

DUKE MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH

Durham, North Carolina

Robert W. Bradshaw, *Minister*

E. Clifford Shoaf, *Minister of Education*

MORNING WORSHIP

JUNE 25, 1961

ELEVEN O'CLOCK

(Let the people kneel or bow in silent prayer upon entering the Sanctuary)

THE PRELUDE "Prayer" (From the *Octette*) Franz Schubert

THE CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP "Praise the Lord" Prichard

Praise the Lord! ye heavens, adore Him; Praise Him, angels in the height;
Sun and moon, rejoice before Him; Praise Him, all ye stars of light. Praise
the Lord! for He hath spoken; Worlds His mighty voice obeyed; Laws
which never shall be broken For their guidance hath He made.

(The congregation will rise when the choir stands for the Call to Worship)

HYMN 164 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" Holden

THE APOSTLES' CREED

THE PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

BAPTISMAL SERVICE

THE RESPONSIVE READING "The Mind of Christ" Page 592

(Let the people stand immediately for the Reading)

THE GLORIA PATRI

THE SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 19:16-30

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM "How Lovely Are the Messengers" Mendelssohn

How lovely are the messengers that preach us the gospel of peace, to all
the nations is gone forth the sound of their words, Throughout all the lands
their glad tidings.

THE DOXOLOGY

HYMN 238 "Blessed Assurance" Knapp

THE SERMON "What Do I Get Out of It?" The Minister

THE CLOSING PRAYER

HYMN 261 "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken" Mozart-Main

THE BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

THE POSTLUDE "Chorale" Johannes Brahms

ALTAR FLOWERS

The Wilson-Bradshaw Circle is responsible for the beautiful flowers on the altar which are given in memory of Mrs. W. A. Wilson, Sr. and Mrs. Michael Bradshaw for whom the circle is named.

APPRECIATION

Rev E. C. Shoaf, who has served so devotedly as Minister of Education at Duke Memorial Church for the past four years, has requested a change of appointment and will move to a new field of service following the Annual Conference next week. The entire membership is grateful for the contribution Mr. Shoaf has made toward the development of the educational program of the church and toward other phases of the church's work. The prayers and best wishes of the congregation go with him and his family as they go to their new work.

CONGRATULATIONS

A rosebud has been placed in the vestibule by the Juniors of the Church School in honor of William Edward Hammond, III, born June 5, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Hammond, Jr., Rose of Sharon Road.

NO MID-WEEK SERVICE

There will be no Prayer Meeting Service this week.

OUR STEWARDSHIP

We hope all who can do so will complete their payments to the current year's budget either today or by Friday, June 30, the last day of our fiscal year.

EUROPEAN TRIP

Mr. Ole Borgen, a Duke Divinity School student from Norway, is conducting a tour of Europe this summer for young adults 18-30 years of age. There are a few openings in this tour group. If there be any in our congregation who would be interested in such a tour, full information concerning it may be secured from the church office.

TO MY PEOPLE

As another conference year comes to an end I am conscious of the many things that have brought joy and satisfaction to me in my work among my fine people. I believe more of our people than ever have been active in service for the church, more have kept the church in their prayers, and more have been concerned about the church's making its impact on the life of the community. Our people have supported the financial program of the church for the current year in a very satisfactory way and have accepted and supported the budget for the new year in a gratifying manner.

I am conscious, also, of many things that I have failed to do as I have sought to minister. As I have said before, every member of my church family is precious to me and I am aware that there must have been many needs in the lives of some of my people that I have not met. For that failure I am truly sorry.

I have been mindful of the presence of God's Spirit working among us and through us to accomplish the things He wants done in our midst. While we have not always responded to the leading of His Spirit as we might have done, He has continued to be near us and to bless us.

I am looking forward to the new year as your minister and am praying for wisdom, insight, and strength to serve you better. I am hoping that our praying together and working together will help all of us to grow spiritually during the coming year.

I thank all of you for all you have done to help make this a good year in the life of your church and of your minister.

God bless you!

Your pastor and friend,
Robert W. Bradshaw

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The North Carolina Annual Conference meets in Trinity Church, Durham, this week from Monday through Thursday. Appointments for the new conference year will be read at the closing session of the conference on Thursday about noon. Delegates from Duke Memorial Church are Mr. J. H. Coman and Dr. C. E. Jordan.

EVENING WORSHIP

Seven-Thirty O'clock

THE PRELUDE

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

(The congregation will rise when the choir stands for the Call to Worship)

HYMN 387 "Break Thou the Bread of Life" Sherwin

THE PRAYER AND CHORAL RESPONSE

ORGAN INTERLUDE

THE SCRIPTURE READING I Timothy 3:14-16

THE OFFERTORY SOLO "Garden Hymn" Southern Folk Hymn
Mrs. Jane Sullivan

THE DOXOLOGY

HYMN 397 "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord" From Williams' Psalmody

THE SERMON "The Church Became a Museum" The Minister

THE CLOSING PRAYER

HYMN 280 "Onward, Christian Soldiers" Sullivan

THE BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

THE POSTLUDE

YOUTH FELLOWSHIPS

The Senior M Y F will meet at 5:30 for their evening fellowship program and meal at the home of Tom S. Coble, 2005 Club Blvd. All our Seniors are invited to get back into the swing of M Y F tonight.

The Junior High M Y F group will resume their evening fellowship program tonight at 5:30 in the church basement. All our Junior Highs will want to come to welcome their new counselors, Dr. and Mrs. June Stallings, who will begin their work tonight.

The Senior Youth Council will meet at 4:00 this afternoon at the home of Stan Coble, 2005 Club Blvd., to plan their summer activities.

OTHER SCHEDULED EVENTS

Thursday: 7:00 p.m. Scouts

7:30 p.m. Senior Choir Practice