



# Duke UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

BRIDGING FAITH & LEARNING

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost  
Sunday, August 5, 2018, 11:00 a.m.



*Solomon's Prayer of Dedication for the Temple,*  
Quatrefoil, Cathédrale d'Amiens, c. 1230

In this morning's first reading from Deuteronomy, Moses gives Israel detailed instructions on how they are to honor the Lord on Mount Ebal after they have crossed the Jordan and entered the promised land. Israel is to inscribe the laws Moses has given to them onto large stones and set up an altar to offer sacrifices of thanksgiving to the Lord. These actions are to give thanks for the abundance of the new land and to confirm Israel's covenantal relationship as the chosen people of God. In Matthew's Gospel, Jesus elevates the Mosaic law concerning murder to encompass the roots of anger in our own hearts. Before we come to bring our gifts to the altar of God, Jesus first commands us to root out the anger in our hearts and reconcile with our brothers and sisters.

# Gathering

Carillon

Opening Voluntary

Prelude in F

Theodore Dubois  
(1837–1924)

Greetings and Announcements

\*Processional Hymn 396

O Jesus, I Have Promised

ANGEL'S STORY

\*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:

**Living God, breathe on us your Spirit through the power of your holy word and give us grace to follow in your way; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

First Lesson | OT page 175 in the pew Bibles

Deuteronomy 27:1–10

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

\* All who are able may stand

## Anthem

Almighty God, Which Hast Me Brought

Thomas Ford  
(d. 1648)

Almighty God, Which hast me brought  
In safety to the present day,  
Keep me from sin in heart and thought,  
And teach me what to do and say.

—*William Leighton (c.1565-1622)*

Second Lesson | OT pages 175-6 in the pew Bibles

Deuteronomy 28:1-6, 15-19

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

\*Gradual Hymn 399 (Stanza 1) | Face the Gospel Procession

Take My Life, and Let It Be

MESSIAH

Gospel Lesson | NT page 4 in the pew Bibles

Matthew 5:21-26

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

\*Gradual Hymn 399 (Stanzas 2-3) | Face the Gospel Procession

Take My Life, and Let It Be

MESSIAH

## Sermon

Monuments of Belief

## Response

Commissioning of PathWays Fellows

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

O Praise God in His Holiness

Noel Rawsthorne  
(b. 1929)

O praise God in his holiness:  
praise him in the firmament of his power.  
Praise him in his noble acts:  
praise him according to his excellent greatness.  
Praise him in the sound of the trumpet:  
praise him upon the lute and harp.  
Praise him in the cymbals and dances:  
praise him upon the strings and pipe.  
Praise him upon the well-tuned cymbals:  
praise him upon the loud cymbals.  
Let everything that hath breath:  
praise the Lord.  
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.

—*Psalm 150*

### \*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.**

*A child and youth member of the Congregation at Duke University Chapel bring forward offerings collected in the children and youth Sunday School classes.*

## 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 475

Come Down, O Love Divine

DOWN AMPNEY

### Closing Voluntary

Carillon de Westminster, Opus 54, No.6

Louis Vierne  
(1870–1937)

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 IN WORSHIP

**PRESIDING MINISTERS**

The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg.....*Pastor to the Congregation at Duke Chapel*  
The Rev. Bruce Puckett..... *Director of Worship and Community Ministry*

**PREACHER**

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

**LECTORS**

Mr. Jonathan Osei ..... *PathWays Fellow, Trinity '18*  
Ms. Maria Luisa Frasson-Nori ..... *PathWays Fellow, Trinity '18*

**MUSICIANS**

Duke Summer Choir.....*Choir*  
Dr. Philip Cave..... *Associate Conductor for Chapel Music*  
Mr. Joey Fala ..... *Organ Scholar*  
Mr. J. Samuel Hammond..... *University Carillonneur*

**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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**TODAY'S FLOWERS** | Flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God by the Nan & Taylor Cole Chapel Endowment.

**TODAY'S OFFERING** | All of today's cash offerings and checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used to support human service organizations in the greater Durham area.

**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 four and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel lower level, beginning at 10:45 a.m. each week.

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

## 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.

**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** | 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. Please ask an usher for directions to the Lounge.

**LECTIO CONTINUA LESSONS** | We invite you to read Deuteronomy with us outside of our Sunday services on the following schedule before the date listed: August 12 (29:2–31:29), and August 19 (31:30–34:10).

**INTERIM DIRECTOR OF CHAPEL CHOIR** | Chapel Dean Luke A. Powery has appointed Dr. Philip Cave to serve as interim director of Chapel Choir for the 2018–19 academic year. As conductor for the Duke Chapel Choir, he will provide musical leadership to Sunday morning worship services, the 2018 *Messiah* performance, and the 2019 Spring Oratorio concert. Dr. Cave will also continue leading the Duke Vespers Ensemble and the Bach Cantata Series.

**GUEST PREACHER NEXT WEEK** | Next week's guest preacher Dr. Marlene Ringgaard Lorensen is a professor of practical theology with special obligations in homiletics at the University of Copenhagen, Denmark. She has a PhD in homiletics and spent a year as a visiting scholar at Duke Divinity School in 2012–13. Dr. Lorensen's research and teaching includes the history and theology of preaching as well as field studies of refugees' encounters with Christianity and the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Denmark. Dr. Lorensen's publications include "The Complexity of Survival: Asylum Seekers, Resilience and Religion" (2018), "Listening to the Voices: Refugees as Co-authors of Practical Theology" (2018) (co-written with Gitte Buch-Hansen), and "Dialogical Preaching: Bakhtin, Otherness and Homiletics" (2014). She is co-editor of the International Journal of the Homiletics and serves as a member of the board of Societas Homiletica, an international society of scholars of preaching.

**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](mailto:bruce.puckett@duke.edu).

**SECOND WEDNESDAY LUNCH** | Informal conversation and fellowship in a local restaurant is the only agenda for the Second Wednesday Lunch. On August 8 at 12 noon, participants will gather at the Fairview Dining Room, Washington Duke Inn, 3001 Cameron Blvd., Durham. Each person will purchase their own meal. Please notify the Congregation Office at [congregation@duke.edu](mailto:congregation@duke.edu) or 919-684-3917 by Monday, August 6, if you plan to attend.

**SATURDAY SERVICE PROJECT** | Volunteers are needed to assist in organizing the library for Durham Nativity School, 1004 N. Mangum St, Durham on Saturday, August 11, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon. Please contact the Congregation office for more information at [congregation@duke.edu](mailto:congregation@duke.edu) or 919-684-3917.

**BACK PEW COLLECTION** | On Sundays, August 12, and August 19, the Congregation will collect school supplies for Crayons2Calculators, an organization dedicated to resourcing Durham Public Schools. Items currently needed include Post-It Notes, tape (rolls), pencils, pencil boxes, erasers, markers, scissors, and construction paper. Donations may be placed in the back pew.

**URBAN MINISTRY DINNERS** | Ten volunteers and twenty-two cooked lasagnas are needed every month to serve our neighbors at Urban Ministries. The Congregation is committed to providing dinner on the following dates: Wednesday, August 22, at 6:15 p.m., Sunday, September 9, at 5:15 p.m and Wednesday, October 24, at 6:15 p.m. Please let Cricket Scovil know by email at [scovilj@aol.com](mailto:scovilj@aol.com) if you are able to assist with these meals. New volunteers are welcome at any time and detailed instructions are provided.

**GROWING THRU GRIEF** | Growing thru Grief is a free, open, confidential program sponsored by a coalition of area religious and civic organizations to provide support and comfort to those who mourn. Meetings are held year-round on Tuesdays at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 1200 W. Cornwallis in Durham. Participants gather at 4:00 p.m. for coffee and cookies; the meeting runs from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. For more information, email [growingthrugrief@gmail.com](mailto:growingthrugrief@gmail.com).

**KNITTING MINISTRY** | The Heavenly Hugs Hat Ministry knits and crochets hats and scarves for babies, children, and homeless adults. New participants are welcome at any time. For more information contact [tamelabdavis@gmail.com](mailto:tamelabdavis@gmail.com). Note to Duke students: The processes of knitting and crocheting are proven stress relievers. Yarn, needles, and patterns will be provided for Duke students.

**INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP?** | The Congregation holds membership classes each fall and spring. For more information about membership in the Congregation at Duke Chapel please contact Carol Gregg at [carol.gregg@duke.edu](mailto:carol.gregg@duke.edu) or 919-684-3917.

## ENGAGE (Continued)

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES** | Sunday morning Christian Education classes for all ages are offered year-round. All classes are held in the lowest level of the Westbrook building from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. and refreshments beginning at 9:30 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time. The classes are:

**Wee Praise:** For children ages 0-3 with parents or caregivers in 0011 Westbrook.

**Lift Ev'ry Voice:** For ages 4 through 5th graders in 0014 Westbrook.

**Bible Study on Deuteronomy:** For youth and adults in 0015 Westbrook.

**LEARN THE LITURGY OF THE CHAPEL** | Do you ever wonder, "Why do we read the Gospel from the center of the Chapel?" or "Why does the Chapel's Sunday morning worship service follow the order it does?" Find answers to these questions and more by visiting [chapel.duke.edu/learningliturgy](http://chapel.duke.edu/learningliturgy).

**DUKE CHAPEL WORSHIP** | Worship is offered at Duke Chapel on Sunday mornings at 11:00 a.m. throughout the year. Every Sunday worshipers from campus and the community gather to praise God, who is known to us in Jesus Christ. During the academic year, additional worship services include Evensong on Sundays at 4:00 p.m. and Vespers on Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome.

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For a complete listing of events, please visit [chapel.duke.edu/events](http://chapel.duke.edu/events) or sign up to receive weekly emails at [chapel.duke.edu/email](http://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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