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# DUKE MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

504 West Chapel Hill Street, Durham, North Carolina 27701

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In service where life is broken. †

In celebration where life is whole.

## SERVICE OF THE WORD SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY JANUARY 16, 2000

### HUMAN RELATIONS SUNDAY

TOWER BELLS  
WORSHIP

10:30 a.m.

10:55 a.m.

### ENTRANCE AND PRAISE

GATHERING

OPENING VOLUNTARY

“Chorale Prelude on *Durch Adams Fall*” Gottfried Homilius

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

May the God of all grace and compassion be present among us as we worship this day.

**Listening for the voice of God, may we also hear the cries of our brothers and sisters in need.**

Seeking God’s healing love in our lives,

**May we also feel the pain of those whose hurts are uncared for.**

Lifting our songs of praise and thanksgiving,

**May we also offer to God our lives, dedicated to living out the gospel of peace.**

God, be with us in our worship.

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 88 “Maker, in Whom We Live” DIADEMATATA

The cross and light precede us from the world into the sanctuary and from the sanctuary into the world.

The cross symbolizes the triumph of Christ. The light signifies God's presence with us.

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

**God of our fathers and of our mothers, we come to worship this day with the deep and stubborn hope that You will be our God as well. We pray that as we worship that we, too, will find our calling, our hope, our strength. In many and various ways You have spoken to our fathers and our mothers. Speak now to us. For we are waiting, we are listening, we are longing to be Your people in this time and in this place. Amen.**

**\*PSALTER NO. 854, verses 1-6, and 13-18**

**Psalm 139**

**MINISTRY MINUTE**

**Internation Student Exchange**

**Shelby Thomas**

**ANTHEM**

**“The Gift of Love”**

**Hal Hopson**

Though I may speak with bravest fire, and have the gift to all inspire, and have not love; my words are vain, as sounding brass, and hopeless gain. Though I may give all I possess, and striving so my love profess, but not be given by love within, the profit soon turns strangely thin. Come, spirit come, our hearts control, our spirits long to be made whole. Let inward love guide every deed. By this we worship and are freed. Amen.

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION, NO. 349**

**“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”**

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON**

**1 Samuel 3:1-10**

**CHILDREN’S RESPONSE**

**\*HYMN NO. 393 (sing twice)**

**“Spirit of the Living God”**

**LIVING GOD**

**(First graders may leave Sanctuary to attend Worship Education.)**

**\*GOSPEL LESSON**

**John 1:43-51**

**SERMON**

**“Offer Them Christ”**

**Ruth Harper Stevens**

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

**THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

**Baptismal Covenant II, No. 39**

**Shelton Hugh Lewis, infant son of Edith and Donald Lewis**

PARISH CONCERNS AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

“Be Thou My Vision”

John Rutter

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart, be all else but naught to me, save that thou art; be thou my best thought in the day and the night, both waking and sleeping, thy presence my light. Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word, be thou ever with me, and I with thee, Lord; be thou my great Father, and I thy true son; be thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one. Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight; be thou my whole armor, be thou my true might; be thou my soul's shelter, be thou my strong tower: O raise thou me heavenward, great Power of my power. Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise: be thou mine inheritance now and always; be thou and thou only the first in my heart; O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure thou art. High King of heaven, thou heaven's bright Sun, O grant me its joys after victory is won; Great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

\*DOXOLOGY NO. 94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SENDING FORTH

\*HYMN NO. 583

“You Are the Seed”

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\*BENEDICTION

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

“Glorious Lord, Thyself Impart”

LIEBSTER JESU

\*GOING FORTH

\*CLOSING VOLUNTARY “Basse et Dessus de Trompette”

Louis Nicolas Clerambault

**Our service of worship has ended. Our worship through service begins.**

\*Congregation is invited to stand.



We are a Stephen Ministry Congregation.

## **The General Rule of Discipleship**

To witness to Jesus Christ in the world,  
and to follow his teachings,  
through acts of compassion, justice, worship and devotion,  
under the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

### **Our Pastoral Staff:**

Ruth Harper Stevens, Sr. Minister  
Lisa Brown Cole, Assoc. Minister

Robert J. Irvine, Minister of Music/Worship  
Ann C. Stallings, Assistant in Ministry

### **Our Support Staff:**

Tim Smith, Financial Secretary  
Mary Anne Holmes, Receptionist  
Helen King, Church Secretary  
Joe Stevens, Interim Operations Coordinator  
Cody Schuler, Minister to Youth  
Antje Brunotte, Intern

Al Buehler, Chimer  
Stuart McCracken, Chimer  
Dan Gelinne, Sound Technician  
Andrew Legge, Sound Technician  
Josh Allen, Sound Technician  
Joyce Musselwhite, Church Hostess

### **Church Office Hours**

9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday  
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Friday

Church Office Phone (919) 683-3467  
Church FAX Number (919) 682-3349

**WELCOME:** You are warmly welcomed to Duke Memorial United Methodist Church. Please sign the registration pad when it is passed to you. As it returns, note who is seated on your pew so you may speak to them after the service. Visitors, please give us your address so that we may share additional information about Duke Memorial with you.

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