



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

July 12, 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.*

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### Preparation for Worship

9:30/11:00

*"Mighty to Save"*

Brian Piper, *Piano* • Andrew Russell, *Baritone*

*Hillsong*

### *We Praise and Profess Our Faith in God*

*"My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD,  
and let all flesh bless His holy name forever and ever."*

*Psalm 145.21*

### Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: God has gone up with a shout,

**People: The Lord with the sound of a trumpet.**

Minister: Sing praises to God, sing praises!

**People: Sing praises to our King, sing praises!**

Minister: For God is the King of all the earth;

**People: Sing praises with a psalm!**

Minister: God reigns over the nations;

**People: God sits on His holy throne.**

*Psalm 47.5-8*

**\*Hymn Adoration No. 44**

*"How Great Thou Art"*

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**\*Prayer of Adoration**

**\*Confession of Faith**

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00  
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30  
The Rev. Jeff White 11:00

Minister: What do you believe about the church of Christ?

People: **We believe and confess one single catholic or universal church—a holy congregation and gathering of true Christian believers. They await their entire salvation in Jesus Christ, having been washed by His blood, and sanctified and sealed by the Holy Spirit. This holy church is not confined, bound, or limited to a certain place or certain persons. But it is spread and dispersed throughout the entire world, though still joined and united in heart and will, in one and the same Spirit, by the power of faith.**

based on Belgic Confession, Art. 27

**\*Hymn of Praise**

**“In Christ Alone”**



1. In Christ a - lone my hope is found, He is my  
2. In Christ a - lone who took on flesh, full - ness of  
3. There in the ground His bod - y lay, Light of the  
4. No guilt in life, no fear in death, This is the



light, my strength, my song; This Cor - ner - stone, this so - lid  
God in help - less babe! This gift of love and right - eous -  
world by dark - ness slain: Then burst - ing forth in glo - r'ous  
pow'r of Christ in me; From life's first cry to fi - nal



Ground, firm through the fier - cest drought and storm.  
ness scorned by the ones He came to save:  
Day up from the grave He rose a - gain!  
breath Je - sus com - mands my des - ti - ny.



What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are  
'Till on that cross as Je - sus died, the wrath of  
And as He stands in vic - to - ry sin's curse has  
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, can ev - er



stilled, when striv - ings cease! My Com - for - ter, my All in  
God was sat - is - fied For ev - 'ry sin on Him was  
lost its grip on me, For I am His and He is  
pluck me from His hand; 'Till He re - turns or calls me



All, here in the love of Christ I stand.  
laid; here in the death of Christ I live.  
mine— bought with the pre - cious blood of Christ.  
home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand!

## Public Confession of Sin

Remember Your mercy, O LORD, and Your steadfast love, for they have been from of old. Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions; according to Your steadfast love remember me, for the sake of Your goodness, O LORD! Good and upright is the LORD; therefore He instructs sinners in the way. For Your name's sake, O LORD, pardon my guilt, for it is great. Turn to me and be gracious to me, for I am lonely and afflicted. The troubles of my heart are enlarged; bring me out of my distresses. Consider my affliction and my trouble, and forgive all my sins.

from Psalm 25

## Private Confession

## Words of Assurance

The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us.

Psalm 103:9-12

### *We Pray for Our Congregation, the Church, and the World*

*"First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people . . . This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth."*

1 Timothy 2.1, 3-4

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Lamberth 8:00  
Dr. Pat Moore, Elder 9:30/11:00

## Musical Offering

8:00 "He Was Wounded" C. Courtney  
Jane Beasley, Soprano

9:30/11:00 "Here I Am, Lord" arr. Young  
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, Director

*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?*

## \*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.*

### **We Hear and Respond to God's Word**

*Moses came and told the people all the words of the LORD and all the rules.*

*And all the people answered with one voice and said,  
"All the words that the LORD has spoken we will do."*

*Exodus 24.3*

## \* The Scripture Reading

Ashley and Kevin Joseph

### Psalm 46

*God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. <sup>2</sup> Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, <sup>3</sup> though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.*

*<sup>4</sup> There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy habitation of the Most High. <sup>5</sup> God is in the midst of her; she shall not be moved; God will help her when morning dawns. <sup>6</sup> The nations rage, the kingdoms totter; He utters His voice, the earth melts. <sup>7</sup> The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.*

*<sup>8</sup> Come, behold the works of the Lord, how He has brought desolations on the earth. <sup>9</sup> He makes wars cease to the end of the earth; He breaks the bow and shatters the spear; He burns the chariots with fire. <sup>10</sup> "Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!" <sup>11</sup> The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.*

### Psalm 47

*Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy! <sup>2</sup> For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared, a great King over all the earth. <sup>3</sup> He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet. <sup>4</sup> He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom He loves.*

*<sup>5</sup> God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. <sup>6</sup> Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! <sup>7</sup> For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!*

*<sup>8</sup> God reigns over the nations; God sits on His holy throne. <sup>9</sup> The princes of the peoples gather as the people of the God of Abraham. For the shields of the earth belong to God; He is highly exalted!*

**Morning Sermon**

"Be Still and Know That God Is God"

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

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

## \*The Great Thanksgiving

Minister: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

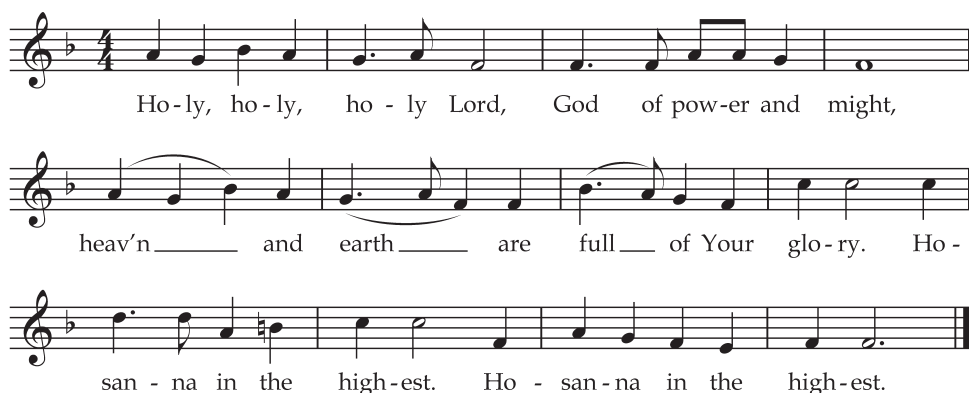
**People: We lift them up to the Lord!**

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.

***We Proclaim Jesus Christ Crucified as the Only Salvation for Sinners***

*Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life.*

*No one comes to the Father except through Me."*

*John 14:6*

## \* 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 36:7-12*

*How precious is Your steadfast love, O God!  
The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of Your wings.  
They feast on the abundance of Your house,  
and You give them drink from the river of Your delights.  
For with You is the fountain of life; in Your light do we see light.  
Oh, continue Your steadfast love to those who know You,  
and Your righteousness to the upright of heart!  
Let not the foot of arrogance come upon me,  
nor the hand of the wicked drive me away.  
There the evildoers lie fallen; they are thrust down, unable to rise.*

### ***We go into the World with God's Peace to Live for His Glory***

*"Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen."*

*Hebrews 13:20-21*

**\* Closing Hymn No. 92** "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

*EIN' FESTE BURG*

### **\* Benediction**

**Minister:** All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age. *Matthew 28:18-20*

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

### **Postlude**

*Mr. Cope, Organ*

*\*The congregation stands.*

*Please join us immediately following the 11:00 am service in Fellowship Hall for a reception to honor Home Church Missionaries, Ashley and Kevin Joseph.*

*The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Robert F. Ritchie and Louis Holleman.*

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

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### **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.**

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**Sunday Evening Worship Service  
Tonight, July 12, 2009  
6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West**

Mr. Paul Goebel  
Exodus 20.18-26  
“Made in the Image of Man”