
Duke Memorial United Methodist Church
504 West Chapel Hill Street • Durham, North Carolina • 27701

In mission where life is broken. † In celebration where life is whole.

Service of the Word
Second Sunday After the Epiphany
January 16, 2005

TOWER BELLS 10:30 am
WORSHIP 10:55 am

ENTRANCE AND PRAISE

GATHERING

OPENING VOLUNTARY "Little Prelude and Fugue in F" J.S. Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome you! 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. Guests, please include your address and telephone number.

GREETING

Come together, disciples of Jesus, who dwell in the shadow of the most high.

God is our refuge and strength. We will not fear.

God promises to keep you wherever you go. There is nowhere that you can go that God is not.

Surely God is in this place; this is the house of God – let us worship together.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #89 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" HYMN TO JOY

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 who is our light and our life,
We gather again for worship knowing deep within us that in the midst of things to be done and tasks to be accomplished, we need this time of patient waiting upon Your presence. In the midst of all the words said to us and about us, we need to listen to Your Word. In the midst of a world and a culture that would shape us and bend us and mold us into its image, we need to be reminded of who we are . . . and of whose we are.
We are created in Your image, O God. And we are Your children. Fill our worship with Your presence that our lives might be filled by Your grace. Amen.

ANGELS OF THE DANCE "You Raise Me Up"

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (to be sung)

Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face, and the things of earth will grow strangely dim in the light of his glory and grace.

EPISTLE LESSON

Philippians 14:4-9

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

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SERMON

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We are a Stephen Ministry Congregation.

Christ helping people through people.

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:

Jim Bell, Senior Pastor
Lisa Brown Cole, Associate Pastor

Ann C. Stallings, Minister of Nurture

Our Support Staff:

Laura Denny, Office Manager
Joe Stevens, Property Operations Manager
Mary Anne Holmes, Receptionist
Tim Smith, Financial Secretary
Olivia Suarez, Custodian

Al Buehler, Tower Bells
Stuart McCracken, Tower Bells
Fuller Sasser, Tower Bells

Church Office Information:

9:00-4:30 pm Monday – Thursday
9:00-1:00 pm Friday
Website: www.dukememorial.org

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Church FAX Number (919) 682-3349
Email: dukememorial@dukememorial.org

Large print bulletins and hymnals, and sound enhancing devices are available for your use. Any usher will be glad to assist you.

BIRTHDAYS

Jan 16	John Pinner
Jan 17	Cheryl Conrad, Caroline Few, Scott Mihayli
Jan 18	Polly Gwin, Gary Weaver, Mark Vick, Tripp Funderburk, Tatum Teer-Barutio
Jan 19	Joanna Fogle
Jan 20	Natalie Banks, Nicholas Luck, Devin Fitts, Kaytlin Browning
Jan 21	Mary Frances White, Scott Bagley, Anna Blair, Aaron Bailey
Jan 22	Jim Green, Colin Smith

If your name or that of someone you know should have appeared on this list and did not, please contact the church office.

SUNDAY January 9, 2005

Attendance:		Record of Stewardship 2005:	
Sunday School	197	Received 01-09-05	\$ 5,169
Worship 10:55 am	236	Received YTD 2005	\$ 9,729

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR TODAY: 10:55 am

Sermon:	Lisa Brown Cole	Acolytes:	Becky McMorrow
Organist:	Tim Turkington		Jennifer McMorrow
Liturgist:	Blaine Butterworth	Cross:	Dan Nifong
	Jim Bell	Altar Guild:	Sue Jackson
Greeters:	Carolyn Thomas		Jenn Hudson
	Ginny Clark		

NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE

Nursery care for newborn through four years of age is available during the worship hour. Please ask an usher for directions.

Worship bags are available each Sunday morning in the narthex. These bags are designed for children younger than first grade. Please return them to the baskets at the end of the service. Children's Bulletins for ages 7-12 are also available each Sunday in the narthex.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join the sermon discussion group immediately following worship today in the Lillie Duke Classroom, # 112, across the hallway from the sanctuary.

“**God’s Grace . . . When I’m Guilty**” is the theme of the worship service next Sunday. The scripture lessons are Psalm 51:1-17 and Luke 15:11-32. This sermon continues the series on God’s grace. Two infants will be baptized during worship. A sermon discussion group will meet in the Lillie Duke Classroom, #112, across the hallway from the sanctuary, immediately following worship.

We welcome **Tim Turkington** who is serving as our organist today. We are also grateful to Marge Clark for directing the Sanctuary Choir today.

Mom’s Support Group

Our normal meeting schedule will resume again Wednesday (1/12) at 9:30. We will then meet again two weeks later on January 26. We are still working on our latest Bible study. Don’t worry if you’ve missed the previous sessions. We’re walking through the verses and questions together, so there’s no prep work! As usual, we will reserve time for any issues that anyone may need to discuss. Please let Kathy Fortner or Ann Stallings know if you’ll be bringing your little one(s) with you so that we can be sure to have enough babysitters.

An **Exploring Membership** class for persons interested in learning more about our church and the covenant of membership began today at 9:45 a.m. in the parlor. For more information or to enroll in this class taught by Rev. Bell and others, telephone the church office at 683-3467.

“**Be Thou My Vision**” is the theme of the 2005 Leadership Event for church officers in the Durham District, planned for Sunday, January 23, from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, located on Umstead Road in northern Durham. (*Note location change.*) The Rev. Dr. Peter Storey, retired bishop of the Methodist Church of South Africa, will be the keynote speaker.

Opportunity to Help!

As the recovery efforts continue in the aftermath of the tsunami; we have the opportunity to make a difference. UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) is on the scene in many ways ministering to the many needs. You can help by making a donation. Make checks to Duke Memorial and write “UMCOR - Tsunami Relief” on the check, and your gift will make a difference. Thank You.

Missions Committee

This Week at DMUMC

Sunday 16

8:00 pm Al-Anon and AA

Monday, 17

Church Office Closed

6:30 pm Stephen Ministry Class

7:00 pm SPRC

8:00 pm Al-Anon, Ala-Teen, and AA

Tuesday, 18

8:00 pm Al-Anon and AA

Wednesday, 19

5:30 pm Wonderful Wednesday

Thursday, 20

Friday, 21

8:00 pm Al-Anon and AA

Saturday, 22

7:30 am DMYF to MERCI Center

Wonderful Wednesday January 19, 2005

5:30 pm Dinner

Adults \$5.50

Children 3-11: \$3.50

Family Maximum: \$18

Menu:

Adults: Chicken Cordon Bleu, Rice, & Broccoli

Children: Chicken Tenders, Rice, & Green Beans

Please call the church office by noon on Tuesday, Jan. 18th to make or change your dinner reservation , 683-3467.

Consult the INSIGHTS for more information.

Copies of the current issue are in the main entrance to the sanctuary. If you would like to be put on the newsletter mailing list, call the church office at 683-3467 ext. 301.

Remember in Prayer: Week of January 16, 2005

Home

Donald Browning
Tom Chandler
Jim Crawford
Lib Guthrie

Betty Kissell
Marion Montgomery
Mark Vick

Michelle Hunter – Paula Allen's step-sister
Rhonda Hypes – Stephanie York's mother
Bob Jefferies – Elaine Ogburn's dad
Zarook Kaspar – Winnie's mother-in-law
Cindy Knauff – friend of the Fortners
Jay Lewis – Beth Lewis Sorensen's dad
Bryan Lorichon – friend of Ann Stallings
Wally Lynch – Kathy Fortner's step-grandfather
William Michael – cousin of Margaret McCotter
Mike Nifong – Tim's brother
Elizabeth Overman – Jim & Sharon Allen's niece
Myrtle Perkins – Beulah Latta's cousin
Reid Pope – brother of Todd Pope
Waverly, Kathy & Mary Rainey – friends of Ann Stallings
Linda Supernaw – PMO Teacher
Ava Sutton – mother of Joanna Fogle

Extended Care

Melissa Allen – Max Meadows, VA
Frances Brinkley – Hillcrest 417
Laura Preddy Brock – Pavilion Rm. 207
George Cleeves – Homestead 108
Chick Craig – Brian Center
Virginia Guerrant – Pavilion
Tom Hargitt – Homestead A115
Virginia Massey – Hillcrest Room 211

Extended Family

Jeff Baker – friend of Kevin and Marilyn Griffin
Gene Boyd – Gary's father
Nelson Brown – Lisa Brown Cole's dad
Barbara Bryant – friend of Tim and Shelley Turkington
James Cosby – Sarah McGiverin's brother
Glen Cox – Bob's cousin
Mary Cox – Bob's mother
Matthew Crabtree – grandson of Leon & Gerry Crabtree
Tim Denault – Dody Denault's brother-in-law
Denise Ellis – friend of Meg Yarbrough
Penny Ennis – friend of Nancy Hall
Don Fennell – Kimberly McGowan's father
Kim Ford – cousin of Eilene Bisgrove
Gene Gargon – friend of Joe Stevens
Dianne Greene – Janet Celko's sister
Cole Gross – Julie Sauvageot's nephew
Powell Hallan – Marlene Allen's student
Ward Hill – father of Debbie Crabtree
Pierce Hoover – friend of Speights, Grubbs, and Sassers

Missionaries

Bob and Hazel Terhune – Japan
Herbert and Mary Zigbuo – Liberia
Lynn and Sharon Fogleman – Red Bird Missionary Conference, Kentucky

Sympathy

We extend our deepest sympathy to Norma Van Vleet and family following the death of her husband, Dr. David Van Vleet on January 8, 2005.