



CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S TABLE

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

January 4, 2009

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.

We Prepare Our Hearts

"Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations."

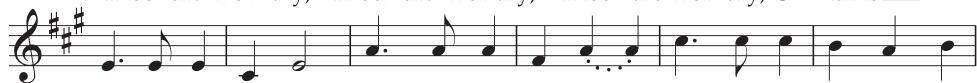
Psalm 46.10

Preparation for Worship

"Thou Art Worthy"



1. Thou art wor - thy, Thou art wor thy, Thou art wor - thy, O Lord, ___
2. Thou art wor - thy, Thou art wor thy, Thou art wor - thy, O Lamb ___



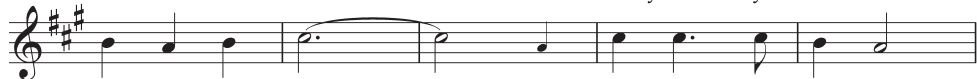
to re - ceive glo - ry, glo - ry and hon - or, ___ glo - ry and hon - or and
to re - ceive bless - ing, glo - ry and hon - or and power at the Fa - ther's right



power; ___ For Thou hast cre - a - ted, hast
hand; ___ For Thou hast re - deemed us, hast



all things cre - a - ted, Thou hast cre -
ran - somed and cleaned us, by Thy blood



a - ted all things; ___ and for Thy plea - sure
set - ting us free; ___ In white robes ar - rayed us,



they are cre - a - ted, for Thou art wor - thy, O Lord.
kings and priests made us, ___ we are reign - ing in Thee.

Call to Worship

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

Minister: Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!
How unsearchable are His judgments and how inscrutable His ways!

People: **For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has seen His counselor?**

Minister: Of who has given a gift to Him that he might be repaid?

People: **For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be glory forever. Amen!**

***Hymn of Adoration No. 76** "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" *LAUDA ANIMA*

***Prayer of Adoration**
concluding with the Lord's Prayer

***Hymn No. 173** "Praise Him! Praise Him!" *JOYFUL SONG*

***Profession of Faith**
The Rev. Julian Russell 8:00
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30/11:00

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

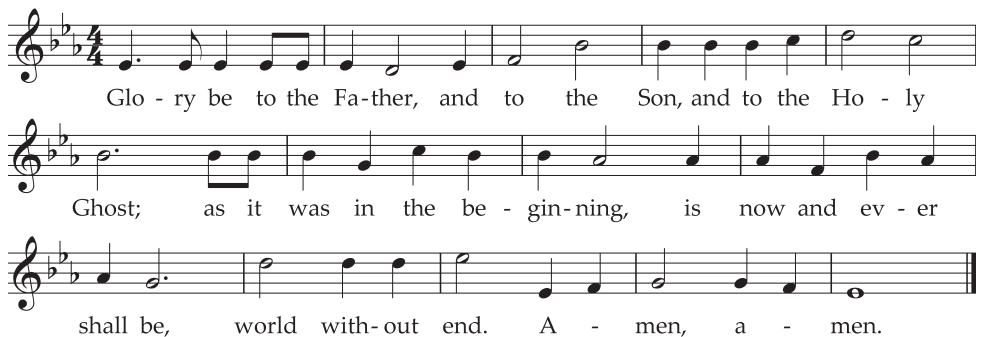
And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

***The Gloria Patri**

GREATOR EX



Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly
Ghost; as it was in the be - gin-ning, is now and ev - er
shall be, world with-out end. A - men, a - men.

Public Confession of Sin

O God, I bless You for the happy moment when I first saw Your law fulfilled in Christ, wrath appeased, death destroyed, sin forgiven, my soul saved. I want no other rock to build upon than that which I have, desire no other hope than that of gospel truth, need no other look than that which gazes on the cross. Forgive me if I have tried to add anything to the one foundation, if I have unconsciously relied upon my knowledge, experience, deeds, and not seen them as filthy rags, if I have attempted to complete what is perfect in Christ. May my cry be always, Only Jesus! Only Jesus! In Him is freedom from condemnation, fullness in His righteousness, eternal vitality in His given life, indissoluble union in fellowship with Him. In Him I have all that I can hold; enlarge me to take in more.

Private Confession

The Assurance of the Gospel of Jesus Christ

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Romans 8.1

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Musical Offering

8:00

“The Lord’s My Shepherd”
Brother James’ Air
J. Marty Cope, *Organ*

arr. Wood

9:30/11:00

“Draw Us in the Spirit’s Tether”
Chancel Choir • Colin Howland, *Director*

Friedell

Draw us in the Spirit’s tether; for when humbly, in Thy name, two or three are met together, Thou are in the midst of them: Alleluya! Touch we now Thy garment’s hem.

As the brethren used to gather in the name of Christ to sup, then with thanks to God the Father break the bread and bless the cup, Alleluya! So knit Thou our friendship up.

All our meals and all our living make as sacraments of Thee, that by caring, helping, giving, we may true disciples be. Alleluya! We will serve Thee faithfully.

*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

2 Samuel 9

And David said, "Is there still anyone left of the house of Saul, that I may show him kindness for Jonathan's sake?" ²Now there was a servant of the house of Saul whose name was Ziba, and they called him to David. And the king said to him, "Are you Ziba?" And he said, "I am your servant." ³And the king said, "Is there not still someone of the house of Saul, that I may show the kindness of God to him?" Ziba said to the king, "There is still a son of Jonathan; he is crippled in his feet." ⁴The king said to him, "Where is he?" And Ziba said to the king, "He is in the house of Machir the son of Ammiel, at Lo-debar." ⁵Then King David sent and brought him from the house of Machir the son of Ammiel, at Lo-debar. ⁶And Mephibosheth the son of Jonathan, son of Saul, came to David and fell on his face and paid homage. And David said, "Mephibosheth!" And he answered, "Behold, I am your servant." ⁷And David said to him, "Do not fear, for I will show you kindness for the sake of your father Jonathan, and I will restore to you all the land of Saul your father, and you shall eat at my table always." ⁸And he paid homage and said, "What is your servant, that you should show regard for a dead dog such as I?"

⁹Then the king called Ziba, Saul's servant, and said to him, "All that belonged to Saul and to all his house I have given to your master's grandson. ¹⁰And you and your sons and your servants shall till the land for him and shall bring in the produce, that your master's grandson may have bread to eat. But Mephibosheth your master's grandson shall always eat at my table." Now Ziba had fifteen sons and twenty servants. ¹¹Then Ziba said to the king, "According to all that my lord the king commands his servant, so will your servant do." So Mephibosheth ate at David's table, like one of the king's sons. ¹²And Mephibosheth had a young son, whose name was Mica. And all who lived in Ziba's house became Mephibosheth's servants. ¹³So Mephibosheth lived in Jerusalem, for he ate always at the king's table. Now he was lame in both his feet.

Communion Meditation "His Table Shows Forth
Christ's Kindness"

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

Please stand.

*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:**

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 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,

"Behold the Lamb"

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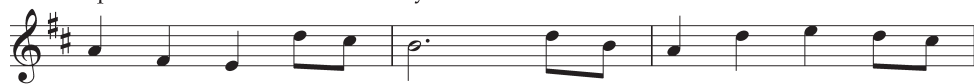
1. Be - hold the Lamb who bears our sins a - way, slain for us:
2. The bo - dy of our Sav - ior, Je - sus Christ, torn for you:
3. The blood that cleans - es ev - ery stain of sin, shed for you:
4. And so with thank - ful - ness and faith we rise to re - spond



and we re - mem - ber the pro - mise made that all who
eat and re - mem - ber the wounds that heal, the death that
drink and re - mem - ber He drained death's cup that all may
and to re - mem - ber our call to fol - low in the



come in faith find for - give - ness at the cross. So we share in this
brings us life, paid the price to make us one. So we share in this
en - ter in to re - ceive the life of God. So we share in this
steps of Christ as His bo - dy here on earth. As we share in His



bread of life, and we drink of His sa - cri - fice, as a
Bread of Life, and we drink of His sa - cri - fice, as a
Bread of Life, and we drink of His sa - cri - fice, as a
suf - fer - ing, we pro - claim: Christ will come a - gain! And we'll



sign of our bonds of peace a - round the ta - ble of the King.
sign of our bonds of love a - round the ta - ble of the King.
sign of our bonds of grace a - round the ta - ble of the King.
join in the feast of heaven a - round the ta - ble of the King.

During the cup, please sing Hymn No. 106

"Father, Father of All Things"

FATHER OF ALL THINGS

***Closing Hymn No. 457 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"**

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***The Benediction**

Minister: May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

**The congregation stands.*

Members of our fellowship at Park Cities Presbyterian Church who have joined the Church Triumphant since our last Communion:

Kelly Tripplehorn
Mary Virginia McInnis

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.

DO YOU HAVE A PASTORAL PRAYER REQUEST?

The PCPC pastors set aside the first Monday of each month to spend the day in prayer for our church family. You may send a prayer request, which will be kept in confidence, to the pastors between now and tomorrow (*Monday*) morning by 8:00 am via email.

Please send your prayer request to: PastorsPrayer@pcpc.org

**Sunday Evening Worship Service
Tonight • January 4, 2009
6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West**

The Rev. Tim Tinsley
1 Corinthians 11.17-34

"His Table Shows Forth Christ's Death Until His Return"

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastors

Kit Case	John Harper	Bobby Payne
Doug Chesnut	Doug Horn	Kirk Pogoloff
The Rev. Pete Deison	Tim Jeffress	Dick Steele
Jack Denman	Kent Johnson	Bill Thomas
David Franklin	Pat Moore	The Rev. Tim Tinsley
Mark Fulmer	Boots Nowlin	Steve Vanderhill

Assistant Pastors

The Rev. Ron Williams	The Rev. Julian Russell
The Rev. Bill Lamberth	The Rev. Jeff White
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty	The Rev. Don Admire

Executive Director

Jeff Barber

Shepherding Elders

*(Elders not currently on the Session but
active in ministry at Park Cities Presbyterian Church)*

Tommy Bain	Paul Flowers	Henry Morgan
John Bateman	David Gowdey	David Newman
Brad Bradley	Harry Hargrave	Stephen Nielson
Frank Bullock	John Hawkins	Irv Queal
David Burgher, Sr.	Bob Heinonen	Bob Raspberry
Rick Bush	Bill Hill	Frank Seay, Jr.
George Chapman	David Horn	Nelson Somerville
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Grady Crosland	Bill Jones	John Vanderveld
Charles Debter	Bryan Keyes	Ron Wideman
John Denman	Don King	Steve Williamson
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Bert Ehrmann	Mike McMahon	
Bill Farrell	Robert Mighell	