



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

AUGUST 6, 2006  
8:00, 9:30 AND 11:00 AM

*The Christian Year: Ninth Sunday after Pentecost*

*To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest; to all who mourn and long for comfort; to all who struggle and desire victory; to all who sin and need a Savior; to all who are strangers and want fellowship; to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness; and to all who will come, this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.*

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*Please turn off all communication devices.  
Please, no food or drinks in the sanctuary.  
Thank you.*

### Welcome

Mr. Jack Denman 8:00  
Mr. Tim Wilson 9:30/11:00

**Preparation for Worship** “Concerto for Trumpet: Allegro”  
Brittany Hendricks, *Trumpet* • Colin Howland, *Organ*

*Torelli*

*Romans 8:26-30*

*Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. And He who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to His purpose. For those whom He foreknew He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, in order that He might be the firstborn among many brothers. And those whom He predestined He also called, and those whom He called He also justified, and those whom He justified He also glorified.*

### Call to Worship

The Rev. Mark Davis

**Minister:** I will extol You, my God and King, and bless Your name forever and ever. Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and His greatness is unsearchable.

**People:** **The eyes of all look to You, and You give them their food in due season. You open Your hand; You satisfy the desire of every living thing.**

**Minister:** The LORD is righteous in all His ways and kind in all His works. The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call on Him in truth.

**People:** **He fulfills the desire of those who fear Him; He also hears their cry and saves them. My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD, and let all flesh bless His holy name forever and ever.**

from Psalm 145

\*Hymn of Adoration No. 457 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

NETTLETON

Choral Praise 9:30/11:00

"Alleluia"

J. S. Bach

Chancel Choir

J. Marty Cope, Director • Stephen Nielson, Piano

*Alleluia! Give praise to the Lord; with joy now sing. Let heart and voice be praising.  
All earth give ear, salvation is here. Sing alleluia. Praise the Lord forever!*

\*Hymn of Praise

"Alleluia, Sing to Jesus"

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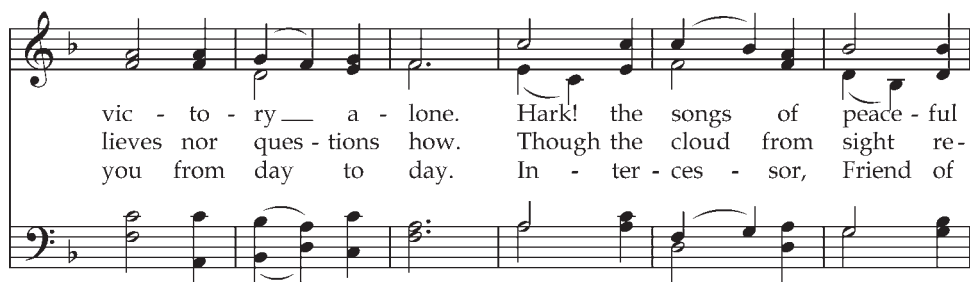
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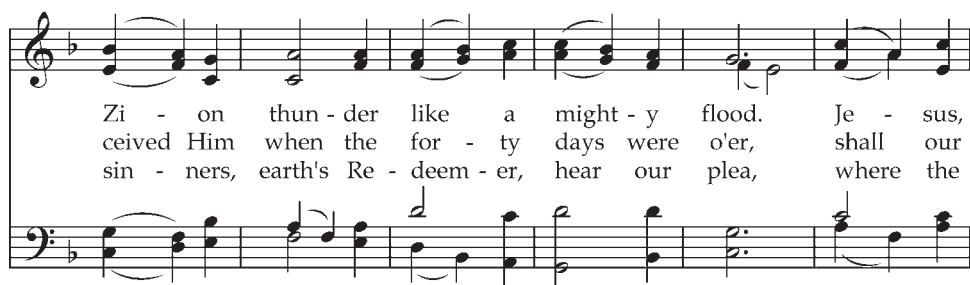
1. Al - le - lu - ia, sing to Je - sus! His the scep - ter,  
2. Al - le - lu - ia! not as or - phans are we left in  
3. Al - le - lu - ia! heav - 'nly High Priest, here on earth our



His the throne: Al - le - lu - ia! His the tri - umph, His the  
sor - row now; Al - le lu - ia! He is near us; faith be -  
help, our stay; Al - le - lu - ia! hear the sin - ful cry to



vic - to - ry a - lone. Hark! the songs of peace - ful  
lieves nor ques - tions how. Though the cloud from sight re -  
you from day to day. In - ter - ces - sor, Friend of



Zi - on thun - der like a might - y flood. Je - sus,  
ceived Him when the for - ty days were o'er, shall our  
sin - ners, earth's Re - deem - er, hear our plea, where the



out of ev - ery na - tion, has re - deemed us by His blood.  
hearts for - get his prom - ise, "I am with you ev - er - more"?  
songs of all the sin - less sweep a - cross the crys - tal sea."

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

Mr. Davis

**\*Confession of Faith**

Larger Catechism, Questions 178 and 185

Minister: What is prayer?

**People: Prayer is an offering up of our desires unto God, in the name of Christ, by the help of His Spirit, with confession of our sins, and thankful acknowledgment of His mercies.**

Minister: How are we to pray?

**People: We are to pray with an awful apprehension of the majesty of God, and deep sense of our own unworthiness, necessities, and sins; with penitent, thankful, and enlarged hearts; with understanding, faith, sincerity, fervency, love, and perseverance, waiting upon Him, with humble submission to His will.**

**\*Hymn of Praise No. 170**

“Fairest Lord Jesus”

CRUSADER’S HYMN

**Public Confession of Sin**

**Lord, You have called us to worship You. We gladly gather! We praise You, though our own inadequacy reminds us of how we have broken our relationship with You. Because we have sinned against You, even our worship fails to be what it could. We often treat it as a show. We simply go through motions, failing to recognize that You want to engage us deeply. Renew us, we pray, according to Your steadfast love. Remind us of Your covenant faithfulness and have mercy on us in the name of Jesus Christ.**

**Private Confession**

**Promise and Comfort of the Gospel of Jesus Christ**

Christ Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By His wounds You have been healed. For you were straying like sheep, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

1 Peter 2:24-25

**Prayer for Christ's Church and the World/Offertory**

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

Dr. Pete Deison 9:30

The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 11:00

**Musical Offering**

“Who Is Like You, O Lord?”

*Plsek*

Lauren Bell, *Soprano* • Brian Piper, *Piano*

**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.*

**\*The Greeting of Peace**

Minister: Let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which also you were called in one body; and be thankful. The peace of the Lord be with you always. Colossians 3.15

**People: And also with you.**

Now Jesus was praying in a certain place, and when He finished, one of His disciples said to Him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples."<sup>2</sup> And He said to them, "When you pray, say:

"Father, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come.<sup>3</sup> Give us each day our daily bread,<sup>4</sup> and forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone who is indebted to us. And lead us not into temptation."

<sup>5</sup> And He said to them, "Which of you who has a friend will go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves,<sup>6</sup> for a friend of mine has arrived on a journey, and I have nothing to set before him';<sup>7</sup> and he will answer from within, 'Do not bother me; the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed. I cannot get up and give you anything'?<sup>8</sup> I tell you, though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, yet because of his impudence he will rise and give him whatever he needs.<sup>9</sup> And I tell you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.<sup>10</sup> For everyone who asks receives, and the one who seeks finds, and to the one who knocks it will be opened.<sup>11</sup> What father among you, if his son asks for a fish, will instead of a fish give him a serpent;<sup>12</sup> or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion?<sup>13</sup> If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!"

The Morning Sermon

"Lord, Teach Us to Pray"

Mr. Davis

↪ Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue on page 6 ↩

The Great Thanksgiving

Mr. Williams

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

**People: We lift them up to the Lord!**

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

**People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Minister: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

**People: Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious Name; evermore praising You, and singing:**

*Please stand.*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,  
 heav'n \_\_\_\_\_ and earth \_\_\_\_\_ are full \_\_\_\_\_ of your glo - ry. Ho -  
 san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*Please be seated.*

**The Words of Institution**

**The Communion**

*Please come down the center aisle and go to the first available pair of elders.  
Consume each element as you receive it.  
Return up the side aisle with your empty cup.*

**During the Serving of Communion**

*“Prayer of St. Gregory”  
Miss Hendricks*

*Hovhanness*

*Please use the following Scripture for private meditation:*

*Colossians 1.15-23*

*He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by Him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through Him and for Him. And He is before all things, and in Him all things hold together. And He is the Head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything He might be preeminent. For in Him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of His cross.*

*And you, who once were alienated and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, He has now reconciled in His body of flesh by His death, in order to present you holy and blameless and above reproach before Him, if indeed you continue in the faith, stable and steadfast, not shifting from the hope of the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed in all creation under heaven, and of which I, Paul, became a minister.*

☞ Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue here ☞

**\*Closing Hymn No. 32**

**“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”**

FAITHFULNESS

**\*Benediction**

**Minister:** The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

**People:** **Thanks be to God! Amen.**

**Postlude**

**“We Thank Thee, God”**  
Mr. Howland

*J. S. Bach*

*\*The congregation stands.*

*The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God from the wedding of Lindsey Ann Fulmer and John Parker Benda in celebration of their marriage and union in Christ.*

### **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 alongside 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 (north of Fellowship Hall) 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.**

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