
DUKE MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

504 West Chapel Hill Street • Durham, North Carolina • 27701

SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE THIRD SUNDAY OF PENTECOST JULY 2, 2000

TOWER BELLS 10:30 a.m.

WORSHIP 10:55 a.m.

ENTRANCE AND PRAISE

GATHERING

OPENING VOLUNTARY "Prière" Jean Langlais

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

Come, let us worship the Lord our God.

For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised.

In our worship, may our eyes be opened this day.

That we might see the beauty and bounty of God's gifts.

May our eyes be opened this day.

That we might see our need for God's grace.

May our eyes be opened this day.

That we might see those who are in need.

May our eyes be opened this day.

**That we might worship God in spirit and in truth, and having worshiped,
that we might serve God with faith and compassion.**

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*PROCESSIONAL HYMN # 696 "America the Beautiful" MATERNA

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**

Loving God, be with us in our worship that we might learn the sound of Your voice, the warmth of Your presence, the light of Your love, the sound of Your calling. May we listen and learn of these things in the calm and quiet of this place, so that we might know them in times of noise and hurriedness and confusion. Let us know you here, O God, so that we might recognize You when we meet You elsewhere. May we serve You by worshipping You, and worship You by serving You. Amen.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the scriptures are read and your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

EPISTLE LESSON

2 Corinthians 8:7-15

***GOSPEL LESSON**

Mark 5:21-43

MEDITATION

“Paved with Good Intentions”

Ruth Harper Stevens

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II, #12

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM “For the Beauty of the Earth”

John Rutter

For the beauty of the earth, for the beauty of the skies, for the love which from our birth over and around us lies: Lord of all, to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise. For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night, hill and vale and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light: Lord of all to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise. For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child, friends on earth, and friends above, for all gentle thoughts and mild: Lord of all to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise. For each perfect gift of thine to our race so freely given, graces human and divine, flowers of earth and buds of heaven: Lord of all to thee we raise this our joyful hymn of praise.

***DOXOLOGY #94**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

***THE GREAT THANKSGIVING #17**

(Please join in singing the following hymns during Communion: #700, #534, & #427.)

As you come forward to receive communion, an offering may be placed on the communion rail to be used for the Good Samaritan Fund.

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN # 437

“This Is My Song”

FINLANDIA

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE “You Satisfy the Hungry Heart” GIFT OF FINEST WHEAT

*GOING FORTH

*CLOSING VOLUNTARY

“Fantasy in C Major”

J. S. Bach

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

*Congregation is invited to stand.

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 telephone number so we may contact you in person.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS AND HYMNALS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED. FM SOUND ENHANCEMENT PERSONAL RECEIVERS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED. PLEASE ASK ANY USHER FOR ASSISTANCE.



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, Senior Minister
Lisa Brown Cole, Associate 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, Office Manager
Cynthia Livingood, Publications Manager
Joe Stevens, Operations Manager
Greig Ashurst, Interim Minister to Youth

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

Brad Byars, Divinity School Intern
Edgardo Colón-Emeric, Pastor, ¡Cristo Vive! Hispanic Congregation

Church Office Hours:

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