



*A PRAYING COMMUNITY*

## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church  
July 29, 2007  
8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

*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.*

---

---

*Please turn off all communication devices.  
Thank you.*

### Preparation for Worship

#### Call to Worship

The Rev. Mark Davis 8:00  
The Rev. Tim Tinsley 9:30  
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 11:00

Minister: Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength! Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name; bring an offering, and come into His courts!

People: **Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before Him all the earth!**

Psalm 76.7-9

\*Hymn of Adoration No. 296 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" CORONATION

\*Prayer of Adoration

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*Hymn of Praise No. 3** "Give to Our God Immortal Praise"

WARRINGTON

*Please be seated.*

**Public Confession of Sin**

**Minister:** Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord! O Lord, hear my voice! Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! If You, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with You there is forgiveness, that You may be feared.

**People:** **Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in Your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.**

**Private Confession**

**Words of Assurance and Comfort of the Gospel**

O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with Him is plentiful redemption. And He will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

**Song of Praise No. 251** "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

ST. CHRISTOPHER



☞ Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue on page 5 ☞

*Please stand.*

**\*The Great Thanksgiving**

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:**

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.

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing**

**\*The Words of Institution**

**The Communion**

*Please come forward down the center aisle.  
Partake of the elements upon receiving them from the elders.  
Return to your seat with your empty cup via the side aisle.*

## During the Serving of Communion

*Please use the following Scripture for private meditation.*

*Jeremiah 31.31-34*

*"Behold, the days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah, not like the covenant that I made with their fathers on the day when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt, my covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, declares the Lord. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts. And I will be their God, and they shall be my people. And no longer shall each one teach his neighbor and each his brother, saying, 'Know the Lord,' for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, declares the Lord. For I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more."*

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

**\*Closing Hymn No. 253** "There Is a Fountain Filled With Blood" *FOUNTAIN*

### **\*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** "Prelude and Fugue in C Major" *Bach*  
Mr. Howland, *Organ*

*\*The congregation stands.*

### **—Looking Ahead— Preaching Schedule**

August 5, 2007  
The Rev. Ron Williams  
*Assistant Pastor: Senior Adults/Pastoral Care*  
*Park Cities Presbyterian Church*  
*Dallas, Texas*

August 12, 2007  
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty  
*Assistant Pastor: 20+ Community*  
*Park Cities Presbyterian Church*  
*Dallas, Texas*

Music by permission: CCLI #364068

**PRAYER**  
**God's Program for *Spiritual* Fitness**

We are to pray partly that the graces of His Spirit may be increased in us, for prayer exercises our graces. Every grace is exercised in prayer, and these graces, being exercised, are increased. See an excellent place for this in Jude 20, “That you beloved edify yourselves in the holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost”—that is, spiritual prayer made through the power, assistance, and strength of the Holy Ghost. Every such prayer builds us up, it increases. Every grace in us—faith, repentance, love, obedience, and fear—are all increased by prayer. Partly because they are exercised and set to work in prayer—for the very exercises increases them—and partly, also, because prayer brings us to communion with God. Now, if good company increases grace, how much more will communion with the Lord Himself quicken and increase it?

—*John Preston 1587-1628*

## 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.**