



CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S TABLE

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

May 18, 2008

8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am

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.

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

Preparation for Worship “O Lord, I Don't Feel No Ways Tired”
Sara Call, *Soprano* • Jenni Rasberry, *Piano*

arr. McIntyre

Service of the Word

Call to Worship

The Rev. Mark Davis

Minister: Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength! Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name; bring an offering, and come into His courts!

People: **Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before Him, all the earth!**

Psalms 96:7-9

***Hymn of Adoration No. 44** “How Great Thou Art”

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***Prayer of Adoration**





*Profession of Our Church's Faith

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30
The Rev. Tim Tinsley 11:00

Minister: Christian, what is your only comfort, in life and in death?

People: That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself, but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of His own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that He protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit His purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

Heidelberg Catechism, Q. 1

*Hymn of Praise No. 521 "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

SOLID ROCK

Becoming a Communing Member and Coming to the Lord's Table for the First Time

9:30/11:00

Mr. Doug Horn
Ruling Elder

Middle School Communicants:

Joshua McClain Combs
Laura Katherine Freel
Katherine Scott Krikorian
Mitchell Gordon Malone

Thomas Lucas McBride
Brittany Anne Pond
George Edward Seay IV
Chappel Spencer Nelson Weitzel

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Williams 8:00
Mr. George Chapman 9:30/11:00
Ruling Elder

Musical Offering

8:00

"Calvary's Love"
Mr. Colin Howland, *Organ*

arr. Jones

9:30/11:00

"Kyrie Eleison" from *Requiem*
Chancel Choir • Mr. J. Marty Cope, *Director*

M. Duruflé

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison.
Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy.





*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.

*The Scripture Reading

Acts 7.54-8.8

⁵⁴Now when they heard these things they were enraged, and they ground their teeth at him. ⁵⁵But he, full of the Holy Spirit, gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. ⁵⁶And he said, "Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God." ⁵⁷But they cried out with a loud voice and stopped their ears and rushed together at him. ⁵⁸Then they cast him out of the city and stoned him. And the witnesses laid down their garments at the feet of a young man named Saul. ⁵⁹And as they were stoning Stephen, he called out, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." ⁶⁰And falling to his knees he cried out with a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

^{8.1}And Saul approved of his execution. And there arose on that day a great persecution against the church in Jerusalem, and they were all scattered throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, except the apostles. ²Devout men buried Stephen and made great lamentation over him. ³But Saul was ravaging the church, and entering house after house, he dragged off men and women and committed them to prison.

⁴Now those who were scattered went about preaching the word. ⁵Philip went down to the city of Samaria and proclaimed to them the Christ. ⁶And the crowds with one accord paid attention to what was being said by Philip when they heard him and saw the signs that he did. ⁷For unclean spirits, crying out with a loud voice, came out of many who had them, and many who were paralyzed or lame were healed. ⁸So there was much joy in that city.

Communion Meditation "God Scatters His People
to Scatter His Word"

Mr. Davis





Service of the Table

Call to Confession

Minister: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

People: **Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to Me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.**

Minister: Incline your ear, and come to Me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, My steadfast, sure love for David. Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.

People: **Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know, and a nation that did not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel, for He has glorified you.**

Minister: Seek the LORD while He may be found; call upon Him while He is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that He may have compassion on him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.

Isaiah 55:1-7

People: **Out of the depths I cry to You, O LORD! O Lord, hear my voice! Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy! If You, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with You there is forgiveness, that You may be feared. I wait for the LORD, my soul waits, and in His word I hope; my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning.**

Minister: O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with Him is plentiful redemption. And He will redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

Psalms 130

All: *(singing)*

Please stand.

FAITHFULNESS

**Pardon for sin, and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!**

**Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!**





*The Great Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People And with your spirit.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

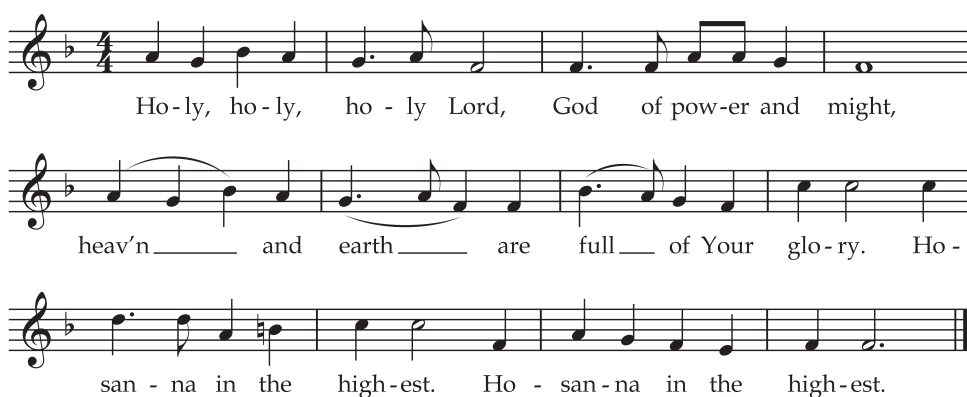
People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

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:



*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing

*The Words of Institution

The Communion 8:00

*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 at 8:00,
please use the following hymns for private meditation.*

During the Serving of Communion 9:30/11:00

Please hold the bread and cup, and we will all partake together.





*During the bread, please sing,
"I Am the Vine"*

I am the vine, you are the branch - es, a - bide in
Me. I am the vine, you are the
branch - es, a - bide in My love.
1. As the branch can - not bear fruit by it - self un - less it a -
2. He who a - bides in Me and I in him, He it is
3. By this My Fa - ther is glo - ri - fied: that you would
4. All of these things I have spo - ken to you, so that My
bides in the vine, nei - ther can you, un -
that bears much fruit, A - bide in Me, for a -
bear much fruit. A - bide in Me, and
joy may be in you. A - bide in Me! And.
less you a - bide in Me.
part from Me you can do noth - ing.
so prove to be my dis - ci - ples.
then shall your joy be full!

*During the cup, please sing No. 648
"My Jesus, I Love Thee"*

CARITAS

***Closing Hymn No. 498** "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!"
Stanzas: 1, 2 and 5

HYFRYDOL

***The Benediction**

Minister: Peace 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. Ephesians 6.23-24

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





Postlude

"Fanfare and Procession"
Mr. Howland, Organ

Chapman

**The congregation stands.*

*The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of
God and in honor of Dr. Clem Mueller and his dear family.*

*Then Job answered the LORD and said: "I know that You can do all things,
and that no purpose of Yours can be thwarted." Job 42.1, 2*

*The flowers in the narthex this morning are given to the
glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of
Kimberly Elizabeth Mathews and Robert Lee Sayles.*

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.**

**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.

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Sunday Evening Worship Service
6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West

Tonight • May 18

The Rev. Tim Tinsley
Ephesians 6.10-20

“Take up the bloodied breastplate of your warrior lover”

