



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

August 2, 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.

Preparation for Worship

*“What Wondrous Love”
“Improvisation on LANGRAN”
Mr. Ovid Young, Guest Organist*

*Samuel Barber
Seth Bingham*

Prayer for Short-term Missionaries: Peru

9:30/11:00

*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. Patrick Lafferty

Minister: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into His presence with singing!

People: **Know that the Lord, He is God! It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.**

Minister: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him; bless His name!

People: **For the Lord is good; His steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations.**

Psalm 100.1-5

***Hymn of Adoration No. 173** “Praise Him! Praise Him!”

JOYFUL SONG

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Confession of Faith**

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00

The Rev. Don Admire 9:30

Mr. Lamberth 11:00

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

—The Nicene Creed

***Hymn of Praise**

“Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning”

QUITTING POWER



1. Christ tri - um - phant, ev - er reign - ing, Sa - vior, Mas - ter, King!
2. Word in - car - nate, truth re - veal - ing, Son of man on earth:
3. Suf - fering ser - vant, scorned, ill - treat - ed, vic - tim cru - ci - fied!
4. Priest - ly king, en - throned for - ev - er high in heaven a - bove!
5. So, our hearts and voic - es rais - ing through the a - ges long,



Lord of heaven, our lives sus - tain - ing, hear us as we sing.
 Power and maj - es - ty con - ceal - ing by Your hum - ble birth.
 Death is through the cross de - feat - ed, sin - ners jus - ti - fied.
 Sin and death and hell shall nev - er sti - fle hymns of love.
 cease - less - ly u - pon You gaz - ing, this shall be our song.



Refrain
Yours the glo - ry and the crown, the high re - nown, the e - ter - nal name.

Please be seated.

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord, great God, whom we behold in awe and wonder, who has kept covenant and steadfast love with Your people from age to age: we have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from Your commandments and ordinances. We have known in our hearts what is right, and yet we did wrong anyway. We have been fascinated by evil, delighted with pleasing ourselves, satisfying our desires, pampering ourselves with pleasures. O Lord, great God, have mercy on us according to Your steadfast love. We know You are a God who delights in goodness. Grant that we too might delight in goodness. These prayers we present to You, O Father, in the name of Jesus, the Lamb who was slain and yet lives forever more.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1.8-9

Hymn of Assurance No. 500 "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me" *NEW CITY FELLOWSHIP*

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

Mr. John Hawkins, Elder 9:30/11:00

Musical Offering "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" *arr. Nielson & Young*
Stephen Nielson, Piano • Ovid Young, Organ

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**

Psalm 144

Blessed be the Lord, my rock, who trains my hands for war, and my fingers for battle; ² He is my steadfast love and my fortress, my stronghold and my deliverer, my shield and He in whom I take refuge, who subdues peoples under me.

³ O Lord, what is man that You regard him, or the son of man that You think of him? ⁴ Man is like a breath; his days are like a passing shadow.

⁵ Bow your heavens, O Lord, and come down! Touch the mountains so that they smoke! ⁶ Flash forth the lightning and scatter them; send out Your arrows and rout them! ⁷ Stretch out Your hand from on high; rescue me and deliver me from the many waters, from the hand of foreigners, ⁸ whose mouths speak lies and whose right hand is a right hand of falsehood.

⁹ I will sing a new song to You, O God; upon a ten-stringed harp I will play to You, ¹⁰ who gives victory to kings, who rescues David his servant from the cruel sword. ¹¹ Rescue me and deliver me from the hand of foreigners, whose mouths speak lies and whose right hand is a right hand of falsehood.

¹² May our sons in their youth be like plants full grown, our daughters like corner pillars cut for the structure of a palace; ¹³ may our granaries be full, providing all kinds of produce; may our sheep bring forth thousands and ten thousands in our fields; ¹⁴ may our cattle be heavy with young, suffering no mishap or failure in bearing; may there be no cry of distress in our streets! ¹⁵ Blessed are the people to whom such blessings fall! Blessed are the people whose God is the Lord!

Morning Sermon

"Pray until You Pray"

Mr. Lafferty

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***The Great Thanksgiving**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

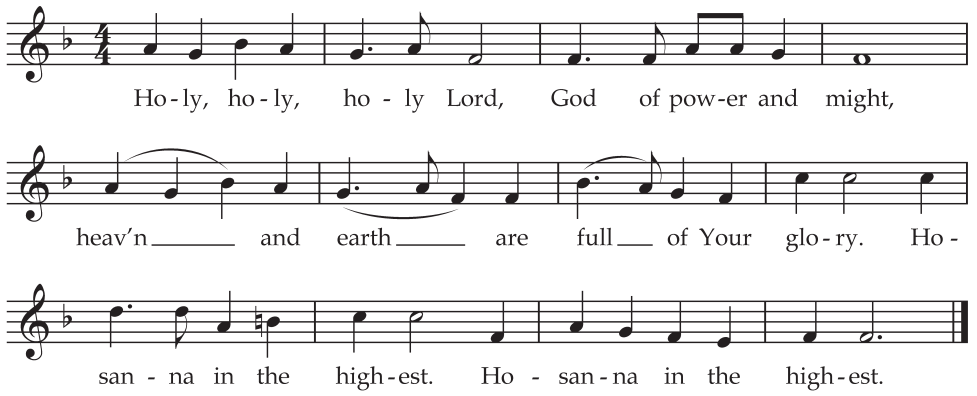
People: **We lift them up to the Lord!**

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.

Psalms 37.18-25

The Lord knows the days of the blameless, and their heritage will remain forever; they are not put to shame in evil times; in the days of famine they have abundance. But the wicked will perish; the enemies of the Lord are like the glory of the pastures; they vanish—like smoke they vanish away. The wicked borrows but does not pay back, but the righteous is generous and gives; for those blessed by the Lord shall inherit the land, but those cursed by Him shall be cut off. The steps of a man are established by the Lord, when he delights in His way; though he fall, he shall not be cast headlong, for the Lord upholds his hand. Better is the little that the righteous has than the abundance of many wicked. For the arms of the wicked shall be broken, but the Lord upholds the righteous.

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

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. 455** "And Can It Be That I Should Gain"

SAGINA

***Benediction**

Minister: 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

"Fugue in G Minor"
Messrs. Nielson & Young

J. S. Bach
Transcr. Nielson & Young

**The congregation stands.*

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.

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

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.

Sunday Evening Worship Service

Tonight, August 2, 2009

6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West

Mr. Russ Whitfield

Exodus 34.29-35

“Captivating Glory”

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastors

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| Kit Case | John Harper | Bobby Payne |
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| The Rev. Pete Deison | Tim Jeffress | Dick Steele |
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| David Franklin | Pat Moore | The Rev. Tim Tinsley |
| Mark Fulmer | Boots Nowlin | Steve Vanderhill |

Assistant Pastors

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| 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)*

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| Tommy Bain | Bill Farrell | Robert Mighell |
| John Bateman | Paul Flowers | Henry Morgan |
| Brad Bradley | David Gowdey | David Newman |
| Frank Bullock | Harry Hargrave | Stephen Nielson |
| David Burgher, Sr. | John Hawkins | Irv Queal |
| Rick Bush | Bob Heinonen | Bob Rasberry |
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| Grady Crosland | Russell Johnson | Tracy Taylor |
| Charles Debter | Bryan Keyes | John Vanderveld |
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