

# PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD  
August 24, 2003  
9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*The Christian Year: Eleventh 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.*

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

## Preparation for Worship

### Call to Worship

The Rev. Joseph Ryan

Minister: O sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth! Sing to the LORD, bless His name; tell of His salvation from day to day.

People: **Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples! For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; He is to be feared above all gods.**

Minister: For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

People: **Splendor and majesty are before Him; strength and beauty are in His sanctuary.**

Psalm 96.1-6

\*Hymn of Adoration No. 164 "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

AZMON

\*Prayer of Adoration concluding with the Lord's Prayer

Dr. Ryan

\*Confession of Faith

The Larger Catechism, Question 191

When we pray "*Thy Kingdom come*" we acknowledge ourselves and all mankind to be by nature under the dominion of sin and Satan. We pray that the kingdom of sin and Satan may be destroyed, the gospel spread throughout the world, the Jews called, the fullness of the Gentiles brought in. We pray to be furnished with all gospel-officers and ordinances, purged from corruption: that the ordinances of Christ may be purely dispensed, made effectual to the converting of those that are yet in their sins, and the confirming, comforting, and building up of those that are already converted, that Christ would rule in our hearts here, and hasten the time of His second coming and our reigning with Him forever: and that He would be pleased to exercise the kingdom of His power in all the world.

### Public Confession of Sin

O most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ; who pardons us when we truly repent and turn to You, we humbly confess our sins and beg Your mercy. We do not love You with a pure heart fervently, and we do not love our neighbor as ourselves. We act unjustly. We dislike mercy. We refuse to walk humbly with You, our God. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, according to Your lovingkindness, according to the multitude of Your tender mercies, blot out our iniquity. Create in us a clean heart, O God. And renew a right spirit within us. Cast us not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from us. Restore unto us the joy of Your salvation, and uphold us with Your free Spirit.

### Silent Confession

#### Song of Praise

"More about Jesus Would I Know"

LAMBOFGOD

text: E. E. Hewitt, 1887

More about Jesus would I know, more of His grace to others show;  
More of His saving fullness see, more of His love who died for me.

More about Jesus let me learn, more of His holy will discern;  
Spirit of God, my teacher be, showing the things of Christ to me.

More about Jesus in His Word, holding communion with my Lord;  
Hearing His voice in ev'ry line, making each faithful saying mine.

More about Jesus on His throne, riches in glory all His own;  
More of His kingdom's sure increase; more of His coming, Prince of Peace.

### Promise and Comfort of the Gospel

Hear the promises of God to those who truly repent of their sins and trust in Christ: It is a trustworthy statement, deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, among whom I am foremost of all.

I Timothy 1.15

### Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

The Rev. David Rea 9:30  
The Rev. Elliott Greene 11:00

### Musical Offering

"The Vision of Nahum"

Ronald Matthews

"The LORD is good, a stronghold in the time of trouble; He knows those who take refuge in Him." Nahum 1.7

Including "Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come" and "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

*Please join in singing when so directed.*

"Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come"

ANTIOCH

Joy to the world! The Lord is come: let earth receive her King;  
Let every heart prepare Him room, and heav'n and nature sing  
And heaven and nature sing, and heaven and heaven and nature sing.

He rules the world with truth and grace and makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness, and wonders of His love  
And wonders of His love, and wonders and wonders of His love.

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

HAMBURG

Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small;  
Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

### \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: 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. The peace  
of the Lord be with you always. Ephesians 2.13-14

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 Morning Sermon

"The Fullness of the Blessing  
of the Gospel of Christ"  
Romans 15.23-33

The Rev. Paul Settle

\*Closing Hymn No. 529 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

BEECHER

### \*Benediction

Mr. Settle

Minister: Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power  
and strength be to our God for ever and ever! Revelation 7.12

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

### Postlude

Mr. Colin Howland, Organ

#### 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 alongside 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, and the commissioned musical offering, are given to the glory of God and in honor and gratitude for Georgia and Paul Settle's 50 years of faithful service to our Lord in His church.*

*\*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.**

**Commemorating 50 Years of Faithful Ministry and Friendship**

**You are invited to a celebration  
honoring Georgia and Paul Settle**

**Today  
3:00 - 5:00 pm  
Park Cities Presbyterian Church  
Fellowship Hall**

**Shepherding Elders**

*(Elders not currently on the Session but  
active in ministry at Park Cities Presbyterian Church)*

Zach Aills  
Tommy Bain  
Brad Bradley  
David Burgher, Sr.  
George Chapman  
Jim Chenoweth  
Grady Crosland  
Charles Debter  
John Denman  
Mark Denton  
Curt Dobbs  
Bill Farrell

Mark Fulmer  
Glenn Graham  
Bob Heinonen  
Bill Hill  
David Horn  
Doug Horn  
Russell Johnson  
Bill Jones  
Don King  
Rick Laymon  
Bill Mabus  
Robert Mighell

Henry Morgan  
Stephen Nielson  
E.E. (Boots) Nowlin  
Irv Queal  
Bob Rasberry  
Frank Seay, Jr.  
Nelson Somerville  
John Vanderveld  
Ron Wideman  
Steve Williamson  
Arthur Wood

**Session/Associate Pastors**

The Rev. Robert Allen  
Rick Bush  
The Rev. Dr. Pete Deison  
Bert Ehrmann  
Paul Flowers

Harry Hargrave  
John Hawkins  
Bryan Keyes  
Mike McMahon  
David Newman

Joel Robuck  
The Rev. Dr. Joseph Ryan  
The Rev. Paul Settle  
Tracy Taylor  
The Rev. Tim Tinsley

**Assistant Pastors**

The Rev. Elliott Greene

The Rev. David Rea  
The Rev. Mark Davis

The Rev. Ron Williams