Duke Memorial Methodist Church

Minister
The Reverend E. B. Fisher

"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the House of the Lord"
MORNING WORSHIP
SUNDAY, JUNE 10, 1956
ELEVEN O’CLOCK

(Worship begins as you enter this Sanctuary. A moment of prayer and reverent silence is suggested.)

*THE ORGAN PRELUDE “Devotion” Schreiner
THE CALL TO WORSHIP
*HYMN 162 “O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing” Glaser
THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
THE GLORIA PATRI

THE ANTHEM: “As Torrents in Summer” Elgar

THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES Acts 4: 1-14
THE MORNING PRAYER, concluded with the Lord’s Prayer and Choral Response

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS
HYMN 305 “O Gracious Father of Mankind” from Gawler’s Hymns and Psalms

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM “How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place” Brahms
THE PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND CHORAL RESPONSE
(The congregation will stand and join the choir in the response)

THE SERMON “With Jesus” The Minister
PRAYER
HYMN 238 “Blessed Assurance” Knapp
THE BLESSING AND CHORAL RESPONSE

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE “Hymn of Praise” Schreiner

EVENING WORSHIP
SEVEN-THIRTY O’CLOCK

THE ORGAN PRELUDE “Prelude” Wilson
THE CALL TO WORSHIP
HYMN 140 “There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood” Early American melody

THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY SCRIPTURES Matthew 5: 1-16
THE EVENING PRAYER
THE ANNOUNCEMENTS
HYMN 234 “Lord Jesus, I Love Thee” Gordon
THE OFFERTORY SOLO “Seek Ye The Truth” Mrs. Gertrude C. Jones

THE PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND CHORAL RESPONSE
THE SERMON “The Light of the World” The Minister
ALTAR PRAYERS
(At this time, while the organ is being played, an invitation is extended to any one who may wish to do so to come and kneel at the altar and silently make one’s petition unto God.)
HYMN 254 “Brightly Beams Our Father’s Mercy” Bliss
THE BLESSING AND CHORAL RESPONSE
THE ORGAN POSTLUDE “Aria” Hummel

* Indicates when those coming in late may be seated.
The beautiful flowers within the Sanctuary this morning have been given by Mrs. W. T. Bain and Mrs. J. T. High in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Green

Welcome home, College Students! You are invited to attend the college class which will be meeting regularly this summer in the Fellowship Room under the Sanctuary. Dr. W. A. Kale, Dr. W. J. Seeley, and Dr. Marcus Hobbs will be guest teachers during the month of June

Intermediate Council Meeting will be held this afternoon at 4:30.

Senior and Intermediate MYF will meet for supper, recreation, and worship this afternoon at 5:30.

The minister and members of the church extend sincere sympathy to Mrs. Henry Barton, Mrs. Mary Rogers Hudson, and Miss Julia Rogers on the death of their brother, Mr. C. S. Rogers, Norfolk, Virginia.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet Monday, June 11, 11:30 o'clock in the Memorial Chapel. This will be the first meeting of the new missionary year. All members are urged to be present. The Spiritual Life Group will meet at 11:00 in the Church Parlor. Lunch will be served by Mrs. Lewis McKee's Circle following the General Meeting.

Circle 6 of the WSCS will meet Wednesday, June 13, with Mrs. J. B. Cutchin, 2009 Pershing Street. Miss Nellie McClees is chairman of this circle, and Mrs. A. H. Borland is co-chairman.

The Lillie Duke Class will meet at the church, Monday night, at 7:45 o'clock.

There will be a special meeting of the Board of Stewards on Tuesday night, June 12, in the Church Parlor at 7:30. All members are urged to be present for this very important meeting.

There are only two more Sundays in this Conference year. Our Annual Conference convenes on June 25. Our treasurer needs around $9,000 in order to meet all obligations. Please pay your pledge as early in the month as possible.
VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL

All boys and girls who will be in the Kindergarten, Primary, or Junior departments in the fall are invited to the Duke Memorial Methodist Vacation Church School, which will meet from 9:00 until 11:30 on the mornings of June 18-29.

FOR PARENTS ONLY

Thinking that three hours of any movies are harmless for the child, but that two hours of church and Sunday School are too much for his nervous system is just bad thinking.

Giving him a nickle for the collection and fifty cents for the movies not only shows a parents' sense of value, but is also not likely to produce a proportionate giver.

Letting him listen to several hours of radio thrillers a day with no time for one short prayer and a few Bible verses is criminal unbalance.

Being careful that Junior has his week-day lessons, and caring not that he knows not his Sunday School lessons make for spiritual illiteracy.

Saying that a child must make his own decisions as to whether or not he should go to church or as to what church, is shirking paternal responsibility.

When father spends Sunday morning mowing the lawn, cleaning the garden or playing golf, his sons are left to walk alone.

When parents idle away Sunday morning reading the paper or listening to the radio, while brother and sister are sent by themselves to church, something happens to the children's evaluation of church attendance.

"Whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

—Quoted from "Miami Christian"