



Duke
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BRIDGING FAITH & LEARNING

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

All Saints' Sunday

Sunday, November 7, 2021, 11:00 a.m.



The New Jerusalem

Malnazar and Aghap'ir, fl. 1630. Photo by Michel Bakni.

This morning we celebrate All Saints' Sunday as we remember our fellowship with brothers and sisters in Christ across the world and throughout the ages. In this morning's lesson from Isaiah, the prophet proclaims the coming and long-awaited day of salvation when the Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces and offer a feast of celebration for all peoples and all nations. The vision in the Book of Revelation anticipates the day where in the new heaven and the new earth God's home is among the people, and the ways of death and pain are no more. John's Gospel tells the story of Jesus raising Lazarus from the dead, a foretaste of the end of death's dominion in the new heaven and new earth.

Gathering

Opening Voluntary

Placare Christe Servulis, Op. 38, No. 16
(O Christ, forgive your servants)

Marcel Dupré
(1886–1971)

Greeting and Call to Worship

*Opening Hymn 723 | Sing stanzas 1 and 3 in unison, stanzas 2 and 4 in harmony.

Shall We Gather at the River

HANSON PLACE

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

Eternal God, in every age you have raised up men and women to live and die in faith. We confess that we are indifferent to your will. You call us to proclaim your name, but we are silent. You call us to do what is just, but we remain idle. You call us to live faithfully, but we are afraid. In your mercy, forgive us. Give us courage to follow in your way, that joined with those from ages past, who have served you with faith, hope, and love, we may inherit the kingdom you promised in Jesus Christ. Amen.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

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

Minister: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Proclamation

Prayer for Illumination | In unison:

Holy God, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example through the hearing of your Word; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson

Isaiah 25:6–9

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

* All rise as able

Anthem

At the Round Earth's Imagined Corners

Williametta Spencer

At the round earth's imagin'd corners, blow
Your trumpets, angels, and arise, arise
From death, you numberless infinities
Of souls, and to your scatter'd bodies go;
All whom the flood did, and fire shall o'erthrow,
All whom war, dearth, age, agues, tyrannies,
Despair, law, chance hath slain, and you whose eyes
Shall behold God and never taste death's woe.
But let them sleep, Lord, and me mourn a space,
For if above all these my sins abound,
'Tis late to ask abundance of thy grace
When we are there; here on this lowly ground
Teach me how to repent; for that's as good
As if thou hadst seal'd my pardon with thy blood.

Text: John Donne (1572–1631)

New Testament Lesson

Revelation 21:1–6a

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

*Gradual Hymn 711 | stanzas 1-3

For All the Saints

SINE NOMINE

*Gospel Lesson

John 11:32–44

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

*Gradual Hymn 711 | stanzas 4-6

For All the Saints

SINE NOMINE

Sermon

A Pillow for Love

* All rise as able

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 Music

Adagio, String Quartet No. 2 in F Major, Op. 92

Sergei Prokofiev
(1891–1953)

*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 and Holy Communion

*The Great Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Minister: Lift up your hearts.
People: **We lift them to the Lord.**
Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**
Minister: ...And so we praise you with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending praise:

*Sanctus

Sanctus (Requiem, Op. 48)

Gabriel Fauré
(1845–1924)

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth,
Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis.

*Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.*

***The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen.

Sharing of the Bread | All who love Christ, earnestly repent of their sins, and seek to be at peace with God and neighbor are invited to receive Communion. No wine or grape juice will be served for communion. Please wait until you return to your seat to consume the bread. All bread is gluten-free. If you will not receive Communion, you are welcome to come forward to receive a blessing, indicated by crossing your arms over your chest.

Communion Anthem

In paradisum (Requiem, Op. 48)

Gabriel Fauré

In Paradisum deducant te Angeli
in tuo adventu suscipiant te Martyre
et perducant te in civitatem sanctam Jerusalem.
Chorus Angelorum te suscipiat
et cum Lazaro quondam paupere
aeternam habeas requiem.

*May the angels receive you in Paradise,
at your coming may the martyrs receive you
and bring you into the holy city Jerusalem.
The chorus of angels receive you,
and with Lazarus, who once was poor,
may you have eternal rest.*

***Post-Communion Prayer** | This morning we give thanks for the Duke University Department of Political Science. We celebrate its dedication to training students to be citizens of local and global communities through their passion for service and justice.

Sending Forth

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn 708

Rejoice in God's Saints

HANOVER

Closing Voluntary

Fantasy in G Minor, BWV 542/1

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685–1750)

TODAY IN WORSHIP

PRESIDING MINISTERS

Kathryn Lester-Bacon*Director of Religious Life, Duke University Chapel*

Carol Gregg.....*Pastor, Congregation at Duke Chapel*

PREACHER

Luke A. Powery*Dean, Duke University Chapel*

LECTORS

Caroline Gamard*Episcopal Center, Chapel Scholar, Trinity '22*

Andrew Raines*Episcopal Center, Chapel Scholar, Trinity '21*

MUSICIANS

Duke Chapel Choir.....*Choir*

Zebulon Highben.....*Director of Chapel Music, Duke University Chapel*

Robert Parkins*University Organist, Duke University*

Christopher Jacobson.....*Chapel Organist, Duke University Chapel*

Eric Pritchard..... *Violinist, Ciompi Quartet*

Hsiao-mei Ku..... *Violinist, Ciompi Quartet*

Jonathan Bagg.....*Violist, Ciompi Quartet*

Caroline Stinson*Cellist, Ciompi Quartet*

Winifred Garrett *Guest Harpist*

HEAD USHER

James Ferguson *Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel*

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: Eleanore Bequaert, Gordon Clayton, Cary Gravatt, Willie Mae Jones, David Kowalke, Helene Mau, Farrel Potts, Sandy Powers, Ginnie Ruckert, Aubin (Teeny) Sander, and Donald Silver.

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

TODAY IN WORSHIP (CONTINUED)

TODAY'S OFFERING | All of today's checks written to Duke University Chapel will be used to support the Development Fund for Mission and Ministry. You are invited to give online at chapel.duke.edu/offering. Please send checks to: Duke University Chapel, Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708-0974.

MUSIC ACKNOWLEDGMENTS | *Shall We Gather at the River* (HANSON PLACE) arranged by John Ferguson, © 1997 Augsburg Fortress.

ENGAGE

TOUR AFTER THE SERVICE | Learn about the history, architecture, and life of Duke Chapel on a tour immediately following the service. The tour is free and lasts about forty-five minutes. Meet the docent outside in front of the Chapel.

ORGAN RECITAL TODAY | The Chapel welcomes organist Andrew Scanlon to present a recital today, November 7, at 5:00 p.m. Dr. Scanlon was recently appointed associate organist and choirmaster at the Church of the Advent in Boston, Massachusetts. From 2009 to 2021, he was the organ professor at East Carolina University as well as organist and choirmaster of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Greenville, North Carolina. Dr. Scanlon will play music by Johann Sebastian Bach, Nicolaus Bruhns, Pierre Cochereau, and Joseph Jongen on the Flentrop and Aeolian organs. Admission is free.

JUSTICE AND THE SPIRITUAL CRISIS OF GUN VIOLENCE | Next Saturday, November 13, from 9:00 a.m. to 12-noon the Congregation at Duke Chapel, Community Ministry at Duke Chapel, and the Religious Coalition for a Nonviolent Durham will sponsor a virtual retreat on "Justice and the Spiritual Crisis of Gun Violence." This retreat will explore the complexity of gun violence in Durham by listening to multiple voices engaged in its tragic everyday reality. To register, please contact congregation@duke.edu.

SERVICE TALK BACK FOR STUDENTS | University students are invited to come for worship and stay for lunch and a conversation about the sermon and the service on Sunday, November 14. If you plan to attend, please RSVP by Wednesday, November 10, to bruce.puckett@duke.edu.

STAFF MEMORIAL SERVICE NOV. 17 | Duke Chapel and Duke University Hospital will co-host a service of remembrance for recent and former faculty and staff members who have died in the past year. This half-hour service on Wednesday, November 17, at 3:00 p.m. will be held in the Chapel's main sanctuary (nave) and will include music, candle lighting, and reading the names of those who have died. Please join us to remember and give thanks for those who have given their work in service of the university community.

ENGAGE

BACH CANTATA CONCERT NOV. 21 | As Thanksgiving approaches, our next Bach Cantata concert on Sunday, November 21, at 5:00 p.m. gives thanks for music and the gifts of young musicians featured in this program. The soloists are from the ChorWorks Young Artists program, designed to train and provide solo opportunities in sacred music for collegiate and post-collegiate singers. The program includes pieces from J.S. Bach, *Nun danket alle Gott* (BWV 192) and *Sei Lob und Ehr* (BWV 117). Admission is free.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES | The Congregation provides weekly Sunday morning Christian education from 9:45–10:45 a.m. for all ages. Classes, which are held virtually, are open to the public and new participants are welcome at any time. Please contact congregation@duke.edu for the Zoom link.

Wee Praise: Music and movement for children ages 0–3 with parents or caregivers (available virtually).

Godly Play: Spiritual formation for children ages 4 through 5th grade) (available virtually).

Youth Bible Study: Youth grades 6–12 study the Book of Genesis in Westbrook 0013

Adult Forum: On November 14, the guest speaker will be Dr. Sujin Pak, Dean of Boston University School of Theology.

LET'S BE IN TOUCH

We would like to get to know you. What are your questions? What is your story? Take a moment to fill out a very brief form and a Chapel minister or other staff member will contact you soon. Scan the QR code or visit chapel.duke.edu/connect.



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