



## CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S TABLE

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 2, 2014

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.*

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### Preparation for Worship

9:30/11:00

"Amazing Grace"

arr. Coates

Carol and Chapel Choirs • Stephen Nielson, *piano*

Lynda Fray, *director*

Please sing when so directed.

When we've been there ten thou - sand years, bright shin - ing\_ as the  
sun,\_\_\_\_\_ we've no\_\_\_\_\_ less\_ days to sing\_ God's  
praise than when we\_ first be - gun.

### Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

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

Minister: Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!

People: **Worthy are You, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for You created all things, and by Your will they existed and were created.**

Revelation 4.8, 11

## \*Prayer of Adoration

## \*Confession of Faith

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00  
Dr. Joseph "Skip" Ryan 9:30/11:00

Minister: What comfort is it to you that Christ "shall come to judge the living and the dead"?

People: **That in all my sorrows and persecutions, I, with uplifted head, look for the very One, who offered Himself for me to the judgment of God, and removed all curse from me, to come as Judge from heaven, who shall cast all His and my enemies into everlasting condemnation, but shall take me with all His chosen ones to Himself into heavenly joy and glory.**

Heidelberg Catechism, Question 52

## \*Hymn

"Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending"

REGENT SQUARE



1. Lo! He comes with clouds de-scend-ing, once for fa-vored sin-ners slain;
2. Ev - ry eye shall now be-hold Him, robed in dread-ful maj - es - ty;
3. Those dear to - kens of His pas - sion still His dazz-ling bo - dy bears,
4. Yea, a - men! Let all a - dore Thee, high on Thine e - ter - nal throne;



thou-sand thou-sand saints at-tend-ing swell the tri - umph of His train:  
those who set at naught and sold Him, pierced, and nailed Him to the tree,  
cause of end-less ex - al - ta - tion to His ran - somed wor-ship-pers:  
Sa - vior, take the pow'r and glo - ry: claim the kind - dom for Thine own:



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! God ap-pears on earth to reign.  
deep - ly wail-ing, deep - ly wail-ing, shall the true Mes - si - ah see.  
with what rap-ture, with what rap-ture gaze we on those glo - rious scars!  
O come quick-ly, O come quick-ly! Al - le - lu - ia! Come, Lord, come!

## Public Confession of Sin

Lord, we have not kept watch for You. We have occupied ourselves with our own concerns. We have not waited to find Your will for us. We have not noticed the needs of the people around us. We have not acknowledged the love that has been shown to us. Forgive us for our lack of watchfulness. Help us to wait to know Your will. Help us to look out for the needs of others. Help us to work and watch for Your coming.

## Private Confession

## Words of Assurance

If You, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with You there is forgiveness, that You may be feared. I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in His word I hope. Psalm 130.3-5

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Lamberth 8:00  
Dr. Ryan 9:30/11:00

## Giving of Tithes and Offerings

## Musical Meditation

8:00

Colin Howland, *organ*

9:30/11:00

*"Ave Verum Corpus"*

*Mozart*

Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *director*

*Ave verum Corpus natum de Maria virgine: vere passum immolatum in cruce pro homine: cujus latus perforatum, unda fluxit sanguine: esto nobis prae gustatum in mortis examine.*

Hail, true Body, born of the virgin Mary, who has truly suffered, was sacrificed on the cross for mortals: whose side was pierced, whence flowed water and blood: be for us a foretaste (of heaven) during our final examining.

## \*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.**

## Becoming a Communing Member and Coming to the Lord's Table for the First Time

Mr. Davis

9:30/11:00

*Middle School Communicants:*

Lillian Ann Anderson  
Phillip Harrison Bercier  
Helen Elizabeth Emerson  
Emma Kathryn Golik  
Andrew David Graham  
Cassandra Weber

## The Sacrament of Baptism

9:30

Lillian Ann Anderson

## \*The Scripture Reading

### 1 Thessalonians 1.9-10

*For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God,<sup>10</sup> and to wait for His Son from heaven, whom He raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.*

### 1 Corinthians 11.23-26

*For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when He was betrayed took bread, <sup>24</sup> and when He had given thanks, He broke it, and said, "This is My body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of Me." <sup>25</sup> In the same way also He took the cup, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me." <sup>26</sup> For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.*

## Communion Meditation

"Waiting for His Son"

Mr. Williams 8:00

Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

## \*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.

## \*The Words of Institution

## The Communion

*Please come forward down the aisles as directed by the ushers.*

*Partake of the elements upon receiving them from the elders.  
Return to your seat with your empty cup via the side aisles.*

*During the serving of Communion, please sing:*

### "Jesus Is Lord"

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1. Je - sus is Lord, the cry that ech - oes through cre - a - tion, —
2. Je - sus is Lord, whose voice sus - tains the stars and plan - ets, —
3. Je - sus is Lord, the tomb is glo - ri - ous - ly emp - ty, —
4. Je - sus is Lord, a shout of joy, a cry of an - guish



— re - splen - dant pow'r, e - ter - nal Word, our Rock;  
— yet in His wis - dom laid a - side His crown;  
— not e - ven death could crush the King of love;  
— as He re - turns and ev - ery knee bows low;



the Son of God, the King whose glo - ry fills the hea - vens, —  
Je - sus the man who washed our feet, who bore our suf - fering —  
the price is paid, the chains are loosed and we're for - giv - en, —  
when ev - ery eye and ev - ery heart will see His glo - ry, —



— yet bids us come to taste this liv - ing bread.  
— be - came a curse to bring sal - va - tion's plan.  
— and we can run in - to the arms of God.  
— the Judge of all will take His chil - dren home.

Hymn No. 261

"What Wondrous Love Is This"

WONDROUS LOVE

Hymn No. 648

"My Jesus, I Love Thee"

CARITAS

\*Closing Hymn No. 324

"Christ Is Coming!"

NEANDER

## \*The Benediction

Minister: Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely,  
and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless  
at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is  
faithful; He will surely do it. 1 Thessalonians 5.23-24

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

## Postlude

*\*The congregation stands.*

*The flowers are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Whitney LaGrone and Thomas Walden and in memory of Thomas Joseph Walden, Sr.*

*Members of our fellowship at Park Cities Presbyterian Church who have joined the Church Triumphant since our last Communion:*

Cheryl Elaine Joyner  
Helen Decker Deering  
Robert "Tex" Higginbotham, Jr.

**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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## 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.

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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 Pastor**

Tommy Bain	Pat Hamner	Dan Stewart
Alan Balsler	Ed Jarrett	Jay Turner
Frank Bullock	Jim Madden	Tim Wilson
Dr. Pete Deison	Bob McCamey	Randy Wood
Jack Denman	David Newman	Jeff Wilson
Will Francis	Mike Skinner	

**Assistant Pastors**

The Rev. Ron Williams	Dr. Joseph "Skip" Ryan
The Rev. Bill Lamberth	The Rev. Paul Goebel
Dr. Julian Russell	The Rev. Brent Baker
Dr. Jeff White	The Rev. Chad Scruggs
The Rev. Tommy Overton	

**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	Stephen Nielson
Ron Baxter	David Gowdey	Boots Nowlin
Brad Bradley	Harry Hargrave	Rick Owens
David Burgher	John Harper	Bobby Payne
Rick Bush	John Hawkins	Kirk Pogoloff
Kit Case	Bob Heinonen	Irv Queal
George Chapman	Doug Horn	Bob Raspberry
Jim Chenoweth	David Horn	Nelson Somerville
Doug Chesnut	Tim Jeffress	Dick Steele
Grady Crosland	Russell Johnson	Tracy Taylor
Marvin Culbertson	Kent Johnson	Bill Thomas
Charles Debter	Bryan Keyes	Steve Vanderhill
John Denman	Don King	John Vanderveld
Curt Dobbs	Louie Little	Ron Wideman
Bert Ehrmann	Bill Mabus	Steve Williamson
Bill Farrell	Mike McMahon	Arthur Wood
Paul Flowers	Robert Mighell	
David Franklin	Pat Moore	

## SERMON NOTES

1 Thessalonians 1.9-10; 1 Corinthians 11.23-26  
“Waiting for His Son”

## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of March 2, 2014

### Praise

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

Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!  
Worthy are You, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for  
You created all things, and by Your will they existed and were created.

#### **“Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending”** *(sing or say these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page two.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

**Scripture Reading:** 1 Thessalonians 1.9-10; 1 Corinthians 11.23-26 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. Why were the people of the church of the Thessalonians waiting?
2. What were they doing while they were waiting?
3. Why is waiting hard?
4. Why do people say they want Christ to return?
5. Why is celebrating the Lord's Supper an important part of our waiting?

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

1. Serving is active. Is waiting active or passive? Explain.
2. How is waiting hard for you?
3. How does this passage teach us to wait?

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

1 Thessalonians 5.16-18

Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

### 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.