



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

March 14, 2010

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 2.20

Preparation for Worship

9:30/11:00

Hymn No. 38 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

ST. DENIO

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. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: I will sing of the steadfast love of the LORD, forever; with my mouth I will make known Your faithfulness to all generations.

People: **For I said, "Steadfast love will be built up forever; in the heavens You will establish Your faithfulness."**

Minister: You have said, "I have made a covenant with My chosen one; I have sworn to David My servant: 'I will establish your offspring forever, and build your throne for all generations.'"

People: **Let the heavens praise Your wonders, O LORD, Your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones!**

Psalms 89:1-5

***Hymn of Adoration No. 32** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

FAITHFULNESS

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30
The Rev. Julian Russell 11:00

Minister: Christian, what is your only comfort, in life and in death?

People: **That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself, but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of His own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that He protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit His purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.**

The Heidelberg Catechism, Question 1

***Hymn of Praise No. 604**

“Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart”

MARION

Stanza 1: *Choir*; Stanzas 2-6: *All*

Public Confession of Sin

Preserve me, O God, for in You I take refuge. You are my Lord; I have no good apart from You. But Lord, I confess I have sought refuge in other things: I have sought present and future security in finances, I have confused joy with temporal pleasure, my concept of identity is wrapped up in what I can achieve. But Lord, You are my chosen portion and my cup; You hold my lot. Teach me again that You alone make known the path of life and fullness of joy is only truly experienced in Your presence. Keep me, O God, and then I shall know that I will persevere even to the end.

Private Confession

Hymn of Assurance

“The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want”

ST. COLUMBA

9:30/11:00



1. The_ Lord's my Shep - herd, I'll not want; He_ makes me down to ___ lie___
2. My_ soul he doth re - store a - gain; and me to walk doth make
3. Yea, though I walk in_ death's dark vail, yet will I fear no___ ill;___
4. A__ ta - ble Thou has fur - nished me in_ pres - ence of my_ foes;___
5. Good - ness and mer - cy_ all my life shall sure - ly fol - low_ me;___



— in pas - tures green; He lead - eth
 — with - in the paths of right - eous -
 — for Thou art with me, and Thy
 — my head Thou dost with oil a -
 — and in God's house for - ev - er -



me the qui - et wa - ters by.
 ness, ev'n for His own name's sake.
 rod and staff me com - fort still.
 noint, and my cup o - ver - flows.
 more my dwell - ing place shall be.

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. Lafferty 9:30

Mr. Russell 11:00

Musical Offering

8:00

“Be Thou My Vision”
Megan Knapp, *Soprano*

Chilcott

9:30/11:00

“Non Nobis, Domine”
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *Director*

R. Quilter

Non Nobis, Domine! Not unto us, O Lord, the praise and glory be of any deed or word. For in Thy judgment lies to crown or bring to nought all knowledge and device that man has reached or wrought.

And we confess our blame, how all too high we hold that noise which men call fame, that dross which men call gold. For these we undergo our hot and godless days, but in our souls we know, not unto us the praise.

O Power, by whom we live, Creator, Judge and Friend, upholdingly forgive, nor leave us at the end. But grant us yet to see, in all our piteous ways, non nobis, Domine, not unto us the praise.

***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 3.1

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

**Extending the Kingdom: World Missions—
Senegal World 50 Church Planting Project**

Mamadou Djop

***The Scripture Reading**

Philippians 1.1-6

Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus,

To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi, with the overseers and deacons:

² Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

³ I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, ⁴ always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, ⁵ because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. ⁶ And I am sure of this, that He who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

The Morning Sermon “Perseverance of the Saints”

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

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue on page 5 —

***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 49.13-20

This is the path of those who have foolish confidence; yet after them people approve of their boasts. Like sheep they are appointed for Sheol; death shall be their shepherd, and the upright shall rule over them in the morning. Their form shall be consumed in Sheol, with no place to dwell. But God will ransom my soul from the power of Sheol, for He will receive me.

Be not afraid when a man becomes rich, when the glory of his house increases. For when he dies he will carry nothing away; his glory will not go down after him. For though, while he lives, he counts himself blessed—and though you get praise when you do well for yourself—his soul will go to the generation of his fathers, who will never again see light. Man in his pomp yet without understanding is like the beasts that perish.

— 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. 498 "Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners!"

HYFRYDOL

*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.**

**The congregation stands.*

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Mary Catherine Taylor, daughter of Diane and Tracy Taylor and Timothy Shane Springer.

The flowers by the Information Center this morning are given by the family of Richard Mulberry on the occasion of his 90th birthday and with gratitude for his faithful service to PCPC as a greeter, in helping with the archives and in assisting at mid-week dinners.

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, March 14, 2010
6:00 pm • Oak Lawn West**

Mr. Trent Casto
Matthew 5.21-26
“The Heart of Murder”