

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD May 26, 2002 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

The Christian Year: First Sunday After Pentecost

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.

Preparation for Worship

Mr. Colin Howland, Organ

Call to Worship

The Rev. Joseph Ryan

Minister: Will you not revive us again, that Your people may rejoice in You?

Show us Your unfailing love, O LORD, and grant us Your salvation.

People: For You are great and do marvelous deeds; You alone are God!

Psalm 85.6-7; 86.10

*Hymn of Praise

"For Your Gift of God the Spirit"

ODE TO JOY

For Your gift of God the Spirit, pow'r to make our lives anew, Pledge of life and hope of glory, Savior, we would worship You. Crowning gift of resurrection sent from Your ascended throne, Fullness of the very God-Head, come to make Your life our own.

He who in creation's dawning brooded on the lifeless deep, Still across our nature's darkness moves to wake our souls from sleep, Moves to stir, to draw, to quicken, thrusts us through with sense of sin; Brings to birth and seals and fills us—saving Advocate within.

He, Himself the living Author, wakes to life the sacred Word, Reads with us its holy pages and reveals our risen Lord. He it is who works within us, teaching rebel hearts to pray, He whose holy intercessions rise for us both night and day.

He, the mighty God, indwells us; His to strengthen, help, empow'r; His to overcome the tempter, ours to call in danger's hour. In His strength we dare to battle all the raging hosts of sin, And by Him alone we conquer foes without and foes within.

*Prayer of Adoration and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn of Adoration No. 299 "O Breath of Life"

SPIRITUS VITAE

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps covenant and steadfast love with those who love Him and keep His commandments, we have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from Your commandments and rules. We have not listened to Your servants, the prophets, who spoke in Your name to our kings, our princes and our fathers, and to all the people of the land. To the Lord our God belong mercy and forgiveness, for we have rebelled against Him and have not obeyed the voice of the LORD our God by walking in His laws, which He set before us by His servants, the prophets.

Private Confession of Sin

Song of Praise

"Before the Throne of God Above"

Vikki Cook

Dr. Pete Deison 9:30 The Rev. Paul Settle 11:00 Please join in singing when so directed.

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: He came and preached peace to those of us who were afar off and

to those of us who were near. For through Him we both have access by one Spirit to the Father. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Ephesians 2.17-18

People: And also with you!

The Service of Friendship

Extending the Kingdom: Lao Presbyterian Fellowship— Mr. Curt Dobbs **The Thao Project** Mr. Bounheuang Saengchanthavong

*The Scripture Reading

Selections from Acts 2.1-41

Portuguese (Lever Ferguson)

¹When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.
² Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. ³ They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.

Polish (Bogdan Witecki)

⁵ Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven. ⁶ When they heard this sound, a crowd came together in bewilderment, because each one heard them speaking in his own language.

¹² Amazed and perplexed, they asked one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³ Some, however, made fun of them and said, "They have had too much wine."

Tzhiluba (Brigitte Mbujibungi)

¹⁴ Then Peter stood up with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed the crowd: "Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say. ¹⁵ These men are not drunk, as you suppose. It's only nine in the morning! ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken by the prophet Joel: ¹⁷ "In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams."

Eastern Tamang (Bryan Varenkamp)

²² "Men of Israel, listen to this: Jesus of Nazareth was a man accredited by God to you by miracles, wonders and signs, which God did among you through Him, as you yourselves know. ²³ This man was handed over to you by God's set

purpose and foreknowledge; and you, with the help of wicked men, put Him to death by nailing Him to the cross. ²⁴ But God raised Him from the dead, freeing Him from the agony of death, because it was impossible for death to keep its hold on Him.

French (Komi Doulome-Woledzi)

³³ "Exalted to the right hand of God, He has received from the Father the promised Holy Spirit and has poured out what you now see and hear.

³⁶ "Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom

you crucified, both Lord and Christ."

³⁷ When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?"

Korean (Ava Ford)

³⁸ Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."

Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand

were added to their number that day.

⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.

The Morning Sermon

"The Church Pentecost Made Part I - Two Made One" Dr. Ryan

"Now there were staying in Jerusalem God-fearing Jews from every nation under heaven."

"His purpose was to create in Himself one new man out of the two, thus making peace..." Ephesians 2.15

*Closing Hymn No. 695 "In Christ There Is No East or West"

ST. PETER

*The Benediction

Minister: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face shine

upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn His face toward you and give you peace.

Numbers 6.24-27

People: THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN!

Postlude "Variations on Veni Creator Spiritus"

Durufle

Mr. Howland

If you have a desire or a need to pray with someone in confidence for any reason, please come to the Parlor (Room 205 next to the information desk) following the worship service where Elders and Prayer Leaders will be available to pray with you.

The flowers in the south foyer this morning are given to the glory of God from the wedding of Kendal Allen Hargrave and Joshua Harris Jenne in celebration of their marriage and union in Christ.

*The Congregation stands.

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