

 \gg Bridging Faith and Learning \ll



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A new semester of classes has begun at Duke, and we extend God's welcome to you. This morning's Scripture readings show the radical commitment and cost required to be a disciple of Jesus. The prophet Jeremiah is shown the Lord's sovereignty, as we too must accept God's authority to shape our lives. Paul writes a deeply personal letter to Philemon, urging him to choose the difficult forgiveness and reconciliation that Jesus teaches. In Luke's Gospel, Jesus asks us to count the cost of following him. Jesus' love for us took him to the cross, and that costly love shapes our journey together as the family of God. The congregation is invited to reflect silently during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation. The Chapel welcomes families with children. If at any time during the service your child needs a place for active play, please know there is a nursery in the Chapel basement.

GATHERING

CARILLON PRELUDE Toccata in C Minor Johann Pachelbel (1653 - 1706)Canzona in C Minor Matthias Weckmann (1619 - 1674)CHORAL INTROIT Cry Out and Shout Knut Nystedt (b. 1915) Cry out and shout, ye people of God! The Lord is strength and song! Therefore with joy shall ye draw water from the wells of salvation. *—adap. Isaiah 12* GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS *PROCESSIONAL HYMN 139 (found in the hymnals located in the pew racks) Praise to the Lord, the Almighty LOBE DEN HERREN *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*) Generous God, who in mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: come now to illuminate your holy word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Jeremiah 18:1–11 (*OT page 677*) Lector: This is the word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

Sinner Man

Traditional Spiritual arr. Howard A. Roberts

O sinner man, where you gonna run to all on that day? Run to the rock! Rock, won't you hide me all on that day? The Lord said, "Sinner man, the rock'll be a-meltin' all on that day." Run to the sea. Sea, won't you hide me all on that day? The Lord said, "Sinner man, the sea will be a-boilin' all on that day." Lord, won't you hide me all on that day? "You should a been a-prayin' all on that day." Satan said, "Just step right in!" All on that day!

New TESTAMENT LESSON—Philemon 1:1–21 (*NT page 203*) Lector: This is the word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 547 (stanzas 1–2) O Church of God, United (All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

*GOSPEL LESSON—Luke 14:25–33 (*NT page 73*) Lector: This is the word of the Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 547 *(stanza 3–4)* O Church of God, United

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SERMON—Crossroads

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: "Hear our prayer.*")

Offertory Anthem Gloria (Mvt. 1)

John Rutter (b. 1945)

Gloria in excelsis Deo, et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te, benedicimus te, adoramus te, glorificamus te. Gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam.

Glory to God on high, and on earth peace to men of good will. We praise thee, we bless thee, we worship thee, we glorify thee. We give thee thanks for thy great glory.

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

*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.

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 559	
Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation	

WESTMINSTER ABBEY

*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 on the Magnificat, BWV 733

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)

CARILLON

*All who are able may stand.

At the close of today's service, the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the Memorial Chapel located to the left of the chancel. Immediately following Communion, a service of prayer for healing will be held in the same location. The service consists of prayers for healing and wholeness with anointing and laying on of hands. All are invited.

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP		
Presiding Ministers	The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg Dr. Adam Hollowell Ms. Lauren Harper	
Preacher	The Rev. Dr. Luke A. Powery	
Lectors	Mr. Jihwan Hwang Duke Chapel PathWays Scholar, Trinity '18	
	Ms. Lauren Wright Duke Chapel Worship Intern, Div '18	
Choir	Duke Chapel Choir	
Soloist	Mr. Wade Henderson	
Choir Director	Dr. Rodney Wynkoop	
Organists	Dr. Robert Parkins Mr. Christopher Jacobson	
Guest Musicians	Amalgam Brass	
Presiding Minister at Post-Ser	vice Communion The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg	
Head Ushers	Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong	
Carillonneur	Mr. J. Samuel Hammond	

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK

This morning we give thanks for the administration of the University and its leadership in creating the policies and procedures that allow the University to flourish.

In Durham, we remember volunteers within our community who help recently released prisoners adjust to newly directed life.

For Worshipers And Visitors	For Families And Children
 Prayer requests may be placed in the prayer box located by the Memorial Chapel. For a tour of Duke Chapel, meet today's docent near the front steps of the Chapel following the service. Hearing assistance units are available at the sound desk at the back left of the Chapel. For optimal hearing assistance, please sit in the pews near the third columns of the Chapel nave, where the speakers are located. 	 [†] Children 4 and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel basement, beginning at 10:50 a.m. each week. Pagers are available for parents to keep with them during worship. Parents needing a place to feed, quiet, or change infants are also welcome. [†] Worship Bags for ages 0–5, and Children's Worship Bulletins[™] for ages 3–6 and 7–12, are available at the rear of the Chapel. Please return bags and clipboards at the end of the service.
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We invite you to consider joining the Congregation at Duke Chapel. The Congregation is an interdenominational church with a variety of vibrant ministries, including discipleship and spiritual formation (for children, youth, and adults), mission and outreach, and pastoral care. Please email congregation@duke.edu or call 919-684-3917 for information.

Locopops

Immediately following the service everyone is invited for a time of fellowship with free Locopops on the Chapel Quad.

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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 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.

A YEAR OF CELEBRATION AND GRATITUDE—The Chapel reopened to the public in May after a yearlong closure for restoration work. Throughout the 2016–17 academic year, the Chapel celebrates its reopening with joy and gratitude. Find updates about events, programs and stories related to the reopening year at https://chapel.duke.edu/reopen.

CHAPEL CHOIR AUDITIONS—Auditions for the Chapel Choir continue this week. The Chapel Choir sings weekly in the Sunday morning service during the school year, performs Handel's Messiah each December, and this coming spring will perform Berlioz's *Te Deum* and Poulenc's *Gloria*. The Chapel Choir is conducted by Rodney Wynkoop. To schedule a friendly audition, call 919-684-3898 or email chapel.music@duke.edu. Course credit is available for Duke undergraduate students.

CHORAL VESPERS—This chamber choir leads the weekly candlelit Vespers service on Thursdays at 6 p.m in Duke Chapel. For more information please contact Brian Schmidt at brian.schmidt@duke.edu or 919-684-3855.

#FINDSANCTUARY—The Chapel has begun a crowd-sourced photo project to explore the many places and ways people find sanctuary at Duke. Learn more at chapel.duke.edu/findsanctuary.



Music at Duke University Chapel aims to create high quality musical experiences, while giving glory to God and stirring the hearts and minds of all those it reaches. This year there will be a diverse program of music as part of the Chapel's Year of Celebration. These are the upcoming events:

September 4, 5:00 p.m.—Bach Organ Series: Glimpses of Genius, Christopher Jacobson, Chapel Organist

September 11, 1:00 p.m.—Carillon Recital: J. Samuel Hammond, University Carillonneur

September 11, 5:15 p.m.—Bach Cantata Series: Cantata 135, Brian Schmidt, Director



LEARNING THE LITURGY OF THE CHAPEL

Whenever they take place, worship services have some kind of internal order and structure. Some worship is called "high church" (formal); some is called "low church" (informal). Some worship services are labeled "traditional," while others are labeled "contemporary." Regardless of the seeming formality or informality of a service, in most churches a pattern often exists that characterizes the weekly gathering for worship. Another name for this service structure is "liturgy."

Duke Chapel offers an interdenominational worship that is not linked to one particular denominational pattern or liturgy. The structure of Duke Chapel worship provides a framework for the praise and worship of God in Jesus through the Spirit. The particular way we order our worship draws from the earliest traditions of the church and is meant to enable all those who have gathered together to participate in common acts of worshiping God. In this way, the liturgy is the means by which the whole community participates in worship. Liturgy becomes everyone's activity, everyone's work. In an effort to bridge faith and learning in weekly worship, we will regularly include information in the bulletin about particular aspects of our liturgy. We invite you to learn why we do what we do, to ask questions, and to find ways to participate more deeply in worship as together we encounter our triune God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL 919-684-3917 • www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu

The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

QUESTIONS? LOOK FOR THE NAME TAGS—Members of the Congregation Council and several committees are wearing name tags this morning. If you have any questions about the Chapel or the Congregation, please ask.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES—Classes for all ages will begin on Sunday, September 11 at 9:45 a.m. and will conclude in time for worship. All classes are held in the lowest level of the Westbrook Building (WB) with refreshments and fellowship offered at 9:30 a.m.: Wee Praise: For ages 0–3 with parents or caregivers in 0011 WB. Godly Play: For ages 4 through 5th graders in 0050 Langford. Youth Sunday School: For youth in 6th–12th grade in 0013 WB. Adult Forum: On September 11, Brian Schmidt, Assistant Conductor and Administrative Coordinator of Chapel Music, will present "The Theology of J.S. Bach as Found in His Cantatas" in 0012 WB. Bible Study: A discussion of the books of Esther and Ruth will begin on September 19 in 0015 WB.

BACK PEW COLLECTION—Donations for Families Moving Forward, a shelter for homeless families, will be collected at the back pew on Sundays September 11 and September 18. The shelter needs bathroom tissue, cleaning supplies, dish detergent, laundry soap and bleach.

BOOK GROUPS TO BEGIN—All are welcome to participate in a book group to discuss *The Mystic Way of Evangelism: A Contemplative Vision for Christian Outreach* by Elaine Heath, the new Dean of Duke Divinity School. The book groups will meet on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. starting on September 14 in the Chapel Kitchen and on Thursday mornings at 10:30 a.m. starting on September 15 at Carol Gregg's home. The groups will meet for five weeks. Please contact the Congregation office at 919-684-3917 if you plan to attend.

SNACKS AFTER WORSHIP—The Fellowship Committee is sponsoring a "Snack-Luck" after worship on Sunday, September 11, on the Chapel lawn. Please bring a snack to share such as cheese and crackers, fruit, nuts, or cookies. Students do not have to bring food to share. Beverages will be provided.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—Volunteers are needed to assist with dinner and child care at the Families Moving Forward shelter on Monday, September 26 and Tuesday, September 27. For more information, please contact the congregation office at 919-684-3917.

HABITAT BUILD—Volunteers are needed to assist in building a Habitat for Humanity home on Saturday, September 24, from 8:30–11:30 a.m. at 507 N. Elm St. Please contact the Congregation office, 919-684-3917, if you plan to attend. MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID—The Congregation's Fall Retreat will be mental health first aid training on Saturday, September 17 from 8:00 am to 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall at Pilgrim United Church of Christ, 3011 Academy Rd. in Durham. James Osborn, who is Director of Community Engagement and Outreach at Alliance Behavioral Healthcare and a member of the Congregation, will lead the training. The fee of \$10 will cover the cost of a catered lunch. Mental Health First Aid is a public education program that introduces participants to risk factors and warning signs of mental illnesses, builds understanding of their impact, and overviews common supports. Registration is limited to 30 people. Please contact the Congregation office at congregation@duke.edu or 919-684-3917 to indicate your plans to attend.

SERVE DINNER AT URBAN MINISTRIES—Volunteers are needed every month to assist with serving a lasagna dinner at Urban Ministries in downtown Durham. Both cooked lasagnas and helping hands are needed on Sunday, Sept 11 at 5:15 p.m., Wednesday, October 26 at 6:15 p.m. and Sunday, November 13 at5:15 p.m. For more information and to volunteer, contact Cricket Scovil at scovilj@aol.com or the Congregation office at 919-684-3917.

YOUNG ADULTS DINNER—Young adults and their families will gather Friday, September 9, at the home of Andrew Phillips and Sarah Barton (901 N Buchanan Blvd in Durham). The evening will start at 5:30 p.m. and run until 8:00 p.m.; both quick stops and long stays are welcome! The hosts will provide the main dish and invite guests to bring sides, desserts, drinks, or just themselves. Please contact Andrew Phillips at andrew.phillips@duke.edu for more information.

PARKING AT DUKE CHAPEL

Sunday morning parking at the Bryan Center Parking Garage (PGIV) is free until 1:30 p.m. but will require each driver to take a ticket upon entry to the garage and to authenticate it at a pay station available on each pedestrian-entry floor (levels 2 and 3) prior to exiting the garage.

For those who worship regularly at the Chapel, free QR code cards to allow Sunday morning entry and exit are available at the attendant's desk in the nave near the main entrance of the Chapel.

If you plan to stay past 1:30 p.m. and do not have a Duke parking permit, then please park on levels 4 and 5. Your ticket upon arrival/QR code card will ensure free parking up until 1:30 p.m. You will then have to pay the difference after that time at the pay station on level 3 before you exit.

OPPORTUNITIES IN RELIGIOUS LIFE FOR CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

ADVENTIST CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—The Adventist Christian Fellowship is the campus ministry of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church. We open membership to all students regardless of their beliefs and welcome all who are interested in learning more about Jesus Christ, Christianity, or the Adventist church. Milton Blackmon, milton.blackmon@duke.edu, *triangleacf.wordpress.com*

AGAPÉ CAMPUS MINISTRY—Agapé Campus Ministry is a community of students and staff who are committed to being disciples of Christ that strive to love God and to love others. Agapé's aim is to help students pursue and discover God in the midst of everyday demands of college life. Gus Kim, info@agapeharvestchurch.org, agapeharvestchurch.org

COOPERATIVE BAPTIST STUDENT FELLOWSHIP— Cooperative Baptist Student Fellowship (CBSF) seeks to build diverse, inclusive, and authentic community by engaging in questions of Scripture, life, and faith as we develop meaningful relationships with God and one another. dannysteis@gmail.com

CRU—Cru is a community of students seeking to follow Christ together during their time at Duke. We exist to help students encounter Christ in Scripture, connect with friends, and reach out to others with Jesus' love. Charlie Densmore, ccd9@duke.edu, *dukecru.com*

DUKE ASIAN INTERVARSITY CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—In response to God's love, grace, and truth, the purpose of Duke IV is to establish and advance communities of students who follow Jesus as Savior and Lord. We seek to develop meaningful, transformative relationships with God, our campus, and our community. James Ho, jameshoiv@gmail.com, *sites.duke.edu/ivcf/*

DUKE CATHOLIC CENTER—The Duke Catholic Center sponsors retreats, socials, service projects, and other activities to provide Catholic students with opportunities for fellowship, prayer, learning, and fun. Catholics at Duke celebrate Mass on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. in Goodson Chapel and on Sunday nights at 9:00 p.m. in Duke Chapel. Father Michael Martin, fr.mike@duke.edu, *catholic.duke.edu*

DUKE LUTHERANS—The Duke Lutherans are committed to worship, service, and community, all for the sake of the Triune God. Laura Wind, laura.wind@duke.edu, *dukelutherans.org*

DUKE ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—Duke OCF brings together a multicultural group of undergraduate, graduate, and professional Orthodox Christian students who gather for friendship, fellowship, and spiritual growth. DOCSA strives to be a community where students can explore and faithfully practice Orthodox Christian spirituality. Fr. Stavroforos Mamaies, fatherstavroforos2012@gmail.com, *sites.duke.edu/dukeocf/*

EPISCOPAL STUDENT FELLOWSHIP—The Episcopal Center at Duke offers opportunities for worship, fellowship, community service, and an exploration of life's big questions. The center of our life together is our celebration of the Holy Eucharist each Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. Sam Laurent, sam.laurent@duke.edu, *duke.edu/web/episcopal*

EVERY NATION CAMPUS @ **DUKE**—ENC@DUKE is a diverse group committed to loving God by making disciples, building a spiritual family, serving the local community, and taking the Gospel to the nations. Anthony and Marybeth Jorge, ajorge517@gmail.com

GRADUATE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP—GCF is the Graduate and Professional student ministry of InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, serving graduate students and interfacing with professional student ministries in the Medical, Law, and Business Schools. Steve Hinkle, shinkle@duke.edu, *dukegcf.org*

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS, INC. (ISI)—A Christian organization with chapters on more than 200 campuses, ISI exists to share the love of Jesus with international students, scholars, and their spouses. Scott Hawkins, shawkins@duke.edu, *istudentsduke.org*

LDSSA: LATTER-DAY SAINT STUDENT ASSOCIATION—LDSSA is a joint program with the LDSSA at the University of North Carolina, holding regular institute classes and activities at both universities. Ken Rogerson, rogerson@duke.edu, *sites.dukegroups.duke.edu/ldssa/*

PRESBYTERIAN CAMPUS MINISTRY (PCUSA AND UCC)—Presbyterian Campus Ministry is an open-minded, open-hearted undergraduate community of Christians in the reformed traditions of the Presbyterian Church (USA) and the United Church of Christ. Katie Aumann, katie.aumann@duke.edu, *dukepcm.org*

REFORMED UNIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP—RUF, the college ministry of the Presbyterian Church in America, is a place for any Duke student, regardless of your beliefs or doubts, to explore Christianity and grow in your understanding of who Jesus is and what it means to follow him in community with other Duke students. Crawford Stevener, crawford.stevener@duke.edu, *duke.ruf.org*

THE NAVIGATORS—The Navs at Duke is a network of friends who enjoy exploring the Bible honestly, connecting to friends right where they are, asking real questions, and pursuing a faith for all of life. John Hamilton, j.hamilton@duke.edu,

WESLEY FELLOWSHIP (UNITED METHODIST)—The Duke Wesley Fellowship provides fertile ground for students to cultivate faith—*religio*—with the same enthusiasm that they approach education—*eruditio*. Dave Allen, dave.allen@duke.edu, dukewesley.org

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.

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NEXT WEEK IN WORSHIP AT DUKE CHAPEL

PREACHER—Our preacher will be the Rev. Dr. Luke A. Powery, Dean of Duke Chapel.

FELLOWSHIP—The Congregation will be hosting a "snack-luck" on the Chapel lawn after the service.