The Bible speaks of the whole range of human experience before God, including lament and sorrow. In the anguish of his heart, Job feels the absence of the presence of God, the pain of which is intensified by his knowledge that the Lord is good. When we, like Job, encounter the desolations of the human life, we can trust in the reality of God's goodness. If we turn to Jesus in faith, he will be our advocate, as he knows the full reality of human weaknesses, sorrow, and suffering. For those who follow Jesus, even at great cost, there will be mercy and grace for help in time of need.
Gathering
Carillon
Opening Voluntary

Vif, from Organ Symphony 2
André Fleury
(1903–1995)

Choral Introit

Cry Out and Shout
Knut Nystedt
(1915–2014)

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.
—adapted from Isaiah 12

Greeting and Call to Worship
*Processional Hymn 598

O Word of God Incarnate
MUNICH

*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:

Heavenly Father, whose Son is our light and our salvation: send your Holy Spirit to illuminate your holy word; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Old Testament Lesson | OT pages 446-7 in the pew Bibles

Job 23:1–9, 16–17

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

* All who are able may stand
Anthem

Grant Us Thy Peace

Felix Mendelssohn
(1809–1847)

Grant us thy peace, Almighty Lord, thou source of every blessing!
Feeble and frail, trust we thy word, all things in thee possessing.
In thee is our hope and safety.

—Martin Luther, 1483–1546

New Testament Lesson | NT pages 206–7 in the pew Bibles

Hebrews 4:12–16

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

*Gradual Hymn 103 (Stanzas 1–2) | Face the Gospel Procession

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Gospel Lesson | NT pages 43–4 in the pew Bibles

Mark 10:17–31

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

*Gradual Hymn 103 (Stanzas 3–4) | Face the Gospel Procession

Sermon

Hiobsbotschaft

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.
Let nothing ever grieve thee, distress thee, nor fret thee; 
heed God's good will, my soul, be still, compose thee. 
Why brood all day in sorrow? 
Tomorrow will bring thee God's help benign and grace sublime in mercy. 
Be true in all endeavor, and ever do bravely; 
what God decrees brings joy and peace, He'll stay thee. Amen. 

—Paul Fleming (1609–1640), tr. Walter Buszin

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.

The Lord bless thee, and keep thee, The Lord make his face to shine upon thee and be gracious unto thee, The Lord lift up his countenance upon thee, and give thee peace. Amen.

—Numbers 6:24–26
*Closing Processional Hymn 178

Hope of the World

Closing Voluntary

Prélude, Op. 29/1

Gabriel Pierné (1863–1937)

TODAY IN WORSHIP

TODAY’S FLOWERS | Flowers for today’s worship service are given to the glory of God by the Erlenbach Family Trust.

TODAY’S OFFERING | All of today’s cash offerings and checks written to Duke University Chapel will be given to the Chapel’s Development Fund for Mission and Ministry.

HURRICANE OFFERING | Thank you to all who contributed to Hurricane Florence relief efforts through our offering last Sunday. Together we gave $4,155.43 to be used to help our sisters and brothers in need.

LEARNING THE LITURGY: OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT LESSONS | A representative of the gathered community stands to read selections from God’s story told in the Old and New Testaments. Worshipers are welcome to use the pew Bibles in order to read as well as hear the texts for the day. Through the choral anthem, the choir often lifts up themes within the readings to help the gathered people experience and understand God’s word. The story of God is revealed in the Bible through a variety of genres such as letters, history, and poems. The Bible, written over thousands of years, helps us meet the one, true God, revealed fully in Jesus, the living Word of God who is present with us now.
TODAY IN WORSHIP  (Continued)

PRESIDING MINISTERS
The Rev. Bruce Puckett .......................... Assistant Dean of Duke University Chapel
The Rev. Breana van Velzen ........................ Community Minister, Duke Chapel

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

LECTORS
Ms. Liddy Grantland .............................. Advisory Board Member, Chapel Scholar, Trinity ’20
Rev. Dr. Keith Daniel ............................... Advisory Board Member, DMin ’16

MUSICIANS
Duke Chapel Choir ................................. Choir
Dr. Philip Cave ................................. Associate Conductor for Chapel Music
Mr. Christopher Jacobson ........................ Chapel Organist
Mr. J. Samuel Hammond ........................ University Carillonneur

MEMORIAL CHAPEL COMMUNION
The Rev. Joshua Stanley .......................... Education Minister, Congregation at Duke Chapel

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

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.

LUNCH TODAY  | Please plan to stay after worship today 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.
BACK PEW COLLECTION | Today and next Sunday, 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.

ORGAN RECITAL | The first concert in the Chapel's Organ Recital Series is this evening 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.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD KICK-OFF | The Duke Chapel community will join with students and others from Duke to kick-off the building of the home we are sponsoring for the Hernandez Family. The kick-off celebration begins at 8:30 a.m. at 117 E. Enterprise Street, Durham. For more information or if you have questions, contact bruce.puckett@duke.edu.

EVENSONG SINGERS CONCERT | The Duke Evensong Singers present their fall concert The Psalm Project on Sunday, October 21, at 4:00 p.m. In this concert featuring Leonard Bernstein's Chichester Psalms, the choir will sing Psalms expressing universal themes of joy, compassion, anger, and hope that are still relevant today. Learn more at chapel.duke.edu/music.

NEW LECTIONARY COMMENTARY | Chapel Dean Luke A. Powery is a general editor of a new lectionary commentary for preaching and worship, which aims to help preachers connect congregations to Scripture. The first book in the nine-volume series—Connections: A Lectionary Commentary for Preaching and Worship—has just been released. Following the Revised Common Lectionary, this first book addresses the Scripture readings for the upcoming liturgical seasons of Advent through Epiphany. The approach of the series is to first view a Scripture passage in relationship with the rest of the Bible; and then see the reading through the lenses of culture, film, fiction, ethics, science, and other aspects of contemporary life. In addition to Dean Powery, other general editors of the series are the Rev. Drs. Joel B. Green, Thomas G. Long, Cynthia L. Rigby, and Carolyn J. Sharp. Learn more at wjkbooks.com/Connections.

NEW DEAN'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM | Seniors who are already Chapel Scholars are invited to apply for the Chapel’s new Dean’s Scholars program. Students chosen to be Dean’s Scholars will have an opportunity to deepen their engagement with the Chapel by meeting with the Chapel Dean for discussions on readings chosen by the Dean. They will also be invited for a Dean’s Scholars dinner at the end of the academic year. Learn more and apply at chapel.duke.edu/DeansScholars.
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 21, Tony Willms, a member of the Congregation, will lead the forum in 0012 Westbrook.

CIRCLE OF SUPPORT | Volunteers are needed to surround a previously homeless family with support, encouragement, and compassion. The year-long commitment to a relationship proves to be beneficial for both the family and the volunteer. For more information, contact Carol Gregg at carol.gregg@duke.edu.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP | Youth in grades 6-12 are invited to stay after worship next Sunday, October 21, for lunch, fun, and an introduction to sign language. Youth will meet in the Chapel kitchen after worship and the gathering will conclude at 2:00 p.m. For more information, contact josh.stanley@duke.edu.

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.

For a complete listing of events, please visit chapel.duke.edu/events or sign up to receive weekly emails at chapel.duke.edu/email