



Duke UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

BRIDGING FAITH & LEARNING

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Third Sunday of Easter
Alumni Reunion Weekend
Sunday, April 15, 2018, 11:00 a.m.



Christ Appears to His Disciples After the Resurrection
Duccio di Buoninsegna, c. 1308

Today's lesson from Luke reveals the mystery and wonder of Jesus' glorified resurrection body. Simultaneously recognizable and different, Jesus reassures his disciples that he is not a ghost by eating in their presence. Jesus then opens his disciples' minds to understand the scriptures—how the law, prophets, and psalms all point to their fulfillment in him. This supernatural illumination of the scriptures is a gift offered to inspire the preaching of the Gospel to all nations, as we too are called to cry out like the psalmist "Let the light of your face shine on us, O Lord!"

Gathering

Carillon

Opening Voluntary

Aria (from *Noel's Psalm*)

Dan Locklair
(b. 1949)

Greetings and Announcements

*Processional Hymn 267

O Love, How Deep

DEO GRACIAS

*Prayers 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: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life as we hear your holy word. In your name we pray, Amen.

Old Testament Lesson | OT page 464 in the pew Bibles

Psalm 4

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

New Testament Lesson | NT pages 225-6 in the pew Bibles

1 John 3:1-7

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 596 (Stanza 1) | Face the Gospel Procession

Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word

LIEBSTER JESU

* All who are able may stand

Gospel Lesson | NT page 85 in the pew Bibles

Luke 24:36b–48

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Gradual Hymn 596 (Stanzas 2-3) | Face the Gospel Procession

Blessed Jesus, at Thy Word

LIEBSTER JESU

Sermon

Beloved In Unlovely Chaos: A Creative Contradiction

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:

People: **Hear our prayer.**

Mission of the Month

Offertory Anthem

Done Made My Vow to the Lord

Spiritual
arr. Moses Hogan
(1957–2003)

Done made my vow to the Lord and I never will turn back. I will go to see what the end will be. When I was a moaner just like you, I moaned and I moaned 'til I came through. When ev'ry star refused to shine, I know King Jesus will be mine. Yes, I'll serve him, I'm willing to.

*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 Holy Communion

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

***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.

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.

Music During Distribution

Hymn 319 | Sung by all:

Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands CHRIST LAG IN TODESBANDEN

Communion Anthem

Cantique de Jean Racine

Gabriel Fauré
(1845–1924)

Verbe égal au Très-Haut, notre unique espérance, jour éternel de la terre et des cieux, de la paisible nuit nous rompons le silence; Divin Sauveur, jette sur nous les yeux!

Répands sur nous le feu de la grâce puissante, que tous l'enfer fuie au son de ta voix; dissipe le sommeil d'une âme languissante, qui la conduit à l'oubli de tes lois!

O Christ sois favorable à ce peuple fidèle pour te benir maintenant rassemblé. Reçoit les chants qu'il offre à ta gloire immortelle et de tes dons qu'il retourne comblé!

Word of God, one with the Most High, in whom alone we have our hope, everlasting light of heaven and earth, we break the silence of the peaceful night; Savior Divine, cast thine eyes upon us!

Pour on us the fire of thy mighty grace, that all hell may flee at the sound of thy voice; banish the slumber of a weary soul, that brings forgetfulness of thy laws!

O Christ, look with favor upon thy faithful people now gathered here to praise thee. Receive their hymns offered to thy endless glory; may they go forth filled with thy gifts.

Sending Forth

***Post-Communion Prayer**

***Benediction**

*Closing Processional 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.

Closing Voluntary

Final, from Symphony 6, Op. 42

Charles Marie Widor
(1844–1937)

Carillon

TODAY IN WORSHIP

PRESIDING MINISTERS

The Rev. Dr. Luke A. Powery *Dean of Duke University Chapel*

The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg *Pastor to the Congregation at Duke Chapel*

PREACHER

The Rev. Dr. William Turner, Jr. *James T. and Alice Mead Cleland Professor of the Practice of Preaching, Duke Divinity School*

LECTORS

The Rev. Dr. William B. Lawrence *Trinity '68*

Mr. Jack Boyd *Trinity '85 and President of the Duke Alumni Association*

MISSION OF THE MONTH

Dr. Georgiary Bledsoe..... *Founder & Executive Director, BUMP: The Triangle*

MUSICIANS

Duke University Chapel Choir..... *Choir*

Dr. Rodney Wynkoop..... *Director of Chapel Music*

Dr. Robert Parkins *University Organist*

Mr. Christopher Jacobson *Chapel Organist*

Mr. J. Samuel Hammond..... *University Carillonneur*

MINISTERS OF ANOINTING

The Rev. Bruce Puckett *Director of Worship and Community Ministry*

The Rev. Andrew Phillips..... *Assistant Pastor to the Congregation at Duke Chapel*

HEAD USHERS

Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong *Members of the Congregation at Duke Chapel*

TODAY IN WORSHIP (Continued)

TODAY'S FLOWERS | Flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God by the Duke Alumni Association.

TODAY'S OFFERING | All of today's cash offerings and checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used to support the Chapel's mission of the month: BUMP the Triangle. BUMP empowers youth through music of the African Diaspora. Each year, in after-school programs, over 700 youth explore their cultural heritage and use music to prepare for life success. BUMP provides Pre-K through 8th grade students instruction on musical instruments, fun hands-on history-culture lessons, and leadership experiences in a culturally responsive, caring environment, building musicianship, positive identity, and resilience. BUMP's unique curriculum immerses children in the excellence and innovation of Africentric musical traditions from across the globe.

GUEST PREACHER | This morning's Clevus F. and Lilla Hawkins Boyles guest preacher is the Rev. Dr. William Turner, Jr., recently retired as the James T. and Alice Mead Cleland Professor of the Practice of Preaching at Duke Divinity School. Professor Turner's ongoing work focuses on pneumatology and the tradition of spirituality and preaching within the black church. Articles on "Black Evangelicalism," "The Musicality of Black Preaching," and "The Black Church and the Ecumenical Tradition" reflect his teaching and writing interests. He taught in the areas of theology and Black Church Studies and directed the Office of Black Church Affairs prior to his appointment in homiletics. Professor Turner travels widely as a preacher and lecturer. He retains active involvement in church and community activities. Dr. Turner held positions within Duke University in Student Affairs and Afro-American Studies before joining the Divinity School faculty. Before that, he played football for Duke. He is the pastor of Mt. Level Baptist Church in Durham.

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

ACCESSIBILITY | Large print hymnals and bulletins are available at the front desk. Hearing assistance units are available at the back left sound desk.

RECEIVE PRAYER | Prayer requests may be placed in the prayer box located by the Memorial Chapel.

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.

NEW C. ERIC LINCOLN FELLOW | Duke senior Evan Nicole Bell has been selected as this year's C. Eric Lincoln Theology and Arts Fellow at Duke University Chapel. As part of the fellowship, Bell has created an exhibition titled "Faith in Color: A Photographic Exploration of Race, Religion, and America in Tribute to C. Eric Lincoln." Her work will be on display in Duke Chapel through May 1.

CARILLON RECITAL TODAY | Following today's worship service, there will be a carillon recital by University Carillonneur Mr. J. Samuel Hammond at 1:00 p.m. All are welcome.

CHRISTY LOHR SAPP ORDINATION SERVICE | Called by God and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp, Associate Dean for Religious Life at Duke Chapel, will be ordained to the Ministry of Word and Sacrament today at 2:00 p.m. in Duke University Chapel. Bishop Tim Smith of the North Carolina Synod will preside. All are welcome to attend. Red is the color of the day.

HELP FAMILIES MOVE FORWARD | Volunteers are needed on Monday, April 16, and Tuesday, April 17, to serve dinner from 5:15–6:30 p.m. and to provide childcare from 6:30–7:30 p.m. at Families Moving Forward, Durham's shelter for homeless families. For detailed information or to volunteer, please contact Jane Fellows at janeafellows@msn.com or Elaine DeAlmeida at elainedealmeida8@gmail.com.

BRIDGE PANEL CONVERSATION | This Thursday, April 19, Chapel Dean Luke A. Powery will moderate a Bridge Panel public conversation with the Rev. Dr. William J. Barber II and Sen. Bernie Sanders on "The Enduring Challenge of a Moral Economy: 50 Years After Dr. King Challenged Racism, Poverty, and Militarism." Previously issued tickets for the event, which was originally scheduled for January 19, will be honored. No new tickets are being issued. A live webcast of the event will be available on the Chapel's website.

CHORAL VESPERS | The Choral Vespers service on Thursday, April 19, at 6:00 p.m. has been moved to Goodson Chapel. As daylight fades, Choral Vespers invites students and community members into the darkened Chapel to experience sacred music, scripture readings, and prayer. The Duke Vespers Ensemble leads the choral portion of the service. All are welcome! The final service of the semester will be back in the Chapel on April 26.

YOUNG ADULT DINNER | Join young adults from Duke Chapel for dinner at Foster's Market in Durham on Friday, April 20, at 6:30 p.m. Friends, family, and first-timers always welcome!

ENGAGE (Continued)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES | Classes for all ages are offered every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. in the lowest level of the Westbrook Building, Duke Divinity School. Refreshments and fellowship begin at 9:30 a.m. See a full listing of classes at chapel.duke.edu/events. For the Adult Forum on April 22, Ben Haas and Drew Doll, Religious Coalition for a Nonviolent Durham, will discuss "Faithful Responses to Violence and Mass Incarceration," in 0012 Westbrook.

RETIREMENT RECEPTION | On Sunday, April 22, immediately following worship, there will a reception for Rodney Wynkoop to recognize his retirement from the position of Director of Chapel Music. The reception will be held on the Chapel Lawn and all are invited to attend.

ORGAN RECITAL APRIL 22 | The final concert of this season's Organ Recital Series will be held at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 22, featuring David Briggs performing his transcription of Gustav Mahler's Symphony No. 2 (*Resurrection*). He will be joined by a choir and soloists under the direction of Dr. Rodney Wynkoop.

"SNACK LUCK" | Please plan to stay after worship on Sunday, April 29, for a time of food and fellowship in the Chapel Lounge, located in the lower level of the Chapel. Please bring some finger foods to share such as cheese and crackers, nuts, or fruit. Food contributions may be dropped off in the lounge prior to worship.

SUNDAY SUPPER | The Chapel is a sponsor for the first Sunday Supper in Durham on Sunday, April 29, from 12-noon to 3:00 p.m. Sunday Supper is a meal designed to bring a wide range of people together at one table for fellowship and to support the Durham community. The funds raised for the Sunday Supper will go to address food insecurity in the Durham area. If you are interested in attending or learning more, visit sundaysupperdurham.com.

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



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The Congregation is the interdenominational church home for university students and community members who consider the Chapel to be their primary place of worship. Through ministries of mission, education, and fellowship, members of the Congregation strive to deepen connections with God and neighbor.

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