# PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD June 13, 2004 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.

Please turn off all communication devices. Thank you.

## **Welcome and Greeting of Peace**

## **Preparation for Worship**

Call to Worship

Minister:

The Rev. Ron Williams

Minister: 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!

People: Put not your trust in princes, in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.

One generation shall commend Your works to another, and shall

declare Your mighty acts.

People:

On the glorious splendor of Your majesty and on Your wondrous works, I will meditate. They shall speak of the might of Your awesome deeds, and I will declare Your greatness! Psalm 145.4-6

\*Hymn of Adoration No. 38 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

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\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Hymn of Praise "Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning"

GUITING POWER text: Michael Saward

#### \*The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

\*"Gloria Patri" GREATOREX

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, World without end. Amen, amen.

\*The Decalogue No. 724 "The Ten Commandments" LES COMMANDEMENTIS DE DIEU

## **Public Confession of Sin**

O Righteous Father, You summon me to look upon the beauty and glory of Your Son, but I have turned my gaze to the transient and created splendor of this world. I have secretly cherished visions of earthly wealth, beauty and power and have sought after them instead of the kingdom, the power, and the glory of Jesus. Forgive the wandering eyes of my heart and enable me by faith to fix my gaze upon the One who alone is worthy of all my focused attention and deepest affection.

Private Confession of Sin

Song of Praise "All My Desire to Thee Is Known" arr. Creighton/Getty text: Isaac Watts

#### **Assurance of Pardon**

The life was made manifest, and we have seen it, and testify to it and proclaim to you the eternal life, which was with the Father and was made manifest to us—Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins.

1 John 1:2; 2:1-2

Prayer of Intercession: for Christ's Church and the World Dr. Rol

Dr. Robert Rasberry 9:30 Mr. Robert Rucker 11:00

Musical Offering "O God Our Help In Ages Past" Rhonda Woodward 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 Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt secure; sufficient is Thine arm alone, and our defense is sure. Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, from everlasting Thou art God, to endless years the same. A thousand ages in Thy sight are like an evening gone, short as the watch that ends before the rising sun.

\*A Doxology OLDHUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

# 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

Acts 2.22-36

The Morning Sermon

"This Jesus"

Mr. Williams

#### \*The Benediction

People:

Oh, the depth of the riches of the wisdom and knowledge of God! Minister:

From Him and through Him and to Him are all things! To Him be Romans 11.33, 36

the glory forever! THANKS BE TO GOD! AMEN!

**Postlude** "Song of Triumph" Herbert Howells

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.

The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in honor of Lynda Fray, Director of Children's and Youth Choirs, and Colin Howland, Organist and Director of Music, and in thanksgiving for their five years of ministry at Park Cities Presbyterian Church.

> The flowers in the south foyer are given to the glory of God from the wedding of Sarah Lillian Londis and Jeremiah Timothy Gregory in celebration of their marriage and union in Christ.

\*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.

## Session/Associate Pastors

The Rev. Robert Allen Mike McMahon **Paul Flowers** John Bateman David Newman David Gowdey Frank Bullock Joel Robuck Harry Hargrave Rick Bush

John Hawkins The Rev. Dr. Joseph Ryan

Bryan Keyes The Rev. Dr. Pete Deison

Tracy Taylor The Rev. Tim Tinsley Bert Ehrmann Bill Mabus

### **Assistant Pastors**

The Rev. Elliott Greene The Rev. David Rea The Rev. Ron Williams

The Rev. Mark Davis