



Duke UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

BRIDGING FAITH & LEARNING

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, July 4, 2021, 11:00 a.m.



Zephaniah, Micah, Joel

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This week, and for the next two weeks, our primary scripture lessons focus on the book of Micah. In today's lessons, the word of the Lord that Micah proclaims emphasizes the judgment that the Lord will bring upon all peoples, the earth, and all that is in it. Micah declares that the Lord will come out and respond to the wickedness and evil deeds of the peoples. Micah proclaims that the Lord will not allow for transgressing against neighbors, coveting and stealing possessions and properties, and the oppressing of house and householder alike. In Mark's Gospel, Jesus responds to the people's incredulity and astonishment at his teaching by saying, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house."

Gathering

Opening Voluntary

Folk Tune

Percy Whitlock
(1903–1946)

Greeting and Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn | See hymns at the back of the worship guide.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

FAITHFULNESS

*Prayer of Confession and Words of Assurance | In unison:

Minister: The Lord requires that we do justice.

People: Yet, we have been greedy, gluttonous, and lustful. Lord have mercy.

Minister: The Lord requires that we love kindness.

People: Yet, we have been wrathful and envious. Christ have mercy.

Minister: The Lord requires that we walk humbly with our God.

People: Yet, we have been proud and slothful. Lord have mercy.

Adapted from Micah 6:8

The minister speaks words of assurance.

*Peace | All exchange signs and words of God's peace.

Proclamation

Prayer for Illumination | In unison:

Almighty God, send down upon your Church the riches of your Spirit by the illumination of your holy word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

First Scripture Lesson

Micah 1:1–5

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Second Scripture Lesson

Micah 2:1–4

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

* All rise as able

Gradual Music

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring, from Cantata 147

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685–1750)

*Gospel Lesson

Mark 6:1–6

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

What's Up With THAT Guy?

Response

*Response Hymn | See hymns in insert.

Christ for the World We Sing

ITALIAN HYMN

*Affirmation of Faith

We believe and trust in the God who spoke through Micah and the prophets. We believe and trust in the God who pardons iniquities and passes over transgressions, who does not retain anger forever but delights in showing mercy, who will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea, and who shows faithfulness from the days of old. We believe and trust in the God of Abraham and Jacob, the God revealed in Jesus, who is the Christ. Amen.

Adapted from Micah 7:18–20

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 Music

Trumpet Tune

Henry Purcell
(1659–1695)

*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

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*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, forever.
Amen.

Sending Forth

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn | See hymns in insert.

This Is My Song

FINLANDIA

Closing Voluntary

Finlandia, Op. 26

Jean Sibelius
(1865–1957)

TODAY IN WORSHIP

PRESIDING MINISTERS

The Rev. Brue Puckett *Assistant Dean, Duke University Chapel*

The Rev. Kathryn Lester-Bacon *Director of Religious Life, Duke University Chapel*

PREACHER

The Rev. John P. Oliver *Director of Chaplain Services and Education,
Duke University Hospital*

LECTOR

Mr. Andrew Raines..... *Chapel Scholar, Trinity '21*

MUSICIANS

Mr. Christopher Jacobson *Chapel Organist, Duke University Chapel*

Mr. Alex Fioto *Trumpet Soloist*

TODAY'S FLOWERS | Today's flowers are provided by the generosity of the Nancy Hanks Fund.

TODAY'S OFFERING | All of today's checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used for an emergency fund for disaster and recovery support for communities affected by natural disasters and humanitarian crises. You are invited to give online at chapel.duke.edu/offering. Please send checks to: Duke University Chapel, Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708-0974.

TODAY'S GUEST PREACHER | Today's Clevus and L.H. Boyles guest preacher is the Rev. John P. Oliver. Rev. Oliver, an ACPE Certified Educator, who serves as director of chaplain services and education at Duke University Hospital. Rev. Oliver studied at Samford University, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Columbia Theological Presbyterian Seminary. He grew up in Colombia, South America, but now he and his family call Durham home.

SUMMER SCRIPTURE LESSONS | As Christians who worship in a liturgical tradition, we follow the Revised Common Lectionary for our scripture texts throughout the year. This three-year cycle of scriptures follows the Christian calendar, and passages are selected to match the season of the church year and the themes present therein. This summer during Ordinary Time, we will follow a different selection of texts. Together, we will read several books of the Minor Prophets as our primary scripture lessons in our Sunday services, and our preachers will be preaching from them throughout the summer. Reading and listening together will allow our community to learn from scripture passages that we do not regularly encounter through the lectionary in our worship services and will open us to receive from a broader range of the scriptural canon; this approach is called *lectio continua*. We hope you will join us through the summer as we read, study, and learn from these books. For July 11, we invite you to read Micah 3 and 4.

ENGAGE

GATHERING OUTDOORS IN FRONT | Worshipers who would like to greet the pastors or visit with each other are invited to gather outdoors in front of the Chapel after worship concludes.

BRYAN CENTER GARAGE PARKING PASSES | Parking passes for Sunday mornings in the Bryan Center Parking Garage are now available. Please see an usher at the end of the service to receive a reusable pass. Parking in the Bryan Center Garage is also free until 1:00 p.m. on Sundays. When you leave, insert into the pay machine the ticket you received when you entered the garage. ADA parking is available at no charge in the Bryan Center Surface Lot, which is the lot between the garage and the Chapel.

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REGISTER TO ATTEND IN-PERSON SUNDAY SERVICES | The Chapel is holding limited, in-person worship services Sundays at 11:00 a.m. Preregistration online is required to attend a service. Those registering to attend must adhere to public health safety protocols for campus visitors as well as protocols specific to the services, such as providing proof of registration. Preregistration will become available on the Chapel website each Tuesday at 12-noon for the following Sunday's service. Up to 200 people may register for each service. Once registration for a service is full, other congregants will be invited to join in worship online. We will continue to livestream and broadcast services on our website, YouTube, Facebook, WDNC Radio 620 AM, and the Duke Hospital television network channel 12. [Learn more and watch a video about what to expect at in-person services.](#)

DUKE CHAPEL HYMN COMPETITION | Duke Chapel invites hymnwriters and poets to submit entries for its 2021 hymn competition. The winning submission will be sung in worship at the Chapel, published by MorningStar Music/ECS Publishing Group in a collection of new and recent hymns, and will be considered for inclusion in the forthcoming Duke Chapel Hymnal. Visit chapel.duke.edu/hymn-competition to see the guidelines.

VIRTUAL BACK PEW COLLECTION | The [Society of St. Andrew](#) brings people together to harvest and share healthy food, reduce food waste, and build caring communities by offering nourishment to hungry neighbors. The organization is currently in need of donations of Roughneck 10-gallon storage totes, hand trowels, three-prong hand cultivators, and VISA gift cards (\$30) for portable hand washing/sanitizing stations. Items may be dropped off at the Duke Memorial United Methodist Church office at 504 W. Chapel Hill Street, Durham; please call ahead (919-683-3011) to set a time to drop off items. For more information, contact the [Congregation office](#).

SUMMER ISSUE OF CHAPEL VIEW MAGAZINE | While celebrating new developments in the life of the Chapel, the latest issue of *Chapel View* magazine also looks back at the past year when Chapel traditions such as the Student Preacher, Spring Oratorio, Jazz Vespers, and the end-of-year tower climb adapted and continued during difficult circumstances. We hear from Chapel community members—students, staff, choir members, and community partners—about the pandemic year that brought sorrow and isolation as well as deep discernment and new milestones. We celebrate the service and leadership of National Advisory Board Chair Charles Berardesco, and also remember the beloved University Carillonneur Emeritus Samuel Hammond who died in February. [Read more in the Summer 2021 issue of Chapel View magazine at chapel.duke.edu/chapelview.](http://chapel.duke.edu/chapelview)

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SATURDAY SERVICE PROJECT | Volunteers are needed on Saturday morning, July 17, to work with the Society of St. Andrew on a “watermelon drop.” This event helps transport watermelons to food pantries and hungry neighbors. To volunteer, [please sign up here](#) or contact the [Congregation office](#).

PAULI MURRAY BOOK GROUP | *Proud Shoes: The Story of an American Family*, by Pauli Murray, will be focus of two book groups beginning on Wednesday, July 14; the morning group will meet at 10:00 a.m. and the evening group will begin at 7:00 p.m. Both groups will meet for five weeks by Zoom. Please contact the [Congregation office](#) for the Zoom link and for more information.

CHAPEL ORGANIST PERFORMS AT NATIONAL CONFERENCE | Chapel Organist Christopher Jacobson represented the Southeast Region in the American Guild of Organists’ national OrganFest virtual recital series. He played pieces by J.S. Bach and Marcel Dupré on the Chapel’s Flentrop and Aeolian organs. [Watch his performances on the conference’s video](#).

UPDATED UNIVERSITY COVID PROTOCOLS | In keeping with the university’s updated COVID protocols, anyone who is unvaccinated is required to wear a mask at all times when inside Duke buildings, including inside the Chapel. We recognize and respect that some people may choose to continue wearing a mask as a means to prevent exposure to themselves or loved ones. Additionally, social distancing is no longer required on campus, though distancing is still recommended for those who are not vaccinated. The Chapel will continue to maintain specific weekday visiting hours with required registration and to limit attendance at services to 200 people with preregistration. Finally, because COVID vaccines are a matter of public health, we encourage all eligible people to receive one. [Learn more on the Duke Today website](#).

SUMMER CAMP FOR ALL AGES | Join the Fellowship Committee for the second virtual “Summer Camp” event in which Congregation members share some of their interests with others. On Sunday, July 11, at 4:00 p.m. join Megan Cacchio for “A Horse is a Horse, Of Course, Of Course.” Megan, a former Junior Olympics athlete, will share her love and knowledge of horses. Please contact the [Congregation office](#) for the Zoom link. All are welcome

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 virtually, are open to the public and new participants are welcome at any time. Please contact congregation@duke.edu for Zoom link.

Wee Praise: Music and movement for children ages 0–3 with parents or caregivers.

Godly Play: Spiritual formation for children ages 4 through 5th grade.

Youth Bible Study: Youth grades 6–12 will explore the Book of Acts.

Adult Bible Study: On July 11, Carol Gregg will lead a discussion on Micah.

HYMNS FOR JULY 4, 2021

Opening Hymn

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

FAITHFULNESS



1. Great is thy faith - ful - ness, O God my Fa - ther; there is no
2. Sum - mer and win - ter and spring - time and har - vest, sun, moon, and
3. Par - don for sin and a peace that en - dur - eth, thine own dear



sha - dow of turn - ing with thee; thou chang - est not, thy com - pas - sions, they
stars in their cours - es a - bove join with all na - ture in man - i - fold
pres - ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to - day and bright hope for to -



fail not; as thou hast been, thou for - ev - er wilt be.
wit - ness to thy great faith - ful - ness, mer - cy and love.
mor - row, bless - ings all mine, with ten thou - sand be - side.

Refrain



Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Great is thy faith - ful - ness! Morn - ing by



morn - ing new mer - cies I see; all I have need - ed thy



hand hath pro - vi - ded; great is thy faith - ful - ness, Lord, un - to me!

HYMNS FOR JULY 4, 2021

Response Hymn

Christ for the World We Sing

ITALIAN HYMN

1. Christ for the world we sing, the world to
2. Christ for the world we sing, the world to
3. Christ for the world we sing, the world to
4. Christ for the world we sing, the world to

Christ we bring, with lov - ing zeal; the poor, and
Christ we bring, with fer - vent prayer; the way - ward
Christ we bring, with one ac - cord; with us the
Christ we bring, with joy - ful song; the new - born

them that mourn, the faint and o - ver - borne,
and the lost, by rest - less pas - sions tossed,
work to share, with us re - proach to dare,
souls, whose days, re - claimed from er - ror's ways,

sin - sick and sor - row - worn, whom Christ doth heal.
re - deemed at count - less cost, from dark de - spair.
with us the cross to bear, for Christ our Lord.
in - spired with hope and praise, to Christ be - long.

HYMNS FOR JULY 4, 2021

Closing Hymn

This Is My Song

FINLANDIA

1. This is my song, O God of all the na - tions,
2. My coun - try's skies are blu - er than the o - cean,
3. This is my prayer, O God of all earth's king - doms,

a song of peace, for lands a - far and mine.
and sun - light beams on clo - ver - leaf and pine.
your king - dom come; on earth your will be done.

This is my home, the coun - try where my heart is;
But oth - er lands have sun - light too, and clo - ver,
O God, be lift - ed up till all shall serve you,

here are my hopes, my dreams, my ho - ly shrine;
and skies are ev - 'ry - where as blue as mine.
and hearts u - nit - ed learn to live as one.

but oth - er hearts in oth - er lands are beat - ing
So hear my song, O God of all the na - tions,
So hear my prayer, O God of all the na - tions;

with hopes and dreams as true and high as mine.
a song of peace for their land and for mine.
my - self I give you; let your will be done.

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