Easter Sunrise
Service of Worship

Easter Sunday
March 23, 2008
Six-thirty in the morning

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

“Easter Morning” by He Qi, 2001. www.heqiarts.com

He Is Risen!
PRELUDE
Five-part wind music (selections) Johann Pezel (1639-1694)

INTROIT
Resurrection (from *Suffolk Harmony*) William Billings (1746-1800)

Jesus Christ is risen today, Hallelujah,
Our triumphant holy day, Hallelujah,
Who did once upon the cross, Hallelujah,
Suffered to redeem our loss, Hallelujah.

*GREETING*

*HYMN*
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!

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

God of life, through Jesus Christ you have bestowed upon the world the light of life. 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.

**Gospel Lesson**—John 20:1-18
**Leader:** This is the word of the Lord.
**People:** Thanks be to God.

**Sermon**—Learning to Let Go

**Anthem**
Maria Magdalene et altera Maria Andrea Gabrieli (c.1520-1586)

Maria Magdalene et altera Maria ibant diluculo ad monumentum. “Jesum, quem quaeritis, non est hic, surrexit. Sicut locutus est, praecedet vos, in Galilaeam, ibi eum videbitis.” Alleluia!

Scarce had the daystar risen when Mary Magdalene met with the other Mary, and together they went to the sepulcher. “Jesus, whom now you seek, is not here, but risen. As he once said. He is going before you to Galilee. Go you now, go and see him there.” Alleluia!

—paraphrase of Matthew 28:1-10

**Call to Prayer**
**Leader:** The Lord be with you.
**People:** And also with you.
**Leader:** Let us pray.

**Prayers of the People**

**The Lord’s Prayer (in unison)**
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.
Sing with all the saints in glory,
sing the resurrection song!
Death and sorrow, earth’s dark story,
to the former days belong.
All around the clouds are breaking,
soon the storms of time shall cease;
In God’s likeness, all awaking,
know the everlasting peace.

O what glory, far exceeding
all that eye has yet perceived!
Holiest hearts for ages pleading,
ever that full joy conceived.
God has promised, Christ prepares it,
there on high our welcome waits;
Every humble spirit shares it,
Christ has passed th’eternal gates.

Life eternal! O what wonders
crowd on faith; what joy unknown,
When, amidst earth’s closing thunders,
saints shall stand before the throne!
O to enter that bright portal,
see that glowing firmament,
Know, with thee, O God immortal,
“Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent!”
MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Minister    The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer
Preacher               The Rev. Craig Kocher
Lector                  Ms. Carolyn Sangokoya
                        Duke School of Medicine, ’09
Choir Director          Dr. Allan Friedman
Instrumentalists       Amalgam Brass Ensemble

EASTER SERVICES

Services of worship are scheduled at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. in Duke Chapel. Communion will be served at 9:00 a.m.

The Duke Chapel Choir, the Duke Chorale, and the Choral Society of Durham present

Benjamin Britten’s
WAR REQUIEM

Rodney Wynkoop, Conductor

Saturday, April 19, 2008  8:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 20, 2008   4:00 p.m.
Admission: $20 adults, free for full-time Duke students
Tickets go on sale now at University Box Office
919-684-4444 or tickets.duke.edu
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