

Service of Worship

Third Sunday after Epiphany January 25, 2015 Eleven o'clock in the morning

> Bridging Faith and Learning ◆



The scripture lessons this morning describe two tales of responding to God's call. Jonah tries to avoid God and finds himself in the belly of a big fish, but leaves that fish after three days to proclaim a message of repentance to the city of Nineveh, as God had asked. In Mark, Jesus comes upon a group of fishermen, and he also calls them to leave their fish to follow him. They do, and become Jesus' disciples in proclaiming the kingdom of God. What does it mean for you to offer your life to following Christ, at any cost?

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 prayer for healing will be held. 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.

The Chapel welcomes families with children. If at any time during the service your child needs a place for active play, please know there is a nursery in the Chapel basement.

GATHERING

CARILLON

Prelude

"The peace may be exchanged." (from *Rubrics*)

Dan Locklair
"Swing Low" (from *A Spiritual Pair*)

(b. 1949)

CHORAL INTORIT

Freedom is Coming

Traditional South African arr. Anders Nyberg

Oh freedom, freedom is coming. Oh yes I know.

Oh Jesus, Jesus is coming. Oh yes I know.

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Opening Procession: Hymn 586 Let My People Seek Their Freedom

EBENEZER

*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)

God of heaven, you send the gospel to the ends of the earth and your messengers to every nation: as we hear your word today, send your Holy Spirit to transform us by the good news of everlasting life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. OLD TESTAMENT LESSON—Jonah 3:1–5, 10 (OT page 811 in the pew Bible)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Anthem

Hope for Resolution

Paul Caldwell/Sean Ivory

Of the Father's love begotten, E'er the worlds began to be. He is Alpha and Omega, He the source, the ending, he. Of the things that are, that have been, And that future years shall see, Evermore and evermore.

O, that birth, forever blessed, When the virgin, full of grace, By the Holy Ghost conceiving, Bare the savior of our race. And the babe, the world's redeemer, First revealed his sacred face, Evermore and evermore.

O ye heights of heaven adore him, Angel hosts his praises sing, Powers, dominions bow before him, And extol our God and King. Let no tongue on earth be silent, Every voice in concert ring Evermore and evermore.

—Aurelius Prudentius; trans. J.M. Neale and H.W. Baker

Thula sizwe, ungabokhala, uJehovah wakho uzokunqobela. Inkululeko, sizoyithola, uJehovah wakho uzokunqobela. Nation, do not cry, Jehovah will protect us. We will attain freedom, Jehovah will protect us.

—South African freedom song

New Testament Lesson—1 Corinthians 7:29–31 (NT page 160)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 344 (stanzas 1–2, you may sing in Spanish if you wish) Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore Pescador de Hombres (All turn to face the Gospel Procession.)

*Gospel Lesson—Mark 1:14–20 (NT page 33)

Lector: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Gradual Hymn 605 (stanzas 3-4)

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore

PESCADOR DE HOMBRES

SERMON—The Crisis, the Kairos, and the Call

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; he descended into hell; 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.")

This morning we give thanks for Duke Police Department. We celebrate its commitment to the public safety of our campus through law enforcement and security services.

In Durham, we give thanks for and lift up the many health ministries who work locally and globally to provide medical care and attention to those in need.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

O For a Closer Walk

Charles Villiers Stanford (1852–1924)

O for a closer walk with God, a calm and heavenly frame; A light to shine upon the road that leads me to the Lamb! Return, O holy Dove, return! Sweet messenger of rest; I hate the sins that made thee mourn, and drove thee from my breast. So shall my walk be close to God, calm and serene my frame; So purer light shall mark the road that leads me to the Lamb.

*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.

THANKSGIVING

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*The Lord's Prayer (number 895 in the hymnal, in unison)

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

*Closing Procession: Hymn 584

Lord, You Give the Great Commission

ABBOT'S LEGIH

*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

Johannes Brahms (1833–1897)

CARILLON

*All who are able may stand.

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THIS WEEK AT DUKE CHAPEL

Communion and Healing - Tuesday at 5:15 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel Mid-Week Prayer - Wednesday at noon in the Memorial Chapel

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CHORAL VESPERS - Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in the Chancel

ABOUT TODAY'S GUEST PREACHER

Today we are pleased to welcome the Rev. Dr. Allan Boesak as Bishop Kenneth W. Goodson guest preacher. Dr. Boesak is a South African Dutch Reformed Church cleric and politician and anti-apartheid activist. Boesak was elected as president of the World Alliance of Reformed Churches in 1982, a position he held until 1991. Under his leadership the world body adopted the apartheid is a heresy declaration and suspended the two Dutch Reformed Churches from membership for their theological and moral support and justification of the apartheid system. In 1983 Allan Boesak called for the formation of the United Democratic Front, which became the largest organised, non-racial anti-apartheid movement in the history of South Africa. He is the author of 17 books, co-author and editor of four. Allan Boesak's 2005 Afrikaans work, Die Vlug van Gods Verbeelding, Bybelverhale van die Onderkant, ("The Flight of God's Imagination: Biblical Stories from the Underside"), received the Andrew Murray/Desmond Tutu Prize, South Africa's highest award for theological publications. His most recent publication, Dare We Speak of *Hope? Searching for a Language of Life in Faith and Politics*, was published by Eerdmans Publishing Company in February 2014. Boesak is recipient of numerous awards including the Robert Kennedy Human Rights Award, the Martin Luther King Jr. Peace Award

CHAPEL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Flowers—Flowers for today's worship are given to the glory of God by the Erlenbach Family Trust.

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 of Duke Chapel, and students. The grantmaking process not only benefits people in need but also seeks to introduce students to faithful stewardship and community development.

Choral Evensong at 4:00 p.m. and Organ Recital at 5:00 p.m.—This afternoon the Duke Vespers Ensemble will offer a service of Choral Evensong at 4:00 p.m. Distinct from the noisy world around us Choral Evensong anchors us in the presence of the Living Christ as a form of worship offered by Jesus himself in the Temple. It thickens our imagination for mysteries yet undisclosed and realities yet unknown. Following Evensong, Chapel Organist Christopher Jacobson will present an organ recital at 5:00 p.m. on the Kathleen Upton Byrns McClendon Organ (Aeolian 1932). The recital will be broadcast on video feed and visible on a screen in the Nave. The program will feature the monumental *Three Preludes and Fugues, Op. 7* by French organist Marcel Dupré. With the acrobatics of these pieces Dupré advanced organ technique to new heights, and forever changed what was humanly possible to play at the organ.



THE CONGREGATION AT DUKE UNIVERSITY CHAPEL

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The following Congregation opportunities are open to all.

Christian Education—All Sunday morning classes meet in the lowest level of Duke Divinity School from 9:45–10:45 a.m. New participants are welcome at any time. Classes include:

- Wee Praise for infants through children age 3 with parents or caregivers in 0014 Westbrook
- Godly Play for 4-year olds through 5th graders in 0050 Langford
- Youth Sunday School for youth in 6th–12th grades in 0013 Westbrook
- Adult Bible Study focused on the theme of worship in 0011 Westbrook
- *Adult Forum*: Next Sunday, Jamie Brummitt, Ph.D. Student in American Religion at Duke will speak in 0012 Westbrook

FEED THE YOUTH—The Congregation youth group meets weekly on Sunday nights from 5:00–7:00 p.m., typically starting with dinner in the Chapel kitchen. The youth invite you to provide a meal for 10–15 people one Sunday night. The meal does not need to be elaborate and if you wish, you can drop the meal off on Sunday morning for reheating later in the day. If you bring the meal at 5:00 p.m., you are welcome to stay and eat with the youth. If you would like to support the youth ministry with a gift of food, please email Brad Troxell at brad.troxell@duke.edu.

CIRCLES OF SUPPORT —The Interfaith Hospitality Network and Genesis Home are hoping to significantly increase the number of Circles of Support (CoS) for formerly homeless families. The goal of CoS is to empower families while providing practical assistance, guidance, support, and mentoring to help them sustain housing and increase their level of self-sufficiency. If you are interested in learning about the impact of Circles of Support on both the lives of families and volunteers, please attend an information session on Saturday, January 31, from 11 a.m.—noon at the Stafford Warren Library on Fayetteville St. RSVP is requested to tasha@genesishome.org.

Lectionary Bible Study—All are welcome to enjoy a study of the lectionary texts on the first Friday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Library at The Forest at Duke. On February 6, Carol Gregg will be leading a study of 1 Corinthians 9:16–23.

Compassion In Action—The annual winter retreat will focus on mission and service addressing the question "Compassion in Action: How can we be wise and faithful?" with the Rev. Mel Williams as the guest speaker. The retreat will be held on Saturday, February 21, beginning at 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Pilgrim United Church of Christ, 3011 Academy Road, Durham. A registration fee of \$10 will cover the cost of the catered lunch. Please call 919-684-3917 or email the church office to register by Monday, February 16.

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 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 would like to receive the weekly eNews from the Congregation or have any questions, please email congregation@duke.edu or call 919-684-3917.

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