Service of Worship



Third Sunday of Easter
Duke Alumni Weekend
April 19, 2015

Even o'clock in the morni

Eleven o'clock in the morning

≈ Bridging Faith and Learning «



"Christ Appearing to His Disciples After the Resurrection," c. 1795, by William Blake.

How does the resurrection affect Christian identity and hope? The gospel lesson from Luke reveals the disciples' journey from fear and shock to joy and wonder at the presence of Jesus in their midst. Jesus shows his wounds and eats a lunch of broiled fish to emphasize this bodily resurrection—he is not a ghost, but the risen Lord. In 1 John, the author names the disciples as children of God, children of resurrection who wait with hope and assurance of Jesus' ongoing presence in their lives, even in the face of sin. This weekend Duke has been celebrating its alumni. The Chapel welcomes back many today who have cherished and shaped the history of worship and ministry in this place.

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

CARILLON

ORGAN PRELUDE

Pastorale

César Franck (1822–1890)

CHORAL INTROIT
Beautiful Savior

F. Melius Christiansen (1871–1955)

Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be thine.

Greeting and Announcements

*Opening Procession: Hymn (please see hymn insert)

Hail Thee, Festival Day

SALVA FESTA DIES

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

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

*PEACE

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

PROCLAMATION

Prayer for Illumination (in unison)

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: inspire us by your word and strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

First Lesson—1 John 3:1–7 (NT pages 225–26 in the pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 306 (stanzas 1–2)

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done (All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

VICTORY

*Gospel Lesson—Luke 24:36b–48 (NT page 85)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 306 (stanzas 3–4)

The Strife Is O'er, the Battle Done

VICTORY

SERMON—Coming to Your Senses

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.")

OFFERTORY

See What Love (from St. Paul)

Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)

See what love hath the father bestowed on us in his goodness, that we should be called God's own children. —1 John 3:1

*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.

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

*The Great Thanksgiving

(Musical setting A, found on page 17 in the hymnal.)

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

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND WINE

All who love Christ, earnestly repent of their sins, and seek to be at peace with God and neighbor are invited to receive communion. Wine is used for communion. If you would prefer to receive grape juice, it is available upon request at the communion station near the main entrance of the Chapel, on the pulpit side. If you have a gluten allergy, there is a server near the Memorial Chapel who will be ready to serve you gluten-free wafers and wine. If you will not receive communion, you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

If you would like to receive individual anointing with oil and prayers for healing, ministers will be in the Memorial Chapel during communion.

Music During Distribution

HYMN 638 (sung by all)

This Is the Feast of Victory

FESTIVAL CANTICLE

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Panis angelicus

Franck

Panis angelicus fit panis hominum; dat panis coelicus

figuris terminum:

Ö res mirabilis!

Manducat Dominum pauper,

servus et humilis.

The bread of the angels becomes the bread of man; the bread of heaven is given a bounded form.

O wondrous thing!

The poor, the slave, and the humble feed on the Lord.

—Thomas Aquinas

HYMN 319 (choir only)

Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands

CHRIST LAG IN TODESBANDEN

*Prayer After Communion

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

*Closing Procession: Hymn 318

Christ Is Alive

TRURO

*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.

POSTLUDE

Christ lag in Todesbanden, BWV 625 Johannn Sebastian Bach (Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands) (1685–1750)

CARILLON

^{*}All who are able may stand.

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK

This morning we give thanks for the Office of Alumni Affairs. We celebrate its ongoing commitment to nurturing the alumni of this university and incorporating them into the mission of Duke.

In Durham, we remember those who are victims of sexual violence, and we offer prayers for those people and organizations walking closely with those who have been harmed.

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Ministers

The Rev. Bruce Puckett
The Rev. Meghan Benson

Preacher The Rev. Dr. Luke Powery

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The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg
The Rev. Bruce Puckett
Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp

Head Ushers Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong

Carillonneur Mr. J. Samuel Hammond

AN IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT MAY 10

Sunday, May 10, is the occasion of Duke's 2015 Commencement ceremony. Duke Chapel will not be holding worship services that morning. Please feel free to enjoy worshiping with any of the other local churches in the area that day.

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S FLOWERS—The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God in honor of Reunion Weekend by the Duke Alumni Association.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used for the Chapel Development Fund. The Chapel's current focus is to upgrade the Chapel cameras and video capabilities to digital and high definition in order to better serve the thousands of worshippers locally, in Duke Hospital, and around the globe who tune in weekly.

Chapel Choir—Today is the last Sunday for the Chapel Choir before finals and the end of the academic term. We offer particular thanks to those choir members who are singing with the choir for the last time. On the final Sunday of the academic year, the choir does not encircle the congregation for "God Be in My Head," but rather gathers in the narthex and surrounds those singers who are leaving. If you are a student who is interested in joining the Chapel Choir next semester, please call 919-684-3898.

CHORAL EVENSONG VEPSPERS—A service of Choral Evensong will be offered on Thursday, April 23, at 5:15 p.m. as part of the weekly Vespers service. All are welcome to attend.

Duke Chapel Worship on May 3—May 3 will be the final Sunday for Sunday morning worship in the nave before the Chapel nave closes for a year-long restoration project. There will be a free lunch on the Chapel quad following the service, and all are invited to attend. Beginning May 17, worship will be in Baldwin Auditorium for the summer months and in Page Auditorium during the academic year. Visit http://chapel.duke.edu/contact/restoration for updates.

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.

Broadcasts—Thanks to the Friends of Duke Chapel, the Sunday service is broadcast live every week over AM 620 WDNC and is rebroadcast a week later on AM 680 WPTF 10:00 a.m. The service is also available on the web via streaming video at *www.chapel.duke.edu*. The service is broadcast live on patient TV channel 12 in Duke Hospital.

This 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

THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

Christian Education—All Sunday morning classes meet in the lowest level of Duke Divinity School from 9:45–10:45 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time. Classes include:

- Wee Praise for infants through children age 3 with parents or caregivers in 0014 Westbrook
- Godly Play for 4-year olds through 5th graders in 0050 Langford
- Youth Sunday School for youth in 6th–12th grades in 0013 Westbrook
- Adult Bible Study on the book of Hebrew in 0011 Westbrook
- Adult Forum: Next Sunday, Mark Rutledge, advisor for the Duke Interfaith Project will address "Church as a Community of the Human Jesus: Following His Wisdom and Prophetic Vision" in 0012 Westbrook.

Walking Meditation—Contemplative walks will be offered in Duke Gardens Tuesdays at 12:15 p.m. weekly through May. Participants will meet at the base of the terrace gardens by the fish pond, read a Psalm, reflect on a question while walking, then conclude with prayer at 12:45 p.m.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY—The Congregation is planning to produce a pictorial directory this summer. Professional photographers will be taking pictures for the directory Tuesday, May 26, through Friday, May 29. All those who would like to be photographed, whether they are Congregation members or not, are welcome to sign up for a professional portrait. For more information call 919-684-3917 or email congregation@duke.edu.

BACK PEW COLLECTION—The back pew collection today is for the Achievement Academy, which helps young adults earn their NC Equivalency Diploma. The agency is in need of school supplies.

QUILTING AND SEWING—If you enjoy sewing or quilting, please consider joining the Duke Chapel Quilters to create quilts for the congregation members who are ill and for Interfaith Hospitality Network families. The group meets every two or three months for three consecutive Tuesday mornings at the home of Ann Recesso. They are an affable group and welcome new members. Please contact Ann at 919-929-8218 for more information.

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 of prayer or a pastoral visit, please let the Congregation pastors know by contacting the office at 919-684-3917 or congregation@duke.edu.

Hail Thee, Festival Day



Words: Venantius Honorius Fortunatus (540?-600?); tr. The English Hymnal, 1906, alt.

 $Music: \textit{Salve festa dies}, \, Ralph \, Vaughan \, Williams \, (1872-1958)$

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Duke University Chapel

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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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 assistance 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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