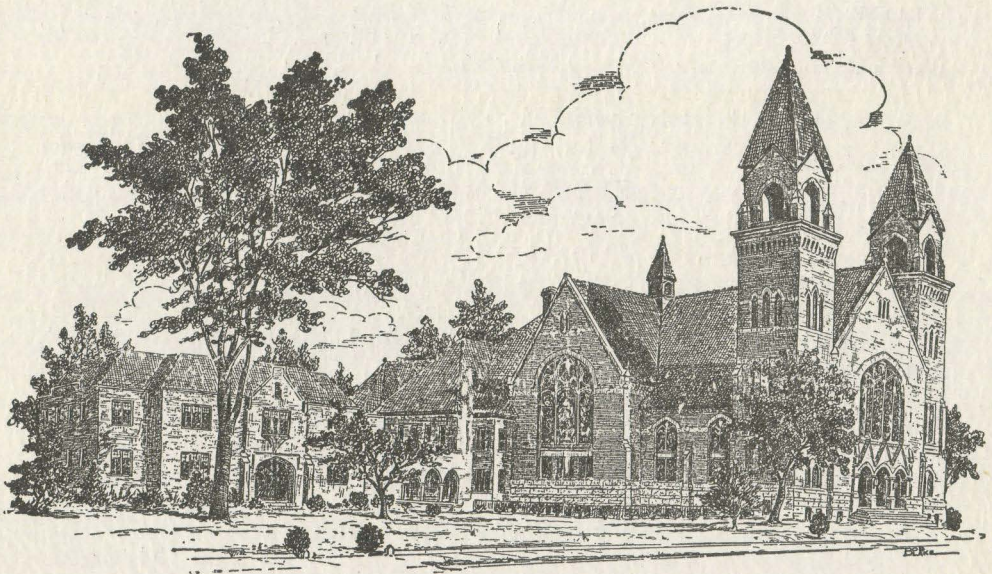


Duke
Memorial
Methodist
Church

Durham,
North Carolina

Minister
The Reverend E. W. Fisher



“I was glad when they said unto me. Let us go into the House of the Lord”

MORNING WORSHIP
SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 1955
ELEVEN O'CLOCK

- *THE ORGAN PRELUDE
 "Elevation" ----- *Batiste*
 "Andante Con Moto" ----- *Calkin*
- THE CALL TO WORSHIP
- *HYMN 20 "We Gather Together To Ask The Lord's Blessing" -- *Kremser*
- THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
- THE GLORIA PATRI
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- THE ANTHEM "The Bird of Christ" ----- *Ross*
 Mrs. Joseph McCracken, soloist
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Holy, holy, holy, Christ upon the Cross: My little nest was near, hidden in the moss. Holy, holy, holy, come near, O wee brown bird. Christ spake, and lo, I lighted upon the living word. Holy, holy, holy, I heard the mocking scorn: but holy, holy, holy, I sang against a thorn! Holy ah, His brow was bloody: Holy, holy, holy, holy, I sang against a thorn! Holy, holy, ah His brow was bloody: Holy all my breast was ruddy. Holy, holy, holy, Christ's bird shalt thou be, thus said Mary Virgin, there on Calvary. Holy, holy, holy, a wee brown bird am I, but my breast is ruddy, for I saw Christ die.

- THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES Judges 13: 2-8
- THE MORNING PRAYER, concluded with the Lord's Prayer
 and Choral Response
- THE ANNOUNCEMENTS
- THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Go To Dark Gethsemane" ----- *Noble*
- THE PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND CHORAL RESPONSE
 (The congregation will stand and join the choir in the response)
- THE SERMON "The Adventure of Family Living" ----- *Dr. Staples*
- PRAYER
- HYMN 428 "Happy The Home When God Is There" ----- *Dykes*
- THE BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE
 (The three chimes close our service "in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.")
- THE ORGAN POSTLUDE "Postlude in F" ----- *Sergisson*

EVENING WORSHIP
Seven-thirty O'clock

- THE ORGAN PRELUDE
- THE CALL TO WORSHIP
- HYMN 1 "Holy, Holy, Holy" ----- *Dykes*
- THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES John 11: 1-16; John 20: 19-29
- THE EVENING PRAYER
- THE ANTHEM "Near Thee Would I Be Staying" ----- *Bach*
- THE ANNOUNCEMENTS
- HYMN 149 "In the Cross of Christ I Glory" ----- *Conkey*
- THE OFFERTORY SOLO "Prayer Perfect" ----- *Stenson*
 Mrs. J. M. Heldman, Jr.
- THE PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND CHORAL RESPONSE
- THE SERMON "The Vision of Christ" ----- *Mr. Armstrong*
- PRAYER
- HYMN 252 "I Am Thine, O Lord" ----- *Doane*
- THE BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE
- THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

*Indicates when those coming late may be seated.

We are happy to welcome Dr. Edward Staples, Nashville, Tenn., to our church and pulpit this morning. Dr. Staples is Head of the Department of Family Life for the entire Methodist Church.

At the evening service tonight, Mr. James Armstrong, Assistant to the Minister, will bring the message on "The Vision of Christ." Group 2 of the Official Board will sponsor the service. Members of this group are:

Mrs. W. H. Cherry	W. K. Howard	James Phelps
Thomas B. Cranford	J. V. Hoyle	C. E. Phillips, Jr.
E. W. Coffin	A. W. Knight	R. K. Proctor
J. O. Cox, Jr.	Alton Nichols	H. S. Sigley
John W. Dunham	Mrs. S. J. Nicholson	Dillard Teer
A. Hollis Edens	R. H. Pate	Oliver Upchurch
Miss Anne Garrard		

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Duke Memorial Church will have its Mission Study on India, Pakistan and Ceylon in the Memorial Chapel on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, March 14, 16 and 18, from 10:30 to 12:00 o'clock. Please make your plans to attend all these meetings.

Welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mansfield, 3308 Cole Mill Road. They united with Duke Memorial Church last Sunday morning, transferring their memberships from Carr Methodist Church of this city.

The minister and members of the church extend sincere sympathy to Mrs. E. S. Wood, 1417 Ruffin Street, in the recent loss of her mother.

Congratulations! Rosebuds in the vestibule are placed there in honor of the following new babies:

Eleanor Noble Phelps, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Phelps, 2004 Cedar Street. Eleanor was born March 6, 1955.

Thomas Adolphus Little, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Little, Hollywood Street. Thomas was born March 7, 1955.

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Sunday:

9:30 a. m. Church School
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
(A Nursery is operated for children under school age)
5:00 p. m. Intermediate Fellowship
5:30 p. m. Senior-Older Youth
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

Monday:

10:30 a. m. Study Course — WSCS
7:45 p. m. Lillie Duke Class Meeting

Tuesday:

10:00 a. m. Circle 12 with Mrs. Thomas White, 1312 Shepherd St.

Wednesday:

10:30 a. m. Study Course — WSCS
7:00 p. m. Scouts
7:30 p. m. Associate Board of Stewards
7:45 p. m. Smith Angier Circle meets with Miss Kathleene Cox,
306 Monmouth Avenue

Thursday:

3:45 p. m. Junior Choir
7:30 p. m. Senior Choir

Friday:

10:30 a. m. Study Course — WSCS

In this fast moving twentieth century, it is more important than ever that these simple facts be made true. A nation's greatest strength lies in the Christian families who are a part of it; a Christian family's strength lies in the understanding, loyalty, and love of its members toward one another.

What this country needs is more parents who do not expect the church and the school to take the major responsibility for the rearing of their children.

A parental home is a large factor in a child's attitude toward religion, in the nature of his belief, in his spiritual texture.

BOYS

Folks say we do a lot of things
We hadn't ought-a-had;
We never mean a bit of harm
Nor do them to be bad.
But when a chance just comes along
With fun a-peekin' through
We take it mostly just because
We've nothing else to do.
Boys are an awful problem
All the grownup people say,
But honest, all we really want
Is just a chance to play.
And all us boys from country towns
And from the cities, too
Will quit what you call mischief
If you show us what to do.