



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JUNE 5, 2011

8:00, 9:30 AND 11:00 AM

ASCENSION SUNDAY

*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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### *We Prepare Our Hearts*

*"The LORD is in His holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before Him."*

*Habakkuk 2.20*

### Preparation for Worship

### *We Come to Worship at His Bidding*

*"Let everything that has breath praise the LORD! Praise the LORD!"*

*Psalms 150.6*

### Prayer for Short-term Missionaries: Japan

9:30/11:00

### Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy! For the LORD, the Most High, is to be feared, a great King over all the earth.

People: **God has gone up with a shout, the LORD with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!**

Minister: Since then we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession.

People: **Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.**

from Psalms 47 and Hebrews 4.14, 16



- 1. Christ tri - um - phant, ev - er reign - ing, Sa - vior, Mas - ter, King!
- 2. Word in - car - nate, truth re - veal - ing, Son of man on earth:
- 3. Suf - feringservant, scorned, ill - treat - ed, vic - tim cru - ci - fied!
- 4. Priest - ly king, en - throned for - ev - er high in heaven a - bove!
- 5. So, our hearts and voic - es rais - ing through the a - ges long,



Lord of heaven, our lives sus - tain - ing, hear us as we sing.  
 Power and maj - es - ty con - ceal - ing by Your hum - ble birth.  
 Death is through the cross de - feat - ed, sin - ners jus - ti - fied.  
 Sin and death and hell shall nev - er sti - fle hymns of love.  
 cease - less - ly u - pon You gaz - ing, this shall be our song.



Yours the glo - ry and the crown, the high re - nown, the e - ter - nal name.

\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Confession of Faith

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00  
 The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30  
 The Rev. Ron Williams 11:00

Minister: Christians, how are we to come to know the hope to which God has called us, the riches of His glorious inheritance, and the immeasurable greatness of His power toward us who believe?

People: **God reveals these things by His Spirit according to the working of His great might that He worked in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and seated Him at His right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. And He put all things under His feet and gave Him as head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him who fills all in all.**

based on Ephesians 1.15-23

1. Hail the day that sees Him rise— Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2. There for Him high tri - umph waits; Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3. See, He lifts His hands a - bove! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 4. Lord, be - yond our mor - tal sight, Al - le - lu - ia!

To His throne a - bove the skies: Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Lift your heads, e - ter - nal gates, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 See, He shows the prints of love! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Raise our hearts to reach Thy height; Al - le - lu - ia!

Christ, the Lamb for sin - ners giv'n, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 He hath con - quered death and sin, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Hark! His gra - cious lips be - stow Al - le - lu - ia!  
 There Thy face un - cloud - ed see, Al - le - lu - ia!

En - ters now the high - est heav-en. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Take the King of glo - ry in! Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Bless - ings on His church be - low, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Find our heav'n of heav'ns in Thee! Al - le - lu - ia!

**Public Confession of Sin**

Almighty God, You have raised Jesus from death to life and crowned Him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before Him or acknowledged His rule in our lives. We have gone along with the ways of the world and failed to give Him glory. Forgive us and raise us from sin, that we may be Your faithful people, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the world and is head of the church, His body.

**Private Confession**

**Words of Assurance**

God, who is rich in mercy, out of the great love with which He loved us even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved—and raised us up with Him and seated us with Him in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, so that in the ages to come He might show the immeasurable riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. In Christ, by God’s grace, we are saved!  
based on Ephesians 2:4-7

**Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer**

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

## Musical Offering

8:00 "Guide Me O Thou Great Jehovah" *arr. Ovid Young*  
John MacDonald and Russ Batchelor, *duet*

9:30/11:00 "Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me" *arr. K. Lee Scott*  
Chancel Choir • Brian Piper, *director*

*Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would gracious be; help me now Thy grace to see, I would be like Thee; and, with words that help and heal, Thy life would mine reveal; and, with actions bold and meek, for Christ, my Savior, speak.*

*Truthful Spirit, dwell with me, I would truthful be; help me now Thy truth to see, I would be like Thee; and, with wisdom kind and clear, Thy life in mine appear; and, with actions brotherly, speak Christ's sincerity.*

*Holy Spirit, dwell with me, I would holy be; show Thy mercy tenderly, make me more like Thee; separate from sin, I would and cherish all things good, and whatever I can be give Him who gave me Thee.*

*Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be; help me now Thy pow'r to see, I would be like Thee; 'gainst all weapons hell can wield, be Thou my strength and shield; let Thy Word my weapon be, Lord, Thine the victory.*

## \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: 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. The peace of the Lord be with you always. *Colossians 1.19-20*

People: **And also with you.**

## The Service of Friendship

### Recognition of New Members

Mr. Davis

9:30/11:00

#### ***We Hear and Respond to God's Word***

*Moses came and told the people all the words of the LORD and all the rules.*

*And all the people answered with one voice and said,*

*"All the words that the LORD has spoken we will do." Exodus 24.3*

### Children's Sermon

9:30/11:00

## \*The Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 12.12-31

*For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. <sup>13</sup> For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit.*

*<sup>14</sup> For the body does not consist of one member but of many. <sup>15</sup> If the foot should say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>16</sup> And if the ear should say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body," that would not make it any less a part of the body. <sup>17</sup> If the whole body were an eye, where would be the sense of hearing? If the whole body were an ear, where would be the sense of smell? <sup>18</sup> But as it is, God arranged the*

members in the body, each one of them, as He chose. <sup>19</sup> If all were a single member, where would the body be? <sup>20</sup> As it is, there are many parts, yet one body.

<sup>21</sup> The eye cannot say to the hand, "I have no need of you," nor again the head to the feet, "I have no need of you." <sup>22</sup> On the contrary, the parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, <sup>23</sup> and on those parts of the body that we think less honorable we bestow the greater honor, and our unpresentable parts are treated with greater modesty, <sup>24</sup> which our more presentable parts do not require. But God has so composed the body, giving greater honor to the part that lacked it, <sup>25</sup> that there may be no division in the body, but that the members may have the same care for one another. <sup>26</sup> If one member suffers, all suffer together; if one member is honored, all rejoice together.

<sup>27</sup> Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. <sup>28</sup> And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, helping, administrating, and various kinds of tongues. <sup>29</sup> Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? <sup>30</sup> Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak with tongues? Do all interpret? <sup>31</sup> But earnestly desire the higher gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way.

**The Morning Sermon**

"The Unity of the Church  
and the Diversity of the Body"

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

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue at closing hymn on page six —

**\*The Great Thanksgiving 8:00**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

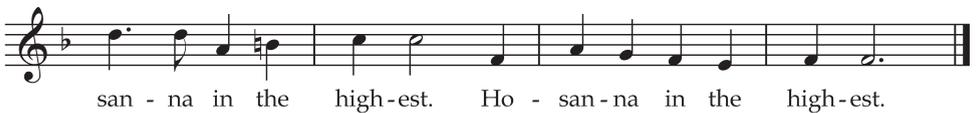
**People: We lift them up to the Lord!**

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**

Jesus said to him, I am the way, and the truth, and the life.

No one comes to the Father except through Me." John 14:6

**\*The Words of Institution** 8:00

**The Communion** 8:00

*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,  
you may use the text from the hymn on page three for private meditation.*

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

**\*Closing Hymn No. 295** “Crown Him with Many Crowns”

DIADEMATA

**\*The Benediction**

Minister: Grace to you and peace from Him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before His throne, and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. To Him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by His blood and made us a kingdom, priests to His God and Father, to Him be glory and dominion forever and ever.

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

**Postlude**

Mr. Colin Howland, *organ*

*\*The congregation stands.*

*The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Randi Lin Stephenson and Zachary Bryan Burnett.*

**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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**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.**

### Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

### Session/Associate Pastors

Ron Baxter

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Doug Chesnut

The Rev. Pete Deison

Will Francis

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Ed Jarrett

Tim Jeffress

Louie Little

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Bobby Payne

Kirk Pogoloff

Dick Steele

Dan Stewart

### Assistant Pastors

The Rev. Ron Williams

The Rev. Bill Lamberth

The Rev. Patrick Lafferty

The Rev. Julian Russell

The Rev. Jeff White

### Executive Director

Jeff Barber

### Shepherding Elders

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

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## SERMON NOTES

1 Corinthians 12.12-31

“The Unity of the Church and the Diversity of the Body”

## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of June 5, 2011

### Praise

#### **Call to Worship** *(everyone together)*

Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy! For the LORD, the Most High, is to be feared, a great King over all the earth. God has gone up with a shout, the LORD with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!

#### **“Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning”** *(sing or say these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page two.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

#### **Scripture Reading:** 1 Corinthians 12.12-31 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

#### **Questions for Discussion** *(may be answered in one worship time or spread over several times)*

1. What does the word unity mean?
2. What does the word diversity mean?
3. How many true churches are in Dallas?
4. Why did God give gifts to the body?
5. How important is each gift to the body?

#### **Questions for older children**

1. How can a church be both unified and diverse?
2. Do you know your gifts?
3. How are you using your gifts?

#### **Scripture Memory for June** *(memorize these verses of Scripture this month)*

Ephesians 2:8-10

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

### Prayer

#### **Prayer** *(saying together)*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.