

# Order of Worship

## ORGAN PRELUDE

Præludium in D Major, BuxWV 139

DIETRICH BUXTEHUDE (1637 - 1707)

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 100  
"God Whose Love Is Reigning o'er Us"

LAUDA ANIMA

## \*GREETING

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

\*OPENING PRAYER (in unison)

**Almighty and everlasting God,  
in whom we live and move and have our being,  
you created us for yourself,  
so that our hearts are restless until they find rest in you.  
Grant to us such piety of heart and strength of purpose  
that no selfish passion may hinder us from knowing your will,  
and no weakness from doing it.  
In your light may we see life clearly  
and in your service find perfect freedom;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (in unison)

**Prepare our hearts, O God,  
to accept your Word.  
Silence in us any voice but your own,  
that, hearing, we may also obey your will;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.**

## OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Jonah 4:1 11

## GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 5:43-48

## CONVOCATION SERMON

"Engaging God"

\*HYMN No. 121

"There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

WELLESLEY

## OFFERINGS

### A TIME OF RECOGNITION AND DEDICATION

Anointing of New Faculty and Staff  
Welcome to Entering Class

## PRAYERS

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

### DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

\*RECESSIONAL HYMN No. 549

"Where Charity and Love Prevail"

ST. PETER

## ORGAN POSTLUDE

Concerto in D Major

DAVID DURKOP (B. 1956)

*\* Please stand if you are able.*

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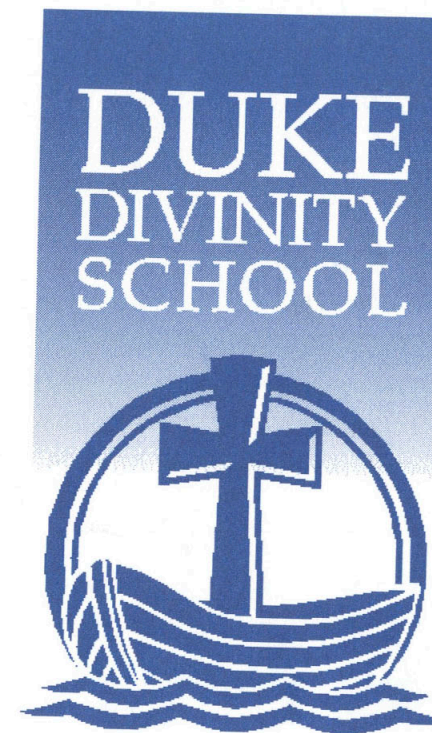
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# The Seventy-Seventh Opening Convocation



Wednesday, August 27, 2003

Ten o'clock a.m.

Duke University Chapel  
Durham, North Carolina