Easter Sunday is the principal feast of the liturgical year—the day Christians celebrate Jesus’ resurrection from the dead on the third day after his crucifixion. The resurrection of Christ has been a focal point of Christian confession since the early church; it has always been understood to be the central witness of God’s radical action in human history. Jesus, God incarnate, went to the depths of the earth and overcame the power of death that we might have life eternal.
The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation. The Chapel welcomes families with children. If at any time during the service your child needs a place for active play, please know there is a nursery in the Chapel basement.

**GATHERING**

**CARILLON MUSIC**
- Fantasia on *O filii et filiae* John J. H. Hammond (b. 1984)
- A Carillon Book for the Liturgical Year VI Roy Hamlin Johnson (b. 1929)
  - *Saint Albinus*
  - *Victimae Paschali*

**ORGAN PRELUDE**
- Fantasy in G, BWV 572 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)

**CHORAL INTROIT**
- Christus ist auferstanden Max Bruch (1838–1920)

*Christus ist auferstanden von seiner Marter alle, des sollen wir alle froh sein, Christus will unser Tröster sein! Alleluja!*

Jesus our Lord has risen from pain and death and torture, we know now whatever befall us, Christ our Lord will console us! Alleluia!

**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- Leader: Christ is risen!
- People: He is risen indeed!

*OPENING PROCESSION: HYMN 302*

**Christ the Lord Is Risen Today**

Easter Hymn

*Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!*
*Earth and heaven in chorus say, Alleluia!*
*Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!*
*Sing, ye heavens, and earth reply, Alleluia!*

*Love’s redeeming work is done, Alleluia!*
*Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!*
*Death in vain forbids him rise, Alleluia!*
*Christ has opened paradise, Alleluia!*

*Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!*
*Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!*
*Once he died our souls to save, Alleluia!*
*Where’s thy victory, boasting grave? Alleluia!*
Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

*ProcesSionaL hyMn 308
Thine Be the Glory

Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son;
Endless is the victory thou o’er death hast won.
Angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
Kept the folded grave clothes where thy body lay.
Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son;
Endless is the victory thou o’er death hast won.

Lo! Jesus meets thee, risen from the tomb;
Lovingly he greets thee, scatters fear and gloom.
Let the church with gladness hymns of triumph sing,
For our Lord now liveth; death hath lost its sting.
Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son;
Endless is the victory thou o’er death hast won.

No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of life!
Life is naught without thee; aid us in our strife.
Make us more than conquerors, through thy deathless love;
Bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above.
Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son;
Endless is the victory thou o’er death hast won.

PrOclamaTiona

Prayer for Illumination (in unison)

God of life, through Jesus Christ you have bestowed upon the world the light of life. As we hear your word today, sanctify this new fire and grant that our hearts and minds may also be kindled with holy desire to shine with the brightness of the risen Christ. Amen.


Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Gradaual hyMn 315 (All turn and face the Gospel Procession.)

Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain

Come, ye faithful, raise the strain of triumphant gladness;
God hath brought forth Israel into joy from sadness;
Loosed from Pharaoh’s bitter yoke Jacob’s sons and daughters,
Led them with unmoistened foot through the Red Sea waters.
'Tis the spring of souls today; Christ hath burst his prison,  
And from three days' sleep in death as a sun hath risen;  
All the winter of our sins, long and dark, is flying  
From his light, to whom we give laud and praise undying.

Now the queen of seasons, bright with the day of splendor,  
With the royal feast of feasts, comes its joy to render;  
Comes to glad Jerusalem, who with true affection  
 Welcomes in unwearied strains Jesus’ resurrection.

*GOSPEL LESSON—Mark 16:1–8 (NT page 51)  
Lector: This is the word of the Lord.  
People: Thanks be to God.

*GRADUAL HYMN 315  
Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain  
ST. KEVIN

Neither might the gates of death, nor the tomb’s dark portal,  
Nor the watchers, nor the seal hold thee as a mortal;  
But today amidst the twelve thou didst stand, bestowing  
That thy peace which evermore passeth human knowing.

“Alleluia!” now we cry to our King immortal,  
Who, triumphant, burst the bars of the tomb’s dark portal;  
“Alleluia!” with the Son, God the Father praising,  
“Alleluia!” yet again to the Spirit raising.

SERMON—Going Ahead

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  
Das Lamm, das erwürget ist (from Cantata 21)  
J. S. Bach


The Lamb that was sacrificed is worthy to receive all power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise. Praise and honor and glory and power be unto him forever and forevermore. Amen. Alleluja!
*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 COMMUNION

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING
(Musical setting A, found on page 17 in the hymnal.)

*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 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.

If you would like to receive individual anointing with oil and prayers for healing, ministers will be in the Memorial Chapel during communion.

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION

HYMN 303 (sung by all)  
The Day of Resurrection  
LANCASTHIRE

COMMUNION ANTHEM
Ave verum corpus  
William Byrd  
(1543–1623)

Ave verum corpus, natum de Maria virgine, vere passum, immolatum in cruce pro homine, cujus latus perforatum unda fluxit et sanguine: esto nobis praeagustatum in mortis examine.

Hail true body, born of the Virgin Mary, who truly suffered, was sacrificed on the cross for mortals, from whose pierced side flowed water and blood: Be for us a foretaste of heaven during our final examining.
Hymn 311 (choir only)
Now the Green Blade Riseth

*Prayer after Communion

Sending Forth

*Benediction

*Closing Procession

All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name

All hail the pow’r of Jesus’ name! Let angels prostrate fall;
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him, crown him,
crown him, crown him Lord of all.

Ye chosen seed of Israel’s race, ye ransomed from the fall,
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him,
crown him, crown him, crown him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne’er forget the wormwood and the gall,
Go spread your trophies at his feet, and crown him,
crown him, crown him, crown him Lord of all.

Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball,
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him, crown him,
crown him, crown him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall.
We’ll join the everlasting song, and crown him, crown him,
crown him, crown him Lord of all.

*Choral Blessing

God Be in My Head

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.

Postlude

Toccata (from Symphony No. 5)

Charles-Marie Widor
(1844–1937)

Carillon Music

Te Deum laudamus

R. H. Johnson

Rilke Fantasie

John Courter
(b. 1941)

*All who are able may stand.
Easter Lilies—The lilies adorning the chancel this Easter morning are provided by the Hanks Family Chapel Fund, established through the generosity of the late Miss Nancy Hanks, former Duke University Trustee, and her mother, the late Mrs. Virginia Hanks.

Christian Prayer Bridge Panel—On Tuesday, April 7, at 12:30 p.m. in the Chapel, there will be a Bridge Panel conversation about the prayer traditions of Christian religious life groups on campus, and how Christians are - and are not - living into Jesus’ call for Christian unity. The panelists include: Fr. Michael Martin, director of the Duke Catholic Center; the Rev. Meghan Benson, director of worship at Duke Chapel; Mr. Steve Hinkle, campus minister with InterVarsity Graduate and Faculty Ministries; and the Rev. Dr. Lauren Winner, assistant professor of Christian spirituality at Duke Divinity School.

Sermons Available—Copies of today’s sermon are available in the communication stands at either side of the narthex, just inside the front doors of the Chapel. A downloadable PDF, podcast, and webcast of sermons each week are available on our website, www.chapel.duke.edu.

Duke Chapel PathWays

All of today’s cash offerings and undesignated checks will support the Chapel’s PathWays program, which offers undergraduates and recent graduates opportunities to discern God’s call for their lives on campus, in Durham, and beyond, through study, mentoring, service, and community. With gifts from donors, the Chapel supports 100% of PathWays programming expenses, which helps participants connect their diverse talents and passions with the world’s deepest needs. If you are an undergraduate student who is interested in being involved with PathWays, please email adam.hollowell@duke.edu or visit www.chapel.duke.edu/pathways.
The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

**Christian Education Classes**—Christian education classes for all ages are offered prior to worship from 9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. in the lowest level of the Westbrook building in the Divinity School. Coffee and refreshments are available at 9:30 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time.

**Pictorial Directory**—The Congregation is planning to produce a pictorial directory this summer. Professional photographers will be taking pictures for the directory Tuesday, May 26 through Friday, May 29. All those who would like to be photographed, whether they are Congregation members or not, are welcome to sign up for a professional portrait. Please contact the Congregation office for detailed information by calling 919-684-3917 or emailing congregation@duke.edu.

**Saturday Service Projects**—The Congregation facilitates service projects for Durham agencies on Saturday mornings once a month. If you would like to be notified of the next project, please contact the office at 919-684-3917.

**Urban Ministries Dinners**—Twenty lasagnas and 10 volunteers are needed each month to serve dinner at the Urban Ministries shelter in Durham. If you would like to assist with this ministry, please contact Cricket Scovil at scovilj@aol.com or 919-286-0556.

**eNews**—The Congregation at Duke Chapel publishes a weekly email announcing fellowship events, service opportunities and Christian education classes. If you would like to receive this weekly newsletter, please email congregation@duke.edu.
We invite you to consider joining the Congregation at Duke Chapel. The Congregation is an interdenominational church with a variety of vibrant ministries, including discipleship and spiritual formation (for children, youth, and adults), mission and outreach, and pastoral care. If you would like to receive the weekly eNews from the Congregation or have any questions, please email congregation@duke.edu or call 919-684-3917.

We welcome you to our life of worship, learning, dialogue, and service.

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