



DUKE  
UNIVERSITY  
CHAPEL

# Service of Worship

Fourth Sunday in Lent  
March 14, 2010  
Eleven o'clock in the morning

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

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*"The Return of the Prodigal Son," by Rembrandt, 1642.*

The Fourth Sunday in Lent is traditionally known as Refreshment Sunday (in Latin, Laetare). This Sunday marks the transition from the penitence of the early weeks of Lent to the taking up of the way of the cross in the later weeks. The letter to the church in Corinth emphasizes the newness of creation, "everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!" The parable of the prodigal son in Luke reveals the depth of God's lavish grace, even in the face of human rebellion and disobedience.

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

## GATHERING

CARILLON

PRELUDE

Magnificat, from the *Washington Service* David Hogan  
(1949-1996)

God Be in My Head Philip Wilby  
(b. 1949)

GREETING

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 126

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above MIT FREUDEN ZART

\*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*)

Merciful Lord, you know our struggle to serve you:  
when sin spoils our lives and overshadows our hearts,  
as we hear your word today,  
come to our aid and turn us back to you again;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON—2 Corinthians 5:16-21 (*NT page 170 in the pew Bible*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

\*GRADUAL HYMN 121 (*stanzas 1-2*)

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy  
*(All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)*

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\*GOSPEL LESSON—Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32 (*NT pages 73-74*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

\*GRADUAL HYMN 121 (*stanzas 3-4*)

There's a Wideness in God's Mercy

WELLESLEY

SERMON—Lost and Found

## 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

Blessed Be the God and Father

Samuel Sebastian Wesley  
(1810-1876)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which, according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled, that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you, who are kept by the power of God, through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

But as he which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation. Pass the time of your sojourning here in fear. Love one another with a pure heart fervently, see that ye love one another.

Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God. For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away, but the word of the Lord endureth forever. Evermore. Amen.

—1 Peter 1:3-5, 15-17, 22-25

### \*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

**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 foreign language departments of the university. We celebrate their role in educating students in the languages, literature, and culture of various ethnicities and the ways they prepare students to participate in contemporary political, social, and cultural life across national boundaries. The ushers bring forward a foreign language dictionary to the altar.*

*In Durham we remember the elderly, those who live with and care for them, and especially those struggling in the face of illness, loneliness, and loss. A representative brings forward a photo album.*

\*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. 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 378 *(sung by all)*

Amazing Grace

AMAZING GRACE

COMMUNION ANTHEM

O Lord God

Percy Buck  
(1871-1947)

O Lord God, who seest that we put not our trust in anything that we do; Mercifully grant that by thy power we may be defended against all adversity; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

—*Book of Common Prayer, 1662*

\*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

\*BENEDICTION

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN 479

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

ABERYSTWYTH

ORGAN POSTLUDE

Prelude and Fugue in E Minor, BWV 533

Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685-1750)

CARILLON

*\*All who are able may stand.*

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Presiding Ministers

The Rev. Dr. Samuel Wells  
The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer

Preacher

The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark

Lectors

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Ms. Gretchen Ziegenhals  
*Member of the Chapel Choir*

Organist

Dr. David Arcus

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Choir of Trinity Episcopal Cathedral  
Columbia, South Carolina

Guest Choir Directors

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*Canon Organist and Choirmaster*  
Mr. Christopher Jacobson  
*Associate Organist and Choirmaster*

Ministers of Anointing

The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer  
The Rev. Bruce Puckett

Head Ushers

Dr. James Ferguson and Ms. Charlotte Harrison

Carillonneur

Mr. J. Samuel Hammond

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THIS WEEK AT DUKE CHAPEL

MORNING PRAYER - Weekdays 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



## CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**TODAY'S OFFERING**—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used to support human service organizations in the greater Durham area. These nonprofit organizations are identified to receive funds by a panel of Congregation members, Friends, and students. The grant-making process not only benefits people in need, but also seeks to introduce students to faithful stewardship and community development.

**TODAY'S GUEST CHOIR**—The Choir of Trinity Episcopal Cathedral, Columbia, South Carolina sings for more than 200 liturgical events annually, as well as concerts, tours and recordings. In recent years they have sung in residence at Canterbury Cathedral; Gloucester Cathedral; the American Cathedral in Paris; St. Thomas Church, New York; and Washington National Cathedral. The choristers singing this morning represent the Choir of Men and Boys, and the Choir of Men and Girls. Each choir is auditioned and limited to 20 choristers, who sing with a group of professional men.

**SWIMMING AGAINST THE TIDE**—On Sunday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m., Dr. Vernon Tyson, the Methodist pastor featured in the documentary *Blood Done Sign My Name* will reflect upon engaging ministry, race, and politics as a North Carolina Methodist pastor. The title of his talk will be "Fifty Years of Swimming Against the Tide." He will be joined by his son, Dr. Timothy Tyson, Visiting Professor of American Christianity and Southern Culture at Duke, who wrote *Blood Done Sign My Name*, on which the documentary is based, which tells a story of racial violence in Oxford, NC, in 1970. This event will be held in Room 0016 Westbrook.

**ORGAN RECITAL**—Next Sunday, March 21, is the 325th birthday of Johann Sebastian Bach. As a tribute to the greatest composer of music for organ, University Organist Robert Parkins will present a program of works by Bach in the final recital of this season's series, including an early chorale fantasy discovered just two years ago. The recital will be at 5:00 p.m. in the Chapel, and admission is free.

**COFFEE AND CHRIST**—The Chapel is offering a new Sunday School class for undergraduates at 9:45 a.m. on Sunday mornings in Room 110 of the Gray Building. The class is reflecting on Jesus' parables.

**VESPERS PALM SUNDAY CONCERT**—The Duke Vespers Ensemble will present "*Ora Pro Nobis: Music for the Anunciation and Holy Week by Spanish and Colonial Masters*" on Sunday, March 28 at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel. This hour-long concert will feature works by Victoria, Morales, Casals, Busto, Ginastera, and other composers from Spain and Latin America. Admission is free.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS**—The stations of the cross hanging in Duke Chapel this Lenten season were created by Haitian artist John Silvestri using recycled materials. The pieces are made from discarded steel oil drums by scrubbing off the paint, slitting them down the side, and hammering them flat. A chisel and wooden mallet are then used to cut out the design templates, and finally the pieces are textured with an ice pick or awl. These works of art allow us to see the suffering of Jesus through the lenses of our Haitian sisters and brothers.

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*The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.*

ADULT FORUM—On March 21, The Rev. Dr. Hugh Knapp will speak on the topic “Jonathan Edwards and Love for all Being.” Dr. Knapp is a retired pastor and a retired university professor and long-time worshipper in the Chapel community. The forum will be held in Room 0012 of the Westbrook Building at 9:45 a.m.

RESPONDING TO HAITI: MEDICAL SUPPLIES COLLECTION—The World Missions Committee is collecting medical supplies for Haiti on March 14 and 21. Requested donations include: powdered infant formula with iron; vitamins with iron for children and adults; ibuprofen for adults; children’s liquid acetaminophen; acetaminophen tablets for adults; antibiotic creams; children’s liquid benadryl/benadryl tablets for adults; and Tums/Rolaids/Tagamet/Zantac/Prilosec/Pepcid. Generics for all donations are welcome. Please drop off your donations on the back pews of the Chapel on these Sundays.

LENTEN MEAL—The Congregation invites you to attend a simple Lenten meal of homemade soup, bread, cheese and fruit today after worship in the Chapel basement lounge. The meal is free of charge, but donations to this year’s CROP Walk will be accepted. Afterward you are invited to remain for the the Congregation Council’s presentation of its new strategic plan.

DURHAM CROPWALK—Save the date for the annual Durham CROPWalk, Sunday, March 21, at 2:00 p.m. The Walk is a ministry of Church World Service. Join the walk in solidarity with the world’s hungry. Walkers and financial sponsors are needed. To join our team or to contribute online, go to [www.DurhamCropwalk.org](http://www.DurhamCropwalk.org) or contact the Rev. Puckett at [bruce.puckett@duke.edu](mailto:bruce.puckett@duke.edu) or at 684-3917. Information for donors and CROPWalkers is available by the front steps of the Chapel after worship today.

PART-TIME DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION—The Congregation is seeking a part-time Director of Christian Education to develop and implement programs for discipleship and spiritual formation for children fifth grade and younger and also for adults. A seminary degree is required. Please send your resume including two references to: [office@congregation.chapel.duke.edu](mailto:office@congregation.chapel.duke.edu). Visit our website [www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu](http://www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu) to view a complete position description.

STEPHEN MINISTRY—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. Nancy Ferree-Clark.



## 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 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. Nancy Ferree-Clark at 684-3917. [www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu](http://www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu)*

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