



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

September 27, 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

"The LORD is in His holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before Him."

Habakkuk 2.2

Preparation for Worship

"Just As I Am, without One Plea"

WOODWORTH

Just as I am, without one plea but that Thy blood was shed for me,
And that Thou bidd'st me come to Thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Just as I am, Thou wilt receive, wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve;
Because Thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Just as I am, Thy love unknown has broken ev'ry barrier down;
Now, to be Thine, Yea, Thine alone, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

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."*

Psalms 145.21

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

The Rev. Tim Tinsley 9:30/11:00

Minister: Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul! I will praise the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.

People: **The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind. The Lord lifts up those who are bowed down; the Lord loves the righteous. The Lord watches over the sojourners; He upholds the widow and the fatherless, but the way of the wicked He brings to ruin.**

Minister: The Lord will reign forever, your God, O Zion, to all generations.

People: **Praise the Lord!**

Psalms 146.1-2, 7-10

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Confession of Faith: Psalm 77.1, 11-20**

The Rev. Don Admire 8:00

The Rev. Jeff White 9:30

The Rev. Ron Williams 11:00

I cry aloud to God, and He will hear me.

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

When the waters saw You, O God, when the waters saw You, they were afraid; indeed, the deep trembled. The clouds poured out water; the skies gave forth thunder; Your arrows flashed on every side. The crash of Your thunder was in the whirlwind; Your lightnings lighted up the world; the earth trembled and shook. Your way was through the sea, Your path through the great waters; yet Your footprints were unseen. You led Your people like a flock by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

***Hymn No. 172**

“Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder”

ALL SAINTS OLD

Please be seated.

Public Confession of Sin

Psalm 130

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. 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.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance

I acknowledged my sin to You, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,” and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Psalm 32.5

I will glo-ry in my Re-deem-er Whose price-less blood
I will glo-ry in my Re-deem-er my life He bought,
I will glo-ry in my Re-deem-er Who car-ries me

has ran-somed me. Mine was the sin that drove the bit-ter nails
my love He owns. I have no long-ings for a-noth-er
on ea-gle's wings. He crowns my life with lov-ing kind-ness,

and hung Him on that judg-ment tree. I will glo-ry in my Re-
I'm sat-is-fied in Him a-lone. I will glo-ry in my Re-
His tri-umph song I'll ev-er sing. I will glo-ry in my Re-

deem-er Who crushed the pow'r of sin and death; My on-ly
deem-er His faith-ful-ness, my stand-ing place Though foes are
deem-er Who waits for me at gates of gold And when He

Sav-ior be-fore the Ho-ly Judge, the Lamb who is my
might-y and rush up-on me my feet are firm, held
calls me it will be par-a-dise His face for-ev-er

right-eous-ness, the Lamb who is my right-eous-ness.
by His grace, my feet are firm held by His grace.
to be-hold, His face for-ev-er to be-hold.

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. Admire 8:00
Mr. White 9:30
Mr. Williams 11:00

Musical Offering

8:00

"In Christ Alone"
Amy Schofield, Solo

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If ye love me, keep My commandments, and I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you forever, ev'n the Spirit of Truth.

*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.

Extending the Kingdom: Mexico

9:30/11:00

Andrés and Ruth Garza
MTW Northern Mexico Team Leaders

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

Joshua 3

Then Joshua rose early in the morning and they set out from Shittim. And they came to the Jordan, he and all the people of Israel, and lodged there before they passed over. ² At the end of three days the officers went through the camp ³ and commanded the people, “As soon as you see the ark of the covenant of the Lord your God being carried by the Levitical priests, then you shall set out from your place and follow it. ⁴ Yet there shall be a distance between you and it, about 2,000 cubits in length. Do not come near it, in order that you may know the way you shall go, for you have not passed this way before.” ⁵ Then Joshua said to the people, “Consecrate yourselves, for tomorrow the Lord will do wonders among you.” ⁶ And Joshua said to the priests, “Take up the ark of the covenant and pass on before the people.” So they took up the ark of the covenant and went before the people.

⁷ The Lord said to Joshua, “Today I will begin to exalt you in the sight of all Israel, that they may know that, as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. ⁸ And as for you, command the priests who bear the ark of the covenant, ‘When you come to the brink of the waters of the Jordan, you shall stand still in the Jordan.’”

⁹ And Joshua said to the people of Israel, "Come here and listen to the words of the Lord your God." ¹⁰ And Joshua said, "Here is how you shall know that the living God is among you and that He will without fail drive out from before you the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Hivites, the Perizzites, the Girgashites, the Amorites, and the Jebusites. ¹¹ Behold, the ark of the covenant of the Lord of all the earth is passing over before you into the Jordan. ¹² Now therefore take twelve men from the tribes of Israel, from each tribe a man. ¹³ And when the soles of the feet of the priests bearing the ark of the Lord, the Lord of all the earth, shall rest in the waters of the Jordan, the waters of the Jordan shall be cut off from flowing, and the waters coming down from above shall stand in one heap."

¹⁴ So when the people set out from their tents to pass over the Jordan with the priests bearing the ark of the covenant before the people, ¹⁵ and as soon as those bearing the ark had come as far as the Jordan, and the feet of the priests bearing the ark were dipped in the brink of the water (now the Jordan overflows all its banks throughout the time of harvest), ¹⁶ the waters coming down from above stood and rose up in a heap very far away, at Adam, the city that is beside Zarethan, and those flowing down toward the Sea of the Arabah, the Salt Sea, were completely cut off. And the people passed over opposite Jericho. ¹⁷ Now the priests bearing the ark of the covenant of the Lord stood firmly on dry ground in the midst of the Jordan, and all Israel was passing over on dry ground until all the nation finished passing over the Jordan.

Song of Praise

"Jesus Is Our King"

POST GREEN

9:30/11:00

Refrain

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! O - pen - ing our hearts to Him, sing - ing

al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Je - sus is our King!

Cre - ate in us, O God, A hum - ble heart that sets us free to pro -
 Pour out Your Spir - it on us, em - pow' - ring us to live as one, to

claim the won - drous maj - es - ty of our Fa - ther in hea - ven.
 car - ry Your re - deem - ing love to a world en - slaved by sin.

D.C.

The Morning Sermon

"The Lord Will Do Wonders Among You"

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 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 40.1-5

I waited patiently for the Lord; He inclined to me and heard my cry. He drew me up from the pit of destruction, out of the miry bog, and set my feet upon a rock, making my steps secure. He put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God. Many will see and fear, and put their trust in the Lord.

Blessed is the man who makes the Lord his trust, who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie! You have multiplied, O Lord my God, Your wondrous deeds and Your thoughts toward us; none can compare with You! I will proclaim and tell of them, yet they are more than can be told.

— 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. 457** "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" NETTLETON

***Benediction**

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

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

Postlude

"Toccata"
Colin Howland, *Organ*

Gigout

**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.

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, September 27, 2009
6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West**

Mr. Russ Whitfield
Exodus 16.31-36; Numbers 11.1-9
“An Appetite for Egypt”