This week Christians around the world join in a Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. In today’s service the hymns reflect this focus on Christian unity, as does the practice of communing at the Lord’s Table for Holy Communion. Paul’s letter to the church at Corinth emphasizes the importance of the members of the body working together. Every body part has a critical function, necessary for the good of the whole. Because of the one Spirit that all have received, the many parts of the body become one body of Christ, each indispensable to the other. In the gospel lesson, Luke tells of Jesus teaching in synagogues by the power of the Spirit. At a synagogue in Nazareth, Jesus reads from the prophet Isaiah and concludes that he is the fulfillment of Isaiah’s prophecy.
Gathering
Opening Voluntary

Prelude in C Minor
Adagio (Sonata in F Minor, Op. 65, No. 1)  Felix Mendelssohn
(1809–1847)

Greeting and Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn | See hymns at end of worship guide.

Open Wide the Doors  RUSTINGTON

*Prayer 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.

Minister:  The peace of Christ be with you.
People:   And also with you.

Proclamation
Prayer for Illumination | In unison:

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: as we hear your word, transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. Amen.

*All rise as able
Psalm 19:1–6

Stars in the Sky Proclaim

Die Himmel künden aus mit Ehren
die grosse Herrlichkeit des Herren,
das ganze Firmament erzählt auch behende,
durch aus an allen Enden die Werke seiner Hände.

The heavens declare with honor
the great glory of the Lord,
the whole firmament also declares
to the ends of the earth the works of his hands.

Stars in the sky proclaim God’s glory;
the firmament displays the Lord’s work.
Day unto day takes up the story;
night unto night declares the glory of God’s hand.
Their language is of silence, their voices are of beauty;
their sound goes out to all lands,
their message to earth’s far bounds.

At utmost reaches of the heavens,
God fixed the sun upon its own course.
Like as a bridegroom comes rejoicing,
like champions run the race,
the sun goes forth each day to furthest edge of heaven,
returning at the day’s end.
And nothing can be hidden or from its heat be concealed.

—Psalm 19:1–6


1 Corinthians 12:12–31a

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.
Luke 4:14–21

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Body Parts

Response

*Response Hymn 548

In Christ There Is No East or West

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 Anthem

The Spirit of the Lord

The spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor:
he has sent me to heal the brokenhearted,
to preach deliverance to the captives
and recovery of sight to the blind,
to preach the acceptable year of the Lord;
to give unto them that mourn a garland for ashes,
the oil of joy for mourning,
the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness;
that they might be called trees of righteousness,
the planting of the Lord that he might be glorified.  
For as the earth bringeth forth her bud,  
and as the garden causeth  
the things that are sown in it to spring forth:  
so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise  
to spring forth before all the nations.

—Isaiah 61:1–3, 11

*Doxology

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 and Holy Communion

*The Great Thanksgiving | Musical Setting A, found on page 17 in the hymnal.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*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 | All who love Christ, earnestly repent of their sins, and  
seek to be at peace with God and neighbor are invited to receive Communion.  
No wine or grape juice will be served for communion. Please wait until you  
return to your seat to consume the bread. All bread is gluten-free. 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 549

Where Charity and Love Prevail

*Post-Communion Prayer

Sending Forth

*Closing Hymn | See hymns at end of worship guide.

The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve

Closing Voluntary

Marche Héroïque

OPENING HYMN FOR JANUARY 23, 2022

Open Wide the Doors

1. Open wide the doors of mercy, open wide the doors of grace,
2. Keep us mindful that your children live in lands both far and near;
3. There are ones who weep for justice in a world of grace denied;
4. Make our scope of vision broader, through a lens as Christ would see.

o - pen win-dows of for-give-ness, let - ing love flow through this place.
man - y fac-es, man - y cus-toms, ev -'ry per - son you hold dear.
may we hear their cry for mercy as though Christ himself has cried.
Draw this family circle wider as we live more lovingly.

Fill our hearts with deep compassion as we gather here today.
Though we fail to recognize them, still you name them as your own.
There are ones who wander, hopeless, through a landscape of despair;
O - pen wide the doors of mercy, open wide the doors of grace,

Turn our words and prayers to action, giving substance to our faith.
Clear the fog that clouds our seeing, let us share the love you've shown.
May our hands reach out with kindness and a touch to show we care.
o - pen win - dows of com - pas - sion, far bey - ond this time and place.

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CLOSING HYMN FOR JANUARY 23, 2022

The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve

CHESTERFIELD

1. The Spirit sends us forth to serve; we go in
2. We go to comfort those who mourn and set the
3. We go to be the hands of Christ, to scatter
4. Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel

Jesus’ name to bring glad tidings
burdened free; where hope is dim, to
joy like seed and, all our days, to
proclaim. God’s Spirit it has em-


to the poor, God’s favor to proclaim.
share a dream and help the blind to see.
cherish life, to do the loving deed.
powered us; we go in Jesus’ name.

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Today’s Offering | All of today’s cash offerings and checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used to support mission trips sent out from the Chapel. You are invited to give online at chapel.duke.edu/offering. Send checks to: Duke University Chapel, Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708-0974.

Today’s Flowers | Today’s flowers are provided by the generosity of the Nancy Hanks Fund.

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 and beyond. This morning we give thanks for the Department of Athletics.

Accessibility | Large print hymnals and worship guides are available at the visitor relations desk. Hearing assistance units are available at the A/V console in the rear of the chapel.

Music Acknowledgments | This morning’s opening hymn, “Open Wide the Doors,” was the winner of the Chapel’s 2021 Hymn Competition. The Chapel’s search for a new hymn text on themes of compassion garnered sixty entries from across the United States, Canada, and Great Britain. We congratulate Brad Croushorn, the author of the winning text. “Open Wide the Doors” will appear in a forthcoming collection of hymns and psalms from Duke Chapel, published by MorningStar Music/ECS Publishing Group. Mr. Croushorn is a vocalist and composer who serves as minister of music and liturgy at All Saints’ United Methodist Church in Morrisville, North Carolina. To read more about the competition, visit https://chapel.duke.edu/hymn-competition.
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.

Choral Evensong Today | Rich with music spanning from the Renaissance to the present, Choral Evensong today at 4:00 p.m. features sung prayers, psalms, and canticles. Distinct from the noisy world around us, this service offers a place for quiet contemplation.

Young Adult Bible Study Tomorrow | University graduate students, other young adults, and their partners are invited to a virtual Bible study on the second and fourth Mondays of the month. The next gathering is tomorrow, January 24, at 6:30 p.m. This semester, participants will be exploring the Gospel of Luke. Please contact matthew.r.wright@duke.edu for additional information.

Interfaith Living-Learning Community | In partnership with the Department of Religious Studies and Housing and Residential Life, the Chapel has formed “Eruditio et Religio,” an undergraduate living-learning community committed to growing in “knowledge and faith.” Located in the Keohane 4B residence hall with easy access to The Mosaic, Duke’s only residential based prayer and meditation space, Eruditio et Religio invites students into questions around faith and doubt, religion and culture, community and connection. Students can learn more and apply by tomorrow, January 24, at chapel.duke.edu/llc.

Choral Vespers | The Chapel’s Choral Vespers is a service of hymns, prayers, psalms, organ music, and choral anthems led by the Duke Chapel Vespers Ensemble. Its repertoire is centered on the music of the Renaissance and Baroque periods, often accompanied by period instruments. The next Vespers service is this Thursday, January 27, at 7:00 p.m.

PathWays Fellowship | Bridging faith and learning does not stop with graduation—the PathWays Fellowship not only gives recent alumni the tools they need to discern their vocational and spiritual direction, but it also gives them opportunities for exploration, leadership, mentorship, service, and formation deeply rooted in the local community and their Christian traditions. This is
a one-year residential discernment program designed for recent Duke graduates. Learn more and apply by January 28 at chapel.duke.edu/PathWays.

**Organ Recital Series** | To celebrate the bicentennial of César Franck’s birth in 1822, Scott Dettra will perform all twelve of the composer’s major organ works on the Chapel’s Aeolian organ in two recitals: Saturday, January 29, at 8:00 p.m. and Sunday, January 30, at 5:00 p.m. Admission is free.

**Student Preacher Submissions** | This spring semester, we will continue our tradition of having an undergraduate student preach for our 11:00 a.m. worship service. If you are a student, maybe you’ve never thought about preaching at the Chapel, but you feel compelled to give voice to what the Spirit of God is stirring in you? Or, perhaps you have considered what it would be like to preach in the pulpit at the Chapel? If so, apply by January 31 by submitting a sermon manuscript to the Rev. Bruce Puckett at bruce.puckett@duke.edu.

**Interfaith Series on Deep Roots of Spiritual Practices** | Campus Religious Life leaders will discuss the deep roots of contemporary spiritual practices in a series of talks next month. The approach of the series is to promote appreciation of spiritual practices of various faith traditions, instead of appropriation of those practices. The first talk will be by Chaplain Joshua Salaam, director of the Center for Muslim Life at Duke, on Thursday, February 3, from 12:30–1:30 p.m. in the Chaplin Family Study Room in the Brodhead Center. He will discuss “Reasoning and Islam.” Preregistration is encouraged. See a list of presenters, dates, and topics at chapel.duke.edu/roots.

**New Member Class** | The new member class is a series of four classes to introduce the Congregation at Duke Chapel to prospective members. The next class will begin on Sunday, February 6, from 9:45–10:45 a.m. All those considering membership in the Congregation are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact carol.gregg@duke.edu.

**LGBTQ+ Fellowship** | All are welcome to attend the first meeting of an LGBTQ+ Fellowship on Sunday, February 6, 3:00–4:00 p.m. This will be a general discussion about the group’s mission and ministry. The meeting will be in the lower level of the Chapel (all in-person attendees must be fully vaccinated and masked) and also via Zoom. For more information, please contact Tom Link, a member of the Congregation at Duke University Chapel, at link.thom@gmail.com.
Durham Pilgrimage of Pain and Hope | Join students and Duke community members for the weekend of February 18–20 in an opportunity to discover how your spiritual journey is connected to our city, Durham. Through the Pilgrimage of Pain and Hope you will immerse yourself in the story of the city and the biblical story as you reflect with others on what it means for how you live your life in Durham. This is a full weekend experience from Friday evening through Sunday afternoon. If you are interested, please contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett, assistant dean of the Chapel, at bruce.puckett@duke.edu.

The Value of Home: Stewardship for Affordable Housing | Please join a seminar on “The Value of Home: Stewardship for Affordable Housing” on Saturday, February 26, from 10:00 a.m. to 12-noon by Zoom. The seminar will explore the challenges and opportunities facing civic and faith communities as they seek to respond to the intersectional crisis of health, housing, and equity. Participants will have the opportunity to learn about the situation for those dealing with homelessness or facing eviction in Durham and what solutions are being planned and implemented to meet the crisis. The leader of the seminar will be Terry Allebaugh, who has over thirty years of experience as a local, state, and national leader on policy and practice around ending homelessness. For additional information, please contact congregation@duke.edu.

Christian Education Classes | The Congregation provides weekly Sunday morning Christian education from 9:45–10:45 a.m. for all ages. Classes, which are held both in person and virtually, are open to the public. New participants are welcome at any time. Please contact congregation@duke.edu for Zoom link. Classes are as follows:

Wee Praise: Music and movement for children ages 03–with parents or caregivers (available virtually).
Godly Play: Spiritual formation for children ages 4 through 5th grade (available virtually).
Adult Bible Study: A study of Ephesians for adults in Westbrook 0015 and by Zoom.
Adult Forum: On January 30, the Rev. Dr. Brian Stratton, associate professor of Philosophy at UNC-Pembroke will speak on “Egoism, Altruism, and Justice.” in Westbrook 0012 and by Zoom.
LET’S KEEP IN TOUCH

We would like to get to know you. What are your questions? What is your story? Take a moment to fill out a very brief form and a Chapel minister or other staff member will contact you soon. Scan the QR code or visit chapel.duke.edu/connect.

The Congregation at Duke Chapel joyfully welcomes all persons regardless of age, race, class, origin, sexual orientation, or any other distinction and invites membership and participation in all of its ministries.

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