



DUKE
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Worship

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
July 6, 2008
Eleven o'clock in the morning

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



*Carving of Jesus in the Chapel's Memorial Chapel.
Photo by Mark Manring.*

This morning's lesson from Romans has Paul wrestling honestly with the weight of his sin, and how often he fails to live the life worthy of Christ. He states, "I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do...who will rescue me from this body of death?" The gospel lesson from Matthew provides words of comfort to those similarly weighed down by life's struggles, as Jesus invites, "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest."



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 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

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

The Rev. Dr. Samuel Wells

Dean of the Chapel

Student Ministry and Chapel Worship

The Rev. Craig Kocher

Associate Dean of the Chapel and Director of Religious Life

The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer

Director of Worship

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Housekeepers

Staff of the Congregation at Duke University Chapel

The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark

Senior Pastor

The Rev. McKennon Shea

Assistant Pastor

Ms. Elizabeth Clift

Director of Children's Ministry

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

GATHERING

CARILLON MUSIC

PRELUDE

Music for Brass

GREETING

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 400

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

NETTLETON

*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*)

Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow: though our faith is small as mustard seed, as we hear your word, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON—Romans 7:15-25a (*page 147 in the pew Bible*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 501 (*stanzas 1-2*)

O Thou Who Camest from Above

HEREFORD

(All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

*GOSPEL LESSON—Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30 (*page 11*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*GRADUAL HYMN 501 (*stanzas 3-4*)
O Thou Who Camest from Above

HEREFORD

SERMON—The Audacity of Sin

*“I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what
want, but I do the very thing I hate.”* —Romans 7:15

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

Music for Brass

*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, Alleluia.

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

This morning we give thanks for Duke Press. We celebrate its dedication to publishing scholarly books which increase human knowledge and understanding. The ushers bring to the altar a book of Chapel sermons published by the Press.

In Durham, we lift up those who contribute joy to our community culture through their artistic and creative expressions. The ushers bring forward a paintbrush.

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

(Musical Setting A, on page 17 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 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 340

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

RESTORATION

COMMUNION OFFERING

Music for Brass

*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN 437

This Is My Song

FINLANDIA

POSTLUDE

Toccatina in F Major, BWV 540/1

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)

CARILLON MUSIC

**All who are able may stand.*

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Ministers

The Rev. Abby Kocher
The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer

Preacher

The Rev. Craig Kocher

Lectors

Ms. Judy Gaitens-Arneson
Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel

Mr. John Denning
Member, Congregation at Duke Chapel

Organist

Dr. David Arcus

Guest Musicians

Amalgam Brass Ensemble

Ministers of Anointing

The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer
The Rev. McKennon Shea
Mr. Mark Storslee

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY'S FLOWERS—The flowers for today's worship service are provided by the Erlenbach Family Trust for the glory of God.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's offering will go to an emergency fund for disaster and recovery support for communities in our world that are affected by unexpected and sudden disaster (natural or otherwise). Your generosity enables the Chapel to respond quickly with financial support in times of acute crisis.

FULL-TIME POSITION AVAILABLE—The Chapel is looking for an Accounting Specialist and Office Coordinator. This person will coordinate and maintain an efficient office operation, perform a variety of accounting tasks involved in maintaining financial records and processing related data, and monitor, verify and reconcile accounts. Candidates should have experience with the Duke financial systems and be proficient in SAP R/3 and iForms. If you are interested please apply on line at hr.duke.edu and send a cover letter and resume to lucy.worth@duke.edu. The position will remain open until it is filled.

MORNING PRAYER—During the summer months we gather for morning prayer each Monday at 9:00 a.m. in the Memorial Chapel. Services last approximately 20 minutes and are led by members of the Chapel staff. All are invited to this time of prayer and reflection.

SUMMER CHOIR—Duke Chapel welcomes singers to its Summer Choir that assists in leading worship from June to August; the choir is under the direction of Dr. Allan Friedman. Regular rehearsals are on Sundays at 9:15 a.m. Call 684-3898 for details.

PARKING AT DUKE CHAPEL—Do you like to attend Chapel events on evenings and weekends but do not like the hassle and cost of parking on campus? Duke Parking and Transportation services offers a Night permit for \$15 annually which allows you to park on campus after 5:00 p.m. and on weekends for free. The permit is renewed annually in August. Please contact Parking at 684-PARK for more information.

THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL
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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

FOOD COLLECTION—The Durham Food Bank is experiencing a dire shortage of food and is requesting that donations be made as soon as possible. Its specific needs are canned meat items (tuna, salmon, chicken, etc) and also family- sized cans of vegetables and fruit. Donations may be left on the back pew of the Chapel each Sunday through July 27. On weekdays food can be dropped off in the Congregation office (room 031 in the Chapel basement).

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH CLASSES—During the month of July, Godly Play classes for children will not be offered but will resume on August 3. Youth classes will not take a break but will continue to meet for Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. and for youth fellowship at 5:00 p.m. each Sunday.