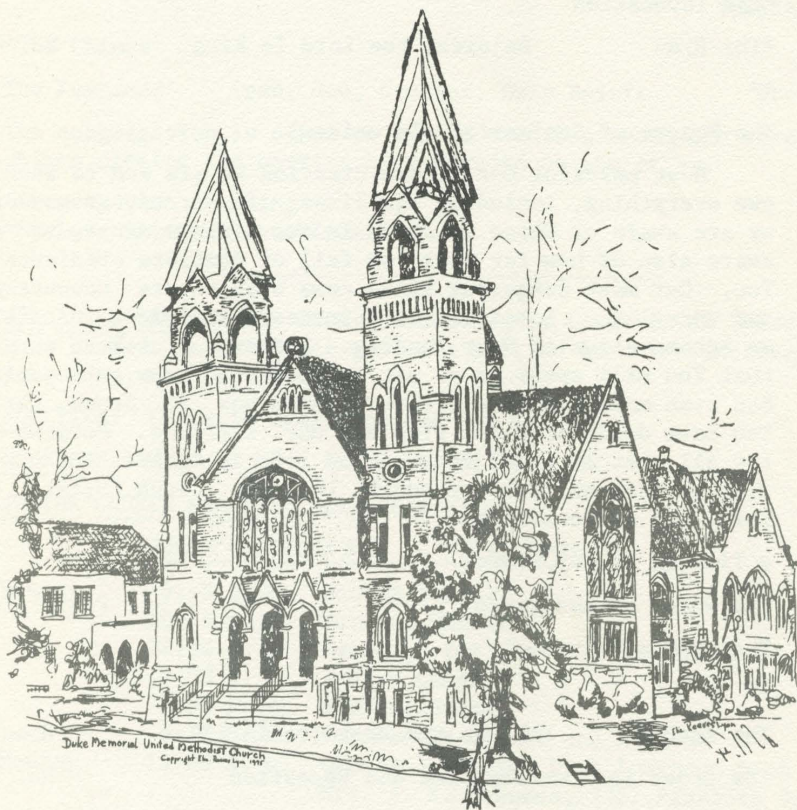


Duke Memorial United Methodist Church

504 West Chapel Hill Street

Durham, North Carolina 27701

Organized 2 May 1886



Coming together as God's people meeting in this house of worship, we welcome all who are gathered here. God's blessing is asked on each person in this congregation. If you are a visitor or a newcomer, please prepare a visitor's card and place it in the offering plate or give it to one of the pastors. In order that a record of your visit be made, please sign our Guest Book on the repository table in the southwest side of the narthex.

18 May 1980

Sunday after the Ascension

10:55 a. m.

DISCIPLESHIP is determined by who is Lord.

The Prelude Come, Holy Spirit, Lord God J. S. Bach

*The Call to Worship Lord, My Joys Mount Owen Hatch

*The Invocation

*The Hymn Rejoice, the Lord Is King No. 483

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The Prayer of Confession (In unison)

Most merciful God, Whose creation we are and to whom we owe everything, including our lives: In our better moments, we are aware of Whose we are. In our best moments, we are aware also of how far short we fall of complete obedience to You. Our most dangerous times come when we are unconcerned and uncaring. Sometimes in quietness, sometimes in crisis, we become alive to Your leading. Whatever it takes, we pray that You will speak to us not only that we know our faults, but even more important, that we know how in Jesus Christ You have dealt with our sins and our failures. Forgive us for all that is past; renew us in life in Christ, and use us ever as Your servants through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, our Saviour. Amen.

A Time of Silent Prayer

The Words of Assurance Psalm 51:17

The Lord's Prayer

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The Anthem Like as the Hart (Psalm 42) Howells

The Order for Confirmation and Reception No. 829

The Pastoral Prayer

The Offertory Now Pray We to the Holy Spirit Buxtehude

*The Presentation of the Offering The Doxology

The Concerns of the Congregation

*The Hymn Jesus, United by Thy Grace No. 193

(Those going to Junior Church may leave the sanctuary as the Hymn Begins.)

The Reading of the Holy Gospel St. John 15:26-16:4a

The Sermon What Can Be Better? Mr. Smith

*The Hymn Crown Him with Many Crowns No. 455

*The Benediction

*The Choral Response Good Christian Folk, Rejoice and Sing
Vulpius

*The Chimes

The Postlude Come, God, Creator, Holy Spirit Bach

The congregation is asked to remain standing until the three chimes closing the service have sounded on the organ.

*Congregation standing

**Ushers may seat worshippers

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are from the wedding of Laura Ellen Veasey and Herbert Smith Wilmer who were married in our sanctuary yesterday, May 17, 1980.

ACOLYTES: Christie Bollinger and Amy Tilley

GREETERS: Mr. and Mrs. George W. Miller, Jr.

JUNIOR CHURCH LEADER: Holly Eggleston

CHURCH CALENDAR MAY 18 - 24, 1980

Sunday	9:45 a. m.	Church School
	10:55 a. m.	Morning Worship
	12:30 p. m.	Luncheon for Choir, Whitford Hall
	5:00 p. m.	Junior Choir
	5:00 p. m.	MYF Volleyball
	6:30 p. m.	Fellowship Dinner and Program
Monday	11:00 a. m.	Circle 5 Covered Dish Luncheon with Mrs. A. R. Johnson, 3327 Pinafore Dr.
	3:00 p. m.	Circle 9 with Mrs. Ethel Whitley, 2828 Stuart Drive
Wednesday	7:00 a. m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Whitford Hall
	10:00 a. m.	Lillie Duke Class Picnic, Whitford Hall
	7:30 p. m.	Commission on Education
Thursday	7:30 p. m.	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Duke Memorial Church Staff

Edward F. Smith, Pastor

Donald T. Settle, Associate Pastor

Lloyd R. Bailey, Minister in Residence

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W. Arthur Kale, Minister in Residence

Thomas A. Langford, Minister in Residence

B. Maurice Ritchie, Minister in Residence

Retired Ministers: E. C. Crawford, A. M. Williams, J. D. Young

Margaret Anne Biddle, Diaconal Minister for Christian Education

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Garrison, Missionaries to Brazil

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Valenzuela, Missionaries to Chile

Jane Lynch, Organist and Choir Director

J. V. Hoyle, Tower Bells

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