



Duke UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

BRIDGING FAITH & LEARNING

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

World Communion Sunday
Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, October 7, 2018, 11:00 a.m.



Detail, *A Visit*, John August Swanson, 1995

This morning we celebrate World Communion Sunday, giving thanks for fellowship with Christians of every tribe and tongue around the world. At the Communion table, God's gift of our diversity becomes united in worship of Jesus Christ, the only Son of God. In his first letter to the church at Corinth, the apostle Paul reminds his brothers and sisters of the holiness of the Lord's Supper. Those who receive Communion share in the body and blood of Christ, the spiritual bond that unites all believers across time and space. Those who partake in the cup of the Lord must reject all other sacrifices, knowing that Jesus' sacrifice of himself upon the cross, remembered at the table, is the only true food and true drink that will lead to eternal life.

Gathering

Carillon

Steel Drums

Opening Voluntary

Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr
(All glory be to God on high), BWV 662 & 664

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685–1750)

Greeting and Call to Worship

*Processional Hymn 617

I Come With Joy to Meet My Lord

DOVE OF PEACE

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

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways to the glory of your name. Amen.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

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

Proclamation

Prayer for Illumination | In unison:

Lord Jesus Christ, peoples of every tribe and tongue will gather to worship before your throne: send your Holy Spirit to illuminate your holy word; in your holy name, Amen.

New Testament Lesson | NT pages 161-2 in the pew Bibles

1 Corinthians 10:14–22

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 540 (Stanzas 1-2) | Face the Gospel Procession

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

ST. THOMAS

Gospel Lesson | Read in Spanish

John 6:51–59

* All who are able may stand

"I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" So Jesus said to them, "Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever." He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*Gradual Hymn 540 (Stanzas 3-5) | Face the Gospel Procession

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

ST. THOMAS

Sermon

Eating Together

Response

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

Ubi Caritas

Ola Gjeilo
(b. 1978)

Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.

Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor.

Exultemus, et in ipso iucundemur.

Timeamus, et amemus Deum vivum.

Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero.

Where charity and love are, God is there.
Christ's love has gathered us into one.
Let us rejoice and be pleased in Him.
Let us fear, and let us love the living God.
And may we love each other with a sincere heart.

—*Antiphon for Maundy Thursday*

***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.

Thanksgiving and Holy Communion

***The Great Thanksgiving** | Musical setting A, found on page 17 in the hymnal.

***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.

Sharing of the Bread and Wine | All who love Christ, earnestly repent of their sins, and seek to be at peace with God and neighbor are invited to receive Communion. Wine is used for Communion. If you would prefer to receive grape juice, it is available upon request at the Communion station near the main entrance of the Chapel, on the pulpit side.

If you have a gluten allergy, there is a server near the Memorial Chapel who will be ready to serve you gluten-free wafers and wine. If you will not receive Communion, you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

Music During Distribution

Hymn 615 | Sung by all:

For the Bread Which You Have Broken

BENG-LI

Communion Anthem

Agnus Dei

Paul Halley
(b. 1952)

*Agnus Dei,
qui tollis peccata mundi,
miserere nobis.*

Lamb of God,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

—*From the Ordinary of the Mass*

Sending Forth

*Post-Communion Prayer

*Benediction

Choral Benediction

Pax Domini from “Son of God Mass”

James Whitbourn
(b. 1963)

Pax domini sit semper vobiscum

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

—*From the Ordinary of the Mass*

*Closing Processional Hymn 326

The Head That Once was Crowned with Thorns

ST. MAGNUS

Closing Voluntary

Allegro con spirito

Frank Bridge
(1879–1941)

Steel Drums

TODAY IN WORSHIP

TODAY'S FLOWERS | Flowers for today's worship service are given to the glory of God by the Nancy Hanks fund.

TODAY'S OFFERING | In response to the devastating impact of Hurricane Florence, the Chapel will be taking a special offering today, to be given to the United Methodist Committee on Relief for hurricane relief. Please give generously and make out checks to Duke Chapel with a note in the memo that the donation is for hurricane relief.

LEARNING THE LITURGY: PROCLAMATION AND PRAYER | To hear God's word to us, we need help from God's Holy Spirit. It is always the Spirit that enables us to hear, interpret, and understand the divine word. The Spirit opens our hearts and minds, as well as our eyes, ears, and hands, so that we may receive what God would communicate to us. As we pray the “prayer of illumination,” we ask God to shine light on the scriptures that they may be the word of the Lord that shines light on us, the church gathered in worship.

TODAY IN WORSHIP (Continued)

PRESIDING MINISTERS

The Rev. Bruce Puckett *Assistant Dean of Duke University Chapel*

The Rev. Libby Boehne *Minister, Presbyterian Campus Ministry*

Ms. Phyllis Snyder *Children's Pastor, Congregation at Duke Chapel*

PREACHER

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

LECTORS

Ms. Casey Pettiford *Chapel Scholar, Trinity '20*

Mr. Edward Mandolang *Presbyterian Campus Ministry, Trinity '20*

MUSICIANS

Mr. Wilton Dubois *Steel Drums*

Mr. Taiki Azuma *Saxophone*

Duke Chapel Choir *Choir*

Dr. Philip Cave *Associate Conductor for Chapel Music*

Mr. Christopher Jacobson *Chapel Organist*

Mr. J. Samuel Hammond *University Carillonneur*

MINISTERS OF ANOINTING

Ms. Lynn Holmes *Divinity Intern, Congregation at Duke Chapel*

Ms. Sandy Kim *Divinity Intern, Duke University Chapel*

HEAD USHERS

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

TODAY'S ALTAR FRONTAL | The altar cloth being used this morning was made with fabric purchased from United Methodist Women in Mutare, Zimbabwe. It represents the Congregation's sponsorship of vulnerable children in Zimbabwe through ZOE, an empowerment program which enables the children to become economically self-sufficient in three years. Linda Gauger, a member of the Congregation, provided the labor and skills needed to turn the fabric into an altar cloth and stoles.

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

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.

STUDENTS: BECOME A CHAPEL SCHOLAR | The Chapel Scholars program provides opportunities for students to hear and respond to God's call for their lives on campus, in Durham, and beyond, through study, counsel, service, artistic expression, and community. All undergraduate students are welcome to apply at chapel.duke.edu/ChapelScholars.

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS | This year's Blessing of the Animals service is this afternoon at 3:00 p.m. on the quad in front of the Chapel. All (well-mannered) animals and their owners are welcome. In the spirit of St. Francis of Assisi, the service includes Scripture readings, a community choir, and blessings for all of God's creatures. In case of rain, the service will be postponed a week.

YAM JAM | Volunteers are needed on the morning of Saturday, October 13, to gather sweet potatoes to distribute to hungry neighbors. This gleaning project is organized by the Society of St. Andrew; all ages are welcome to participate. Please contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu or 919-684-3917 for detailed information.

BACK PEW COLLECTION | On Sundays, October 14 and October 21 the Congregation will collect large empty buckets (5 gallon size) to support the Society of St. Andrew's year-round gleaning projects. In addition, the Congregation will collect clothing for local farm workers. The Episcopal Farmworker Ministry needs men's light-colored pants, sizes 30 through 36 (dress or khaki ok), and long sleeved shirts, sizes small through XL. Thrift store or used clothing in good condition is acceptable. All donations may be placed on the back pew on October 14 or 21.

NEW MEMBER CLASS | All those considering membership in the Congregation at Duke Chapel are invited to attend a four-week new member class on Sunday mornings beginning October 14. The class is held from 9:45–10:45 a.m. in 0014 Westbrook, Duke Divinity School. For additional information, please contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu or 919-684-391.

LUNCH NEXT SUNDAY | Please plan to stay after worship next Sunday, October 14, to enjoy lunch with other worshipers in the Brodhead Center. The Brodhead Center, which is a short walk from the Chapel, provides a wide array of dining options. Participants will purchase their own lunch then gather in the Great Hall dining area on the main floor to share a time of fellowship and food. Volunteers will direct people to the Brodhead Center.

ORGAN RECITAL | The first concert in the Chapel's Organ Recital Series is Sunday, October 14, at 5:15 p.m. It features Jean-Baptiste Robin, Organist of the Royal Chapel at the Palace of Versailles. Widely regarded as one of the most accomplished French organists and composers of his generation, he has been acclaimed for his "clarity and virtuosity...synonymous with perfection." M. Robin will perform on the Flentrop organ. Admission is free.

ENGAGE (Continued)

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES | Sunday morning Christian Education classes for all ages are offered year-round. All classes held in the lowest level of the Westbrook building from 9:45–10:45 a.m. with 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.

Godly Play: For ages 4 through 5th graders in 0050 Langford

Youth Bible Study: For youth in 6th–12th grade in 0013 Westbrook

Adult Bible Study: A study on Ezra and Nehemiah in 0015 Westbrook

Adult Forum: On October 14, Chaplain Joshua Salaam, Center for Muslim Life for Duke students will discuss "The Muslim Perception of Jesus Christ" in 0012 Westbrook.

HURRICANE RELIEF SERVICE TRIP | The Congregation is sponsoring a Lenten service trip to aid those who have suffered from local hurricanes. The trip will be held during Duke's spring break, March 10–16. University students and community members are invited to serve; both skilled and unskilled labor will be needed. Many recovery agencies, which are not yet ready to receive volunteers, will welcome volunteers in the spring. Please contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu for additional information.

ENGAGE WITH US | Scan this code and complete the form to let us know how we might connect with you and how you want to connect with the Chapel.



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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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