

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church February 8, 2009 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.

We Prepare Our Hearts

"Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations."

Psalm 46.10

Preparation for Worship

9:30/11:00

"Just a Little Talk with Jesus" PCPC Men's Ensemble

C. Derricks

We Come to Worship at His Invitation

"Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

Matthew 11.28

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00 The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon His name; make known

His deeds among the peoples! Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works! Glory in His holy name; let the

hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice!

People: Save us, O God of our salvation, and gather and deliver us

from among the nations, that we may give thanks to Your holy name, and glory in Your praise. Blessed be the LORD, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting! 1 Chronicles 16:8-10, 35-36

We Praise and Profess Our Faith in God

"Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him; bless His name!" Psalm 100.4

*Hymn of Adoration No. 122 "God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory"

ODE TO JOY

*Prayer of Adoration

*Confession of Faith

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00 The Rev. Tim Tinsley 9:30 The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 11:00

Minister: **People:**

Christian, what is your only comfort, in life and in death? 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 Heidelberg Catechism, Question 1

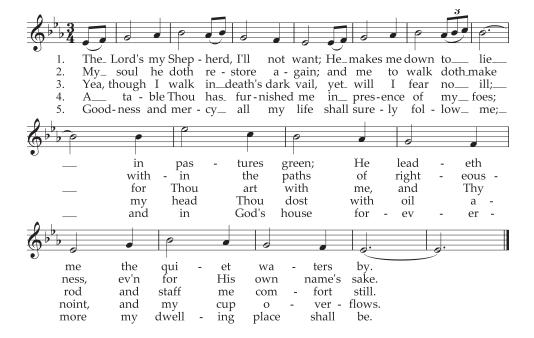
*Hymn of Praise No. 457 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

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*Psalm of Praise

"The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want"

ST. COLUMBA



Public Confession of Sin

Eternal and merciful God, You have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and You have set us on paths of righteousness for Your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from Your way; we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone. As we remember the lavish gift of Your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise You and give You thanks that You forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with You, and in whose strong name we pray.

Private Confession

Song of Assurance No. 708 "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" 9:30/11:00

ST. MARGARET

We Pray for Our Congregation, the Church, and the World

"First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people . . . This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth." 1 Timothy 2.1, 3-4

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Lamberth 8:00 Mr. Tinsley 9:30 Mr. Lafferty 11:00

Musical Offering

"Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" 8:00 Russ Whitfield, *Tenor* • Brian Piper, *Piano* Speaks

9:30/11:00

"Rise Up, O Men of God"

W. Walter

PCPC Men's Choir • J. Marty Cope, Director

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Rise up, O men of God! Have done with lesser things. Give heart and soul and mind and strength to serve the King of kings.

Rise up, O men of God! His Kingdom tarries long; bring in the day of brotherhood and end the night of wrong.

Rise up, O men of God! The Church for you doth wait, her strength unequal to her task, rise up and make her great.

Lift high the cross of Christ! Tread where His feet have trod; as brothers of the Son of Man, rise up O men of God!

*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.

Romans 5.1

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.

We Hear and Respond to God's Word

"Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on His law he meditates day and night."

Psalm 1.1-2

*The Scripture Reading

1 Peter 4.19-5.14

Therefore let those who suffer according to God's will entrust their souls to a faithful Creator while doing good.

^{5.1}So I exhort the elders among you, as a fellow elder and a witness of the sufferings of Christ, as well as a partaker in the glory that is going to be revealed: ²shepherd the flock of God that is among you, exercising oversight, not under compulsion, but willingly, as God would have you; not for shameful gain, but eagerly; ³not domineering over those in your charge, but being examples to the flock. ⁴And when the chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the unfading crown of glory. ⁵Likewise, you who are younger, be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble."

⁶Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time He may exalt you, ⁷casting all your anxieties on Him, because He cares for you. ⁸Be sober-minded; be watchful. Your adversary the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour. ⁹Resist him, firm in your faith, knowing that the same kinds of suffering are being experienced by your brotherhood throughout the world. ¹⁰And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. ¹¹To Him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

Final Greetings

¹²By Silvanus, a faithful brother as I regard him, I have written briefly to you, exhorting and declaring that this is the true grace of God. Stand firm in it. ¹³She who is at Babylon, who is likewise chosen, sends you greetings, and so does Mark, my son. ¹⁴Greet one another with the kiss of love.

The Morning Sermon

Standing Firm in the True Grace of God

Mr. Williams *8:00* Mr. Davis *9:30/11:00*

"The Lion, the Elder and the Wardrobe"

Sworshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue on page 6

*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

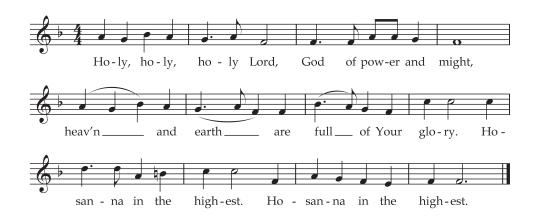
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



We Proclaim Jesus Christ Crucified as the Only Salvation for Sinners

"For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes." 1 Corinthians 11.26

*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.

Psalm 30.1-5

I will extol You, O LORD, for You have drawn me up and have not let my foes rejoice over me.

- O LORD my God, I cried to You for help, and You have healed me.
- O LORD, You have brought up my soul from Sheol; You restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.

Sing praises to the LORD, O You His saints, and give thanks to His holy name.

For His anger is but for a moment, and His favor is for a lifetime.

Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

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

We go into the World in Thanksgiving with God's Blessing

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations . . . and behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28.19a, 20b

*Closing Hymn No. 94

"How Firm a Foundation"

FOUNDATION

*Benediction

Minister: Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to

present you blameless before the presence of His glory with great joy, to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion and authority, before all time and now and forever.

Jude 24-25

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

"Prelude and Fugue in A Minor" Colin Howland, *Organ*

J.S. Bach

^{*}The congregation stands.

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

MINISTERS

The members of this church family who, in serving their Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ, extend His Kingdom in Dallas and to the world.

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.

Sunday Evening Worship Service

Tonight • February 8, 2009 6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West

The Rev. Tim Tinsley
Exodus 1.1-14
"God's Great Story of Rescue"

Music by permission: CCLI #364068

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastors

Kit Case	John Harper	Bobby Payne
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The Rev. Pete Deison	Tim Jeffress	Dick Steele
Jack Denman	Kent Johnson	Bill Thomas
David Franklin	Pat Moore	The Rev. Tim Tinsley
Mark Fulmer	Boots Nowlin	Steve Vanderhill

Assistant Pastors

The Rev. Ron Williams	The Rev. Julian Russell
The Rev. Bill Lamberth	The Rev. Jeff White
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty	The Rev. Don Admire

Executive DirectorJeff Barber

Shepherding Elders

(Elders not currently on the Session but active in ministry at Park Cities Presbyterian Church)

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Brad Bradley	Harry Hargrave	Stephen Nielson
Frank Bullock	John Hawkins	Irv Queal
David Burgher, Sr.	Bob Heinonen	Bob Rasberry
Rick Bush	Bill Hill	Frank Seay, Jr.
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