

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD June 2, 2002 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

The Christian Year: Second 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: O Lord my God, You are very great! You are clothed with splendor

and majesty, covering Yourself with light as with a garment.

People: O LORD, how manifold are Your works! In wisdom have You made

them all; the earth is full of Your creatures.

Minister: When You send forth Your Spirit, they are created.

People: May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD rejoice in

His works. Praise the LORD. Psalm 104:1-2, 24, 30-31, 35

*Hymn of Adoration No. 289 "Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling"

sung to BEECHER

*Prayer of Adoration

*The Holy Spirit's Descent at Babel and the Fulfillment of Old Testament Prophecy at Pentecost

And the LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. And the LORD said, "Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another's speech." So the Lord dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city.

Genesis 11:5, 7-8

Now the LORD said to Abram, "I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."

Genesis 12:1-3

For at that time I will change the speech of the peoples to a pure speech, that all of them may call upon the name of the LORD and serve Him with one accord.

Zephaniah 3:

And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh. And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved.

Joel 2.28, 32

Spirit, working in creation, bringing order out of strife: Come among God's gathered people, giving harmony and life. Spirit, speaking through the prophets so the voice of God was heard: Come, inspire, alert Your people to this day's prophetic word.

Spirit, overshadowing Mary as the Christ-child in her grew: Come, so that the Christ within us may today be born anew. Spirit, coming from the Father as a dove upon our Lord: Come upon Your favored people, may Your blessings be outpoured.

Public Confession of Sin

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your steadfast love; according to Your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Against You, You only, have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You may be justified in Your words and blameless in Your judgment. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

Private Confession of Sin

Song of Praise

"Spirit, Working in Creation"

HYFRYDOL

Spirit, driving to the desert even God's Anointed One: Come to us in trial and testing that God's will in us be done. Spirit, breathed on the disciples, giving peace where there was fear: Come among us, touch us, send us, making Jesus' presence near.

Spirit, wind and flame, empowering fearless witness to the lost: Come, unite, renew Your wonders; give us a new Pentecost. Praise and glory, Holy Spirit, for Your love on us outpoured, Giving honor to the Father as of old on Pentecost.

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

The Rev. David Rea 9:30 The Rev. Robert Allen 11:00

Musical Offering

"O Come, Let Us Sing"

Cindy Berry

*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.

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.

Recognition of New Members

The Sacrament of Baptism (9:30)

Pensri Sharp Sandra Yuxun Sharp

*The Scripture Reading

Acts 2.14-24, 33, 36-37, 41

Mr. Thomas Kunkel

The Morning Sermon

"The Church Pentecost Made Part I I- The Message"

Dr. Ryan

"Fellow Jews and all of you who live in Jerusalem, let me explain this to you; listen carefully to what I say... Those who accepted his message were baptized and about three thousand were added to their number that day." Acts 2.14 and 41

*Closing Hymn

"O Spirit of the Living God"

HAMBURG

O Spirit of the Lord, prepare all the round earth her God to meet; Breathe Thou abroad like morning air, till hearts of stone begin to beat.

Baptize the nations; far and nigh the triumphs of the cross record; The name of Jesus glorify, till every kindred call Him Lord.

O God from eternity hath willed all flesh shall His salvation see; So be the Father's love fulfilled, the Savior's sufferings crowned through thee.

*The Benediction

Minister: May 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

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 Congregation stands.

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