

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church November 15, 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

"Carol" Mr. Gary Wright, Clarinet Finzi

Call to Worship

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

Minister: Great is the Lord and greatly to be praised in the city of our God! His holy mountain, beautiful in elevation, is the joy of all the earth, Mount Zion, in the far north, the city of the great King. We have thought on Your steadfast love, O God, in the midst of

Your temple.

People:

As Your name, O God, so Your praise reaches to the ends of the earth. Your right hand is filled with righteousness; let Mount Zion be glad! Let the daughters of Judah rejoice because of Your judgments! Psalm 48.1, 9, 10-11

9:30/11:00

"Come, Christians, Join to Sing" Carol and Chapel Choirs • Lynda Fray, Director Jenna Tenpenny, Piano Faith Jennings, Madalyn Johnston, Elisabeth Miller, Brian Tenpenny, Angela Webster: Handbells

arr. Hobby

Please join in singing when so directed.

Praise yet our Christ again: Alleluia! Amen! Life shall not end the strain: Alleluia! Amen! On heaven's blissful shore His goodness we'll adore, Singing forevermore: Alleluia! Amen!

*Prayer of Adoration

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

*Confession of Faith

The Rev. Julian Russell 8:00 The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30 The Rev. Bill Lamberth 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



Sacrament of Baptism

9:30/11:00

Mr. Lamberth, Mr. Lafferty 9:30 Mr. Lamberth 11:00

Parental Vows

- 1. Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
- 2. Do you claim God's covenant promises on their behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation, as you do for your own?
- 3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before them a godly example, that you will pray with and for them, that you will teach them the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

Congregational Vow

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of these children?

9:30 11:00

Grant Walton Birdsong Jemma Grace Pennington Isabella Grace Pumpelly Sophia Marie Pumpelly Richard Andrew Dawson Charlotte Elizabeth Harper Everett Michael Horan

Prayer for the Families

9:30/11:00

Mr. Lafferty 9:30 Dr. John Harper, *PCPC Elder* 11:00

Musical Meditation 9:30/11:00 "Morning Prayer" Jenni Rasberry, Soloist Kurt Kaiser

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

Eternal and merciful God, You have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and You have set us on paths of righteousness for Your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from Your way; we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone. As we remember the lavish gift of Your grace symbolized in baptism, O God, we praise You and give You thanks that You forgive us yet again. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with You, and in whose strong name we pray.

Silent Confession

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Russell 8:00 The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Musical Offering

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" 8:00 Megan Knapp, Soprano

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9:30/11:00

"Beati Quorum Via" Chancel Choir • Mr. J. Marty Cope, Director Stanford

Beati quorum via integra est; qui ambulant in lege Domini. Blessed are those that are undefiled in the way: and walk in the law of the Lord. Psalm 119.1

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: We are the body of Christ; in one Spirit we were all baptized in

one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds

up our common life. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

And also with you. People:

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 7.26-8.9, 24-35 Mr. Williams 8:00

Joanne and Don King 9:30/11:00

The Morning Sermon "Do Not Fear and Do Mr. Williams 8:00

Not Be Dismayed" Mr. Tinsley 9:30/11:00

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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

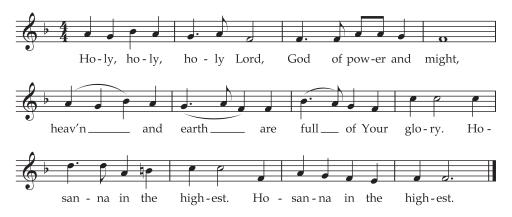
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



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 42.6-8

My God, my soul is cast down within me; therefore I remember You from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar. Deep calls to deep at the roar of Your waterfalls; all Your breakers and Your waves have gone over me. By day the Lord commands His steadfast love, and at night His song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life.

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"

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*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 Numbers 6:24-26

upon you and give you peace.

Thanks be to God! Amen. People:

Postlude "Sonata No. 1: Maestoso" Mr. Colin Howland, Organ Mendelssohn

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 • November 15, 2009 6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West

> > Mr. Russ Whitfield Philippians 1.27-30

^{*}The congregation stands.

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastors

Ron Baxter	Tim Jeffress	Bobby Payne
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Doug Chesnut	Louie Little	Dick Steele
The Rev. Pete Deison	Pat Moore	Bill Thomas
Harry Hargrave	Boots Nowlin	The Rev. Tim Tinsley
Doug Horn	Rick Owens	Steve Vanderhill

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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 DirectorJeff Barber

Shepherding Elders

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

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John Denman	Bryan Keyes	Ron Wideman
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Home Worship Guide

This page is to help you get started worshipping in your home. For more ideas and in-depth resources, be sure to check out the PCPC website by going to the Family Worship link on the pcpc.org home page. The Family Worship site is under development, so keep checking back for new updates!

What is home worship?

Home worship is time set aside to love, adore, and enjoy our Heavenly Father in our homes and with our families.

Who is home worship for?

Everyone! If you belong to Christ, He wants you to know the joy of spending time with Him daily. Home worship is for children, parents, couples, singles, grandparents, empty-nesters, anyone who is a child of the King!

When and where should we have home worship?

Do your best to schedule a regular time. Make it part of your routine. That way, everyone who participates will know when it is supposed to happen. Some good times are:

- 1. First thing in the morning right after breakfast;
- 2. At the dinner table immediately following the meal;
- 3. Right before bedtime.

If you are just beginning to try home worship, try this once or twice a week. If you already are doing it once or twice a week, try to increase the frequency. Ultimately, you will enjoy your Heavenly Father the most when you spend the most time with Him! Resources for daily worship will be available at worship.pcpc.org.

How do we do home worship?

- 1. How do I know what to do? There is a simple order in this worship bulletin to help guide you. Home worship is simply an extension and simplification of what happens in corporate worship every Sunday morning. Use your experience on Sunday mornings to guide you in worshipping at home. The elements of worship taken from Sunday mornings into the home are praise, prayer, and reading and learning the scriptures. If a family is able, singing is encouraged. If not, no big deal! Be flexible in adapting this guide to suit the needs of your family situation. Home worship also offers the opportunity to ask questions, give prayer requests, and have discussion in ways which do not happen in corporate worship.
- 2. *How long should it take?* No more than 10 or 15 minutes. If your family loves to go longer, then go longer!
- 3. How do I deal with wiggly children? Make parts of home worship wiggly! Move while you are singing, act out the scripture reading, ask the discussion questions while taking a family walk. Be creative and your children will love it. Be sure to teach the discipline of listening. See worship.pcpc.org for more ideas for families with young children!
- 4. *How do I get help?* Contact one of our pastors or elders. Check out the PCPC website. Look for our "family video" on youtube.com.

Daily Prayer Guide

Monday: Pray for one another (What's happening this week? Any sickness? Problems? If able, share with one another some area in your life in which God wants you to grow. Confess sins to one another)

Tuesday: Pray for your relatives and friends

Wednesday: Pray for those in authority: President Obama, government officials, local leaders, teachers at school.

Thursday: Pray for people you know who don't know Jesus.

Friday: Pray for the Church around the world, for missionaries, for the extending of God's Kingdom.

Saturday: Pray for PCPC, for the pastors and elders, the deacons and staff members. Pray for those who are sick and in need of care. Pray for the worship which is going to take place on Sunday morning.

Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of November 15, 2009

Praise

Psalm 150:1, 6 (all together saying)

Praise the LORD! Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in His mighty heavens! Let everything that has breath praise the LORD! Praise the LORD!

The Doxology (sing or say these words together)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures, here below;

Praise Him, above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: Amen.

Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: Joshua 8 (a long passage, so you may want two people to take turns reading the scripture out loud)

Questions for Discussion (may be answered in one worship time, or spread over several times)

- 1. What happened the last time God's people went up to fight against Ai? Joshua 7.2-5
- 2. What happens when God's people do battle against Ai in chapter 8?
- 3. Little children were not allowed to go into battle but what were they allowed to hear? Joshua 8.35
- 4. How often do you listen to God's Word?

For older children:

- 5. What does the word "Achor" mean?
- 6. Are you more afraid of getting caught while being disobedient (*getting into trouble*) or of displeasing God?
- 7. Of what are you afraid?
- 8. What removes fear from our life?
- 9. When was the last time you moved from regret to renewal?

Scripture Memory (memorize these verses of scripture this month)

Ephesians 6.16-18:

In all circumstances take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming darts of the evil one; ¹⁷ and take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God, ¹⁸ praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints.

Prayer

(Additional prayer ideas may be found on page eight of the bulletin.)

Prayer for His Will (all saying together)

O Lord, Your will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. We pray that You, by Your grace, would make us able and willing to know, obey, and submit to Your will in all things, as the angels do in heaven. Amen.

Hymn "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" (sing or say these words together)

Summer and winter and spring-time and harvest, Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above, Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see: All I have needed Thy hand hath provided, Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.