



A PRAYING COMMUNITY

## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church  
April 1, 2007  
8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

*Passion Sunday*

*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.*

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*Please turn off all communication devices.  
Please do not bring food or drinks into the sanctuary.  
Thank you.*

### Preparation for Worship

#### Choral Introit

“Lift Up Your Heads”

*arr. Cope*

Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *Director*

*Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates, behold, the King of Glory waits; the King of kings is drawing near; the Saviour of the world is here!*

*Fling wide the portals of your heart; make it a temple set apart from earthly use for heav'ns employ, adorned with prayer and love and joy!*

#### Call to Worship

The Rev. Tim Tinsley

**Minister:** Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in.

**People:** **Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle!**

**Minister:** Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory?

**People:** *(with a strong voice)* **The LORD of Hosts! HE IS THE KING OF GLORY!**

\*Hymn of Adoration

"Hail to the Lord's Anointed"

ELLACOMBE



1. Hail to the Lord's Anointed, and great Do-vid's great an-  
 2. He comes with thou- sand speed - y to those who suf - fer  
 3. He shall come down like snow - ers ap - on the fruit - ful  
 - Over ev' - ry - one vic - to - rious. His an - His throne shall



soon Hail in the time ap - pear - ed, His reign on earth be -  
 - ready to help the - poor and need - y, and bid the weak be  
 - cord; and love, joy, - hope, like flow - ers, spring in His path to  
 rest, from age to age more glo - rious, all bless - ing and all



and He comes to break op - pres - sion, to set the cap - tive  
 strong, to give them songs for sig - - ing, their neck - necks turn to  
 birth; he has firm on the rock, his - shall pass, the her - old,  
 blessed; the tide of time shall nev - er - His love a - cant re -



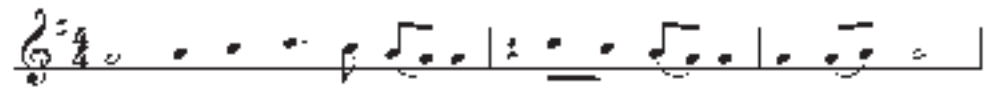
turn, to take a - way trans - gres - sion, and rule in equi - ty,  
 high, whose souls, con - demned and de - ing, were pre - cious in His sight,  
 go; and right - eous - ness, in low - ness, from hill and val - ley flow  
 move; His name shall stand for ev - er, that name as our is love.

\*Hymn of Praise

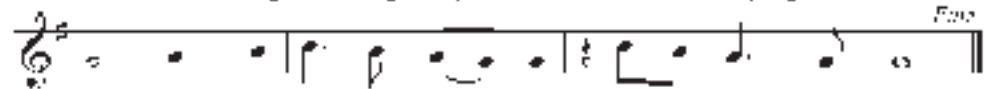
"Come, Let Us Worship Jesus"

COME, LET US WORSHIP JESUS

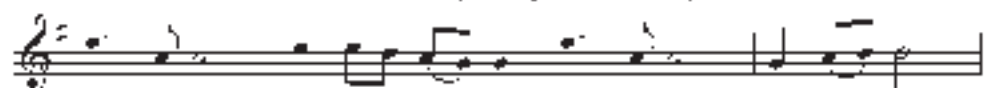
9:30/11:00



Come, Come, let us worship Je - sus, King of na - tions, Lord of all,  
 all Thy - ish - earts of ad - o - ra - tion, drape - ed love and high - est grace,  
 all Bring in - bu - les from all na - tions, come to - get - her, all ca - tal - ogues;  
 45 Come, Lord, and O' Your tem - ple, glo - r - fy Your dwell - ing, place,  
 46 Hear God, and give him glo - ry, for His - eour of judg - ment comes.



mag - ni - fi - cent and glo - ri - ous, just and merc - ci - ful,  
 voice, race and an - grace be - ing, all the world a - reared,  
 one thou - sand - s of na - tions, one ben - e - vol - ent,  
 till na - tions see Your splen - dor and see Your face,  
 Cre - a - tor, Lord al - might - y, wor - ship Him a - lone.



Je - sus, King of the na - tions, Je - sus, Lord of all.



Je - sus, King of the na - tions, Lord of all!

\*Prayer of Adoration

## \*Profession of Faith

Minister: Christ Jesus, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but made Himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

People: **And being found in human form, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore 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, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.**

Philippians 2.5-11

## \*Hymn of Praise

"All Praise to Christ"

ENGELBERG



1. All praise to Christ, our Lord and King di - vine, \_\_\_\_\_  
2. Christ came to us in low - li - ness of thought; \_\_\_\_\_  
3. The mind of Christ is as our mind should be: \_\_\_\_\_  
4. And so we see in God's great pur - pose how \_\_\_\_\_  
5. Let ev - ery tongue con - fess with one ac - cord, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ yield - ing His glo - ry in His love's de - sign, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ by Him the out - cast and the poor were sought, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ He was a ser - vant, that we might be free, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Christ has been raised a - bove all crea - tures now, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ in heaven and earth, that Je - sus Christ is Lord, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ that in our dark - ened hearts His \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and by His death was our re - \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ hum - bling Him - self to death on \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and at His name shall ev - \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ and God the Fa - ther be by \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ grace might shine: \_\_\_\_\_ Al - le - lu - ia!  
\_\_\_\_\_ demp - tion brought: \_\_\_\_\_ Al - le - lu - ia!  
\_\_\_\_\_ Cal - va - ry: \_\_\_\_\_ Al - le - lu - ia!  
\_\_\_\_\_ na - tion bow: \_\_\_\_\_ Al - le - lu - ia!  
\_\_\_\_\_ all a - dored: \_\_\_\_\_ Al - le - lu - ia!

## Public Confession of Sin

Minister: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

People: **Gracious God, having heard Your Word, we thankfully remember the life of our Lord Jesus Christ on this earth. Yet we also acknowledge our failure to respond earnestly and faithfully to His witness. We often mistake Jesus for a mere earthly king, friendly companion, or problem-solver, failing to see Him as the Ruler of all creation. We do not appreciate the depth of His passion and sacrifice on the cross, failing to acknowledge Him as our way of salvation. Even in this Lenten season, we have not walked faithfully in the way of Jesus Christ. Forgive us, we pray, and bring us ever more fully into the joy of union with Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

## Private Confession

### Song of Assurance No. 246

"Man of Sorrows! What a Name"

HALLELUJAH! WHAT A SAVIOR

### Prayer of Intercession

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00/9:30  
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 11:00

### Musical Offering

8:00

Mr. Colin Howland, *Organ*

9:30

"Hosanna to the Lord"

*Ellingboe*

High School Ensemble • Covenant Choir

Lynda Fray, *Director* • Mr. Cope, *Piano*

*Prepare the royal highway; the King of kings is near! Let ev'ry hill and valley a level road appear! Then greet the King of glory, foretold in sacred story: Hosanna to the Lord, for He fulfills God's Word!*

*God's people, see Him coming: your own eternal King! Palm branches strew before Him! Spread garments! Shout and sing! God's promise will not fail you! No more shall doubt assail you! Hosanna to the Lord, for He fulfills God's Word!*

*Then fling the gates wide open to greet your promised King! Your King, yet ev'ry nation its tribute too may bring. All lands will bow fore Him; their voices join your singing. His is no earthly kingdom; it comes from heaven above.*

*His rule is peace and freedom, and justice, truth, and love. So let your praises be sounding for kindness so abounding: Hosanna to the Lord, for He fulfills God's Word!*

### \*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: Nursery Ministry

9:30/11:00

Kiki and Jeff Pennington

### \*The Scripture Reading

Matthew 21.1-11

Now when they drew near to Jerusalem and came to Bethphage, to the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, <sup>2</sup> saying to them, "Go into the village in front of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Untie them and bring them to me. <sup>3</sup> If anyone says anything to you, you shall say, 'The Lord needs them,' and he will send them at once." <sup>4</sup> This took place to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet, saying,

<sup>5</sup> "Say to the daughter of Zion,  
'Behold, your King is coming to you,  
humble, and mounted on a donkey,  
and on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.' "

<sup>6</sup> The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them. <sup>7</sup> They brought the donkey and the colt and put on them their cloaks, and He sat on them. <sup>8</sup> Most of the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. <sup>9</sup> And the crowds that went before Him and that followed Him were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" <sup>10</sup> And when He entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred up, saying, "Who is this?" <sup>11</sup> And the crowds said, "This is the prophet Jesus, from Nazareth of Galilee."

## The Morning Sermon

"An Unusual Beginning"

Mr. Tinsley

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00 am, continue on page 6 —

## The Great Thanksgiving

Dr. Deison

Minister: The Lord be with you!

**People: And with your spirit!**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

**People: We lift them up to the Lord!**

Minister: Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

**People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

Minister: It is right and good and a joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

**People: Therefore, with angels and archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious Name; evermore praising You, and singing:**

*Please Stand.*

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## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing

## \*The Words of Institution

### The Communion

*Please come forward down the center aisle.  
Partake of the elements upon receiving them from the elders.  
Return to your seat with your empty cup via the side aisle.*

### During the Serving of Communion

*Please use the following Scripture for private meditation.*

*John 12.20-26*

*Now among those who went up to worship at the feast were some Greeks. So these came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew; Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. And Jesus answered them, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. If anyone serves Me, he must follow Me; and where I am, there will My servant be also. If anyone serves Me, the Father will honor him.*

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00 continue here —

\*Closing Hymn No. 235 "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

ST. THEODULPH

### \*The Benediction

Minister: Peace be with the brothers and sisters and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Grace be with all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with love incorruptible.

People: **Thanks be to God! Amen.**

### Postlude

\*The Congregation stands.

*The flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Ann Cortelyou by Bill Cortelyou, Pam and Bill Cortelyou, Susan, Randy, Ann, Margaret and Katherine Ray.*

*The flowers in the narthex are given to the glory of God and in special memory of our dear brother, Jay Humphrey, loving husband, father and friend.*

## 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 alongside 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 (north of Fellowship Hall) 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.**



## Holy Week

### Tonight

Evening service in Fellowship Hall

6:00 pm

### Noon Services

Monday • April 2 through Friday • April 6

Sanctuary • 12:00 to 12:30 pm

*followed by lunch (\$6) and fellowship in the south foyer*

### Vespers

Wednesday • April 4

Chapel • 5:30 pm

## Maundy Thursday Communion Service

April 5

Sanctuary • 7:00 pm

## Resurrection Sunday

April 8

Worship services at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

Three identical services

*no Communion at the 8:00 am service this Sunday only*

6:00 pm

Evening service in Fellowship Hall

