

# PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

The Christian Year: Sixth 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** 

Dr. William Hanson, Organ

Call to Worship

The Rev. Joseph Ryan

Minister: There is one Spirit, one Lord, and one God and Father of all, who is

over all, and through all and in all!

People: Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty! Worth are You, our Lord

and God, to receive glory and honor and power!

Ephesians 4.4-6; Revelation 4.8, 11

\*Hymn of Adoration No. 2 "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

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\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Hymn No. 689

"The Church's One Foundation"

AURELIA

\*Responsive Scripture Reading

Ephesians 2.12-14, 19-20; 4.3-6

Remember that you were at one time separated from Christ, alienated from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world.

But now in Christ Jesus we who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ. For He Himself is our peace, who has made us all one and has broken down in His flesh the dividing wall of hostility.

So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus Himself being the cornerstone.

Let us be eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. For there is one body and one Spirit—just as we were called to the one hope that belongs to our call—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

based on Scottish Psalter, 1650

Behold how good a thing it is, and how becoming well, When those that brethren are delight in unity to dwell.

For it is like the precious oil poured out on Aaron's head, That, going down upon his beard, upon his garments spread.

Like Hermon's dew upon the hills of Zion that descends, The LORD commands His blessing there, ev'n life that never ends.

#### Public Confession of Sin

O merciful God, You are the one Lord of all, who is over all and through all and in all. Forgive us for failing to maintain the unity of the Spirit among us. For there is bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in our hearts. And we often become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another. This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but an earthly, unspiritual, and demonic parody of the reality that is in Christ alone. Fill us with His Spirit and grant us the wisdom from above, which is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. Produce among us a harvest of righteousness that is sown in peace by those who make peace.

Ephesians 4:3, 6, 5:18; Galatians 5:26; James 3:14-15, 17-18

### **Private Confession**

Intercessory/Offertory Prayer

The Rev. Pete Deison 9:30

The Rev. Paul Settle 11:00

**Musical Offering** "Great Peace Have They That Love Thy Law" James H. Rogers
Barbara Law, Soprano based on Psalm 119

## \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which also you were

called in one body; and be thankful. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Colossians 3.15

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.

**Extending the Kingdom: Families with Children** Mr. David Newman

\*The Scripture Reading Acts 2.8-12, 42-47 Mrs. Joanne Kersten

# **The Morning Sermon** "The Church Pentecost Made—Part 6 Fellowship: The Air the Church Breathes" "They devoted themselves to...fellowship..." Acts 2.42

Dr. Ryan

\*Closing Hymn No. 700

"We Are God's People"

SYMPHONY

#### \*The Benediction

Minister: Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask

or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations for ever and ever! Ephesians 3.20-21

People: THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN!

Postlude Dr. Hanson

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 our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for our sextons and their faithful service.

The flowers in the south foyer are given to the glory of God from the wedding of Emily Caldwell Dransfield and David Stuart Rietz in celebration of their marriage and union in Christ.

\* The Congregation stands.

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

## **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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