In this morning's readings from Deuteronomy, Moses teaches Israel the Lord's regulations concerning tithing, sharing of resources, and remission of debts. The Israelites' agrarian and financial practices are to be patterned after the Lord's mercy through the decree of set times for sharing of food and debt relief. These laws reflect the Lord's order of creation while their spirit embodies God's heart of compassion. Israel is called not to “be hard-hearted or tight-fisted toward your needy neighbor,” by giving ungrudgingly even when years of debt relief are in sight. The same Spirit that inspired these laws would later come to anoint Jesus—the fulfillment of all the law and prophets, whose eternal reign is one of perfect justice.
Gathering
Opening Voluntary

Dolcezza

Percy Whitlock
(1903–1946)

Choral Introit

Domine ad adjuvandum

Johann Caspar Ferdinand Fischer
(1656–1746)

—Psalm 69:2

Greetings and Announcements

*Processional Hymn 103

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

ST. DENIO

*Prayers of Confession and Words of Assurance | The minister offers words of confession in three biddings to which the congregation responds as follows:

Minister: Lord have mercy.
People: Lord have mercy.
Minister: Christ have mercy.
People: Christ have mercy.
Minister: Lord have mercy.
People: 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:

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: teach us now by your Spirit through the illumination of your holy word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* All who are able may stand
First Lesson | OT page 165 in the pew Bibles

Deuteronomy 14:22–23, 28–29

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

Anthem

Lauda Jerusalem

Lauda, Jerusalem, Dominum; lauda Deum tuum, Sion Quoniam confortavit seras portarum tuarum; benedixit filiis tuis in te. Qui posuit fines tuos pacem, et adipe frumenti satiat te. Qui emittit eloquium suum terrae: velociter currit sermo ejus.


Qui annuntiat verbum suum Jacob, justitias et judicia sua Israël. Non fecit taliter omni nationi, et judicia sua non manifestavit eis.

Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem: praise thy God, O Sion. For he hath made fast the bars of thy gates: and hath blessed thy children within thee. He maketh peace in thy borders: and filleth thee with the flour of wheat He sendeth forth his commandment upon earth: and his word runneth very swiftly. He giveth snow like wool: and scattereth the hoar-frost like ashes. He casteth forth his ice like morsels: who is able to abide his frost? He sendeth out his word, and melteth them: he bloweth with his wind, and the waters flow. He sheweth his word unto Jacob: his statutes and ordinances unto Israel. He hath not dealt so with any nation: neither have the heathen knowledge of his laws.

—Psalm 147

Second Lesson | OT page 165 in the pew Bibles

Deuteronomy 15:1–11

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

*Gradual Hymn 150 (Stanzas 1–2) | Face the Gospel Procession

God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens

HOLY MANNA
Gospel Lesson | NT page 57 in the pew Bibles

Luke 4:14–21

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

*Gradual Hymn 150 (Stanzas 3–4) | Face the Gospel Procession

God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens HOLY MANNA

Sermon

Holy Interruptions

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:

People: Hear our prayer.

Offertory Anthem

Laudate Dominum J.C.F. Fischer

Laudate Dominum, omnes gentes;
laudate eum, omnes populi.
Quoniam confirmata est super nos
misericordia ejus, et veritas
Domini manet in aeternum.
Gloria Patri... O praise the Lord, all ye heathen:
preach him, all ye nations.
For his merciful kindness is ever more
and more towards us: and the truth
of the Lord endureth for ever.
Glory be to the Father...

—Psalm 117
*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.

Sending Forth

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*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.

*Benediction

*Closing Processional Hymn 178

Hope of the World

Choral Benediction

Deo Dicamus Gratias

Deo dicamus gratias!
Sing to the Lord our grateful thanks.

Closing Voluntary

Carillon

Communion Service in Memorial Chapel | Immediately following today's worship service, a brief communion service will be held in Memorial Chapel. Following communion, the pastor will be available to anoint and pray with individuals.

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 checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used to support the Chapel's PathWays program.

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

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.
**TODAY IN WORSHIP** (Continued)

**PRESIDING MINISTERS**
The Rev. Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp ......................... *Associate Dean for Religious Life*
The Rev. Bruce Puckett .......................... *Director of Worship and Community Ministry*

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

**LECTORS**
Ms. Amy McMann ................................. *Member of the Congregation at Duke Chapel*
Mr. Bill Jones ............................... *Member of the Congregation at Duke Chapel*

**MUSICIANS**
Chorworks Summer School ................................. *Choir*
Mr. Matvey Lapin, Mr. Robbie Link, 
Mr. Joseph O’Donnell, Ms. Stephanie Vial .......................... *Instrumentalists*
Dr. Philip Cave ................................. *Associate Conductor of Chapel Music*
Mr. Christopher Jacobson ................................. *Chapel Organist*

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

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

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**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.

**GUEST CHOIR** | The Chapel’s associate conductor of Chapel Music, Dr. Philip Cave, has this week been leading an early music choral workshop at the Chapel. The workshop has explored choral vespers music from the Medieval, Renaissance, and Baroque periods. The workshop ensemble is also singing at Choral Evensong in the Chapel at 4 p.m. Learn more at chorworks.com.

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

**LEMONADE IN THE LOUNGE TODAY** | Please stay after worship for a time of fellowship and cool refreshment in the Chapel lounge, located in the lower level of the building. “Lemonade in the Lounge” will be offered every Sunday this summer. All are welcome to attend.

**LECTIO CONTINUA LESSONS** | We invite you to read Deuteronomy with us outside of our Sunday services. For the month of July, we invite you to read the passages on the following schedule before the date listed: July 15 (18:1–19:21), July 22 (20:1–22:30), and July 29 (23:1–26:19).
SUMMER ORGAN WORK | This summer on weekdays from July 16 through August 17 specialists will work to “voice” the Chapel’s Benjamin N. Duke Memorial (Flentrop) Organ. Voicing is the art of giving a particular voice to each pipe. The voicer manipulates the mouth of each pipe (akin to the mouthpiece of a recorder, or the opening in a whistle) so it speaks promptly and has the right timbre and volume. The project will require complete quiet in the Chapel’s main sanctuary (nave). Visitors will be asked to enter and exit through the side transept doors so as not to disturb the work. The voicing work will not affect services and events on the weekends. Thank you for accommodating the inconveniences of this project.

GUEST PREACHER NEXT WEEK | Next week our guest preacher will be the Rev. Dr. Rodney S. Sadler Jr., associate professor of Bible at Union Presbyterian Seminary in Charlotte, North Carolina. Dr. Sadler’s teaching experience includes courses in biblical languages, Old and New Testament interpretation, wisdom literature in the Bible, the history and religion of ancient Israel, and African American biblical interpretation.

JOB OPENING | The Chapel is seeking to hire a Visitor Relations Specialist. The person in this position welcomes visitors and acts as an ambassador for the Chapel. He or she also helps coordinate the Chapel’s events calendar and does research on the history of the Chapel. Anyone interested is invited to apply through the Duke HR website using requisition number 401442717.

NOMINATIONS FOR SERVICE AWARD | The Chapel is now accepting nominations for its Humanitarian Service Award. The award is given each year to recognize individuals with a commitment to service and simplicity. It is inspired by the lives of two Duke professors: Dr. George R. Parkerson Jr. and the late Dr. C. Eric Lincoln. The recipient of the award receives a grant of between $1,500 and $3,000 to further humanitarian efforts. Nominations are due by August 17. For more information, contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett at bruce.puckett@duke.edu.

ROYAL SCHOOL OF CHURCH MUSIC | The Chapel welcomes the Royal School of Church Music Carolina Course for girls and adults July 9–15. Chapel Organist Christopher Jacobson is the course’s organist. Participants in the course will sing during next week’s Sunday Morning Worship Service, as well as during a special Choral Evensong service next Sunday, July 15, at 4:00 p.m.

HELP FAMILIES MOVE FORWARD | Volunteers are needed on Monday, July 9, and Tuesday, July 10, to serve dinner from 5:15 p.m.–6:30 p.m. and to provide childcare from 6:30 p.m.–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 Linda Daniel at lcdaniel1902@yahoo.com.
SECOND WEDNESDAY LUNCH | Informal conversation and fellowship in a local restaurant is the only agenda for the Second Wednesday Lunch. On July 11 at 12 noon, participants will gather at Shuckin' Shack Oyster Bar, Erwin Square, 2200 West Main Street, A-140, Durham. Each person will purchase their own meal. Please notify the Congregation Office by Monday, July 9 if you plan to attend.

FOR YOUNG ADULTS AND UNIVERSITY STUDENTS | Young adults and university students are invited to gather for dinner and Bible study on Thursday evenings in the Chapel kitchen, twice a month. The next gatherings will be July 12 and July 26 at 6:30 p.m. with Galatians as the topic of discussion. Fellowship, laughter, study, and prayer are on the agenda. For more information contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu.

PUB THEOLOGY | Join 20- and 30-somethings for gatherings around drinks, discussion, and God on Thursday, July 12, at 7:00 p.m. at the Pour Taproom, 202 N. Corcoran St., #200, Durham. Friends, family, first-timers, and beverage drinkers of all kinds welcome! Email James Spencer at james.r.spencer23@gmail.com for more information.

BACK PEW COLLECTION | Donations of canned fruits and vegetables, canned meats, canned beans, canned soups, cereals, whole grain pasta, rice, peanut butter, paper towels and toilet paper are needed at the Food Bank of Central and Eastern NC located in Durham. Donation may be placed on the back pew on Sunday, July 15, and 22.

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