# Order for the Worship of God

Park Cities Presbyterian Church October 17, 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** 

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00 The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth

and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing.

People: To Him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and

honor and glory and might forever and ever! Revelation 5.12-13

#### 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

\*Hymn No. 297

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!" Stanzas: 1, 3, 5 and 6

DIADEM

\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Confession of Faith

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00 The Rev. Bill Lamberth 9:30 The Rev. Ron Williams 11:00

Minister:: What was the estate of Christ's exaltation?

People: The estate of Christ's exaltation comprehends His resurrec-

tion, ascension, sitting at the right hand of the Father, and His

coming again to judge the world.

Minister:

How is Christ exalted in His sitting at the right hand of God?

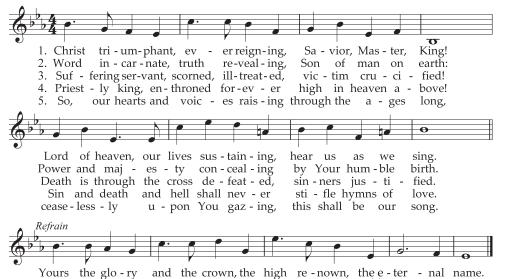
People:

Christ is exalted in His sitting at the right hand of God, in that as God-man He is advanced to the highest favor with God the Father, with all fullness of joy, glory, and power over all things in heaven and earth; and does gather and defend His church, and subdue their enemies; furnishes His ministers and people with gifts and graces, and makes intercession for them. Larger Catechism Ouestions 51 and 54

\*Hymn of Triumph

"Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning"

GUITING POWER



Tours the gio-ry and the crown, the high re-nown, the e-ter - har hame.

#### Prayer of Praise and Confession

O God Most High, creator of the ends of the earth, governor of the universe, judge of all men, head of the church, savior of sinners:

Your greatness is unsearchable,

Your goodness infinite,

Your compassion unfailing,

Your providence boundless,

Your mercies ever new.

We bless You for the words of salvation.

We are lost: but in the gospel You have presented to us a full, free and eternal salvation;

Weak: but here we learn that help is found in the One that is mighty; Poor: but in Him we discover unsearchable riches;

Blind: but we find He has treasures of wisdom and knowledge.

We Thank You for Your unspeakable gift.

Your Son is our only refuge, foundation, hope, confidence; we depend upon His death, rest in His righteousness, desire to bear His image. May His glory fill our minds, His love reign in our affections, His cross

inflame us with devotion.

May Christ be exalted in our hearts even as He is exalted now in heaven. Amen.

Song of Praise

"Sing to Jesus" Megan Knapp and William R. Park, *Duet* Brian Piper, *Piano*  Ortega/Nibbe

9:30/11:00

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 9:30 Dr. Pete Deison 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

Samuel Greyson Davis Jack Kent Nichols Aubrey Jane Allison

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

Dr. Deison 8:00 Mr. Kit Case, *Elder* 9:30 Mr. Ron Baxter, *Elder* 11:00

#### **Musical Offering**

8:00 "Hands" David Bolin Jenni Rasberry, Soprano

9:30/11:00 "Let the People Praise"
Chancel Choir • Brian Piper, Conductor

Allen Pote

Let all the people praise Thee, O God. Let all the people sing for joy and magnify Thy name. Let the people praise with thanks giving.

O God, be gracious and make Thy face to shine on us so that the world may know Thy ways.

Let the people be glad and sing for joy and praise Thee, for Thou, O God, has blessed us.

We will give Thee thanks, O God. We will sing with joyful song. We will rejoice in Thy name forever for Thy love is for all generations.

# \*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.

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

Philippians 2.5-11

<sup>5</sup> Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup> who, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, <sup>7</sup> but made Himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. <sup>8</sup> And being found in human form, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. <sup>9</sup> Therefore God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name, <sup>10</sup> so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, <sup>11</sup> and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The Morning Sermon

"The Humble One Is Exalted"

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

— Worshippers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue on page 7 —

#### \*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

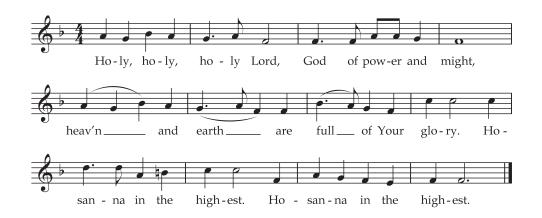
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



# \*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing

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

#### \*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.

Please use the following Scripture for private meditation.

#### Psalm 68.7-14

O God, when You went out before Your people, when You marched through the wilderness, the earth quaked, the heavens poured down rain, before God, the One of Sinai, before God, the God of Israel. Rain in abundance, O God, You shed abroad; You restored Your inheritance as it languished; Your flock found a dwelling in it; in Your goodness, O God, You provided for the needy.

The Lord gives the word; the women who announce the news are a great host: "The kings of the armies—they flee, they flee!" The women at home divide the spoil—though you men lie among the sheepfolds—the wings of a dove covered with silver, its pinions with shimmering gold. When the Almighty scatters kings there, let snow fall on Zalmon.

# 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. 453

"All Authority and Power"

NEANDER

#### \*The Benediction

Minister: To Him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by His

blood and made us a kingdom, priests to His God and Father, to

Him be glory and dominion forever and ever.

Thanks be to God! Amen. People:

## Postlude

\*The congregation stands.

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the birthday of James Aubrey Moody and the baptism of his granddaughter and namesake Aubrey Jane Allison.

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.

# Sermon Notes

*Philippians* 2.5-11 "The Humble One Is Exalted"

#### Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of October 17, 2010

#### **Praise**

# **Call to Worship** (everyone together)

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing.

"Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning" (sing or say these words together)

Please refer to hymn on page three

# Hearing and Learning God's Word

**Scripture Reading:** *Philippians* 2.5-11 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. What does exalted mean?
- 2. If you could pick any name for yourself, what would you pick? Why?
- 3. What does your name mean?
- 4. What is important about Jesus' name?
- 5. Why will everyone bow at the name of Jesus?

# Questions for older children

- 6. What does it mean that Jesus Christ is Lord?
- 7. What impact does this reality have on your daily life?
- 8. Why will every tongue confess that He is Lord?

#### **Scripture Memory for October** (*memorize these verses of Scripture this month*)

Philippians 4.4-7

<sup>4</sup> Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. <sup>5</sup> Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; <sup>6</sup> do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. <sup>7</sup> And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

#### **Prayer**

# **Prayer** (saying together)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

# "All Authority and Power" (sing or say these words together)

All authority and power, ev'ry status and domain Now belongs to Him who suffered our redemption to obtain; Angels, demons, kings and rulers, over all shall Jesus reign!