

Service of Worship

Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost August 20, 2006 Eleven o'clock in the Morning

≈ Keeping the heart of the University listening to the heart of God ≪



"Dream of Solomon" by Luca Giordano, 1693

The focus of this week's scripture readings is on the gift of wisdom. Wisdom, in the Old Testament, often outlines concrete and practical ways for people to live out deliberately their commitment to God. Incorporating wisdom into even the small dimensions of daily living provides a way of inviting God into the contours of each day. Biblically, wisdom is considered an attribute of God, and, particularly in the book of Proverbs, tends to take on feminine attributes. Wisdom is also often understood in the Christian tradition as representing the third person of the Holy Trinity—the divine breath that participated in creation still participates in the recreation and renewal of those who seek her.

Duke University Chapel



Duke Chapel is a grand building, suitable for hosting major events in the life of the University and its members; it acts as a moderator for the diversity of religious identity and expression on campus; and it is a Christian church of an unusually interdenominational character, with a tradition of stirring music, preaching, and liturgy. We welcome you to our life of worship, learning, dialogue and service.

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FOR WORSHIPERS & VISITORS

- † Prayer requests may be placed in the prayer box located by the Memorial Chapel.
- † For a tour of Duke Chapel, meet today's Docent near the front steps of the Chapel following the service.
- † Hearing assist units and a Braille hymnal are available at the attendant's desk at the entry way of the Chapel. See the Chapel attendant if you would like to use one of our large print Bibles or hymnals for the worship service this morning.

For Families & Children

- † Children aged 4 and younger are welcome to visit the nursery (capacity limited), located in the Chapel basement, beginning at 10:50 a.m. each week. Pagers are available for parents to keep with them during worship. Parents needing a place to feed, quiet or change infants are also welcome.
- † Activity Bags are available at the rear of the Chapel for children five or younger. Please return the bags at the end of the service. Children's bulletins are available from the ushers.

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, as well as pastoral care. If you are looking to make Duke Chapel your home church, contact the Rev. Josh Hubert at 684-3917. www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu

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The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark
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At the close of today's service, the Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the Memorial Chapel, located to the left of the chancel.

The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING

Carillon Music

Prelude

Partita on "O Gott, du frommer Gott," BWV 767

J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Introit

Sing and Bless the Lord

Kurt Kaiser (b. 1934)

Sing, my soul, and bless the Lord, for He alone is worthy praising. Sing a song of jubilee and let the song be unabating.

Sing we now to honor Him, laud His triumph over sin.

Let us sing redemption's song,

Let it last the whole day long

For He has brought restoration.

Sing, my soul, in joyous song, for He alone is worthy praising.

Now and through eternity we'll praise His wonderful works.

Hallelujahs we will sing,

And the mountains echoing His praises

In heaven and on the earth.

Greeting

*Processional Hymn 60

I'll Praise My Maker While I've Breath

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*Prayer of Confession and Words of Assurance (in unison)

Words of confession are offered by the minister in three biddings, to which the congregation responds as follows:

Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

The minister then speaks words of assurance.

*PEACE

(All stand and exchange signs and words of God's peace.)

PROCLAMATION

Prayer for Illumination (in unison)

Almighty God, in the reading of your word this morning, we pray that we encounter your Son, whom you gave to us as a sacrifice for sin, and also as an example of the godly life. Give us the grace to accept the fruit of his redeeming work, and the perseverance to follow daily his holy path. Amen.

First Lesson—1 Kings 2:10-12; 3:3-14 (page 290 in the pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM

He's Got the Whole World In His Hand

arr. Margaret Bonds (1913-1972)

He's got the whole world in His hand.

He's got the woods and the waters in His hand.

He's got the birds and the bees right in His hand.

He's got you and me right in His hand.

He's got the whole world in His hand!

SECOND LESSON—Ephesians 5:15-20 (page 183)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 632 (stanzas 1 and 2)

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether union seminary (All turn and face the Gospel Procession.)

*Gospel Lesson—John 6:51-58 (page 93)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 632 (stanza 3)

Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether

UNION SEMINARY

SERMON—Wisdom From On High

RESPONSE

*The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

Greeting and 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

Höchster, mache deine Güte, from Jauchzet Gott in allen Landen, BWV 51

Johann Sebastian Bach

(1685-1750)

Höchster, mache deine Güte Ferner alle Morgen neu. So soll vor die Vatertreu Auch ein dankbares Gemüte Durch ein frommes Leben weisen, Dass wir deine Kinder heissen.

Highest God, make your gracious goodness Always new every morning. In view of your Fatherly love, Also should the grateful soul Through a righteous life show plainly That we are truly your children.

*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.

THANKSGIVING

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*The Lord's Prayer (number 895 in the hymnal, in unison)

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*Recessional Hymn 430 O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee

MARYTON

Postlude

Fantasy in C Minor, BWV 562

J.S. Bach

CARILLON MUSIC

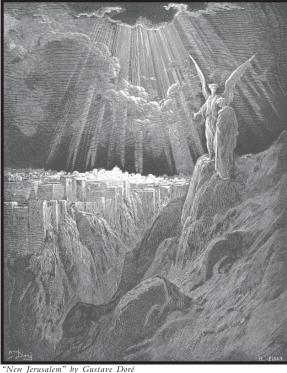
*All who are able may stand.

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

The Rev. Canon Dr. Samuel Wells Presiding Minister Preacher The Rev. Craig Kocher Lectors Mr. Steve Harper Ms. Beth Owen Members of the Congregation at Duke Chapel Guest Organist Dr. Thomas B. Clark, III

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Head Ushers Mr. Tucker Owen and Dr. James G. Ferguson Jr.



EXPLORING THE BOOK OF REVELATION

Featuring Dr. James (Mickey) Efird

Sunday September 10, 2006 6:00-9:00 p.m. #0012 Westbrook Building **Duke Divinity School**

Come hear noted New Testament scholar, Dr. James Efird, discuss the book of Revelation and its relevance to the life of faith today.

Sponsored by the Congregation at Duke Chapel. Part of the "Word from the Wise: Conversations with Divinity School Faculty" series. Questions? Contact Meghan at meghan.feldmeyer@duke.edu or 684-8478

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FLOWERS—The floral arrangements in the chancel and in the crypt are given in loving memory of Terry Sanford's birthday by his family.

Today's Offering will support the Director of Chapel Music Endowment, which helps to sustain a vital and dynamic music ministry in Duke Chapel and provide professional support to the Director, in order to establish and maintain a unique and challenging environment of learning and artistry for participants and audiences alike.

Pathways West End House—Duke Chapel seeks help furnishing the PathWays house for the Lilly Fellows and staff that will be living and working there once the repairs are complete. Our current list of needed items can be found at www.chapel.duke.edu, and check gift registries at homedepot.com and bedbathandbeyond.com (under Pathways [first name] Duke Chapel [second name]). We also have a special need for lamps and bedside tables, as well as financial donations to purchase paint. Send checks to: PathWays House Project, Congregation at Duke Chapel, Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708.

Broadcast S—Thanks to the Friends of Duke Chapel, the Sunday service is broadcast live every week over AM 620 WDNC and one week later on Raleigh station 570 WDNZ and Franklin County station 1480 WYRN at 10:00 a.m. If you have access to the web, the service is also available via streaming video at www.chapel.duke.edu. The service is broadcast live on patient TV channel 50 in Duke Hospital.

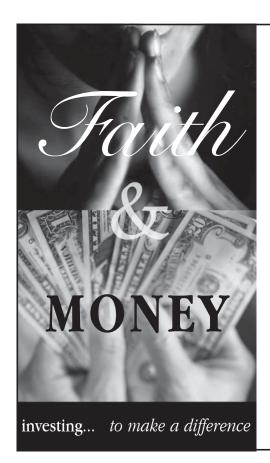
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Main Office 684-3917 • office@congregation.chapel.duke.edu *The following Congregation opportunities are open to all:*

Stephen Ministry provides one-to-one confidential care-giving to individuals in crisis. To receive care from a Stephen Minister, to make a referral for someone else, or to find out how to become trained as a Stephen Minister, please contact the Rev. Josh Hubert.

Youth Ministry—Sunday school classes for youth (grades 6-12) are held in the Divinity Student Lounge at 9:45 a.m., and Youth Fellowship occurs at 5 p.m. each Sunday in the Chapel basement. For further information, contact the Rev. Josh Hubert, Associate Pastor.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY—The Congregation's "Children's Celebration" and "Bible Adventure" classes for children (ages 2-11) will begin meeting September 3 each Sunday morning at 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel basement kitchen. Parents are welcome to attend with their children. Contact Phyllis Snyder, Director of Children's Ministry (msf80@nc.rr.com) for more information.



Faith & Money

...are things not often mentioned in the same breath and yet they are intimately linked for Christians.

Please Join Us:

Saturday October 14, 2006

9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church

810 West Chapel Hill Street

Durham, North Carolina

...to explore investment strategies that benefit the local community and contribute to social good.

Featured Guest Speaker Ched Myers:

Ched Myers is a noted theologian and biblical scholar who is asked to speak and teach in widely ecumenical settings about the biblical theme of Sabbath economics. Ched has a particular talent for helping people to see clearly the Christian call to engage discipleship with our economic resources.

What You'll Learn:

This conference will help participants think through what it means to invest money (retirement accounts, money markets, CDs etc) in areas that provide market returns and also benefit social causes. The goal of this event is to enable Christians to use their financial resources to actively make the world more just while caring for their own financial concerns.

Who Should Attend:

Anyone making decisions concerning where money is invested including: those involved in financial decisions for their organizations and churches, or any individual who has money to invest in retirement accounts, money markets, CDs, etc.

To RSVP, please fill out the following information, tear off, and send with a check for \$15 per person (made payable to Duke Chapel), to: Duke Chapel, attn: Faith and Money Conference, Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708. Name(s)	
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