



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JUNE 12, 2011

8:00, 9:30 AND 11:00 AM

PENTECOST

*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.*

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### *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

**Hymn No. 341** "O Breath of Life, Come Sweeping Through Us" *SPIRITUS VITAE*

### *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. Julian Russell

**Minister:** Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD my God, You are very great! You are clothed with splendor and majesty, covering Yourself with light as with a garment, stretching out the heavens like a tent.

**People:** He lays the beams of His chambers on the waters; He makes the clouds His chariot; He rides on the wings of the wind; He makes His messengers winds, His ministers a flaming fire.

**Minister:** I will sing to the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

**People:** May my meditation be pleasing to Him, for I rejoice in the LORD.

*Psalm 104.1-4, 33-34*

**\*Hymn of Adoration No. 103** "Holy God, We Praise Your Name"

*GROSSER GOTT*

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

**\*Confession of Faith**

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00  
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30  
The Rev. Jeff White 11:00

**We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

The Nicene Creed

**\*Hymn of Praise**

“For Your Gift of God the Spirit”

*ODE TO JOY*



1. For Your gift of God the Spi - rit, pow'r to make our lives a - new,
2. He who in cre - a - tion's dawn-ing brood-ed on the life - less deep,
3. He, Him-self the liv - ing Au - thor, wakes to life the sa - cred Word,
4. Fa - ther, grant Your Ho - ly Spi - rit in our hearts may rule to - day,



pledge of life and hope of glo - ry, Sav - ior, we would wor - ship You.  
still a - cross our na - ture's dark-ness moves to wake our souls from sleep,  
reads with us its ho - ly pa - ges and re - veals our ris - en Lord.  
grieved not, quenched not, but un - hin - dered, work in us His sov' - reign way.



Crown-ing gift of res - ur - rec - tion sent from Your as - cend-ed throne,  
moves to stir, to draw, to quick-en, thrusts us through with sense of sin;  
He it is who works with - in us, teach - ing re - bel hearts to pray,  
Fill us with Your ho - ly full-ness, God the Fa - ther, Spir - it, Son;



full-ness of the ver - y God-head, come to make Your life our own.  
brings to birth and seals and fills us, sav - ing Ad - vo - cate with - in.  
He whose ho - ly in - ter - ces - sions rise for us both night and day.  
in us, through us, then, for - ev - er, shall Your per - fect will be done.

## Public Confession of Sin

O Lord Most High, we confess that we have often tried to please You with our righteousness, instead of pleading the righteousness of Christ. We have tried to cleanse our sins by becoming better Christians, rather than receiving forgiveness through Your blood. We have constructed idols for pleasure and for ambition, and have not been joyful in Your presence, nor rested in Your accomplishment. We have sought our nourishment in vain activities and in setting our own course, instead of trusting in Your daily provision. Merciful Father, continue to purge our darkened hearts with the light of Your gospel. Help us not to fear the cleansing work of Your Spirit, but make us eager for it, delight in it, and rejoice with unspeakable joy that we are being conformed to the image of Your dear Son, our Savior Jesus Christ.

## Private Confession

## Words of Assurance

For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God. For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!"

Romans 8:13-15

## Song of Praise

## "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

9:30/11:00



1. Won - der - ful, mer - ci - ful Sav - ior, Pre - cious Re - deem - er and\_ Friend,
2. Coun - sel - or, com - fort - er, keep - er, Spir - it we long to em - brace,
3. Al - might - y, in - fi - nite Fa - ther faith - ful - ly lov - ing Your own;



— Who would have thought\_ that a Lamb could res - cue the  
— You of - fer hope\_ when our hearts have hope - less - ly  
— Here in our weak - ness You find us fall - ing be -



souls of man, Oh, You res - cue the souls of man.  
lost our way, Oh, we've hope - less - ly lost the way.  
fore Your throne, Oh, we're fall - ing be - fore Your throne.

### Refrain



You are the one\_ that we praise, You are the one\_ we a - dore,



— You give the heal - ing and grace our hearts al - ways



hun - ger for, Oh, our hearts al - ways hun - ger for.

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Dr. Deison 8:00

Mr. Lafferty 9:30

Mr. White 11:00

## Musical Offering

8:00 "Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal" *arr. Parker*  
PCPC Chamber Choir • Jeff Berta, *director*

9:30/11:00 "Worthy Is the Lamb" from *Messiah* *Handel*  
Chancel Choir • Brian Piper, *conductor*  
*Worthy is the Lamb that was slain, and hath redeemed us to God by His blood, to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory and blessing. Blessing and honour and glory and power be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb, forever and ever. Amen.* *Revelation 5.12-13*

## \*The Greeting of Peace

**Minister:** Having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Romans 5.1

**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*

## \*The Scripture Reading

Acts 2.1-21

*When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. <sup>2</sup> And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. <sup>3</sup> And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. <sup>4</sup> And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.*

*<sup>5</sup> Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. <sup>6</sup> And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. <sup>7</sup> And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? <sup>8</sup> And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language?*

*<sup>9</sup> Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, <sup>10</sup> Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, <sup>11</sup> both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God."*

*<sup>12</sup> And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" <sup>13</sup> But others mocking said, "They are filled with new wine."*

*<sup>14</sup> But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them: "Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words. <sup>15</sup> For these people are not drunk, as you suppose, since it is only the third hour of the day. <sup>16</sup> But this is what was uttered through the prophet Joel:*

<sup>17</sup> “And in the last days it shall be, God declares, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams; <sup>18</sup> even on My male servants and female servants in those days I will pour out My Spirit, and they shall prophesy. <sup>19</sup> And I will show wonders in the heavens above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke; <sup>20</sup> the sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day. <sup>21</sup> And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.”

**The Morning Sermon**

“The Harvest of the Lord  
Is the Lord of the Harvest”

Mr. Russell

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue at closing hymn on page six —

**\*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:**

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*

**\*The Words of Institution 8:00**

**The Communion 8:00**

*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,  
you may use the following Scripture for private meditation.*

*Psalm 74.18-23*

*Remember this, O Lord, how the enemy scoffs, and a foolish people reviles Your name. Do not deliver the soul of Your dove to the wild beasts; do not forget the life of Your poor forever. Have regard for the covenant, for the dark places of the land are full of the habitations of violence. Let not the downtrodden turn back in shame; let the poor and needy praise Your name. Arise, O God, defend Your cause; remember how the foolish scoff at You all the day! Do not forget the clamor of Your foes, the uproar of those who rise against You, which goes up continually!*

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, continue here —

**\*Closing Hymn No. 715** “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come” ST. GEORGE’S, WINDSOR

**\*The Benediction**

**Minister:** 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**

Mr. Colin Howland, *organ*

*\*The congregation stands.*

**Park Cities Presbyterian Church exists to extend the transforming presence  
of the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in Dallas and to the world.**

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**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 Morning Communities

## 8:00 am

### *Adult classes*

**GO! GROUP** Jackson Room 305  
**KOINONIA** Webster Room 303 (8:15 am)

## 9:30 am

### *Nursery (birth-1 1/2 years)*

Visitors, please check in at the Red Desk by Room 176.

**INFANTS** Room 175  
**CRAWLERS** Room 173  
**TODDLER 1A** Room 177  
**TODDLER 1B** Room 171  
**TODDLER 2** Room 174  
**TODDLER 3** Room 169  
**TODDLER 4** Room 172  
**TODDLER 5** Room 170

### *Preschool (2 years-K)*

Visitors, please check in at the Red Desk in the preschool corridor.

**TWO-YEAR-OLDS** Rooms 166, 168  
**THREE-YEAR-OLDS** Rooms 164, 165  
**FOUR-YEAR-OLDS** Rooms 162, 163  
**FIVE-YEAR-OLDS** Rooms 123, 125  
**KINDERGARTEN** Rooms 121, 124

### *Bible Explorers*

**FIRST-THIRD GRADES** Room 104/106

### *Adult classes*

**AGAPE** Duke Room 261  
**GOOD NEWS** Rasmussen Room 263  
**GOOD SHEPHERD** Olles Room 301

**WOMEN OF GRACE** (meets second/ third Sundays)  
Room 303

**VERITAS** Steindorf/Shull/Nelson Room 262  
**SOJOURNERS** White Room 302/304

### *Lao Presbyterian Fellowship*

**WORSHIP SERVICE** Sribounheuang Chapel  
**CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL** Room 305

## 11:00 am

### *Nursery (birth-1 1/2 years)*

Visitors, please check in at the Red Desk by Room 176.

**INFANTS** Room 175  
**CRAWLERS** Room 173  
**TODDLER 1A** Room 177  
**TODDLER 1B** Room 171  
**TODDLER 2** Room 174  
**TODDLER 3** Room 169  
**TODDLER 4** Room 172  
**TODDLER 5** Room 170

### *Preschool (2 years-K)*

Visitors, please check in at the Red Desk in the preschool corridor.

**TWO-YEAR-OLDS** Rooms 162, 164, 166  
**THREE-YEAR-OLDS** Rooms 165, 167, 168  
**PRE-KINDER** Rooms 163, 123, 125  
**KINDERGARTEN** Rooms 121, 124

### *Elementary school*

**FIRST GRADE BOYS** Rooms 112  
**FIRST GRADE GIRLS** Rooms 114  
**SECOND GRADE BOYS** Rooms 113  
**SECOND GRADE GIRLS** Rooms 115  
**THIRD GRADE BOYS** Room 108  
**THIRD GRADE GIRLS** Room 110  
**FOURTH GRADE BOYS** Room 105  
**FOURTH GRADE GIRLS** Room 111

### *Middle school*

**FIFTH-EIGHTH GRADE** Oak Lawn Building

### *High school*

**NINTH-TWELFTH GRADE** Oak Lawn OR

### *Adult classes*

**COVENANT** Deison/Wood Room 261  
**LAO FELLOWSHIP** Sribounheuang Chapel  
**NEW CREATIONS** Fulmer/Vanderhill  
Room 262  
**SHEPHERDS OF SOULS** Russell Room 300  
**VINEYARD** Gowdey Room 107/109  
**YOUNG COUPLES** Goebel Room 302/304  
**YOUNG ADULTS** Wilson Room 301

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More information on Sunday Morning  
Communities is available in our literature racks.

Want to know more about...

### **the GO! Group?**

The GO! Group Community is a small group of adults deeply committed to each other and to our Lord Jesus Christ. Our founding verse is Matthew 28: 19-20, where Jesus says, "Therefore, GO and make disciples..." The GO! Group exists to provide the mutual support, Christian love and fellowship, prayer, and Biblical study that will empower its members to follow the Great Commission. Join us. Help us. GO! with us. Our current study is: From Total Depravity to Irresistible Grace. Taught by George Jackson, the class meets at 8:00 am in Room 305.

# SERMON NOTES

Acts 2.1-21

“The Harvest of the Lord Is the Lord of the Harvest”



## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of June 12, 2011

### Praise

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

Bless the LORD, O my soul! O LORD my God, You are very great! You are clothed with splendor and majesty, covering Yourself with light as with a garment, stretching out the heavens like a tent. He lays the beams of His chambers on the waters; He makes the clouds His chariot; He rides on the wings of the wind; He makes His messengers winds, His ministers a flaming fire.

Psalm 104.1-4

#### **“For Your Gift of God the Spirit”** *(sing or say these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page two.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

#### **Scripture Reading:** Acts 2.1-21 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. What is Pentecost in the Old Testament? (see Exodus 23:14-16)
2. How many people died when Moses brought down God’s Law to Israel? (see Exodus 32:25-28)
3. How many people were saved on the Day of Pentecost? (Acts 2:41)
4. How is the Day of Pentecost different from the Tower of Babel story? (see Genesis 11:1-9 and Acts 2:5-11)

#### **Questions for older children**

1. How is it that Peter had become so bold?
2. Is the Holy Spirit a force, or is He a Person?

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

Ephesians 2:8-10

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

### 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.