



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 18, 2012

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.

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 "Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder"

9:30/11:00

Paul Goebel, *tenor* • Brian Piper, *piano*

Taylor

We Come to Worship at His Bidding

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

Psalms 150.6

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

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

Minister: The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! The LORD is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples. Let them praise Your great and awesome name! Holy is He!

People: **The King in His might loves justice. You have established equity; You have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob. Exalt the LORD our God; worship at His footstool! Holy is He!**

Psalms 99.1-5

We Praise and Profess Our Faith in God

"My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD, and let all flesh bless His holy name forever and ever." Psalms 145.21

***Hymn No. 100**

"Holy, Holy, Holy!"

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***Prayer of Adoration**

***Confession of Faith**

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00
The Rev. Bill Lamberth 9:30
The Rev. Tommy Overton 11:00

God hath all life, glory, goodness, blessedness, in and of Himself; and is alone in and unto Himself all-sufficient, not standing in need of any creatures which He hath made, nor deriving any glory from them, but only manifesting His own glory in, by, unto, and upon them. He is the alone fountain of all being, of whom, through whom, and to whom are all things; and hath most sovereign dominion over them, to do by them, for them, or upon them whatsoever Himself pleaseth. In His sight all things are open and manifest, His knowledge is infinite, infallible, and independent upon the creature, so as nothing is to Him contingent, or uncertain. He is most holy in all His counsels, in all His works, and in all His commands. To Him is due from angels and men, and every other creature, whatsoever worship, service, or obedience He is pleased to require of them.

Westminster Confession of Faith, 2.2

***Hymn No. 103**

“Holy God, We Praise Your Name”

GROSSER GOTT

The Sacrament of Baptism
9:30/11:00

Mr. Davis, Rev. Patrick Lafferty, Mr. Lamberth 9:30
Dr. Deison, Mr. Davis 11:00

Parental Vows

1. Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God's covenant promises on their behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation, as you do for your own?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before them a godly example, that you will pray with and for them, that you will teach them the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

Congregational Vow

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of these children?

9:30

11:00

Reid Thomas Cave
Larson Daniel Leonard
Theodore Robert Burgher
Greyson James Daniel
Henry Warren Lee

Weslyn Grace Huckin
Caroline Maddox Huckin
Mary Frances Cathey

Prayer for the Families
9:30/11:00

Mr. David Burgher, Sr. 9:30
Mr. Davis, 11:00

9:30/11:00



1. Ap- proach, my_ soul, the mer - cy seat where Je - sus_ an - swers
 2. Thy pro - mise is my on - ly plea; with this I_ ven - ture
 3. Bowed down be - neath a load of sin, by Sa - tan_ sore - ly
 4. Be Thou my_ shield and hid - ing place, that, shel - tered near Thy
 5. O won - drous love! to bleed and die, to bear the_ cross and



prayer; _____ there hum - bly_ fall - be -
 nigh: _____ Thou cal - lest_ bur - dened
 pressed, _____ by war_ with - out and
 side, _____ I may_ my_ fierce ac -
 shame, _____ that guilt - y_ sin - ners,



fore_ His_ feet, for none can_ en - ter there.
 souls_ to_ Thee, and such, O_ Lord, am I.
 fears_ with - in, I come to_ Thee for rest.
 cus - er_ face, and tell him_ Thou hast died.
 such_ as_ I, might plead Thy_ gra - cious name!

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord, great God, all holy, Father most gracious, filled with mercy and steadfast love, we are embarrassed to come before You for we have preferred the ways of this world to Your ways; for we have rebelled against Your wisdom and we have gotten into trouble; for we have rejected Your fatherly guidance and have gotten lost altogether. To You belongs righteousness, O Lord, and to us confusion of face.

O Lord, great God, all holy, filled with awe, Father most gracious, filled with mercy and steadfast love, incline Your ear to our troubles. Hear us when we pour out our sorrows before You. Forgive us, not on the ground of our own righteousness, but on the ground of Your great mercy; on the ground of Your great mercy in the gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ. It is in His name that we pray for He is our Savior and the mediator of the covenant of grace.

based on Daniel 9.4-19

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

The LORD is near to all who call on Him, to all who call on Him in truth. He fulfills the desire of those who fear Him; He also hears their cry and saves them.

Psalm 145.18-19

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

Dr. Deison 8:00
Mr. Lamberth 9:30
Mr. Overton 11:00

Musical Offering

8:00 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" *arr. Mark Jones*
J. Marty Cope, *organ*

9:30/11:00 "Almighty and Everlasting God" *Gibbons*
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *director*

Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities and in all our dangers and necessities, stretch forth Thy right hand to help and defend us: through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: We are the body of Christ; in one Spirit we were all baptized in one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life. 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.

*The Scripture Reading

Matthew 6.7-13

⁷ *And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. ⁸ Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask Him.*

⁹ *Pray then like this:*

"Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name.

¹⁰ *Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.*

¹¹ *Give us this day our daily bread,*

¹² *and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors.*

¹³ *And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil."*

The Morning Sermon

"Prayer of Prayers"

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:

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.

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

***Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing 8:00**

***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 following Scripture for private meditation.*

Psalm 86.9-13

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. Teach me Your way, O LORD, that I may walk in Your truth; unite my heart to fear Your name. I give thanks to You, O Lord my God, with my whole heart, and I will glorify Your name forever. For great is Your steadfast love toward me; You have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.

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

We go into the World with God's Peace to Live for His Glory

"Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen."

Hebrews 13.20-21

***Closing Hymn No. 528** "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

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***The Benediction**

Minister: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

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

Postlude

"A Festive Intrada"
Mr. Cope, *organ*

Walter Pelz

**The congregation stands.*

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the birthday of Katherine Bush Loberg, a faithful servant of our Lord and Savior.

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

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastor

Tommy Bain	Dr. Pete Deison	Rick Owens
Alan Balsler	Will Francis	Bobby Payne
Ron Baxter	Harry Hargrave	Kirk Pogoloff
Frank Bullock	Ed Jarrett	Dan Stewart
Kit Case	Louie Little	Randy Wood
Doug Chesnut	David Newman	

Assistant Pastors

The Rev. Ron Williams	Dr. Jeff White
The Rev. Bill Lamberth	The Rev. Tommy Overton
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty	Dr. Joseph "Skip" Ryan
The Rev. Julian Russell	

Executive Director

Jeff Barber

Shepherding Elders

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

John Bateman	Mark Fulmer	Pat Moore
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Rick Bush	John Hawkins	Boots Nowlin
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David Franklin	Robert Mighell	

SERMON NOTES

Matthew 6.7-13

“Prayer of Prayers”

Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of March 18, 2012

Praise

Call to Worship *(everyone together)*

The LORD reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! The LORD is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples. Let them praise Your great and awesome name! Holy is He!

“Approach, My Soul, the Mercy Seat” *(sing or say these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page three.

Hearing and Learning God’s Word

Scripture Reading: Matthew 6.7-13 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. How is God the best Father?
2. What does “Hallowed be Thy name” mean?
3. What is a petition?
4. What are the petitions in the Lord's Prayer?

Questions for older children

1. How should this prayer be used in our lives?
2. What is significant about each petition?
3. How can this prayer change the way you pray?

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

Isaiah 53.4-6

Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions; He was crushed for our iniquities; upon Him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

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.