

# PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD  
May 25, 2003  
9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*The Christian Year: Sixth Sunday after the Resurrection*

*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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*Please turn off all communication devices. Thank you.*

**Preparation for Worship**

Mr. Colin Howland, *Organ*

**Call to Worship**

The Rev. Joseph Ryan

**Minister:** God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth.

**People:** **And every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.**

Philippians 2.9-11

**\*Hymn of Adoration No. 296** "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

CORONATION

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

**\*Song of Praise No. 439** "Christ Shall Have Dominion"

ST. GERTRUDE

**\*Confession of Faith**

**Minister:** What are the good works that Christ the Lord requires of His people?

**People:** **Good works, done in obedience to God's commandments, are the fruits and evidences of a true and lively faith. Notwithstanding, the persons of believers being accepted through Christ, their good works also are accepted in Him; not as though they were in this life wholly unblamable and unreprovable in God's sight; but that He, looking upon them in His Son, is pleased to accept and reward that which is sincere, although accompanied with many weaknesses and imperfections.**

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**\*A Doxology**

HEISLORD

He is Lord! He is Lord!  
He is risen from the dead, and He is Lord!  
Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess  
That Jesus Christ is Lord.

**Public Confession of Sin**

**O Sovereign Lord, although my tongue with gladness confesses You as Lord, my heart so often recites a different creed. Forgive me for yielding to the lordship of created things. For I have given myself to the rule of money, reputation, approval and beauty. The sinful works of my hands betray the idolatrous allegiances of my heart. Open my eyes to see Jesus high, exalted and enthroned. And open my heart to give to Him the loyalty and service due His great name.**

**Private Confession of Sin**

**Song of Devotion**

"The Sovereign Will of God Alone"

AZMON

**Promise of the Gospel**

But one standing far off, would not even lift his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' I tell you, this man went down to his house justified. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted. Luke 18:13-14

**Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer**

Dr. Pete Deison 9:30  
The Rev. Robert Allen 11:00

**Musical Offering**

"Our Great and Glorious King"

G. Sewell

*O worship the King, all glorious above, and gratefully sing His wonderful love;  
O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy  
space! The chariots of heav'n the deep thunder clouds form, and bright is God's*

*path on the wings of the storm. Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise. God's bountiful care what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light. It streams from the hills, descends to the plain, and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain. O worship the King, all glorious! Our great and glorious King!*

**\*The Greeting of Peace**

Minister: He was wounded for our transgressions. He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. The peace of the Lord be with you always. Isaiah 53.5

**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**

Matthew 7.15-23

**The Morning Sermon**      SMALL PHRASES/BIG MEANINGS

Dr. Ryan

"Lord, Lord"

*"Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of My Father who is in heaven." Matthew 7.21*

**\*Closing Hymn**

"Teach Me, O Lord, Thy Holy Way"

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Teach me, O Lord, Thy holy way, and give me an obedient mind;  
That in Thy service I may find my soul's delight from day to day.

Guide me, O Savior, with Thy hand, and so control my thoughts and deeds,  
That I may tread the path which leads right onward to the blessed land.

Help me, O Savior, here to trace the sacred footsteps Thou hast trod;  
And, meekly walking with my God, to grow in goodness, truth, and grace.

Guard me, O Lord, that I may ne'er forsake the right, or do the wrong  
Against temptation make me strong, and round me spread Thy shelt'ring care.

Bless me in ev'ry task, O Lord, begun, continued, done for Thee:  
Fulfill Thy perfect work in me, and Thine abounding grace afford.

**\*Benediction**

Minister: Worthy is the Lamb, who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and strength and honor and glory and praise!

Revelation 5.12

**People: THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN!**

**Personal Prayer and Counsel**

*Be anxious for nothing but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.* Philippians 4:7

***In these difficult times everyone struggles with sometimes overwhelming concerns. Give us the privilege of praying with you in complete confidence after any Sunday morning service. Meet with Elders and other prayer leaders in the Parlor (Room 205, next to the information desk) and let us pray for your needs. Our prayer leadership earnestly desires to come along side you in prayer.***

*Do you have a question about PCPC or want to find a Sunday School Community? Following each service, please come to the Information Center located in the south hallway of the building adjacent to the sanctuary. Volunteers are also available at every entrance to assist you.*

*The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory of Robert F. Ritchie.*

*The flowers in the south foyer are given to the glory of God from the wedding of Ruth Rachel Allen and Michael Bryan Vendsel in celebration of their marriage and union in Christ.*

*\*The Congregation Stands*

**Please join us every Sunday in Fellowship Hall following each worship service for fellowship and refreshments!**

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

**TOWN HALL MEETINGS CANCELLED**

The Session has cancelled the Town Hall Meetings scheduled for June 1, 3 and 5 in order to provide more time to clarify the property acquisition decisions to be recommended to the congregation. Please pray earnestly for the Lord's wisdom and providential guidance in these matters. Thank you for your patience in knowing that complex real estate decisions must be discussed with discretion and care. As the options become clear, the congregation will be completely informed and involved in the decisions to be made.