Goodson Chapel, Duke Divinity School

SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE

Wednesday, September 7, 2005 Ten o'clock in the Morning

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.

The hour is coming, and now is,

when true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth,

for such the Father seeks to worship him.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

Give thanks to him, bless his name!

*OPENING HYMN

"What Gift Can We Bring"

UMH #87

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, who pours out on all who desire it the spirit of grace and of supplication: Deliver us, when we draw near to thee, from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind, that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections we may worship thee in spirit and in truth; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Romans 13:8-14

SERMON

"Schooled in Love"

*HYMN OF INVITATION TO THE TABLE

"Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast" stanzas 1, 3 & 5 only

UMH #616

WORDS OF INVITATION TO THE TABLE

UMH #12

CONFESSION & WORDS OF ASSURANCE

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*GREAT THANKSGIVING

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GOODSON CHAPEL Setting UMH, inside back cover

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP **

We will receive by intinction at four stations. Please come at the direction of the ushers.

COMMUNION HYMN

"Eat This Bread"

UMH #628

PRAYER FOLLOWING COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN

"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

UMH #340

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Please stand as you are able.

**The communion elements are grape juice and bread.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher/Celebrant: Rev Dr. Pam Hawkins,
Associate Director of The Duke Center for Excellence in Ministry
Liturgist: Todd Ferguson, Middler MDiv
Organist: Dr. David Arcus, Chapel and Divinity School Organist

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Duke Divinity School welcomes today's visitor: Tony Tigner (MTS, Reformed Baptist, NC)

Service of the Word, 10:00 am, Thursday, September 8th in Goodson Chapel. "Art as Evangelism Series," Bishop Kenneth L. Carder, Professor of the Practice of Pastoral Formation and Director of The Center for Excellence in Ministry, preaching.

Morning Prayer meets 8:20-8:40am in Goodson Chapel, Monday through Friday Contact Maria Kane (maria.kane@duke.edu) for more information.

Interested in helping out in weekly worship? Contact Chapel Intern Emily Davis Oliver at ed18@duke.edu to get on the "call list" for lectors, liturgists, or communion servers.

Interested in singing with the Divinity Choir? Choir meets each week on Mondays from 10:30am to 12:00 noon in Goodson Chapel, and sings for the Thursday worship service. No audition necessary. Please contact Dr. Allan Friedman at allan@duke.edu for more information.