

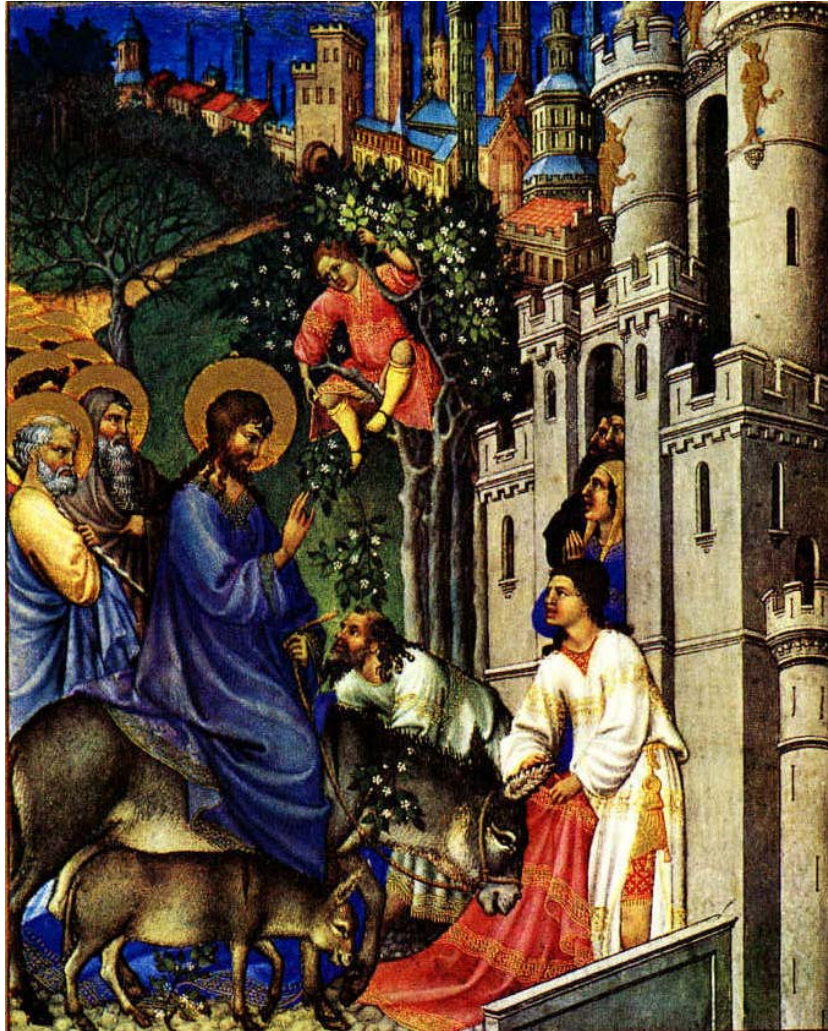
DUKE
UNIVERSITY
CHAPEL

Service of Worship

Palm Sunday
April 5, 2009

Eleven o'clock in the morning

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



"The Entry into Jerusalem," by the Limbourg Brothers, before 1416.

Our service begins with a procession of the palms to recall the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. The palms we wave reflect the fragility of the celebration—since a mere five days later the crowd's adulation turned to hatred. In Philippians, we also read Paul's account of Jesus' ministry. Paul sums up the humiliation and the glory of Jesus that we prepare to honor this week. The gospel narrative will be a retelling of the passion of Christ, drawing primarily from the gospel of Matthew.

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 Anointing with prayers for healing and laying on of hands will be held in the Memorial Chapel. All are invited.

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

GATHERING

CARILLON PRELUDE

Improvisation on ELLACOMBE

Prelude on *Winchester New*

Roy Hamlin Johnson
(b. 1929)

Improvisation on ST. THEODULPH

Prelude on THE KING'S MAJESTY

Milford H. Myhre
(b. 1931)

ORGAN PRELUDE

Valet will ich dir geben, BWV 736
(All Glory, Laud, and Honor)

Johann Sebastian Bach
(1685-1750)

INTROIT

Let Us Go Into the House of the Lord

David Arcus
(b. 1959)

I was glad when they said unto me: let us go into the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand within your gates, O Jerusalem.

—*Psalm 122:1-2*

GREETING

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 278

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

ELLACOMBE

*GOSPEL LESSON—Mark 11:1-11 (*page 44 in the pew Bible*)

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

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

*BLESSING OF THE PALMS

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 280

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

ST. THEODULPH

(*all stanzas; repeat verses and refrain as necessary until the procession is complete*)

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

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 AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

True and humble king, hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
as we hear your word proclaimed today,
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
so that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory. Amen.

PSALM—Psalm 31:9-16 (*page 765 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.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON—Philippians 2:5-11 (*page 186*)

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM

Ride On, King Jesus

Spiritual
arr. Robert DeCormier

Ride on, King Jesus, no man can a-hinder me.
For he is King of Kings, Lord of Lords, Jesus Christ, the first and last.
No man works like him, for he is King, he is the Lord.
King Jesus rides a milk-white horse.
Oh Lord, the river of Jordan he did cross.
King Jesus rides in the middle of the air,
Oh Lord, he calls the saints from everywhere.
Oh, won't you ride on, King Jesus.

GOSPEL NARRATIVE

Dramatic presentation of the passion narrative from Matthew.

SERMON—Continuing through the “Disruptive Conjunction”

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

Wondrous Love

Traditional Folk Tune
arr. Paul Christiansen

What wondrous love is this, O my soul, that caused the Lord of life
to bear the heavy cross! What wondrous love is this, O my soul,
that Christ should lay aside his crown for my soul! What wondrous
love is this, O my soul!

*DOXOLOGY (sung to the tune of *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*)

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

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*RECESSIONAL HYMN 261

Lord of the Dance

LORD OF THE DANCE

*POSTLUDE

Valet will ich dir geben, BWV 735

J.S. Bach

*CARILLON MUSIC

Chorale Partita III: The Harmony of Zion

John R. Knox
(b. 1932)

Prelude on *Kedron*

Johnson

Variations in the Third Mode

John J. H. Hammond
(b. 1984)

**All who are able may stand.*

MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Presiding Ministers	The Rev. Craig Kocher The Rev. Dr. Samuel Wells
Preacher	The Rev. Dr. Walter Brueggemann <i>Professor Emeritus of Old Testament, Columbia Theological Seminary</i>
Lector	Mr. Jesse Huddleston <i>Trinity '10</i>
Dramatic Gospel Reading	The Rev. McKennon Shea <i>Assistant Pastor, Congregation at Duke Chapel</i>
Cantor	Mr. Bobby Cieri <i>Trinity '10</i>
Soloist	Mr. Wade Henderson
Conductor	Dr. Rodney Wynkoop
Organists	Dr. Robert Parkins Dr. David Arcus
Drummers	Mr. John Fedderson, Mr. John Hanks, Mr. Andrew Shiloh, Mr. Ken Ray Wileman
Carillonneur	Mr. J. Samuel Hammond
Head Ushers	Mr. Jim Ferguson and Ms. Charlotte Harrison
Presiding Minister in Memorial Chapel	The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark

ABOUT TODAY'S GUEST PREACHER

Today we welcome the Rev. Dr. Walter Brueggemann as the Bishop W. Kenneth Goodson distinguished guest preacher. Dr. Brueggemann is Professor Emeritus of Old Testament at Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia, and an ordained minister in the United Church of Christ. He is widely regarded as the most influential contemporary scholar interpreting the Old Testament in the life of the church. He is the author of many books on the Old Testament, theology, Christian education, and preaching. His works include *Mandate to Difference: An Invitation to the Contemporary Church*; *An Introduction to the Old Testament: The Canon and Christian Imagination*; *The Prophetic Imagination*; and commentaries on Genesis, Deuteronomy, 1 and 2 Samuel, 1 and 2 Kings, Isaiah, and Jeremiah.



G.F. HANDEL'S
Israel in Egypt
DUKE CHAPEL CHOIR, DUKE CHORALE & ORCHESTRA

The Duke Chapel Choir,
Duke Chorale, and orchestra
present Handel's great oratorio
on the exodus of the Israelites

Today at 4:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$15
general admission
Free for Duke students

Tickets available at the door or
at tickets.duke.edu

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE PALMS—The palms for our service have been provided by the Hanks Family Chapel Fund. This fund was established through the generosity of the late Miss Nancy Hanks, former Duke University Trustee, and her mother, the late Mrs. Virginia Hanks.

TODAY'S OFFERING—All of today's cash offerings and undesignated checks will be used for the Chapel Development Fund, which is the primary source of contributed funds for building care and preservation. The Chapel fulfills James B. Duke's desire that the building exert a profound influence on the lives of the young women and men who attend the university.

CHORAL VESPERS—There will be no Choral Vespers service on Thursday this week. The Vespers Ensemble will return for the final service of the semester on April 16.

DUKE VESPERS ENSEMBLE CONCERT—On Sunday, April 19, at 2:00 p.m., the Duke Vespers Ensemble will be presenting their Spring Concert, conducted by Dr. Allan Friedman. *With Perfect Faith* is a 50-minute Holocaust cantata composed by Dr. Friedman featuring choral music, soprano arias, and texts read by local Holocaust survivor, Marianne Roberts. Admission is free.

NEW COMMUNITY HOUSE—Duke University Chapel is offering an opportunity to join in a new endeavor of shared residential life at 2003 Chapel Hill Road, Durham NC 27707. By residing together in one of Durham's poorer neighborhoods, participants will experience the opportunity to live in relationship as Christian companions to one another and with neighbors in Durham's greater West End. Those interested in exploring living in Christian community should contact the Rev. Abby Kocher at abby.kocher@duke.edu.

REYNOLDS PRICE READING—On Wednesday, April 8, at 7:00 p.m., Reynolds Price, James B. Duke Professor of English, will read his translation of the Gospel of Mark from his book *Three Gospels*. The location will be the Biddle Rare Book Room in the Perkins Library. Seating is limited. There will be free parking on the quad in front of the Chapel. This event is sponsored by the Duke University Libraries.

THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE CHAPEL

The Rev. Nancy Ferree-Clark, *Pastor*
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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all:

ADULT FORUM—There will be no Adult Forum on Easter Sunday. On April 19, Dean Sam Wells will discuss his book, *Speaking the Truth*. The location will be Room 0012 of the Westbrook Building at 9:45 a.m.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY—Godly Play, a Christian education and spiritual direction program for children ages 2-11, meets each Sunday morning at 9:45 a.m. in the Chapel Crypt. For more information, contact Elizabeth Clift at elizabeth.clift@gmail.com.



HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE AT DUKE CHAPEL

Sunday, April 5 Palm/Passion Sunday
4:00 pm Handel's *Israel in Egypt*
Duke Chapel Choir and the Duke Chorale

Monday, April 6
12:00 noon Holy Week Noon Service
Ms. Elizabeth Duffin, Intern
Chancel

Tuesday, April 7
12:00 noon Holy Week Noon Service
The Rev. Keith Daniel
Chancel

5:15 pm Service of Prayer and Holy Communion
Memorial Chapel

Wednesday, April 8
12:00 noon Holy Week Noon Service
The Rev. McKennon Shea
Chancel

5:15 pm Catholic Mass
Duke Chapel Crypt

Thursday, April 9 Maundy Thursday
12:00 noon Holy Week Noon Service
The Rev. Meghan Feldmeyer
Chancel

6:30 pm Service of Footwashing
Duke Chapel Crypt

7:30 pm Maundy Thursday Service*
The Rev. Dr. Richard Lischer
Stripping of the Altar
Service of the Lord's Supper

Friday, April 10 Good Friday
11:30 am Procession of the Stations of the Cross
beginning on the Chapel steps

12:00 noon Service of Good Friday
The Rev. Craig Kocher

1:00-3:00 pm Meditative organ music

7:30 pm Service of Tenebrae (Darkness)*
The Rev. Dr. Sam Wells

Saturday, April 11 Holy Saturday
6:30pm Easter Vigil
The Rev. Abby Kocher

9:00pm Catholic Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 12 Easter Sunday
6:30 am Easter Sunrise Service
The Rev. Craig Kocher
Duke Gardens

9:00 am University Service of Worship
Service of Holy Communion
The Rev. Dr. Sam Wells

11:00 am University Service of Worship
The Rev. Dr. Sam Wells

11:00 am Catholic Mass for Easter
Page Auditorium

* *Because silence will be observed in these services, a limited capacity nursery will be available for children under 6.*

All events in Duke Chapel unless otherwise noted.
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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

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