



# Duke UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

BRIDGING FAITH & LEARNING

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost  
Sunday, October 13, 2019, 11:00 a.m.



*Healing of the ten lepers*  
JESUS MAFA, 1973

Today's Old Testament and Gospel lessons both tell stories about lepers. In 2 Kings, Israel's King Naaman suffers from leprosy but is made clean after he reluctantly follows Elisha's instruction to wash in the Jordan River seven times. In Luke, Jesus encounters ten lepers and heals all of them, but only one—the foreigner—returns to offer thanks to God for having been healed. In the passage from 2 Timothy, Paul reflects on his own suffering and encourages endurance in Christ—the one who is faithful, even when we are faithless.

# Gathering

## Opening Voluntary

Toccatina in F, BuxWV 157

Dietrich Buxtehude  
(c. 1637-1707)

## Greeting and Call to Worship

### Choral Introit

Why Are You So Heavy, O My Soul?

Brian Wentzel

Why are you so heavy, O my soul?  
And why are you so restless within me?  
Put your trust in God, O my soul!  
For I will yet give thanks to God.

*Text: Psalm 42:5, adapt.*

### \*Opening Hymn 340

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

RESTORATION

**\*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:

**Holy God, our light and our salvation: illuminate our lives as you open your word to us, that we may see your goodness in each day, and looking on your beauty may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

\* All rise as able

2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 111 | The refrain is introduced by the cantor then sung by all. The cantor and choir sing the verses; the congregation sings the refrain as indicated.

Dorothy Christopherson (b. 1932)

*Refrain*

I will give thanks, I will give thanks to the  
Lord with my whole heart.

Hallelujah! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,  
in the assembly of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the deeds of the Lord!

They are studied by all who delight in them. *Refrain*

His work is full of majesty and splendor,  
and his righteousness endures forever.

He makes his marvelous works to be remembered;  
the Lord is gracious and full of compassion.

He gives food to those who fear him;  
he is ever mindful of his covenant.

He has shown his people the power of his works  
in giving them the lands of the nations. *Refrain*

The works of his hands are faithfulness and justice;  
all his commandments are sure.

They stand fast forever and ever,  
because they are done in truth and equity.

He sent redemption to his people; he commanded his covenant forever;  
holy and awesome is his name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;  
those who act accordingly have a good understanding.

His praise endures forever. *Refrain*

New Testament Lesson | NT page 200 in the pew Bible

2 Timothy 2:8-15

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

\*Gospel Lesson | NT page 75 in the pew Bible

Luke 17:11-19

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

Sermon

Mobile Message

Response

\*Response Hymn

O Christ, the Healer, We Have Come

DISTRESS



1 O Christ, the heal - er, we have come to pray for health, to plead for friends.  
2 From ev - 'ry ail - ment flesh en - dures our bod - ies clam - or to be freed;  
3 In con - flicts that de - stroy our health we rec - og - nize the world's dis - ease;  
4 Grant that we all, made one in faith, in your com - mu - ni - ty may find



How can we fail to be re - stored when reached by love that nev - er ends?  
yet in our hearts we would con - fess that whole - ness is our deep - est need.  
our com - mon life de - clares our ills. Is there no cure, O Christ, for these?  
the whole - ness that, en - rich - ing us, shall reach the whole of hu - man - kind.

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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.**

## Mission of the Month

### Offertory Music

Almighty and Everlasting God

Orlando Gibbons  
(1583-1625)

Almighty and everlasting God,  
mercifully look upon our infirmities,  
and in all our dangers and necessities,  
stretch forth thy right hand to help and defend us,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Text: Book of Common Prayer, 1549*

### \*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.**

## Thanksgiving

### \*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.

## Sending Forth

### \*Benediction

### \*Closing Hymn 160

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart

MARION

### Organ Postlude

Toccata in G major

Théodore Dubois  
(1837-1924)

**Memorial Chapel Communion** | Immediately following today's worship service, a brief communion service will be held in Memorial Chapel. Following communion, the pastor will be available to offer prayers and anointing.

# TODAY IN WORSHIP

## **PRESIDING MINISTERS**

The Rev. Kathryn Lester-Bacon .....*Director of Religious Life*  
The Rev. Dr. Carol Gregg .....*Pastor to the Congregation at Duke Chapel*

## **PREACHER**

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

## **LECTORS**

Mr. Samuel Reynoldson .....*Trinity '23*  
Mr. Nathan Liang ..... *Chapel Scholar, Reformed University Fellowship, Trinity '21*

## **MUSICIANS**

Duke Chapel Choir .....*Choir*  
Dr. Zebulon Highben .....*Director of Chapel Music*  
Dr. Robert Parkins ..... *University Organist*  
Mr. Christopher Jacobson .....*Chapel Organist*

## **MISSION OF THE MONTH**

Mr. Adrian L'Esperance ..... *UMD Workforce Development Manager*

## **MEMORIAL CHAPEL COMMUNION**

The Rev. Amanda Highben ... *Minister in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America*

## **HEAD USHERS**

Dr. James Ferguson ..... *Member of the Congregation at Duke Chapel*  
Ms. Acelynn Barefoot ..... *Chapel Scholar, Member of the Congregation at Duke Chapel*

**TODAY'S FLOWERS** | Today's flowers are made possible by the generosity of the Erlenbach Family Trust.

**MISSION OF THE MONTH** | Today's mission of the month is Urban Ministries of Durham (UMD). UMD connects with the community to end homelessness and fight poverty by offering food, shelter, and a future to neighbors in need. UMD enriches the lives of some 6,000 men, women, and children experiencing homelessness, hunger, and poverty through our Community Shelter, Community Café, Food Pantry, and Clothing Closet. UMD is Durham's largest public shelter for single adults that accepts clients regardless of gender or gender identity, sexual orientation, faith or non-faith. At UMD, shelter residents collaborate with case managers on housing plans to quickly exit shelter. Thanks to generous donors and more than 4,000 volunteers, 248 individuals ended their homelessness at UMD last year.

**ACCESSIBILITY** | Large print hymnals and bulletins are available at the visitor relations desk. Hearing assistance units are available at the AV console in the rear of the Chapel.

**FAMILIES WITH CHILDREN** | Children age four and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel's lower level, beginning at 10:45 a.m. each week.

## ENGAGE

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

**SNACKLUCK TODAY** | All are invited to attend a "snackluck" in the Chapel Lounge immediately after worship today to enjoy refreshments and fellowship. The Chapel lounge is located in the lower level of the Chapel; ushers will be glad to provide directions.

**ORGAN RECITAL TODAY** | The Chapel's annual Organ Recital Series begins this afternoon at 5:15 p.m. with a concert by Christa Rakich, who is a visiting professor of organ at the Oberlin College Conservatory of Music. Her recital at the Chapel, played on the Flentrop organ, will include music by Bach, Distler, Heiller, and Hindemith. Admission is free.

**GRAD STUDENTS AND YOUNG ADULTS** | University graduate students, other young adults, and their partners are invited to gather for dinner and discussion on Mondays, October 14 and 28, at 6:30 p.m. in the Duke Chapel kitchen, located on the lower level of the Chapel. Conversation is focused on the book of Isaiah. All questions and perspectives are welcome. Please contact Matt Wright for additional information.

**PUBLIC CONVERSATION ON GUN VIOLENCE** | Chapel Dean Luke A. Powery will convene a public conversation "Every Life Sacred: The Urgency to End Gun Violence" on Tuesday, October 15, at 7:00 p.m. Panelists will include Durham Police Chief Cerelyn Davis, Duke Professor Kristin Goss, the Rev. Ben Haas from the Religious Coalition for a Nonviolent Durham, and Rob Belcher, founder of Chance2Change.

**FINDING OUR WAY IN THE BELOVED COMMUNITY** | Jonathan Wilson-Hartgrove will lead the Congregation's fall retreat on Saturday, October 19, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Participants will explore communal practices of discernment for the common good, considering such questions as "How do we learn to hear the voice of God in community?" Jonathan Wilson-Hartgrove is a spiritual writer, activist, founder of Rutba House, and a resident of Durham. A participant fee of \$10 will cover the cost of a catered lunch. For more details and to make a reservation please contact the Congregation Office at [congregation@duke.edu](mailto:congregation@duke.edu) or 919-684-3917. Registration deadline is tomorrow, October 14.

**GUEST PREACHER NEXT SUNDAY** | Our guest preacher next Sunday will be the Rev. Dr. Anna Carter Florence, the Peter Marshall Professor of Preaching at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia, and an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church (USA). Her books include *Preaching as Testimony*, *Inscribing the Word*, and *Rehearsing Scripture: Discovering God's Word in Community*.

**VENUE CHANGE: PSALMS IN DIALOGUE PERFORMANCE OCT. 20** | Longing and Belonging: Psalms in Dialogue is an event that engages artists, performers, and theologians in a creative dialogue on the power of the Psalms to comfort and



## ENGAGE (Continued)

inspire communities of faith. It will be held on Sunday, October 20, at 4:00 p.m. at the new location of Goodson Chapel in the Divinity School's Westbrook Building. Makoto Fujimura, a leading contemporary artist, opens the evening with a lecture titled "On Painting the Psalms." Performers include Ekklesia Contemporary Ballet, Andrew Nemr, Duke Chapel Evensong Singers, and Christopher Jacobson. Admission is free.

**CHAPEL SCHOLAR APPLICATIONS** | Chapel Scholars are undergraduate students who intentionally engage in Chapel-based programming to deepen their Christian faith and influence the world around them. To learn more and apply, go to [chapel.duke.edu/scholars](http://chapel.duke.edu/scholars) or contact the Rev. Joshua Lazard, the Chapel's C. Eric Lincoln Minister for Student Engagement, at [joshua.lazard@duke.edu](mailto:joshua.lazard@duke.edu).

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES** | Classes for all ages will meet throughout the summer at 9:45 a.m. in the lowest level of the Westbrook building, Duke Divinity School. Refreshments and fellowship begin at 9:30 a.m. Classes are:

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

**Godly Play:** For children ages 4 through 1st graders in 0054 Langford

**Godly Play Advanced:** For children in 2nd - 5th grade in 0050 Langford

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

**Adult Bible Study:** A study of Isaiah in 0015 Westbook

**New Member Class:** For those considering membership in 0014 WB

**Adult Forum:** On October 20, Anna Carter Florence, Ph.D., Peter Marshall Professor of Preaching at Columbia Theological Seminary, and guest preacher in Duke Chapel, will discuss "Reading the Verbs" in 0012 Westbrook.

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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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