

# PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

February 15, 2004

9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*The Christian Year: Sixth Sunday after Epiphany*

*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.

### Prelude

"Concerto in d minor: Adagio"

*Albinoni*

### Call to Worship

The Rev. Joseph Ryan

Minister: Oh, come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

People: **Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise!** Psalm 95.1-2

### \*Hymns of Adoration

No. 302

"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

MADRID

No. 55

"To God be the Glory"

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### \*Prayer of Adoration

### \*Psalm 146

Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul! I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being. **Put not your trust in princes, in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation. When his breath departs he returns to the earth; on that very day his plans perish.** Blessed is he whose help is in the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord his God, who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, who keeps faith forever; who executes justice for the oppressed, who gives food to the hungry. **The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind. The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous.** The Lord watches over the sojourners; He upholds the widow and the fatherless, but the way of the wicked He brings to ruin. **The Lord will reign forever, your God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the Lord!**

**\*Hymn of Praise**

"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

*ST. ANNE*

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,  
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.

Under the shadow of Your throne, Your saints have dwelt secure;  
Sufficient is Your arm alone, and our defense is sure.

The busy tribes of flesh and blood, with all their lives and cares,  
Are carried downward by Your flood, and lost in foll'wing years.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream, bears all its sons away;  
They fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the op'ning day.

**\*Song of Praise**

"I Will Glory in My Redeemer"

*Vikki and Steve Cook*

**Public Confession of Sin**

**Our Father, although You are a holy God who cannot look upon sin, look upon Christ our Savior and forgive us for His sake. You have promised us that if we confess our sins, You are faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. We ask also that You would give us an increase of the grace of Your Holy Spirit, so that we may learn the wisdom of Your ways and walk in Your holy paths, for Your glory and the good of our neighbor.**

## Private Confession

## Promise and Comfort of the Gospel

"In overflowing anger for a moment I hid my face from you, but with everlasting love I will have compassion on you," says the Lord, your Redeemer.

## Song of Baptism

"Spirit of the Living God"

IVERSON

Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me,  
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.  
Break me! Melt me! Mold me! Fill me!  
Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

## Sacrament of Baptism

9:30

Heyward Morgan Bradford  
Kenna Elise McCarter

11:00

Pierce Everett Dame

## Prayer for the Families/Offertory Prayer

Dr. Pete Deison 9:30

The Rev. Ron Williams 11:00

## Musical Offering: Psalm 23

"The Lord Is My Shepherd"

Allen Pote

High School Ensemble

Lynda Fray, *Director*; Stephen Nielson, *Piano*

Anna Katherine Holcomb and Arthur Busby, *Violin*

Rob Mowrey, *Viola*; David Fray, *Cello*; Suzann Bires, *Flute*

*The Lord is my shepherd, nothing shall I want. My shepherd makes me lie in fields of green, leads me beside still waters. The Lord is my shepherd, who restores my life, leads me in the paths of righteousness for the sake of the Lord's name. And even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for You are with me, Your rod and staff will comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and in the house of my God I will live forever.*

## \*Greeting of Peace

**Minister:** We are the body of Christ; in one Spirit we were all baptized in one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds up our common life. 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.*

## \*The Scripture Reading

James 4.13-5.6

**The Morning Sermon**

"Heaven Rules II"

Dr. Ryan

*Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that."*

James 4.15

**\*Closing Hymn No. 128** "God Moves in a Mysterious Way"

DUNDEE

**\*The Benediction**

Minister: The LORD bless you and keep you; The LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; The LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26

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

**Postlude**

"Carillon Sortie"

Henri Mulet

Mr. Colin Howland, Organ

**Personal Prayer and Counsel**

*"Be devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor ... rejoicing in hope, persevering in tribulation, devoted to prayer, contributing to the needs of the saints, practicing hospitality."*

Romans 12.10, 12, 13

**We want so much to come along side you in brotherly love and hospitality by your allowing us to be in prayer for your salvation or any need you may have. Please join us in the parlor (Room 205, next to the Information Center) following the worship service where our Elders and prayer leaders are available and eager to meet with you and pray with you in complete confidence.**

*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 Congregation stands.*

**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.