

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church April 10, 2011 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

"Amazing Grace"
High School Ensemble and Covenant Choir
Lynda Fray, *Director* • Charlotte Ball, *Piano*

arr. Coates

We Come to Worship at His Bidding

"Let everything that has breath praise the LORD! Praise the LORD!"

Psalm 150.6

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00 The Rev. Paul Settle 9:30/11:00

Minister: I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be

in my mouth. My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the

humble hear and be glad.

People: Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt His name

together! Psalm 34.1-3

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 of Adoration No. 164 "O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

AZMON

Minister: Why is the Son of God called Jesus, that is, Savior?

People: Because He saves us from our sins; and no salvation is to be

either sought or found in any other.

Minister: Why is He called Christ, that is, Anointed?

People: Because He is ordained of God the Father, and anointed with

the Holy Ghost, to be our chief Prophet and Teacher, who fully reveals to us the secret counsel and will of God concerning our redemption; and our only High Priest, who by the one sacrifice of His body has redeemed us, and ever liveth to make intercession for us with the Father; and our eternal King, who governs us by His Word and Spirit, and defends and preserves us in the

redemption obtained for us.

Minister: But why art thou called a Christian?

People: Because by faith I am a member of Christ, and thus a partaker

of His anointing; in order that I also may confess His name; may present myself a living sacrifice of thankfulness to Him; and may with free conscience fight against sin and the devil in this life, and hereafter, in eternity, reign with Him over all creatures.

Heidelberg Catechism, Questions 29, 31-32



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

Please be seated.

Public Confession of Sin

O God, I bless You for the happy 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.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance

My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

1 John 2.1-2



Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

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

Musical Offering

8:00

Mr. Colin Howland, Organ

9:30/11:00 "How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place" Brahms
Chancel Choir • Colin Howland, Director • Stephen Nielson, Piano
How lovely is Thy dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts! For my soul, it longeth, yea
fainteth for the courts of the Lord; my soul and body crieth out, yea, for the living
God. O blest are they that dwell within Thy house; they praise Thy name evermore!

Psalm 84.1-2, 4

*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.

Recognition of Graduating Seniors

9:30/11:00

Mr. Tommy Bain, *Elder* Mr. Kit Case, *Elder*

*The Scripture Reading

Matthew 16.13-20

Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, He asked His disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" ¹⁴ And they said, "Some say John the Baptist, others say Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." ¹⁵ He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" ¹⁶ Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." ¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon Bar-Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father who is in heaven. ¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. ¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." ²⁰ Then He strictly charged the disciples to tell no one that He was the Christ.

The Morning Sermon

"Confessing Christ"

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

*The Great Thanksgiving 8:00

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

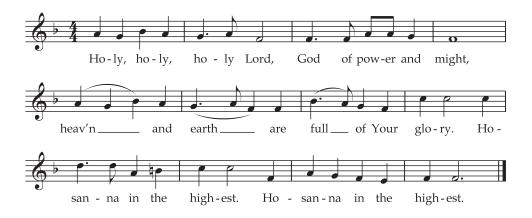
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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

*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 72.8-14

May He have dominion from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth! May desert tribes bow down before Him, and his enemies lick the dust! May the kings of Tarshish and of the coastlands render Him tribute; may the kings of Sheba and Seba bring gifts! May all kings fall down before Him, all nations serve Him!

For He delivers the needy when he calls, the poor and Him who has no helper. He has pity on the weak and the needy, and saves the lives of the needy. From oppression and violence He redeems their life, and precious is their blood in His sight.

— Worshippers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue here —

*Closing Hymn No. 295 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

DIADEMATA

*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. May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the

fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude "Thou Art the Rock" Mulet
Mr. Howland, Organ

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.

^{*}The congregation stands.

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastors

Ed Jarrett Rick Owens Ron Baxter Tim Jeffress Bobby Payne Kit Case Louie Little Kirk Pogoloff Doug Chesnut Pat Moore Dick Steele The Rev. Pete Deison Dan Stewart David Newman Will Francis Boots Nowlin Harry Hargrave

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The Rev. Julian Russell
The Rev. Bill Lamberth
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty
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Executive DirectorJeff Barber

Shepherding Elders

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

Paul Flowers	Mike McMahon
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Mark Fulmer	Henry Morgan
David Gowdey	Stephen Nielson
John Harper	Irv Queal
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David Horn	Tracy Taylor
Doug Horn	Bill Thomas
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Sermon Notes

Matthew 16.13-20

"Confessing Christ"

Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of April 10, 2011

Praise

Call to Worship (everyone together)

I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth. My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad. Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt His name together!

Psalm 34.1-3

"At the Name of Jesus" (sing or say these words together)

Please refer to hymn on page three

Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: Matthew 16.13-20 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. What does the name "Christ" mean?
- 2. What is the Old Testament word for "Christ"?
- 3. Why is Jesus called Christ? (hint look at the Confession of Faith from the Order of Worship)
- 4. How did Peter know that Jesus is the Christ?
- 5. What is Jesus doing now for the Church?

Scripture Memory for April (memorize these verses of Scripture this month)

Hebrews 12:1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Prayer

"You Are My All in All"

Please refer to hymn on page three

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.