Every year on the fourth Sunday of Easter, the lectionary passages for the day include a gospel account that emphasizes Jesus as the good shepherd. The fourth Sunday in Eastertide is therefore often designated as “Good Shepherd Sunday.” In both the Old and New Testaments, God is frequently identified as a faithful shepherd to his people. This Sunday is a fitting time to reflect on Jesus as one who knows and loves his flock with persistence and devotion.
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 prayer for healing will be held. 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

CARILLON

ORGAN PRELUDE

CHORAL INTROIT
This Is the Day Gerre Hancock (1934–2012)

This is the day the Lord hath made:
Let us rejoice and be glad in it.
The Lord preserve thy going out and thy coming in:
From this time forth forever more.
Enter our hearts, O King of Glory, by thy Holy Spirit, That with angels and archangels and with all thy saints we may praise Thee, our risen and ascended Lord, who liveth and reigneth with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end.
Amen.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*OPENING PROCESSION: HYMN 549
Where Charity and Love Prevail ST. PETER

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES
The parents of James Matthew Watts Hockett and Theodore Yuha Limn bring their children forward for baptism. The congregation responds by reading the passages in bold at the minister’s prompting.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

Believing that God has reached out to us with love and forgiveness, we seek to grow together in faith through worship, study, service, and celebration, to the end that we embody Christ’s compassion and holiness.

COMMITMENT BY THE CONGREGATION
PRAYER OVER THE WATER

BAPTISM

COMMISSIONING PRAYER AND WELCOME

With joy and thanksgiving, we welcome you into Christ’s church to share with us in his ministry, for we are all one in Christ.

*PEACE

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

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (in unison)

Risen Christ, faithful shepherd of your Father’s sheep:
reveal your word to us, teach us to hear your voice, and draw us to follow your command, that all your people may be gathered into one flock, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

FIRST LESSON—Acts 4:5–12 (NT page 113 in the pew Bible)

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

ANTHEM

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; therefore can I lack nothing.
He shall feed me in a green pasture, and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
He shall convert my soul, and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for his name’s sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me.
Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me; thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.
But thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.
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.

SECOND LESSON—1 John 3:16-24 (NT page 226)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.
**Gradual Hymn 138 (stanzas 1–3)**

The King of Love My Shepherd Is  
(All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

**Gospel Lesson**—Luke 15:1–7 (NT page 85)

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

**Gradual Hymn 138 (stanzas 4–6)**

The King of Love My Shepherd Is  
(Most at the Gospel altar, all at the front.)

**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: “Hear our prayer.”)

**Mission Announcement**

**Offertory**

Ave Regina caelorum  
Tomás Luis de Victoria  
(1548–1612)

*Ave Regina caelorum, Ave Domina Angelorum: salve radix sancta ex qua mundo lux est orta. Gaude, gaude gloriosa, super omnes speciosa. Vale, valde decorata, et pro nobis Christum exora.*

Hail, Queen of Heaven, Hail, Mistress of Angels: Hail holy root,  
from which the light for the world has risen. Rejoice, rejoice glorious  
one, you are beautiful above all others. Farewell most gracious, and  
pray for us to Christ.
*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

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*THE LORD’S PRAYER (number 895 in the hymnal, in unison)

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING PROCESSION: HYMN 378

Amazing Grace

AMAZING GRACE

POSTLUDE

Maestoso, from Symphony No. 3 “Organ”

Camille Saint-Saëns

(1835–1921)

CARILLON

*All who are able may stand.

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**About Today’s Guest Preacher**

This morning we welcome the Rev. Dr. Alyce M. McKenzie as our Peter J. Gomes Distinguished Guest Preacher. Dr. McKenzie is George W. and Nell Ayers LeVan Professor of Preaching and Worship at Perkins School of Theology at Southern Methodist University. She is also the Director of the Perkins Center for Preaching Excellence at SMU. Dr. McKenzie is an ordained elder in the United Methodist Church. She received her BA in the History of Religions from Bryn Mawr College, her M. Div. from Duke Divinity School, and her Ph.D. in Homiletics from Princeton Theological Seminary. Dr. McKenzie is the author of a trilogy of books dealing with preaching the Bible’s wisdom literature, two homiletical textbooks, several small group studies, as well as numerous journal articles and book chapters. She is currently working on a book entitled *Save Your Receipt: Exchanging Fear for Faith*, which deals with the four virtues of the wise life as portrayed in biblical wisdom literature. In October 2015 Dr. McKenzie will deliver the Beecher Lectures at Yale Divinity School. She is married to Murry McKenzie. They live in Allen, TX, and are the parents of three grown children: Melissa, Rebecca and Matthew—and the grandparents of 18-month old Graham.

**Chapel Announcements**

**Today’s Flowers**—The flowers this morning are given to the glory of God in memory of Claudia Ann Moore by her son, Joshua Bond.

**Today’s Mission of the Month Offering**—The Religious Coalition for a Nonviolent Durham (RCND) is an inter-faith, multi-racial organization that exists to address the needs that violence creates and alleviate the isolation of grief and punishment. Over 250 volunteers—people of faith and goodwill, families of homicide victims and formerly incarcerated men and women—are engaged in intentional relationships abounding in mercy and hope. RCND achieves this through Vigils, Friday Fellowship, and Healing Circle ministries for families of homicide victims; the Reconciliation and Reentry Ministry with individuals recently released from prison (including a Faith Team from Duke Chapel) and monthly Community Luncheon Roundtables. All activities are free and open to everyone. Over 25% of our budget is dedicated to emergency needs of victims, survivors, and former offenders. Your support ensures that volunteers have the resources and coordination necessary to serve.

**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](http://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](http://www.chapel.duke.edu). The service is broadcast live on patient TV channel 12 in Duke Hospital.
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 Hebrews in 0011 Westbrook
- **Adult Forum**: Next Sunday, Brad Troxell will reflect on his recent trip to Turkey which focused on interfaith understanding. The forum takes place in 0012 Westbrook.

Fellowship Committee—If you enjoy welcoming others and creating spaces for fellowship, you are invited to join the Fellowship Committee, which will meet after worship today in the Chapel kitchen.

Lectionary Bible Study—All are welcome to enjoy a study of the lectionary texts on the first Friday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Library at The Forest at Duke. On May 1, Brad Troxell will be leading.

Friday Fellowship Dinner—All ages are welcome to gather for food and fellowship on Friday, May 8 at Los Tres Mexican Restaurant, 6905 Fayetteville Rd., Durham.

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.
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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