music which awarded her the Alumni Prize, and holds a diploma from the Royal College of Music in London. She plays often in shelters and for those facing medical challenges, receiving the Raleigh Medal of Arts, the city's highest honor, for "outstanding artistry and humanitarian service." She has been featured on Hallmark Television and in a documentary for NBC-TV. TODAY'S FLOWERS | 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 checks written to Duke University Chapel will be given to the Chapel's Development Fund for Mission and Ministry.

**ACCESSIBILITY** | Large print hymnals and bulletins are available at the front desk. Hearing assistance units are available at the back left sound desk. **FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN** | Children 4 and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel lower level, beginning at 10:45 a.m. each week.

### **ENGAGE**

**WELCOME TO DUKE CHAPEL** | If you have questions about the ministries of Duke Chapel or the Congregation at Duke Chapel, please stop by the Welcome Desk in the narthex. Those staffing the table will be happy to answer your questions. **CHAPEL TOUR** | For a tour of Duke Chapel, meet today's docent near the front steps of the Chapel following the service.

**RECEPTION TODAY** | Please stay after worship today for refreshments and fellowship, and to offer farewells to two Chapel staff members. The Rev. Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp, associate dean for Religious Life, and Rachel White, visitor relations specialist, will conclude their work with the Chapel this week. The reception will be held in the Chapel's lounge, located in the lower level of the Chapel. All are welcome to attend. Please ask an usher for directions.

**BACK PEW COLLECTION** | Donations of canned fruits and vegetables, canned meats, canned beans, canned soups, cereals, whole grain pasta, rice, peanut butter, paper towels and toilet paper for the Food Bank of Central and Eastern NC located in Durham may be placed on the back pew today.

SUMMER SCRIPTURE LESSONS | As Christians who worship in a liturgical tradition, we follow the Revised Common Lectionary for our scripture texts throughout the year. This three-year cycle of scriptures follows the Christian calendar, and passages are selected to match the season of the Church year and the themes present therein. This summer during Ordinary Time, we will be following a different selection of texts. Together, we will read the book of Deuteronomy as our primary scripture lessons in our Sunday services, and our preachers will be preaching from Deuteronomy throughout the summer. Reading and listening together will allow our community to learn from scripture passages that we do not regularly encounter through the lectionary in our worship services and will open us to receive from a broader range of the scriptural canon; this approach is called *lectio continua*. We hope you will join us through the summer as we read, study, and learn from the book of Deuteronomy. **LECTIO CONTINUA LESSONS** | We invite you to read Deuteronomy with us outside of our Sunday services on the following schedule before the date listed: July 29 (23:1-26:19), August 5 (27:1-29:1), August 12 (29:2-31:29), and August 19 (31:30-34:10).

**GUEST PREACHER NEXT WEEK** | Next Sunday, the Chapel will welcome the Rev. Dr. Leslie D. Callahan, who serves as the pastor of St. Paul's Baptist Church in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She began the public proclamation of the gospel at age nineteen, and earned a BA in religion from Harvard University/Radcliffe, a MDiv from Union Theological Seminary, and PhD in religion from Princeton University. She has served on the faculty of New York Theological Seminary as assistant professor of modern church history and African American studies.

**SUMMER ORGAN WORK** | This summer on weekdays through August 17 specialists will work to "voice" the Chapel's Benjamin N. Duke Memorial (Flentrop) Organ. Voicing is the art of giving a particular voice to each pipe. The voicer manipulates the mouth of each pipe (akin to the mouthpiece of a recorder, or the opening in a whistle), so it speaks promptly and has the right timbre and volume. The project will require complete quiet in the Chapel's main sanctuary (nave). Visitors will be asked to enter and exit through the side transept doors so as not to disturb the work. The voicing work will not affect services and events on the weekends. Thank you for accommodating the inconveniences of this project.

NOMINATIONS FOR SERVICE AWARD | The Chapel is now accepting nominations for its Humanitarian Service Award. The award is given each year to recognize individuals with a commitment to service and simplicity. It is inspired by the lives of two Duke professors: Dr. George R. Parkerson Jr. and the late Dr. C. Eric Lincoln. The recipient of the award receives a grant of between \$1,500 and \$3,000 to further humanitarian efforts. Nominations are due by August 17. For more information, contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett at bruce.puckett@duke.edu. JOB OPENING | The Chapel is seeking to hire a visitor relations specialist. The person in this position welcomes visitors and acts as an ambassador for the Chapel. He or she also helps coordinate the Chapel's events calendar and does research on the history of the Chapel. Anyone interested is invited to apply

**EVENSONG UK RESIDENCIES** | The Duke Evensong Singers are presently leading choral services in historic cathedrals in the United Kingdom. The group will be in residence singing at St. Martin-in-the-Fields on July 22, Gloucester Cathedral from July 23 to 27, and Westminster Abbey on July 28 and 29.

through the Duke HR website using requisition number 401442717.

**FOR YOUNG ADULTS AND UNIVERSITY STUDENTS** | Young adults and university students are invited to gather for dinner and Bible study on Thursday evenings in the Chapel kitchen, twice a month. The next gathering will be July 26 at 6:30 p.m. with Galatians as the topic of discussion. Fellowship, laughter, study, and prayer are on the agenda. For more information, contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu.

**YOUNG ADULT DINNER** | Join young adults from Duke Chapel for dinner on Friday, July 27, at 6:30 p.m. at County Fare, 1920 Chapel Hill Rd., Durham. Friends, family, and first-timers always welcome! Please refrain from wearing any cologne, perfume, or other scented products as a courtesy to one of our group members with a medical condition. For more information on events for those in their 20s and 30s, please contact carol.gregg@duke.edu.

### **ENGAGE** (Continued)

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES** | Sunday morning Christian Education classes for all ages are offered year-round. All classes are held in the lowest level of the Westbrook building from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. and refreshments beginning at 9:30 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time. The classes are:

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 Westbrook.

Bible Study on Deuteronomy: For youth and adults in 0015 Westbrook. **PUB THEOLOGY** | Join 20- and 30-somethings from the Congregation at Duke Chapel for gatherings around drinks, discussion, and God on Thursday, August 2, at 7:00 p.m. at the Pour Taproom, 202 N. Corcoran St., Durham.

Friends, family, first-timers, and beverage drinkers of all kinds welcome! Email james.r.spencer23@gmail.com for more information.

**LEARN THE LITURGY OF THE CHAPEL** | Do you ever wonder, "Why do we read the Gospel from the center of the Chapel?" or "Why does the Chapel's Sunday morning worship service follow the order it does?" Find answers to these questions and more by visiting chapel.duke.edu/learningliturgy.

**DUKE CHAPEL WORSHIP** | Worship is offered at Duke Chapel on Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m. throughout the year. Every Sunday worshipers from campus and the community gather to praise God, who is known to us in Jesus Christ. During the academic year, additional worship services include Evensong on Sundays at 4:00 p.m. and Vespers on Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome.

For a complete listing of events, please visit chapel.duke.edu/events or sign up to receive weekly emails at chapel.duke.edu/email



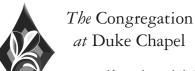
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