Today is All Saints’ Sunday, when we give thanks for the worldwide communion of our brothers and sisters in Christ, in past, present, and future ages. In Matthew’s Gospel, Jesus teaches the Beatitudes. As part of his Sermon on the Mount, Jesus pronounces blessing on those who seek the Kingdom of God and those who are persecuted for the sake of his name.
The congregation is invited to reflect silently during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

**GATHERING**

**CARILLON**

**OPENING VOLUNTARY**

Placare Christe Servulis

Marcel Dupré (1886–1971)

**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

* **PROCESSIONAL HYMN 711 (found in the hymnals located in the pew racks)**
  For All the Saints sine nomine

* **PRAYER 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)**

God of glory, as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, send your Spirit now to illuminate your holy word and inspire us to follow their example; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—Revelation 7:9–17 (NT page 235)**

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

* **GRADUAL HYMN 702 (Stanzas 1–2)**
  Sing with All the Saints in Glory (All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

HYMN TO JOY
*Gospel Lesson—Matthew 5:1–12 (NT page 4)
Lector: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 702 (Stanzas 3–4)
Sing with All the Saints in Glory

Sermon—Blessed

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: “Hear our prayer.”)

Offertory Anthem
Give us the Wings of Faith

Give us the wings of faith to rise
Within the veil, and see
The saints above, how great their joys,
How bright their glories be.

We ask them, whence their victory came;
They with one united breath,
Ascribe the conquest to the Lamb,
Their triumph to his death.

They marked the footsteps that he trod,
His zeal inspired their breast;
And following their incarnate God,
They reached the promised rest.

—Isaac Watts

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
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 AND HOLY COMMUNION

*ALL SAINTS CELEBRATION OF COMMUNION
The celebrant and congregation will sing the responses to SINE NOMINE, the tune for “For All the Saints” located on page 711 in the hymnal.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts and raise them to the Lord, and render thanks to God, the Lord of all. With saints and angel hosts we join in song:

All: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Celebrant: You gave yourself, O God, to dwell on earth as Word made flesh and prophecy fulfilled; the saints gave their lives as witness to your grace.

All: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Celebrant: Lord Jesus Christ, the night he was betrayed, with bread and cup, to his disciples said, “This is my blood and body given for you.”

All: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Celebrant: Accept our sacrifice of thanks and praise, as we recall Christ’s passion and his death, who rose victorious and will come again.

All: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Celebrant: May bread and wine become Christ’s flesh and blood; may we unite with him and all the world, and bring us to feast with all the saints in heaven.

All: Alleluia! Alleluia!

*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 626 (sung by all)
Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence

PICARDY
**COMMUNION ANTHEM**

*Justorum animae*  
Charles Villiers Stanford  
(1852–1924)

*Justorum animae in manu Dei sunt,*  
et non tanget illos tormentum mortis.  
*Visi sunt oculis insipientium mori,*  
illi autem sunt in pace.

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and the torment of death shall not touch them. In the sight of the unwise they seem to die, but they are in peace.

—*Wisdom of Solomon 3:1–3*

**SENDING FORTH**

*Post-Communion Prayer*

*Benediction*

*Closing Processional Hymn 709*

Come, Let Us Join Our Friends Above  
*FOREST GREEN*

*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.

**Closing Voluntary**

Prelude and Fugue in G Minor  
Johannes Brahms  
(1833–1897)

**Carillon**

*All who are able may stand.*
TODAY’S FLOWERS—Flowers for today’s worship service are given to the glory of God by the Congregation at Duke Chapel in remembrance of those members who have died in the past year: Rosemary Berger, Keith Brodie, Mary Gates, Louise Goshorn, Mary Jones, Phillip Radabaugh, Charles Whaling, David Work.

TODAY’S OFFERING—All of today’s cash offerings and checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used to support the Chapel’s PathWays program.

ALL SAINTS’ REQUIEM TODAY—An All Saints’ Sunday Requiem Eucharist, led musically by the Chapel’s Evensong Singers, and the Anglican Episcopal House of Studies, will feature composer Maurice Duruflé’s Requiem with organ accompaniment this afternoon, at 4:00 p.m.

FAITH, POWER, AND PRIVILEGE—The Chapel is co-sponsoring a Jewish Life at Duke plenary session titled, “Faith, Power, and Privilege: Holding Intersectionality, Equity, and Justice in 2018,” which will be held at the Freeman Center for Jewish Life on Monday, November 6th, at 7:00 p.m. It features Yavilah McCoy, an African American Jewish woman who works as an educator, activist, and spiritual teacher, and is a nationally recognized speaker in the fields of diversity, social equity, and racial justice. All are invited, with seats first-come-first-served the night of the event, which is followed by a dessert reception. For more information contact jewishlife@duke.edu.
The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

Christian Education Classes—Classes for all ages are offered every Sunday at 9:45 a.m. in the lowest level of the Westbrook building. Refreshments and fellowship begin at 9:30 a.m. 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 Sunday School: For youth in 6–12th grade in 0013 WB.

Bible Study on Judges: For adults in 0015 Westbrook.

Adult Forum: On November 12, Rev. Debra Brazzel, Associate Dean of Duke Chapel in the 1990’s, will address “Activating your Resilience: Deepening your Spirituality” in 0012 Westbrook.

Back Pew Collection—Donations for Families Moving Forward, the shelter for homeless families, may be left on the back pew today or next Sunday, November 12. Families Moving Forward currently need laundry supplies, bath towels, paper towels, toilet paper, and cleaning supplies.

Second Wednesday Lunch—All are welcome to attend lunch at Harvest 18, 8128 Renaissance Pkwy. on Wednesday, November 8, at noon. Participants will purchase their own lunches as they enjoy informal fellowship together. Contact the Congregation Office at congregation@duke.edu or 919-684-3917 by November 6 if you plan to attend.

Second Sunday Fellowship Lunch—All are invited to gather for lunch in the Brodhead Center next Sunday, November 12, following worship. Participants will purchase lunch at one of the many food vendors and then gather at designated tables in the rear Great Hall for fellowship. The Brodhead Center is a short walk from the Chapel and volunteers will be directing the way.

January Trip to Haiti—For many years, Duke Chapel and the Congregation have supported Family Health Ministries in Haiti. Chip Chesson, a member of the Congregation and of the board of Family Health Ministries will be leading an educational trip to Haiti January 22–25, 2018. This four-day trip promises to be an eye and heart opening experience as participants learn of the valuable work of Family Health Ministries. If you would like to participate in this trip or desire more information, please contact the Congregation office at congregation@duke.edu or 684-3917.

Give A Meal—“Loaves and Fishes” is a ministry of the Congregation in which members provide an evening meal for a family struggling with illness or grief or adjusting to a new baby in the household. Additional volunteers are needed for this expression of Christian concern. Please contact the Congregation office for more information or to volunteer.
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. Lauren Winner, associate professor of Christian Spirituality at Duke Divinity School.

Offering—Next week’s offering will go to the Chapel’s Mission of the Month.