

## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church October 11, 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** "Come, Thou Almighty King"

TRINITY

Come, Thou Almighty King, help us Thy name to sing, Help us to praise. Father, all glorious, o'er all victorious, Come and reign over us, Ancient of Days.

Come, Thou Incarnate Word, gird on Thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend. Come, and Thy people bless, and give Thy Word success; Spirit of holiness, on us descend.

#### 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

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00

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

Minister: O kingdoms of the earth, sing to God; sing praises to the Lord, to

Him who rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; behold He

sends out His voice, His mighty voice.

People: Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over Israel, and whose

power is in the skies.

Minister: Awesome is God from His sanctuary; the God of Israel—He is

the one who gives power and strength to His people. Blessed be

Goa!

All: (singing)

To the great One in Three eternal praises be, hence evermore.

His sovereign majesty may we in glory see,

And to eternity love and adore.

DIADEM

\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Hymn of Praise

\*Confession of Faith: Psalm 47

Dr. Deison 8:00 Mr. Lafferty 9:30 Mr. Russell 11:00

GUITTING POWER

Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy! For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared, a great King over all the earth. He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet. He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom He loves. God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet. Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!

God reigns over the nations; God sits on His holy throne. 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!

"Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning"

King! 1. Christ tri - um-phant, ev er reign-ing, Sa - vior, Mas - ter, 2. Word re-veal - ing, in - car - nate, truth Son of man on earth: 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! 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. sti - fle hymns of Sin and death and hell shall nev - er love. cease - less - ly u - pon You gaz - ing, this shall be song. Refrain

and the crown, the high re-nown, the e-ter - nal name.

Please be seated.

Yours the glo-ry

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

#### **Public Confession of Sin**

O God, I bless You for the joyful 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

#### **Silent Confession**

**Song of Assurance** "How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

Townend

9:30/11:00



#### **Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer**

Dr. Deison 8:00 Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

#### **Musical Offering**

8:00 "Amid the Fears That Oppress Our Day" Clarkson/Matthews
Mr. Bert Mueller, Solo

9:30/11:00 "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go" R. Manuel Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, Director

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in Thee; I give Thee back the life I owe, that in Thine ocean depths its flow may richer, fuller be.

O Light, that foll'west all my way, I yield my flick'ring torch to Thee; my heart restores its borrowed ray, that in Thy sunshine's glow its day may brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me through pain, I cannot close my heart to Thee; I trace the rainbow through the rain, and feel the promise is not vain that morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head, I dare not ask to fly from Thee; I lay in dust life's glory dead, and from the ground there blossoms red life that shall endless be.

#### \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Now in Christ Jesus, we who once were far off have been

brought near by the blood of Christ, for He Himself is our peace.

The peace of the Lord be with you always. Ephesians 2.13-14

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

Joshua 5

As soon as all the kings of the Amorites who were beyond the Jordan to the west, and all the kings of the Canaanites who were by the sea, heard that the Lord had dried up the waters of the Jordan for the people of Israel until they had crossed over, their hearts melted and there was no longer any spirit in them because of the people of Israel.

<sup>2</sup> At that time the Lord said to Joshua, "Make flint knives and circumcise the sons of Israel a second time." <sup>3</sup> So Joshua made flint knives and circumcised the sons of Israel at Gibeath-haaraloth. <sup>4</sup> And this is the reason why Joshua circumcised them: all the males of the people who came out of Egypt, all the men of war, had died in the wilderness on the way after they had come out of Egypt. <sup>5</sup> Though all the people who came out had been circumcised, yet all the people who were born on the way in the wilderness after they had come out of Egypt had not been circumcised. <sup>6</sup> For the people of Israel walked forty years in the wilderness, until all the nation, the men of war who came out of Egypt, perished, because they did not obey the voice of the Lord; the Lord swore to them that he would not let them see the land that the Lord had sworn to their fathers to give to us, a land flowing

with milk and honey. <sup>7</sup> So it was their children, whom he raised up in their place, that Joshua circumcised. For they were uncircumcised, because they had not been circumcised on the way.

<sup>8</sup> When the circumcising of the whole nation was finished, they remained in their places in the camp until they were healed. <sup>9</sup> And the Lord said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away the reproach of Egypt from you." And so the name of that place is called Gilgal to this day.

<sup>10</sup> While the people of Israel were encamped at Gilgal, they kept the Passover on the fourteenth day of the month in the evening on the plains of Jericho. <sup>11</sup> And the day after the Passover, on that very day, they ate of the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. <sup>12</sup> And the manna ceased the day after they ate of the produce of the land. And there was no longer manna for the people of Israel, but they ate of the fruit of the land of Canaan that year.

<sup>13</sup> When Joshua was by Jericho, he lifted up his eyes and looked, and behold, a man was standing before him with his drawn sword in his hand. And Joshua went to him and said to him, "Are you for us, or for our adversaries?" <sup>14</sup> And he said, "No; but I am the commander of the army of the Lord. Now I have come." And Joshua fell on his face to the earth and worshiped and said to him, "What does my lord say to his servant?" <sup>15</sup> And the commander of the Lord's army said to Joshua, "Take off your sandals from your feet, for the place where you are standing is holy." And Joshua did so.

**The Morning Sermon** "Are You Ready for Battle?" Dr. Niel Nielson *President, Covenant College Lookout Mountain, Georgia* 

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

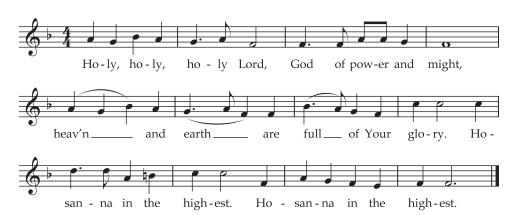
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



# 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 40.9-13

I have told the glad news of deliverance in the great congregation; behold, I have not restrained my lips, as You know, O LORD. I have not hidden Your deliverance within my heart; I have spoken of Your faithfulness and Your salvation; I have not concealed Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness from the great congregation.

As for You, O LORD, You will not restrain Your mercy from me; Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness will ever preserve me! For evils have encompassed me beyond number; my iniquities have overtaken me, and I cannot see; they are more than the hairs of my head; my heart fails me.

Be pleased, O LORD, to deliver me! O LORD, make haste to help me!

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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. 571 "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

**WEBB** 

#### \*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 "Po

"Postlude on OLD HUNDREDTH" Mr. Cope, *Organ*  arr. Fred Bock

\*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.

#### 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, October 11, 2009 6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West

Mr. Russ Whitfield Philippians 1.1-11 "Working Together for the Gospel"

#### **Senior Pastor**

The Rev. Mark Davis

#### Session/Associate Pastors

Ron Baxter	Tim Jeffress	Bobby Payne
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Doug Horn	Rick Owens	Steve Vanderhill

#### **Assistant Pastors**

The Rev. Ron Williams	The Rev. Julian Russell
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#### **Shepherding Elders**

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

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