

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

February 13, 2005

9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*The Christian Year: First Sunday of Lent **

Preparation for Worship

"Love Everlasting"

Allen Pote

High School Ensemble

Lynda Fray, *Director*; Amy Rucker, *Piano*

If God is for us, who can be against us? Who can separate us from the love of Christ? Can trouble, hardship, or suffering; can poverty, danger or death? No, in all these we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. For I am sure that neither life nor death, angels, rulers nor demons, neither the present, future, nor height, nor depth, nothing in all creation can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

based on Romans 8.31-39

Call to Worship

Dr. Pete Deison

Minister: There is none like You among the gods, O Lord, nor are there any works like Yours.

People: **All the nations You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord, and shall glorify Your name. For You are great and do wondrous things; You alone are God.**

Psalm 86:8-10

*Hymn of Adoration No. 38 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

JOANNA

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn of Praise No. 55

"To God Be the Glory"

TO GOD BE THE GLORY

*The Heidelberg Catechism

Question 1

Minister: Christian, what is your only comfort, in life and in death?

People: **That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself, but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of His own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that He protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit His purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.**

*The Doxology

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.
O praise Him, O praise Him.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord Most High, most wise and faithful Redeemer, who has permitted us to come into our present trials, grant that we may profoundly and openly confess our acts of disobedience, our predisposed desires to be apart from You, our schemes, our whims, and our strategies to author our lives according to the wisdom of our flesh. We face our trials without bravery. We reject that even the dark circumstances of lives work together for our good. We fail to learn obedience by the things we suffer, and we turn to ourselves, not to You, in our time of trouble. Teach us not to be neither bitter in our sorrow, despairing in our submission, or doubting You in the perplexities of our lives. Forgive us, Lord Jesus, lover of our souls.

Private Confession

Song of Praise

"Worthy of Worship"

JUDSON
text: Terry York

Assurance and Comfort of the Gospel of Jesus Christ

O Lord Jesus Christ, who did give Your life to us that we might receive pardon and peace: Mercifully cleanse us from all sin, and evermore keep us in Your favor and love, who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.

Prayer of Intercession for Christ's Church and the World The Rev. Tim Tinsley 9:30
The Rev. Ron Williams 11:00

Musical Offering

"My Father's World"

TERRA BEATA

arr. S. Curry

text: M. D. Babcock (1858-1901)

Swahili translation:

Asante sana Mungu = Many thanks, God.

Bwana asifiwe! = Praise the Lord!

Tuimbe Hallelujah! = Let's sing Hallelujah!

Please join in singing when so directed.

***The Greeting of Peace**

Minister: Having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: **And also with you.**

The Service of Friendship

If you are seated on the left end of the pew, please take the Service of Friendship pad, fill out the information and pass it down. When it arrives at the other end of the pew, pass it back, taking note of those who are seated in your row.

Extending the Kingdom: Marriage Matters

Bette and Bill Cortelyou

***The Scripture Reading**

Psalm 103

Ashley and Pete Flowers 9:30
Kristin and Lloyd Denman 11:00

The Morning Sermon "The Gospel According to David"

Dr. Deison

***Closing Hymn No. 524** "Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ"

DARWALL

***The Benediction**

Minister: Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; He will surely do it. 1 Thessalonians 5.23-24

People: **THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN!**

Postlude

Dr. William Hanson, *Organ*

**The Congregation Stands.*

**Lent- in English means "Spring," generally known as six weeks of devotional preparation for Easter.*

Personal Prayer and Counsel

"Be devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor . . . rejoicing in hope, persevering in tribulation, devoted to prayer, contributing to the needs of the saints, practicing hospitality." Romans 12.10, 12, 13

We want so much to come along side you in brotherly love and hospitality by your allowing us to be in prayer for your salvation or any need you may have. Please join us in the parlor (Room 205, next to the Information Center) following the worship service where our Elders and prayer leaders are available and eager to meet with you and pray with you in complete confidence.

"Honor your father and your mother." Deuteronomy 5.16

The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in honor of Martha White Farris on the occasion of her 83rd birthday by Elizabeth Farris Figari, Ernie, Alexandra and Audrey Figari.

Park Cities Presbyterian Church exists to extend the transforming presence of the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in Dallas and to the world.

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"How sweet are Your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth."

Psalm 119:103

The great desire of the elders is that PCPC be a church immersed in the Word of God. In order to see this happen, we have provided each household a copy of the *One Year Bible*. If you have yet to receive your copy of the *One Year Bible*, they are available on a table in the south foyer. For your convenience this week's reading is listed below. *This information is also posted on the PCPC web site: www.pcpc.org.*

Date	Old Testament	Psalm	Proverbs	New Testament
2/13	Exodus 35.10-36.38	34.1-10	9.7-8	Matt. 27.32-66
2/14	Exodus 37.1-38.31	34.11-22	9.9-10	Matt. 28.1-20
2/15	Exodus 39.1-40.38	35.1-16	9.11-12	Mark 1.1-28
2/16	Leviticus 1.1-3.17	35.17-28	9.13-18	Mark 1.29-2.12
2/17	Leviticus 4.1-5.19	36.1-12	10.1-2	Mark 2.13-3.6
2/18	Leviticus 6.1-7.27	37.1-11	10.3-4	Mark 3.7-30
2/19	Leviticus 7.28-9.6	37.12-29	10.5	Mark 3.31-4.25