



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

September 14, 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 Christ.

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

Preparation for Worship

Hymn No. 170

“Fairest Lord Jesus”
Stanzas: 1, 2 and 4

CRUSADER’S HYMN

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00
The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: I will remember the deeds of the LORD; yes, I will remember
Your wonders of old. I will ponder all Your work, and meditate
on Your mighty deeds. Your way, O God, is holy.

People: **What god is great like our God? You are the God who works
wonders; You have made known Your might among the peo-
ples. You with Your arm redeemed Your people, the children
of Jacob and Joseph.**

Psalms 77:11-15

***Hymn of Adoration No. 172** *“Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder”*

ALL SAINTS OLD

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Our Church's Faith**

The Rev. Tim Tinsley 8:00

The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30

Mr. Tinsley 11:00

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, even as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before Him. In love He predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of His will, to the praise of His glorious grace, with which He has blessed us in the Beloved. In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace, which He lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight making known to us the mystery of His will, according to His purpose, which He set forth in Christ as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in Him, things in heaven and things on earth.

Ephesians 1.3-10

***Hymn of Praise No. 469** "How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place" *ST. COLUMBA*

Please be seated.

Call to Confession: Psalm 32.1-2

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.
Blessed is the man against whom the LORD counts no iniquity, and in whose spirit there is no deceit.

Public Confession of Sin

O God, we praise You for Your great love towards us in Christ Jesus, divine affection which chose Your people from before the foundation of the world. We rejoice with St. Paul that there is no one who can bring a charge against the elect of God! Yet, our gracious Father, we must confess that we attempt to cover our guilty consciences with good works, rather than looking to the finished work of Christ. We also spend much of our lives feeling unloved, lonely, and insecure, often seeking the attention and affirmation of men, rather than resting in the inseparable love of Christ. Lord, help us to be satisfied in You alone. Give us faith to trust the depth of Your love for us: purposeful, faithful, sacrificial, unmerited, everlasting love!

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Comfort of the Gospel

Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

Romans 8.33-34

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Tinsley 8:00

Mr. William Thomas, *Ruling Elder* 9:30/11:00

Musical Offering

8:00

"It Is Well"
Jane Beasley, *Soprano*

J. N. Beck

9:30/11:00

"Here I Am, Lord"
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *Director*

arr. Young

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard My people cry. All who dwell in dark and sin My hand will save. I who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright. Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard You calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if You lead me. I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne My people's pain. I have wept for love of them. They turn away. I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone, I will speak My word to them Whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame, I will set a feast for them. My hand will save. Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied. I will give My life for them. Whom shall I send?

Extending the Kingdom: ESL

9:30/11:00

Ms. Carol Baker
Mr. Luis Miranda

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of the Lord be with you always.
Romans 5.1

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**

1 Peter 1.1-2

Peter, an apostle of Jesus Christ,

To those who are elect exiles of the dispersion in Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia, according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, in the sanctification of the Spirit, for obedience to Jesus Christ and for sprinkling with His blood:

May grace and peace be multiplied to you.

The Morning Sermon

STANDING FIRM IN THE
TRUE GRACE OF GOD
"Elect Exiles"

Mr. Williams 8:00
Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

☞ Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue on page 6 ☞

Please stand.

***The Great Thanksgiving**

Mr. Tinsley

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:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heav'n _____ and earth _____ are full _____ of Your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

***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.

Psalm 18.1-6

*I love You, O LORD, my strength.
The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer,
my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge,
my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.
I call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised,
and I am saved from my enemies.
The cords of death encompassed me;
the torrents of destruction assailed me;
the cords of Sheol entangled me;
the snares of death confronted me.
In my distress I called upon the LORD;
to my God I cried for help.
From His temple He heard my voice,
and my cry to Him reached His ears.*

☞ Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue here ☞

***Closing Hymn No. 455** “And Can It Be That I Should Gain”

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***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

“Little Fugue in G Minor”
Mr. Colin Howland, *Organ*

Bach

**The congregation stands.*

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in honor of Jane Beasley and in memory of her mother, Geraldine Johnson, with love and appreciation from the PCPC Caregivers Support Group.

Park Cities Presbyterian Church exists to extend the transforming presence of the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in Dallas and to the world.

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.

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.

Prayer for Lausanne Conference

The Third Lausanne Conference on World Evangelism is planned for 2010 in Cape Town, South Africa. In preparation for that event, PCPC is hosting a pastor's conference on September 22-24, 2008. Over 100 pastors from churches across North America are coming for this historic event to hear international evangelical leaders and discuss the American church's role. Please pray for this event over the next two weeks, and if you wish to be on a prayer team, please contact Judy Scott at 214-363-5287 or jbscotts@aol.com.

Sunday Evening Worship Service
Tonight • September 14, 2008
6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West

The Rev. Tim Tinsley
"Living a Spiritual Life in a Sensual World"
1 Corinthians 1.1-17

Music by permission: CCLI #364068

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