



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 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

9:30/11:00

"We Plow the Fields"

Rutter

PCPC Chamber Choir • J. Marty Cope, *director*

We Come to Worship at His Bidding

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

Call to Worship: A Psalm for giving thanks

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

Minister: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into His presence with singing!

People: **Know that the LORD, He is God! It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.**

Minister: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him; bless His name!

People: **For the LORD is good; His steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations.**

Psalm 100

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." Psalm 145.21

*Hymn No. 116

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

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*Prayer of Adoration

*Profession of Faith

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00
The Rev. Julian Russell 9:30
The Rev. Tommy Overton 11:00

Minister: Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!

People: Let those who fear the LORD say, "His steadfast love endures forever." Out of my distress I called on the LORD; the LORD answered me and set me free. The LORD is on my side; I will not fear. The LORD is my strength and my song; He has become my salvation. Glad songs of salvation are in the tents of the righteous: "The right hand of the LORD does valiantly, the right hand of the LORD exalts, the right hand of the LORD does valiantly!" I shall not die, but I shall live, and recount the deeds of the LORD. Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD. This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it. I thank You that You have answered me and have become my salvation. The stone that the builders rejected has become the Cornerstone. This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes. This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. You are my God, and I will give thanks to You; You are my God; I will extol You. Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever. from Psalm 118

*Hymn of Praise No. 179 "Hallelujah! Thine the Glory"

THINE THE GLORY

The Sacrament of Baptism

9:30/11:00

Mr. Russell 9:30
Dr. Joseph "Skip" Ryan, 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 their child?

9:30

11:00

Judah Jezreel Russell

Daniel Leonel Mutalibov
Ella Grace Palmer

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Lamberth 8:00

Mr. Russell 9:30

Dr. Ryan 11:00

Musical Offering

8:00

"We Plow the Fields"

Rutter

PCPC Chamber Choir • J. Marty Cope, *director*

9:30/11:00

"Down to the River"

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Chancel Choir • Brian Piper, Laura MacCorkle, Jennifer Barnes, *soloists*

Stephen Nielson, *piano* • J. Marty Cope, *director*

As I went down to the river to pray, studyin' about that good old way and who shall wear the starry crown, good Lord, show me the way! O, sisters, let's go down, come on down, let's go down to the river to pray.

As I went down to the river to pray, studyin' about that good old way and who shall wear the robe and crown, good Lord, show me the way! O, brothers, let's go down to the river to pray.

O fathers, let's go down to the river to pray. O, mothers, let's go down to the river to pray. O, sinners, let's go down to the river to pray.

*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

Luke 17.11-19

On the way to Jerusalem He was passing along between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² And as He entered a village, He was met by ten lepers, who stood at a distance ¹³ and lifted up their voices, saying, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us." ¹⁴ When He saw them He said to them, "Go and show yourselves to the priests." And as they went they were cleansed. ¹⁵ Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; ¹⁶ and he fell on his face at Jesus' feet, giving Him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Then Jesus answered, "Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine? ¹⁸ Was no one found to return and give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ And He said to him, "Rise and go your way; your faith has made you well."

The Sermon

"A Heart Filled With Thankfulness"

Mr. Williams 8:00

Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

Public Confession of Sin

Our God and Father, when we behold Your Son Jesus, we see Your great love for us, for You sent Your one and only Son into the world to die for sinners like us, so that whoever believes in Him would have eternal life. Since You have given Your Son, we can say with the apostle Paul, "how will You not also with Christ graciously give us all things?" Yet, our Father, our appetite for things of secondary or even of no importance fills our lives with longings that you never intended us to have. Our love and devotion to our possessions and our pleasures reveal again our true need for Jesus. Lord, in this Thanksgiving season would You please give us Christ: fill our hearts with desire to know Him, to love Him, to serve and follow Him; fill our mouths with words to honor Him and proclaim Him; give us His presence to guide us in wisdom, to give peace to our troubled souls, to guard and protect our ways; grant us His grace and favor to forgive our sins, and to bring us to glory.

Private Confession

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue at closing hymns on page five —

*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.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing 8:00

*The Words of Institution 8:00

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices,
Who wondrous things hath done, in whom His world rejoices;
Who from our mothers' arms, hath blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us,
With ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;
And keep us in His grace, and guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all ills in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
The Son, and Him who reigns with them in highest heaven—
The one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore;
For thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.

*The Benediction

Minister: 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. Revelation 1.5-6

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

“Now Thank We All Our God”
Mr. Colin Howland, organ

Bach/Fox

*The congregation stands.

*The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory
of God and in celebration of Beverly and Bill Squibb's 40th wedding anniversary by
Courtney, Catherine and Travis, Clif and Heather and grandchildren, Josh and Rebekah.*

**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.**

Sunday Morning Communities

8:00 am

Adult classes

GO! GROUP Jackson Room 305
KOINONIA Dotson Room 303 (8:15 am)

9:30 am

Nursery (birth-1 1/2 years)

Visitors, please check in at the Red Desk by Room 176.

INFANTS Room 175
CRAWLERS Room 173
TODDLER 1A Room 177
TODDLER 1B Room 171
TODDLER 2 Room 174
TODDLER 3 Room 169
TODDLER 4 Room 172
TODDLER 5 Room 170

Preschool (2 years-K)

Visitors, please check in at the Preschool Red Desk.

TWO-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 166, 167, 168
THREE-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 164, 165
FOUR-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 162, 163
FIVE-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 123, 125
KINDERGARTEN Rooms 121, 124

Elementary - Bible Explorers

FIRST-THIRD GRADES Room 104/106

Visitors, please check in at the Elementary Red Desk.

Fourth Graders, please enjoy corporate worship with your family.

Adult classes

GOOD NEWS Williams/Warstler/Hobin Room 263
GOOD SHEPHERD Olles Room 301
VERITAS Shull/Isaac/Sung Room 262
WOMEN OF GRACE (meets second/third Sundays)
Room 303
VERITAS Shull/Isaac/Sung Room 262

Lao Presbyterian Fellowship

WORSHIP SERVICE Sribounheuang Chapel
CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL Room 305

11:00 am

Nursery (birth-1 1/2 years)

Visitors, please check in at the Red Desk by Room 176.

INFANTS Room 175
CRAWLERS Room 173
TODDLER 1A Room 177
TODDLER 1B Room 171
TODDLER 2 Room 174
TODDLER 3 Room 169
TODDLER 4 Room 172
TODDLER 5 Room 170

Preschool (2 years-K)

Visitors, please check in at the Preschool Red Desk.

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THREE-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 164, 165
FOUR-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 162, 163
FIVE-YEAR-OLDS Rooms 123, 125
KINDERGARTEN Rooms 121, 124

Elementary

Visitors, please check in at the Elementary Red Desk.

FIRST GRADE GIRLS Room 114
FIRST GRADE BOYS Room 112
SECOND GRADE GIRLS Room 115
SECOND GRADE BOYS Room 109
THIRD/FOURTH GRADE - KIDZ COURT
Room 104/106

Middle school

FIFTH-EIGHTH GRADE Oak Lawn Building

High school

NINTH-TWELFTH GRADE Oak Lawn OR

Adult classes

COLLEGE Higginbottom Room 303
COVENANT Deison/Wood Room 261
DOULOS (YOUNG ADULTS) Wilson Room 301
LAO FELLOWSHIP Sribounheuang Chapel
NEW CREATIONS Fulmer/Vanderhill
Room 262
NEW CITY Goebel Room 302/304
SHEPHERDS OF SOULS Russell/Hobin
Room 300
SOJOURNERS White Room 263
VINEYARD Gowdey Oak Lawn West

Want to know more about...

Covenant?

Mission: A life application class that provides practical insights between scripture and daily living. The Covenant Class welcomes singles, couples and families of all ages to join them. Currently we are engaged in a study of *They Walked and Talked with Jesus*, during which we will explore the lives of people who were directly and intimately involved in the ministry of Jesus Christ throughout the Gospels. Taught by Pete Deison and Randy Wood, the class meets in Room 261 at 11:00 am.

More information on Sunday Morning Communities is available in our literature racks.

SERMON NOTES

Luke 17.11-19

“A Heart Filled With Thankfulness”

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

Praise

Call to Worship *(everyone together)*

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into His presence with singing! Know that the LORD, He is God! It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.

Hymns of Praise and Thanksgiving *(read or sing these words together)*

Please see words to closing hymns on pages five and six.

Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: Luke 17.11-19 *(one person may read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. Why do you think the lepers stood at a distance from Jesus?
2. What did the lepers say to Jesus?
3. What is mercy?
4. What did Jesus tell them to do? and why?
5. What happened when the one leper saw that he was healed?
6. Why do you think the other nine did not return to praise God?
7. What are you most thankful for about Jesus?

Questions for older children

1. Compare and contrast verse 13 and verses 15 and 16.
2. Imagine the scene as the ten lepers were cleansed. What do you think it looked like?
3. How are we often like the nine who did not return?
4. How can we become like the one who did return?

Scripture Memory for November: *(memorize these verses of Scripture)*

Psalm 100 — *A Psalm for giving thanks*

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth! Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into His presence with singing! Know that the LORD, He is God! It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture. Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him; bless His name! For the LORD is good; His steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations.

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.