The Congregation at Duke University Chapel
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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

Sunday Christian Education Classes—All Sunday morning classes meet in the lowest level of Duke Divinity School from 9:45–10:45 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time:

Wee Praise: Ages 0–3 with parents or caregivers in 0011 Westbrook.

Godly Play: Ages 4 through 5th graders in 0050 Langford.

Youth Sunday School: For 6th–12th graders in 0013 Westbrook.

Adult Forum: Next Sunday, Mr. Robin Barefoot, Legal & Policy Advisor for the Triangle Community Foundation will discuss with us “Work in Progress” in 0012 Westbrook.

New Member Class—The fall new member class started this morning and will continue through the month of October from 9:45–10:45 a.m. in Westbrook 0015. If you are interested in attending, please contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu or 919-684-3917.

Ripples of Grief Series—Starting this Tuesday, October 6, there will be a six-week series on the grief process at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church, 1200 W. Cornwallis, Durham. Sessions begin at 4:00 p.m. with refreshments and conclude at 6:00 p.m. The series is led by a licensed mental health counselor. All are welcome.

Friday Dinner Fellowship—Informal fellowship at a local restaurant is the goal for the Friday Dinner Fellowship. This week, diners will gather at Tyler’s Taproom, 324 Blackwell St., Durham, at 5:30 p.m. on October 9. All ages are welcome.

Saturday Service Project—The Congregation’s next monthly service project will be Saturday, October 17 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at Reality Ministries, 916 Lamond Ave., Durham. Volunteers will offer fall yard work for this ministry “where friends with and without disabilities grow together.”

Fellowship on the Lawn—All worshipers are invited to stay for a time of fellowship and refreshment after worship on Sunday, October 18, on the Chapel Quad. This is a “snack-luck” event, to which all are invited to bring a snack to share. Fruit, cheese and crackers, nuts, finger sandwiches, cookies, and other treats which need no refrigeration are welcome. Consider this a snack version of a potluck meal. The Fellowship Committee will provide beverages. Students do not need to bring food. Please plan to attend.

Flower Delivery—Volunteers are needed to deliver the Sunday flowers to members who are ill or homebound. If you would like to take a turn delivering a bouquet of beauty, please contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu or 919-684-3917.

ENews—The Congregation at Duke Chapel publishes a weekly email announcing fellowship events, service opportunities, and Christian education classes. If you would like to receive this weekly newsletter, please email congregation@duke.edu.
Today’s Flowers—Today’s flowers are given to the glory of God in honor of Duke’s Homecoming Weekend by the Duke Alumni Association and Duke Alumni Affairs.

Today’s Offering—All of today’s cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used for the Chapel Development Fund. The Chapel’s current focus is to upgrade the Chapel cameras and video capabilities to digital and high definition in order to better serve the thousands of worshipers locally, in Duke Hospital, and around the globe who tune in weekly.

World Communion and Founders’ Sunday—Today we are celebrating the Lord’s Supper for World Communion Sunday, when we give thanks for the worldwide Church. There will be a multi-lingual Call to Prayer and Benediction as we bring to mind our brothers and sisters in Christ around the world. We also extend our welcome to President Brodhead and Josiah (Joe) Charles Trent Lucas, the great-great-great-grandson of Washington Duke, as we celebrate Founders’ Sunday.

Guest Choir—We warmly welcome the Congregation’s Children and Youth Choir who are today singing the Offertory anthem with the Chapel Choir.

Humanitarian Service Award—The 2015 recipients of the Duke University Chapel HSA are Ms. Patricia James and Ms. Marcia Owen. The HSA seeks to recognize individuals who have demonstrated a long-term commitment to serving others and a lifestyle marked by simplicity. Pat and Marcia will be honored at a reception today at 4:00 p.m. in the Alumni Memorial Commons Room of Duke Divinity School. They will each receive a $1500 grant to further their work in community sport and non-violence in Durham respectively.

Service of Worship for the Blessing of the Animals
Today at 3:00 p.m. Chapel Quad
Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp, preaching
Durham Children’s Choir
The rain date is October 11

Worship Opportunities Each Week at Duke Chapel
Choral Evensong - Sunday at 4 p.m. in Goodson Chapel
Online Mid-Week Prayer - Wednesday at noon via chapel.duke.edu and periscope.tv/dukechapel
Choral Vespers - Thursday at 6 p.m. in Goodson Chapel