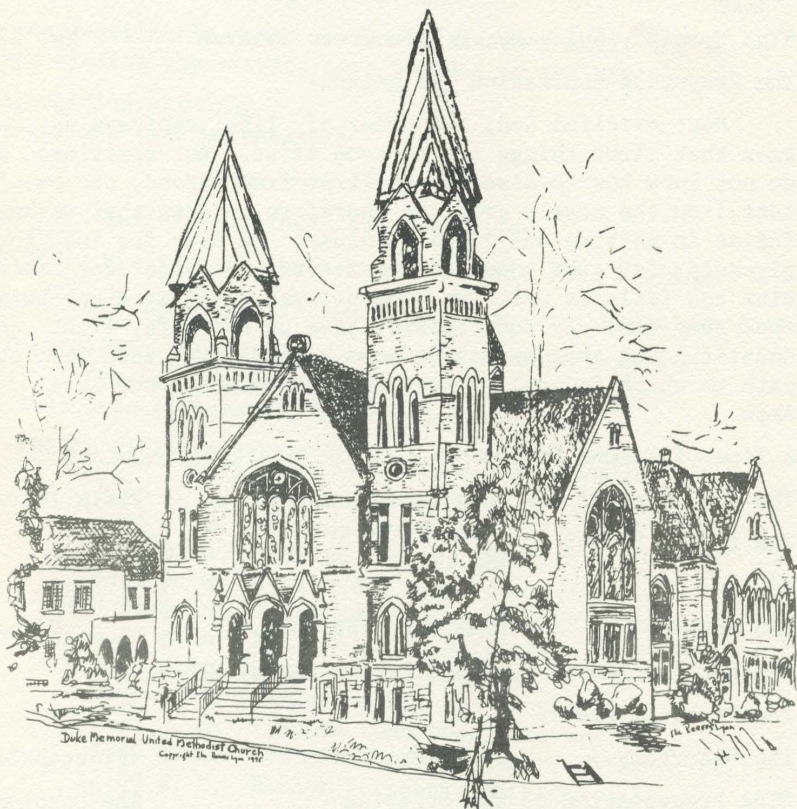


# Duke Memorial United Methodist Church

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 west end of the narthex.

The Tower Bells

The Prelude      Prelude in E Minor (Wedge)      J. S. Bach

\*The Call to Worship      O God, We Pray      Arensky

\*The Invocation

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\*The Hymn      Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah      No. 271

The Prayer of Confession (In unison)

Most merciful God, the order of life confuses us. We know that first things are to come first. But sometimes we do not know how to distinguish first from second, the excellent from the merely good. We therefore confess that we have failed in getting our lives in order. We pray for Your forgiveness, for sins known and confessed and also for those sins and failures which we have not yet recognized as being what they are. By Your Spirit, give us new life, light and understanding that we may walk with certainty and joy the path to which You call us through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A Time of Silent Prayer

The Assurance of the Forgiveness of Sins      Psalm 103:13

The Lord's Prayer

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The Anthem      O Sing Unto the Lord      Pitoni

The Recognition of Teachers in our Sunday School

The Pastoral Prayer

The Offertory      Toccata VIII      Frescobaldi

\*The Presentation of the Offering      The Doxology

The Concerns of the Congregation

Our Every Member Commitment      Tim Harrell

\*The Hymn      My Soul, Be on Thy Guard      No. 246  
(Those going to Junior Church may leave the sanctuary as the hymn begins.)

The Reading of the Holy Gospel      St. Luke 14:1-11



The Sermon	Emily Post or Gospel	Mr. Smith
*The Hymn	Awake My Soul, Stretch Every Nerve	No. 249
*The Benediction		
*The Choral Response	To God on High	Decius
*The Chimes		
The Postlude	Fugue in E Minor	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

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ACOLYTES: Christy Bollinger and Amy Tilley

GREETERS: Mrs Spencer Ervin and Miss Annie John Williams

JUNIOR CHURCH LEADER: William A. Haddock, Jr., Associate Pastor

WORLD-WIDE HOLY COMMUNION is scheduled at Duke Memorial Sunday, 5 October, at the morning service. Dr. Arthur Kale will join our pastors as co-celebrant.

CHURCH CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 28 - OCTOBER 4, 1980

Sun.	9:45 a. m.	Church School
	10:55 a. m.	Morning Worship
	3:30 p. m.	UMYF at Trinity UMC
	5:00 p. m.	Junior and Carol Choirs
Mon. - Sat.		Photographs for our Pictorial Directory
Mon.	4:30 p. m.	Memorial Fund Directors, Library
	5:15 p. m.	Trustees in Library
	7:30 p. m.	Christian Workers School
Tues.	7:30 p. m.	Finance Committee, Library
Wed.	7:00 a. m.	Men's Prayer Breakfast, Whitford Hall
	10:00 a. m.	Bazaar Workshop, Whitford Hall
Thurs.	7:30 p. m.	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

#### **Duke Memorial Church Staff**

Edward F. Smith, Pastor  
William A. Haddock, Jr., Associate Pastor  
Lloyd R. Bailey, Minister in Residence  
James H. Charlesworth, Minister in Residence  
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  
Lois Fowler, Financial Secretary Emeritus  
Anne L. Clark, Financial Secretary  
Virginia Massey, Church Secretary  
Beth Neece, Church Hostess  
Caroline Sasser, Director, Week Day School  
Sidney Gunn and James Harris, Sextons  
Nonie McNair, Maid

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