

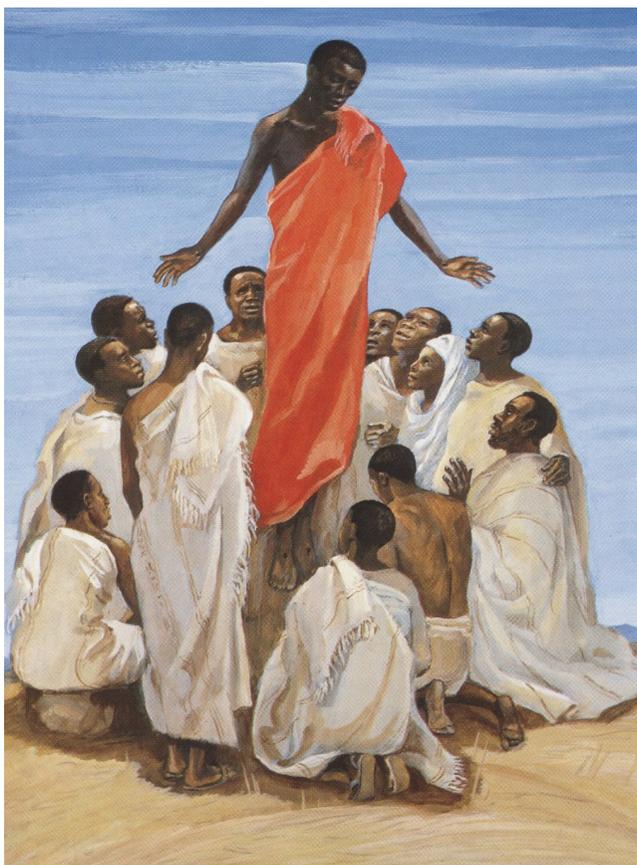


Duke
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Holy Communion

The Sunday after Ascension Day
May 8, 2016, Page Auditorium
Eleven o'clock in the morning

~ Bridging Faith and Learning ~



The Ascension, by the Jesus MAFA Community, Cameroon.

This morning we celebrate Jesus' ascension into heaven, where he carries our human nature to the throne of the Godhead. Christ continues to reign at the right hand of his Father, sending his Holy Spirit to build his kingdom on earth. It is with this spirit of celebration that we worship for the last time together in Page Auditorium, grateful for the blessings of the past year, and full of eager hope for our return to the Chapel.

The Chapel welcomes families with children; if at any time during the service your child needs a place for active play, please utilize the nursery in the Box Office on the second floor of Page.

On this Communion Sunday, families with children are invited to sit up front so they can better observe The Great Thanksgiving. The importance of welcoming children is exemplified in Matthew 18:2-5, by Jesus' answer to the disciples as they wondered who was the greatest in the kingdom of heaven: "He called a child, whom he put among them, and said, 'Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. Whoever becomes humble like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me.'" Please help us welcome the children in our midst by letting them know you are glad to see them in worship. By doing so, you are also welcoming Jesus.

During the prelude the congregation is asked to remain prayerfully or meditatively silent.

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Prelude in G major, BWV 541/i

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685–1750)

CHORAL INTROIT

Bogoróditse Dyévo

Sergei Rachmaninoff
(1873–1943)

*Bogoróditse Dyévo, ráduisya,
Blagodátnaya Mariýe, Gospód s tobóyu.
Blagoslovyéna ty v zhenákh,
i blagoslovyén plod chryéva troyevó,
yáko Spása rodilá yesí dush náshikh.*

Rejoice, virgin mother of God,
Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb,
for you have borne the Savior of our souls.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 731 (*Please see hymns at back of bulletin.*)

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

AUSTRIA

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The minister offers words of confession in three biddings, to which the congregation responds as follows:

Lord have mercy.
Lord have mercy.

Christ have mercy.
Christ have mercy.

Lord have mercy.
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)*

Risen Lord Jesus, you have raised our human nature to the throne of heaven: send your Spirit to speak to us now through your holy word; in your name we pray, amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Psalm 47

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—Ephesians 1:15–23

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*GOSPEL LESSON—Luke 24:44–53

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON—Departing with a Blessing

RESPONSE

*RESPONSE HYMN 610

We Know That Christ Is Raised

ENGELBERG

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 ANTHEM

O, Clap Your Hands

Ralph Vaughan Williams
(1872–1958)

O, clap your hands, all ye people; shout unto God with the voice of triumph, For the Lord most high is terrible: He is a great king over

all the earth. God is gone up with a shout; the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises unto our king, sing praises; For God is king of all the earth; sing ye praises everyone that hath understanding. God reigneth over the heathen: God sitteth upon the throne of his holiness. Sing praises unto our king, sing praises.

—from Psalm 47

*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

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might.
Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the
high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the
Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Elise Eslinger
(after NICAEA)

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(Please respond at the prompting of the minister.)

Christ has died, Christ is ris - en, Christ will come a - gain!
A - men, a - men a - men.

*THE LORD'S PRAYER

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, for ever. Amen.

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. Grape juice and/or gluten free wafers are available upon request at the special Communion station at the front far-right. If you would prefer not to 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 prayer and anointing with oil, ministers are by the water fountains at the left-hand foot of the stairs in the lower Page lobby during Communion.

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION

HYMN 606

Come, Let Us Use the Grace Divine

KINGSFOLD

COMMUNION ANTHEMS

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether

Harold Friedell
(1905–1958)

Draw us in the Spirit's tether; for when humbly, in thy name,
Two or three are met together, thou art in the midst of them:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Touch we now thy garment's hem.

As the brethren used to gather in the name of Christ to sup,
Then with thanks to God the Father break the bread and bless the cup:
Alleluia! Alleluia! So knit thou our friendship up.

All our meals and all our living make as sacraments of thee,
That by caring, helping, giving, we may true disciples be.
Alleluia! Alleluia! We will serve thee faithfully.

—Percy Dearmer, 1931

In That Great Gettin' Up Mornin'

Traditional Spiritual
arr. Fenno Heath
(1926–2008)

In that great getting' up mornin', fare thee well.
Stop and let me tell you about the comin' of the Savior.
God's gonna up and speak to Gabriel.
Run and look behind the altar.

Then the time shall be no longer, for the judgment day is comin'.
Now pick up your silver trumpet, blow your trumpet, Gabriel.
Lord, how long shall I blow it? Blow it so my people know it.

Then you'll see the coffins burstin', see the dry-bones come
a-creepin'.
Hell shall be uncapped and burnin', and the dragon shall be
loosened.

Then you'll see the moon a-bleedin', you will see the stars a-fallin'.

Then you'll see the sinner saying, down I'm rollin', down I'm rollin'.
But the righteous will be marchin', and the Christians will be risin',
Marchin' to their home in heaven, marchin' to their home with
Jesus.

SENDING FORTH

*POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

*CLOSING PROCESSIONAL HYMN 547

O Church of God, United

ELLACOMBE

THANK YOU TO PAGE STAFF

*BENEDICTION

*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

Fugue in G major, BWV 541/ii

J. S. Bach

**All who are able may stand.*

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Ministers	The Rev. Bruce Puckett Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp
Preacher	The Rev. Dr. Luke A. Powery
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Choir	Duke University Chapel Choir
Soloists	Ms. Mary Greenwood, Mr. Brian Westbrook
Choir Director	Dr. Rodney Wynkoop
Chapel Organist	Mr. Christopher Jacobson
Ministers of Anointing	The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg and Mr. Jack Adams
Head Ushers	Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong

THANK YOU TO THE STAFF OF BALDWIN AND PAGE AUDITORIUMS

This past year we have been served each week by a team of dedicated staff and volunteers, often working hard behind the scenes to ensure worship could take place. The Chapel would like to thank each of the following people for their work on our behalf:

BALDWIN AND PAGE STAFF—Marcy Edenfield, Rich Kless, Myra Weise, Jessica Reveal, John Kolba, Leslie Fowler, Nick Raffaele, Brian Hunt, Leah Austin, Nick Bungato, Austin Powers, and Angela Joine.

TECHNICAL TEAMS—James Todd, Selden Smith, Tom Whiteside, Mark Kitchens, Fred Westbrook, Paul Wynkoop, Michael Burns, Greg Hobbs, Kennard Blake, and Tom Wilson.

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S FLOWERS—Flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God by the Erlenbach Family Trust.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used to support the Chapel's PathWays program, which offers students opportunities to discern God's call through study, artistic expression, counsel, service, and Christian community.

NO MORNING WORSHIP ON MAY 15—Due to the University's Commencement services, there will be no morning worship on May 15. Evensong will still be held at 4 p.m. in Goodson Chapel, Duke Divinity School.

DUKE CHAPEL REOPENING CELEBRATIONS AND WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11—10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. Reopening Celebration

A full day of celebrations as the Chapel reopens to the public.

Updates at chapel.duke.edu/reopen.

SUNDAY, MAY 22—10:30 a.m. Gathering for 11:00 a.m. Worship

We will gather on the Chapel quad at 10:30 a.m. to enjoy carillon music, then process into the Chapel sanctuary at 10:40 a.m. to hear organ and choral music as we prepare for worship. Dean Powery will preach as together we give thanks to God for the restoration of the building.

Following the service, there will be a celebratory lunch provided on the quad and an opportunity to meet with mission partners. Some tables and chairs will be provided, but if you would prefer to sit on the grass, you are welcome to bring a picnic blanket.

4:00 p.m. Choral Evensong in the Chapel

A celebratory first Evensong back in the Chapel, with Dean Powery presiding, and Bishop Anne Hodges Copple reading the Scriptures.

731 Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

1. Glo-ri-ous things of thee are spo-ken, Zi-on, cit-y
 2. See, the streams of liv-ing wa-ters, spring-ing from e-
 3. Round each hab-i-ta-tion hov-ering, see the cloud and
 4. Blest in-hab-i-tants of Zi-on, washed in our Re-

of our God; God, whose word can-not be bro-ken,
 ter-nal love; well sup-ply thy sons and daugh-ters,
 fire ap-pear for a glo-ry and a cov-ering,
 deem-er's blood; Je-sus, whom our souls re-ly on,

formed thee for his own a-bode. On the Rock of A-ges
 and all fear of want re-move. Who can faint while such a
 show-ing that the Lord is near! Thus de-riv-ing from our
 makes us mon-archs, priests to God. Us, by his great love, he

found-ed, what can shake thy sure re-pose? With sal-va-tion's
 riv-er ev-er will their thirst as-suage? Grace which like the
 ban-ner light by night and shade by day, safe we feed up-
 rais-es, rul-ers o-ver self to reign, and as priests his

walls sur-round-ed, thou mayst smile at all thy foes.
 Lord, the giv-er, nev-er fails from age to age.
 on the man-na which God gives us when we pray.
 sol-emn prais-es we for thank-ful of-fering bring.

Unison

1. We know that Christ is raised and dies no more.
 2. We share by wa - ter in his sav - ing death.
 3. A new cre - a - tion comes to life and grows

Em-braced by death, he broke its fear - ful hold,
 Re - born, we share with him an Eas - ter life
 as Christ's new bod - y takes on flesh and blood.

and our de - spair he turned to blaz - ing joy.
 as liv - ing mem - bers of a liv - ing Christ.
 The un - i - verse re - stored and whole will sing:

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

WORDS: John Brownlow Geyer, 1969 (Rom. 6:3-11)
 MUSIC: Charles Villiers Stanford, 1904

ENGELBERG
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WORDS: John Newton, 1779 (Ps. 87:3; Is. 33:20-21; Ex. 13:22)
 MUSIC: Croatian folk song; arr. by Franz Joseph Haydn, 1797

AUSTRIA
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Come, Let Us Use the Grace Divine 606

1. Come, let us use the grace di - vine, and all with
 2. The cov - enant we this mo - ment make be ev - er
 3. Thee, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost, let all our

one ac - cord, in a per - pet - ual cove - nant join
 kept in mind; we will no more our God for - sake,
 hearts re - ceive, pres - ent with thy ce - les - tial host

our - selves to Christ the Lord; give up our - selves, thru
 or cast these words be - hind. We nev - er will throw
 the peace - ful an - swer give; to each cov - e - nant the

Je - sus' power, his name to glo - ri - fy; and prom - ise,
 off the fear of God who hears our vow; and if thou
 blood ap - ply which takes our sins a - way, and reg - is -

in this sa - cred hour, for God to live and die.
 art well pleased to hear, come down and meet us now.
 ter our names on high and keep us to that day!

WORDS: Charles Wesley, 1762 (Jer. 50:5)
 MUSIC: English melody; arr. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

KINGSFOLD
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1. O church of God, u - nit - ed to serve one
 2. From ev - ery land and na - tion the or - dered
 3. Though creeds and tongues may dif - fer, they speak, O
 4. May thy great prayer be an - swered that we may

com - mon Lord, pro - claim to all one mes - sage, with
 ranks ap - pear; to serve one val - iant lead - er they
 Christ, of thee; and in thy lov - ing spir - it we
 all be one, close bound, by love u - nit - ed in

hearts in glad ac - cord. Christ ev - er goes be -
 come from far and near. They chant their one con -
 shall one peo - ple be. Lord, may our faith - ful
 thee, God's bless - ed Son: to bring a sin - gle

fore us; we fol - low day by day with
 fes - sion, they praise one liv - ing Lord, and
 ser - vice and sin - gle - ness of aim pro -
 wit - ness, to make the path - way bright, that

strong and ea - ger foot - steps a - long the up - ward way.
 place their sure de - pen - dence up - on his sav - ing word.
 claim to all the pow - er of thy re - deem - ing name.
 souls which grope in dark - ness may find the one true light.

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, especially during this year of the Chapel's restoration during which we will gather to worship God in different places across Duke's campuses.

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PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK

As part of Duke's Appreciation Week, this morning we give thanks for all Duke employees whose hard work and dedication contribute to the vibrancy and flourishing of the University. We specifically remember all those employed in service roles—housekeepers, groundskeepers, maintenance workers, food service employees, and all those occupations that are often overlooked.

In Durham, we remember those who are developing innovative practices for environmentally friendly building and energy sustainability.