

# ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church May 1, 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 "We Are Singing, for the Lord Is Our Light" SIYAHAMBA High School Ensemble, Covenant Choir and Chapel Choir Arr. Hopson Lynda Fray, Director • Charlotte Ball, Piano

Please sing when so directed.



## 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. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the

horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea.

People: The LORD is my strength and my song, and He has become my

salvation; this is my God, and I will praise Him, my father's God, and I will exalt Him.

Exodus 15.1-2

#### 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. 274

"Thine Be the Glory"

**MACCABAEUS** 

\*Prayer of Adoration

\*Confession of Faith

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

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

People: The estate of Christ's exaltation comprehends His resurrection,

ascension, sitting at the right hand of the Father, and His com-

ing again to judge the world.

Minister: How was Christ exalted in His resurrection?

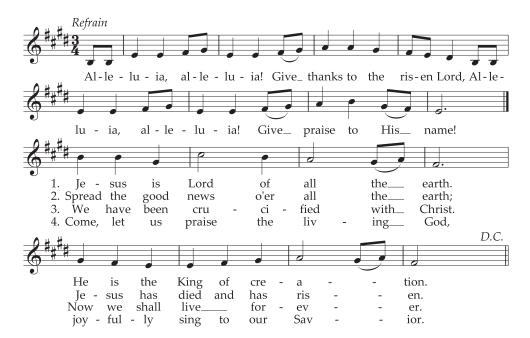
People: Christ was exalted in His resurrection, in that, not having seen

corruption in death (of which it was not possible for Him to be held), and having the very same body in which He suffered, with the essential properties thereof (but without mortality, and other common infirmities belonging to this life), really united to His soul, He rose again from the dead the third day by His own power; whereby He declared Himself to be the Son of God, to have satisfied divine justice, to have vanquished death, and him that had the power of it, and to be Lord of quick and dead: all which He did as a public person, the head of His church, for their justification, quickening in grace, support against enemies, and to assure them of their resurrection from

the dead at the last day.

Larger Catechism. Questions 51 and 52

\*Hymn of Praise "Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks to the Risen Lord" ALLELUIA NO. 1



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

Our Father in heaven, we thank You that You have led us into the light. We thank You for sending the Savior to call us from death to life. We confess that we were dead in sin before we heard His call, but when we heard Him, like Lazarus, we arose. But, O Father, the grave clothes bind us still. Old habits that we cannot throw off, old customs that are so much a part of our lives that we are helpless to live the new life that Christ calls us to live. Give us strength, O Father, to break the bonds; give us courage to live a new life in You; give us faith to believe that with Your help we cannot fail. All this we ask in the name of the Savior who taught us to come to You. Amen.

## **Private Confession**

#### Words of Assurance

If Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. If the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

Romans 8.10-11

\*Hymn No. 276

"Up from the Grave He Arose"

CHRIST AROSE

9:30/11:00

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. Russell 8:00 Mr. Lafferty 9:30 Mr. Lamberth 11:00

#### **Musical Offering**

8:00

Mr. Colin Howland, Organ

9:30/11:00

"The Day of Resurrection"
Chancel Choir • Jeff Berta, *Director* 

Matthews

The day of resurrection! Earth, tell it out abroad; the Passover of gladness, the Passover of God. From earth unto the sky, our Christ hath brought us over with hymns of victory.

Our hearts be pure from evil, that we may see aright the Lord in rays eternal of resurrection light; and listn'ing to His accents, may hear so calm and plain His own "All hail!" and hearing, may raise the victor strain.

Now let the heav'ns be joyful, let earth her song begin, the round world keep high triumph, and all that is therein; let all things seen and unseen their notes together blend, for Christ the Lord is risen, our joy that hath no end. Alleluia!

## \*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.

#### The Children's Sermon

## 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

John 20:19-23

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." 20 When He had said this, He showed them His hands and His side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup> Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent Me, even so I am sending you." 22 And when He had said this, He breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. 23 If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld."

The Morning Sermon

"Sent and Sending"

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

— Worshippers at 9:30 and 11:00, please continue at closing hymn on page 5 —

## \*The Great Thanksgiving 8:00

Minister: The Lord be with you. And with your spirit. People: Minister: Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord! People:

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

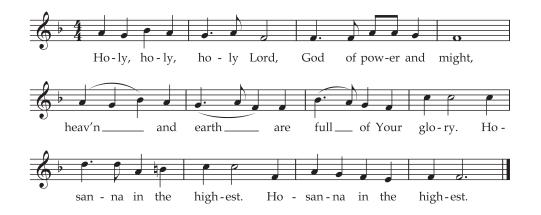
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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 73.24-28

You guide me with Your counsel, and afterward You will receive me to glory. Whom have I in heaven but You? And there is nothing on earth that I desire besides You. My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever.

For behold, those who are far from You shall perish; You put an end to everyone who is unfaithful to You. But for me it is good to be near God; I have made the Lord God my refuge, that I may tell of all Your works.

— Worshippers 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

\*The congregation stands.

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Sandy and Frank Haughton.

## All-Church Day of Prayer Monday, May 2 6:00 am to 6:00 pm in the Chapel

The chapel will be open all day for you to come as you are able to pray for the salvation of family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, and others.

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.

## **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

#### **Assistant Pastors**

The Rev. Ron Williams
The Rev. Julian Russell
The Rev. Bill Lamberth
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty
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## **Executive Director**Jeff Barber

## **Shepherding Elders**

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

Paul Flowers	Mike McMahon
David Franklin	Robert Mighell
Mark Fulmer	Henry Morgan
David Gowdey	Stephen Nielson
John Harper	Irv Queal
John Hawkins	Bob Rasberry
Bob Heinonen	Frank Seay, Jr.
Bill Hill	Nelson Somerville
David Horn	Tracy Taylor
Doug Horn	Bill Thomas
Kent Johnson	Steve Vanderhill
Russell Johnson	John Vanderveld
Bryan Keyes	Ron Wideman
Don King	Steve Williamson
Bill Mabus	Arthur Wood
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## Sermon Notes

John 20.19-23

"Sent and Sending"

## Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of May 1, 2011

#### **Praise**

## Call to Worship (everyone together)

I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea. The LORD is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise Him, my father's God, and I will exalt Him.

Exodus 15.1-2

"Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks to the Risen Lord" (sing or say these words together)

Please refer to hymn on page two

## Hearing and Learning God's Word

**Scripture Reading:** John 20.19-23 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. Describe what the disciples may have been feeling and thinking before Christ appeared in the room.
- 2. How did Jesus enter the room? What does this say about Him?
- 3. For what reason did the Father send Jesus?
- 4. For what reason was Jesus sending the disciples?
- 5. Why did Jesus breathe on them?

## **Ouestions** for older children

- 1. What does the word sent mean?
- 2. How is God sending us?
- 3. Who do you know at school, in your neighborhood, at work, or in your family that doesn't believe in Jesus? Make a list below to begin praying for their salvation.

## **Prayer List**

List below the names of people you long to see saved by God's grace:		
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