



Duke
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Worship

Fifth Sunday in Lent
March 22, 2015
Eleven o'clock in the morning

~ Bridging Faith and Learning ~



Today's scriptures begin a turn to hope even in the midst of Lent. The prophet Jeremiah speaks to the new covenant God will make with the people, where God's law shall be written within their hearts. The letter to the Hebrews refers to the appointment of Jesus as high priest under the order of Melchizedek. The name has its root in two Hebrew words, "melech" (king) and "tzedek" (righteous)—king of righteousness. In John's gospel, Jesus speaks of the importance of death in birthing new life, using an example of a single grain that bears fruit. He tells his disciples they must lose their lives in order to find eternal life.

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. Immediately following the Lord's Supper, a service of prayer for healing will be held. The service consists of prayers for healing and wholeness, with anointing and laying on of hands. All are invited.

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

ORGAN PRELUDE

O Traurigkeit, o Herzeleid
(O Heartbreak, O Sadness)

Johannes Brahms
(1833–1897)

O wie selig seid ihr doch, ihr Frommen
(O How Blessed Are Ye Faithful)

CHORAL INTROIT

Turn Thy Face From My Sins

Thomas Attwood
(1765–1838)

Turn thy face from my sins, and put out all my misdeeds. Make me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from thy presence, and take not thy Holy Spirit from me.
—*Psalm 51:9–11*

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT OF SILENCE

In memory of Jerry Bei Sun (Trinity '16)

*OPENING PROCESSION: HYMN 515

Out of the Depths I Cry to You

AUS TIEFER NOT

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND WORDS OF ASSURANCE (*in unison*)

God of mercy, you sent Jesus Christ to seek and save the lost. We confess that we have strayed from you and turned aside from your way. We are misled by pride, for we see ourselves pure when we are stained, and great when we are small. We have failed in love, neglected justice, and ignored your truth. Have mercy, O God, and forgive our sin. Return us to paths of righteousness through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

*PEACE

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

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *(in unison)*

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: as your word is read in our midst, lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Jeremiah 31:31–34

(OT page 691 in the pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

Ich bin ein rechter Weinstock

Heinrich Schütz
(1585–1672)

Ich bin ein rechter Weinstock, mein Vater ein Weingärtner. Einen jeglichen Reben an mir, der nicht Frucht bringet, wird er wegnehmen, und einen jeglichen, der da Frucht bringet, wird er reinigen, daß er mehr Frucht bringe. Ich bin der Weinstock, ihr seid die Reben; bleibet in mir und ich in euch. Gleich wie der Reben kann keiner Frucht bringen von ihm selber, er bleibe denn am Weinstock, also auch ihr nicht, ihr bleibet denn in mir.

I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman. Every branch in me that does not bear fruit, he takes away: and every branch that bears fruit, he prunes it, that it may bring forth more fruit. I am the vine, you are the branches; abide in me, and I in you. Just as the branch can bring forth no fruit of itself without remaining on the vine, just so you cannot, if you do not abide in me.

—*John 15:1–2, 5a, 4*

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—Hebrews 5:5–10 *(NT page 207)*

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 325 *(stanzas 1–2)*

Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus
(All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

IN BABILONE

*GOSPEL LESSON—John 12:20–33 *(NT page 100)*

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 325 *(stanzas 3–4)*

Hail, Thou Once Despised Jesus

IN BABILONE

SERMON—Strange Fruit

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; he descended
into hell; 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.

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.")

MISSION ANNOUNCEMENT

OFFERTORY

Thou Who Art Over Us

Amy Scurria
(b. 1973)

Thou who art over us, thou who art also within us,
May all see thee in me also.
May I prepare the way for thee,
May I thank thee for all that shall fall to my lot,
May I also not forget the needs of others.

Keep me in thy love as thou wouldest,
That all should be kept in mine.
May everything in this my being be directed to thy glory,
And may I never despair.
For I am under thy hand,
And in thee is all power and goodness.

Give me a pure heart, that I may see thee,
A humble heart, that I may hear thee,
A heart of love, that I may serve thee,
A heart of faith, that I may abide in thee.

—Dag Hammarskjöld (1905–1961)

*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDETH

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

THANKSGIVING

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (*number 895 in the hymnal, in unison*)

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CLOSING PROCESSION: HYMN 426

Behold a Broken World

MARSH CHAPEL

*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.

POSTLUDE

Fugue in F Minor, BWV 534/2

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685–1750)

CARILLON

**All who are able may stand.*

PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK

This morning we give thanks for groundskeepers at Duke and the way they make the campus more beautiful through landscaping, planting, and pruning.

In Durham we pray for the people who bring food to us, especially for farmworkers, food service workers, and the people within local ministries who seek to be mindful of the principles of sustainable agriculture.

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Dr. Adam Hollowell

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Mr. Christopher Jacobson

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The Rev. Brad Troxell

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Dr. James Ferguson and Mr. Rick Wilfong

Carillonneur

Mr. J. Samuel Hammond

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S MISSION OF THE MONTH OFFERING—All of today's undesignated and cash offerings will go to Inter-Faith Food Shuttle. IFFS is an innovative hunger-relief organization serving seven counties in the Greater Triangle. Its philosophy is that hunger *is* solvable by increasing access to healthy food and building skills for self-sufficiency. IFFS programs teach healthy eating on a budget, culinary job skills, and how to grow food. Other IFFS programs, such as Backpack Buddies, feed families in immediate need by providing children from food-insecure homes with backpacks full of healthy meals every weekend during the school year. In 2014, 1,850 children received over 68,000 Backpacks. Learn more at www.FoodShuttle.org.

TODAY'S OFFERTORY ANTHEM—Today's offertory anthem was written in 2001 by Amy Scurria, a graduate composition student in the Music Department, as a commission from the Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, PA. The text is by Dag Hammarskjöld, Swedish diplomat and the second Secretary-General of the UN.

PATHWAYS PORCH CONVERSATION—Today at 2:00 p.m., the Rev. Bruce Puckett will host the second PathWays Porch Conversation at the PathWays House (713 Kent Street). The conversation will be on the topic owning and operating a business featuring Congregation members, Rick King and Whitney Schwab, owners of New Leaf Landscaping. Light refreshments will be provided.

ORGAN RECITAL—Today at 5:00 p.m., University Organist Robert Parkins will present the final program in the Organ Recital Series before the Chapel closes for one year. "Three Centuries of German Organ Music," performed on the Flentrop organ, will include works by Pachelbel, J. S. Bach, Mendelssohn, Rheinberger, Brahms, Reger, and others. Admission is free and all are welcome.

WHAT TO SAY WHEN SOMEONE IS DYING—On Tuesday, March 24, at 12:30 p.m., Duke Chapel will host a panel discussion to explore death and dying from personal, practical, and theological perspectives in the Chapel. The panelists include Jennifer Gentry, Nursing; Raymond Barfield, Pediatrics and Divinity School; Karla FC Holloway, English, Law, and African American Studies; and Richard Lischer, Divinity School. Dean Luke Powery will moderate.

BACH'S *ST. MATTHEW PASSION*—On Sunday, March 29, at 4:00 p.m., the Duke Chapel Choir will present J. S. Bach's *St. Matthew Passion*, a sacred oratorio scored for solo voices, with double choir and double orchestra. This pillar of Western music follows the events leading up to Jesus' crucifixion, as chronicled in the Gospel of Matthew. The Chapel Choir will be joined by the Durham Children's Choir and Orchestra Pro Cantores. Rodney Wynkoop conducts. Tickets are \$20 and free for Duke students. For more information contact 919-684-3898 or tickets.duke.edu.

NEW OFFERING FOR MAUNDY THURSDAY—On Maundy Thursday, April 2, at 11:00 p.m., Chapel Organist Christopher Jacobson, will present a Candlelight Organ Meditation featuring *The Stations of the Cross, Op. 29* by Marcel Dupré. This monumental organ work reflects on Christ's crucifixion, leading the congregation into the first hours of Good Friday. Prior to the recital, at 10:00 p.m., Mr. Jacobson will lead a conversation about Dupré's music in the Divinity School Alumni Memorial Common Room. The recital is free and all are invited to enhance their Holy Week experience through this organ meditation.

CHAPEL STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT

After nine years as the Director of Worship at Duke Chapel, the Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer Benson will be leaving Duke Chapel to take the position of Chaplain at Duke Divinity School, beginning July 1. Meghan has been a part of Duke Chapel for over a decade, both as a member of the Congregation and as an employee. She has served this community faithfully as pastor, preacher, and mentor. In her new role as Chaplain she will provide spiritual support to the Divinity School community through pastoral care, spiritual formation of students and staff, and facilitation of corporate worship. Although this is a loss for the Chapel, we are grateful for her years of ministry and trust God's leading in this new vocational opportunity. Meghan's final Sunday will be June 14.



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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION—All Sunday morning classes meet in the lowest level of Duke Divinity School from 9:45–10:45 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time. Classes include:

- *Wee Praise* for infants through children age 3 with parents or caregivers in 0014 Westbrook
- *Godly Play* for 4-year olds through 5th graders in 0050 Langford
- *Youth Sunday School* for youth in 6th–12th grades in 0013 Westbrook
- *Adult Bible Study* focused on the theme of worship in 0011 Westbrook
- *Adult Forum*: Next Sunday, Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp, Associate Dean for Religious Life, will present “Theology of the Margins” in 0012 Westbrook.

DURHAM CROP WALK—Registration for Durham's annual CROP Walk will be held at 1:30 p.m. this afternoon on the Chapel lawn. The 4.8 mile walk, which raises money to fight hunger both locally and internationally, will begin at 2:30 p.m. You are welcome to participate.

LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY—All are welcome to enjoy a study of the lectionary texts on the first Friday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Library at The Forest at Duke. The next study will be April 3.

URBAN MINISTRY DINNERS—Volunteers are needed to cook lasagnas and service dinner on Wednesday, April 22, at 6:00 p.m. at the Urban Ministries shelter. A minimum of ten volunteers and twenty cooked party-size lasagnas are needed for each month. Please contact Cricket Scovil at scovilj@aol.com or 919-286-0556 if you are able to help.

ENEWS—The Congregation at Duke Chapel publishes a weekly email announcing programs and events of the Congregation. If you would like to receive this weekly newsletter, please email congregation@duke.edu.

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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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 assistance 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 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 5 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, 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.

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