This weekend Duke has been celebrating its alumni. The Chapel welcomes back many today who have cherished and shaped the history of worship and ministry in this place. In the final weeks of Lent, Christians reflect upon the power of God to breathe life into places of death. The Old Testament lesson today testify to God’s transformative power. In Ezekiel, the people of Israel are grieving. Jerusalem has fallen, and the people feel hopeless in the face of death. But the passage of the dry bones is God’s promise that they will be restored—the skeletons will take on flesh and be brought to health and vigor.
The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

GATHERING

CARILLON

ORGAN PRELUDE

Toccata (avanti la *Messa della Madonna*)  
Girolamo Frescobaldi (1583-1643)

Ricercar (dopo il Credo)

Toccata (per l’Elevazione)

Toccata (avanti il Ricercar)

INTROIT

When Jesus Wept  
William Billings (1746-1800)

When Jesus wept, the falling tear
In mercy flowed beyond all bound;
When Jesus groaned, a trembling fear
Seized all the guilty world around.

—*New England Psalm Singer (1770)*

GREETING

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 727

O What Their Joy and Their Glory Must Be  
O QUANTA QUALIA

*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)*

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 the shedding of our Savior’s blood, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Ezekiel 37:1-14 (OT page 759 in the pew Bible)
Lector: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

*GRADUAL HYMN 420 (stanzas 1-2)
Breathe on Me, Breath of God
(All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

*GOSPEL LESSON—John 11:1-17, 34-44 (NT pages 98-99)
Lector: This is the word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

*GRADUAL HYMN 420 (stanzas 3-4)
Breathe on Me, Breath of God

SERO MON—Can These Dry Bones Live?

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.”)

MISSION ANNOUNCEMENT

OFFERTORY ANTHEM
Ezekiel Saw the Wheel
Traditional Spiritual
arr. William L. Dawson
(1899-1990)

Ezekiel saw the wheel,
Way up in the middle of the air;
The big wheel run by faith,
And the little wheel run by the grace of God,
A little wheel in a wheel,
'Way in the middle of the air.

Better mind my brother how you walk on the cross,
Your foot might slip, and your soul get lost.
Old Satan wears a clubfoot shoe,
If you don’t mind he’ll slip it on you.
Some go to church for to sing and shout Hallelujah!
Before six months they’s all turned out.

*DOXOLOGY
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 and Communion

This morning we give thanks for the Office of Alumni Affairs. We celebrate its ongoing commitment to nurturing the alumni of this university and incorporating them into the mission of Duke. A representative brings a diploma cover and a half-century club medal to the altar.

In Durham we remember those who have been scarred by unhealthy relationships. A representative brings forward a purple ribbon, symbolizing solidarity with victims and survivors of domestic abuse, and a blue ribbon, symbolizing solidarity with victims and survivors of child abuse.

*The Great Thanksgiving
(Musical Setting D, on page 23 of the hymnal)

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

Sharing of the Bread and Wine

All those who have become members of Christ’s body through baptism and seek to be united with God and at peace with their neighbor are invited to receive communion. Wine is used for communion. The tradition as understood at Duke Chapel is that the Holy Spirit makes Christ fully present in both the bread and the wine. If you receive only the bread, be assured that you are nonetheless in full communion with Christ and the Church. If you have a gluten allergy, those serving communion nearest to the Memorial Chapel will be ready to serve you gluten-free wafers and wine on request. You may also 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 296 (sung by all)
Sing, My Tongue, the Glorious Battle

PICARDY

Communion Anthem
Let Us Break Bread Together
Traditional Spiritual
arr. Elmer Thomas
(b. 1930)

Let us break bread together on our knees . . .
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
Oh Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us drink wine together on our knees . . .
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
Oh Lord, have mercy on me.

Let us praise God together on our knees.
When I fall on my knees with my face to the rising sun,
Oh Lord, have mercy if you please.
HYMN 634 (choir only)
Now Let Us from This Table Rise  DEUS TUORUM MILITUM

*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN 363
And Can It Be that I Should Gain  SAGINA

*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
Fantasy in G Minor, BWV 542/1  Johann Sebastian Bach  (1685-1750)

CARILLON

*All who are able may stand.

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Presiding Ministers  Dr. Christy Lohr  The Rev. Bruce Puckett
Preacher  The Rev. Dr. Samuel Wells
Lectors  Mr. Hardy Vieux  
Trinity ’93, President of the Duke Alumni Association
Ms. Katherine Morrow  
Trinity ’13, PathWays Chapel Scholar
Soloist  Mr. Bobby Cieri  
Trinity ’11
Choir Director  Dr. Rodney Wynkoop
Organists  Dr. Robert Parkins  Dr. David Arcus
Ministers of Anointing  The Rev. Kori Jones  The Rev. Bruce Puckett  Dr. Christy Lohr Sapp
Head Ushers  Dr. James Ferguson and Ms. Charlotte Harrison
Carillonneur  Mr. J. Samuel Hammond
**This Week at Duke Chapel**

**Morning Prayer** - Monday at 9:00 a.m. in the Memorial Chapel

**Communion and Healing** - Tuesday at 5:15 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel

**Choral Vespers** - Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in the Chancel

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**Chapel Announcements**

**Today’s Mission of the Month Offering**—Reality Ministries is April’s Mission of the Month. Reality Ministries was founded four years ago to stand in solidarity with those who are often outside of society’s circle of care and attention. It seeks to come alongside and befriend the underserved in many ways: A rich array of activities with friends with developmental disabilities; daily after-school programs for sixth-twelfth graders; music mentoring in its recording studio; an alternative high school, New Horizons Academy; five different literacy and academic support initiatives; summer camps in the mountains; and partnerships with over 30 other nonprofits for the common good of Durham. With God’s help, Reality ministry strives to continue offering activities and programs, which flesh out the unconditional, welcoming love of Jesus Christ. Please give generously.

**Vespers Ensemble Spring Concert**—On Saturday, April 16, at 8:00 p.m., in Duke Chapel the Duke Vespers Ensemble will present their spring concert: *Beata progenies*. This hour-long concert will feature the music of English Renaissance and twentieth century composers. Allan Friedman will conduct. Free admission.

**Labyrinth**—On Tuesday, April 12, visitors are invited to walk the Labyrinth in Duke Chapel, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. The Labyrinth, a forty-foot circle containing a winding path, is an ancient spiritual tradition in many faiths. The Labyrinth is self-guided, and takes 30 minutes to an hour to complete. The Chapel is co-sponsoring this event with the Congregation at Duke Chapel.

**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. Downloadable PDFs, podcasts, and webcasts of the weekly sermons are available on the Chapel’s website, [www.chapel.duke.edu](http://www.chapel.duke.edu).

**Duke Chapel Events Listserv**—If you would like to receive emails about upcoming events sponsored by Duke Chapel, such as concerts, talks, special worship services, and more, please visit [www.chapel.duke.edu/calendar](http://www.chapel.duke.edu/calendar), or send an email to Kelsey Hallatt at kelsey.hallatt@duke.edu.
The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

**Adult Forum**—Next Sunday, April 17, Congregation member Melissa Mills will lead the forum in a discussion called “Ethics in Science: A Place Where Faith and Reason Meet.” The forum will be held in Room 0012 of the Westbrook Building of the Divinity School at 9:45 a.m.

**“Nourish” Film and Durham Central Market Discussion**—Following the worship service today, the Environmental Stewardship Committee will sponsor an event focused on humans’ intimate connections with the food system and the impact of food choices on the environment. Over a provided meal, those attending will watch *Nourish: Food + Community*, a 30-minute film followed by a discussion of local efforts to provide healthy and responsible food choices that will help create a sustainable food future for Durham. This event will be held in Room 0012 of the Westbrook Building in the Divinity School.

**Local Mission Collection**—The mission collection for April will benefit Urban Ministries of Durham. The Congregation will collect non-perishable foods, especially canned meats, peanut butter, and beans. We will also collect gently used or new men’s casual clothing in large sizes. Long and short sleeve T-shirts, athletic shorts and long pants with an elastic waist in sizes extra large and up are needed. Please bring your donations to the back pew of the Chapel on Sunday, April 10 or 17. Thank you for your generosity in considering the needs of others. If you have any questions, please call Jane Fellows at 286-2605 or e-mail janeafellows@msn.com.

**Dinner at Urban Ministries**—Each month the Congregation provides a meal for homeless guests at Urban Ministries of Durham. If you would like to donate lasagnas, serve one of the next meals, or acquire more information, please contact Ned Arnett at 489-4133 or email him at edward.arnett@duke.edu.

**Open Table Ministries**—The Congregation is looking for individuals who are interested in helping Lisa Lark in her ministry to homeless people on Ninth Street. This ministry provides a meal on Tuesdays each week at 4 p.m. If you are interested in visiting, occasionally bringing food, or serving in any other way, please contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett at bruce.puckett@duke.edu or at 684-3917.

**Children’s Ministry**—Godly Play meets each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. Children entering second grade or younger meet in the crypt. Those in the third to fifth grades meet in the York Reading Room on the second floor of Duke Divinity School. For more information, please contact Sonja Tilley at shtilley@congregation.chapel.duke.edu.
Duke University Chapel

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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 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 (for children 5 and under) and Liturgy Boxes (ages 5-8) are available at the rear of the Chapel to help children engage in worship. Please return after the service.

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 are interested in making Duke Chapel your home church, contact the Rev. Bruce Puckett at 684-3917. www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu

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