

DUKE
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Worship

Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost

November 11, 2007

Eleven o'clock in the morning

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



Model of the Second Temple in Jerusalem

This morning's scripture lessons are connected by their references to the temple. In Haggai, the prophet speaks of the former glory of the first temple while promising restoration and even greater splendor for the future. The passage in 1 Corinthians shifts the location of the temple, God's dwelling place, to the community of faith by asking, "Do you not know that you are God's temple and that God's spirit dwells in you?" Luke's gospel carries with it a critique of the Sadducees and their emphasis on temple religion in Jesus' response to their query about the resurrection.



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 are available at the sound board and a Braille hymnal is 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 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 are interested in making Duke Chapel your home church, contact the Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark at 684-3917. www.congregation.chapel.duke.edu

STAFF OF DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

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Staff of the Congregation at Duke University Chapel

The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark *Pastor*
Ms. Elizabeth Clift *Director of Children's Ministry*
Mr. McKennon Shea *Director of Youth Ministry*

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 Healing will be held in the Memorial Chapel. 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.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

GATHERING

CARILLON MUSIC

PRELUDE

Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele Johannes Brahms
(Deck Thyself, My Soul, with Gladness) (1833-1897)

O Gott, du frommer Gott
(O God, Thou Faithful God)

INTROIT

Since by Man (from *Messiah*) George Frederic Handel
(1685-1759)

Since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.
—1 Corinthians 15:21-22

GREETING

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 116

The God of Abraham Praise LEONI
(stanzas 1-4 from hymnal: followed by additional stanzas printed below)

**There dwells the Lord our King, the Lord our righteousness
Triumphant o'er the world of sin, the Prince of peace:
On Zion's sacred height his kingdom he maintains,
And glorious with his saints in light forever reigns.**

**The whole triumphant host give thanks to God on high;
Hail Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, they ever cry:
Hail, Abr'am's God, and mine, I join the heavenly lays,
All might and majesty are thine, and endless praise.**

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

The minister offers words of confession in three biddings, to which the congregation responds as follows:

Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Christ have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

Lord have mercy.

The minister speaks words of assurance.

*PEACE

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

PROCLAMATION

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (*in unison*)

Merciful God, as we hear your word this morning, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty, that trusting in your word and obeying your will we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PSALM—Psalm 145:8-17 (*page 857 in the hymnal*)

GLORIA

Leader: Glory be to the Father, and *to* the Son,

People: **and to the Holy Spirit.**

Leader: As it was in the beginning, is now and *ever* shall be,

People: **world without end. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Haggai 1:15b-2:9 (*page 827 in the pew Bible*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

E'en so, Lord Jesus, Quickly Come

Paul O. Manz
(b. 1919)

Peace be to you and grace from him who freed us from our sins,

Who loved us all and shed his blood that we might saved be.

Sing Holy, Holy to our Lord, the Lord, Almighty God,

Who was and is and is to come; sing Holy, Holy, Lord!

Rejoice in heaven, all ye that dwell therein,

Rejoice on earth, ye saints below, for Christ is coming soon!

Even so, Lord Jesus, quickly come, and night shall be no more;

They need no light nor lamp nor sun, for Christ will be their all!

—based on Revelation 22

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—1 Corinthians 3:5-17 (*page 157*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*GRADUAL HYMN 73 (*stanzas 1-3*)

O Worship the King

LYONS

(*All turn to face the Gospel Procession.*)

*GOSPEL LESSON—Luke 20:27-38 (*page 79*)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*GRADUAL HYMN 73 (*stanzas 4-5*)

O Worship the King

LYONS

SERMON—Stairways to Heaven

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; 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

How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place

Brahms

How lovely is thy dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts!

For my soul, it longeth, yea, fainteth for the courts of the Lord;

My soul and body crieth out, yea, for the living God.

Blest are they that dwell within thy house;

They praise thy name evermore!

—*Psalm 84:1-2, 4*

***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

This morning we give thanks for the Nicholas School of the Environment and Earth Sciences. We offer to God the ways faculty, staff, and students seek to understand, care for, and preserve creation. We are grateful for their training in the areas of both science and policy, which empowers leaders in a variety of fields to safeguard the fabric of the created order. A representative brings leaves from the Duke Forest to the altar.

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

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

SENDING FORTH

***BENEDICTION**

***RECESSIONAL HYMN 437**

This Is My Song

FINLANDIA

***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

Prelude in G Minor

Brahms

CARILLON MUSIC

**All who are able may stand.*

ORGAN RECITAL

Chapel Organist and Associate University Organist David Arcus will present an organ recital this afternoon at 5:00 p.m. in Duke Chapel. The program will consist of solo organ works by Dieterich Buxtehude, who died 300 years ago this year. The program is open to the public, and admission is free.

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Ministers	The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark The Rev. Craig Kocher
Preacher	The Rev. Canon Dr. Samuel Wells
Lectors	Ms. Allie Hayes <i>UNC-Chapel Hill '11, Robertson Scholar</i> Mr. Adam Dixon <i>Pratt '09</i>
Cantor	Mr. Erskine Love <i>Pratt '11</i>
Choir Director	Dr. Allan Friedman
Organists	Dr. Robert Parkins Dr. David Arcus
Carillonneur	Mr. J. Samuel Hammond
Head Ushers	Dr. James Ferguson and Ms. Sara Brandt

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

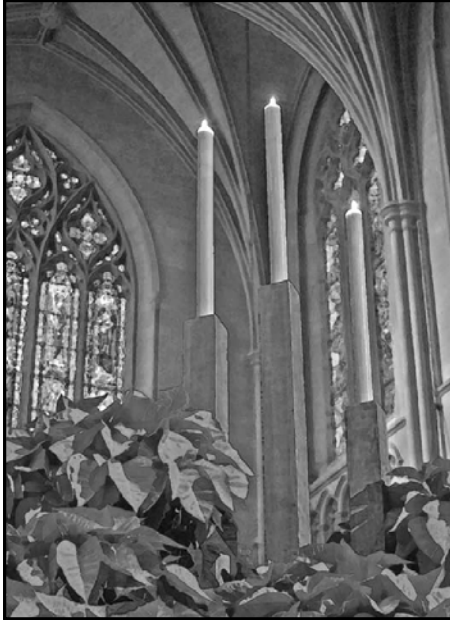
FLOWERS—The flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of the birthday of Mary Duke Biddle, by her daughter, Mary Duke Biddle Trent Semans and family.

TODAY'S OFFERING—The Mission of the Month for November is the children's mission of All God's Children in Aulander, NC. All God's Children is located in one of the most impoverished rural areas in North Carolina, the northeast coastal plain, in a community of 1100 people that has high unemployment and an extremely high crime rate. All God's Children has developed a number of programs to try to meet the needs of children and youth in rural Bertie, Hertford, and Northampton counties. Under the auspices of the United Methodist Church, they run a preschool and an after-school program. In addition, All God's Children purchases \$500-\$1500 of fresh food, which it distributes (in addition to its food bank of canned food) to over 1200 people from the surrounding region twice a month. The program also operates a distribution center that helps provide people with clothing, furniture, and wood to heat their homes.

SERMONS AVAILABLE—Copies of today's sermon are available in the communication stands at either side of the narthex, just after you enter the front doors of the Chapel. A downloadable PDF, podcast, and webcast of sermons each week are available on our website, www.chapel.duke.edu.

MESSIAH SING-ALONG CANCELLED—The annual *Messiah* Sing-Along will not be held this year due to the reconditioning of the Aeolian Organ. The Sing-Along will be held next year on November 23, 2008.

CHAPEL POSITION AVAILABLE—The Chapel is looking for a full-time Chapel Host or Hostess. The position requires a focus on hospitality and visitor relations. Preference given to those with demonstrated expertise in guest relations or member services. Candidates must have strong computer skills coupled with thorough knowledge of Duke Chapel and University history and operations. A cover letter and resume should be sent to Gaston Warner at g.warner@duke.edu by November 19.



Messiah

Messiah tickets on sale—Tickets for the Chapel Choir's annual performance of Handel's *Messiah* on November 30, December 1 and 2 are now on sale. This year's performance will feature the choir singing from the Chapel crossing, giving the audience a new perspective on Handel's masterpiece. Tickets may be obtained from the box office by calling 684-4444 or at www.tickets.duke.edu

EACH WEEK AT DUKE CHAPEL

SUNDAY NIGHT WORSHIP - Tonight at 5:00 p.m. in Goodson Chapel

MORNING PRAYER - Weekdays at 8:15 a.m. in the Memorial Chapel

COMMUNION AND HEALING - Tuesdays at 5:15 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel

CHORAL VESPERS - Thursdays at 5:15 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel

THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

ADULT FORUM—On November 18, Susan Blackmon, Director of YO! Durham, and Joanne Sharpe, Congregation member and volunteer, will speak on “Making Connections with Durham Youth.” The forum will be held in Room 0012 of the Westbrook Building at 9:45 a.m.

GRADUATE STUDENTS AND YOUNG ADULTS—Graduate students and young adults are invited to a luncheon today immediately following worship. No reservations are required. Look for congregation members wearing blue aprons to direct you to the basement lounge of the Chapel for this hour of good food and fellowship. The choir also congregates in the lounge immediately after worship, but they will clear out relatively quickly and the luncheon will commence.

SUPPORT HEIFER INTERNATIONAL THIS CHRISTMAS—The children and youth of the Congregation will begin their annual Heifer Living Gift Market and Christmas card sale after worship next Sunday, November 18. Please visit their table by the front steps of the Chapel to make the Heifer project part of your holiday season. All proceeds benefit Heifer International which seeks to provide life-sustaining farm animals, education and support for impoverished families around the world.