



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
JUNE 26, 2011  
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.*

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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

#### *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. Mark Davis

Minister: I am the LORD; I have called you in righteousness; I will take you by the hand and keep you.

People: **I will give you as a covenant for the people, a light for the nations, to open the eyes that are blind, to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon, from the prison those who sit in darkness.**

Minister: I am the LORD; that is My name; My glory I give to no other, nor My praise to carved idols. Isaiah 42:6-8

#### *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. 263

"Lift High the Cross"

CRUCIFER

\*Prayer of Adoration

**\*Confession of Faith**

The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30  
The Rev. Jeff White 11:00

We believe and profess one catholic or universal Church, which is a holy congregation of true Christian believers, all expecting their salvation in Jesus Christ, being washed by His blood, sanctified and sealed by the Holy Spirit. This Church has been from the beginning of the world, and will be to the end thereof; which is evident from this, that Christ is an eternal King, which without subjects He cannot be. And this holy Church is preserved or supported by God against the rage of the whole world; though it sometimes for a while appears very small, and in the eyes of men to be reduced to nothing; as during the perilous reign of Ahab the Lord reserved unto Him seven-thousand men who had not bowed their knees to Baal. Furthermore, this holy Church is not confined, bound, or limited to a certain place or to certain persons, but is spread and dispersed over the whole world; and yet is joined and united with heart and will, by the power of faith, in one and the same Spirit.

Belgic Confession of Faith, Article 27

**\*Hymn No. 302**

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

MADRID

**Public Confession of Sin**

Almighty God, we confess how hard it is to be Your people. You have called us to be the church, to continue the mission of Jesus Christ to our lonely and confused world; yet we acknowledge we are more apathetic than active, isolated than involved, callous than compassionate, obstinate than obedient, legalistic than loving. Gracious Lord, have mercy upon us and forgive our sins. Remove the obstacles preventing us from being Your representatives to a broken world. Awaken our hearts to the promised gift of Your indwelling Spirit. This we pray in Jesus' powerful name.

**Private Confession**

**Words of Assurance**

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Romans 8.1

**Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer**

Mr. John Hawkins, *Elder*

**Musical Offering**

“Hear I Am, Lord”

*Schutte*

Chancel Choir • Brian Piper, *conductor* • Alex McDonald, *piano*

**\*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.**

**ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF  
RULING ELDERS AND DEACONS**

9:30

**Elders:**

Thomas Calhoun Bain, Jr. \*  
Alan Wayne Balsler

Frank Nash Bullock \*  
John Randolph Wood

**Deacons:**

Jonathan Mark Agee  
Michael Anthony Cagle  
Donald Freeman Dillahunty  
George David Hanson \*  
Gideon Walter Knight  
Mark McBride Macatee \*  
Nathan Paul Mackenroth

Edward Ray McDow, Jr.  
Benjamin Joseph Moffitt  
Joseph Ray Nixon, Jr.  
Thomas Kenneth Stanley  
Stephen Ray Tenpenny  
Richard Cross Thompson

*\* Previously ordained to this office*

**Explanation of Ordination and Installation**

Mr. Davis

**\*The Scripture Reading**

Hosea 4.1-12

**The Sermon and Charge** “My People Are Destroyed  
for Lack of Knowledge”

Mr. Davis

**The Ordination and Installation Questions**

**Questions to Officer Candidates:**

1. Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice?
2. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures; and do you further promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with any of the fundamentals of this system of doctrine, you will, on your own initiative, make known to your Session the change which has taken place in your views since the assumption of this ordination vow?
3. Do you approve of the form of government and discipline of the Presbyterian Church in America, in conformity with the general principles of biblical polity?
4. Do you accept the office of ruling elder or deacon, as the case may be, in this church, and promise faithfully to perform all of the duties thereof, and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your life, and to set a worthy example before the Church of which God has made you an officer?
5. Do you promise subjection to your brethren in the Lord?
6. Do you promise to strive for the purity, peace, unity, and edification of the Church?

**Question to the Congregation**

Do you, the members of this church, acknowledge and receive these brothers as ruling elders and deacons, as the case may be, and do you promise to yield them all that honor, encouragement and obedience in the Lord to which their respective offices, according to the Word of God and the Constitution of this Church, entitle them?

**Prayer of Ordination and Installation**

Mr. Kit Case, *Elder*

**Pronouncement of Ordination and Installation**

Mr. Davis

**Charge to the Congregation**

Mr. Lafferty

— Worshippers at 9:30 please continue at closing hymn on page seven—

**ORDINATION OF COREY YOUNG AS  
MISSIONARY/EVANGELIST WITH  
MISSION TO THE WORLD**

11:00

**Explanation of Ordination**

**\*The Scripture Reading**

Hosea 4.1-12

**The Sermon and Charge** “My People Are Destroyed  
for Lack of Knowledge”

Mr. Davis

**Ordination Questions**

1. Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and News Testament, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice?
2. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures; and do you further promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with any of the fundamentals of this system of doctrine, you will on your own initiative, make known to your Presbytery the change which has taken place in your views since the assumption of this ordination vow?
3. Do you approve of the form of government and discipline of the Presbyterian Church in America, in conformity with the general principles of Biblical polity?
4. Do you promise subjection to your brethren in the Lord?
5. Have you been induced, as far as you know your own heart, to seek the office of the holy ministry from love to God and a sincere desire to promote His glory in the Gospel of His Son?
6. Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in maintaining the truths of the Gospel and the purity and peace and unity of the Church, whatever persecution or opposition may arise unto you on that account?
7. Do you engage to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all your duties as a Christian and a minister of the Gospel, whether personal or relational, private or public; and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your manner of life, and to walk with exemplary piety before the flock of which God shall make you overseer?
8. Do you now undertake the work of an evangelist, and do you promise, in reliance on God for strength, to be faithful in the discharge of all the duties incumbent on you as a minister of the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ?

**The Laying on of Hands and Ordination Prayer**

Mr. Doug Horn, *Elder*

**The Pronouncement and the Right Hand of Fellowship**

**THE COMMISSIONING OF JESSICA AND COREY YOUNG  
FOR MISSIONARY SERVICE**

11:00

**Explanation of the Young's Ministry**

Mr. Curt Dobbs  
*Sr. Director of Missions/Church Planting*

**The Commissioning Questions**

1. Have you been compelled, as far as you know your own heart, to seek missionary service from love to God and a sincere desire to promote His glory in the Gospel of His Son?
2. Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in maintaining the truth of the Gospel and the purity and peace of the church, whatever persecution or opposition may arise unto you on that account?
3. Do you engage to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all your duties as a Christian and a missionary, whether personal or relative, private or public; and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your manner of life, and to walk with exemplary piety before those whom you serve?
4. Are you willing to accept commissioning as a missionary of Park Cities Presbyterian Church as your home church and, therefore, are you willing to submit to the counsel, direction and authority of PCPC?
5. Do you, relying upon God for strength, promise to discharge the duties God shall set before you through your mission agency and through PCPC?

**Question to the Congregation:**

Do you, the people of this congregation, promise, as the Lord leads and enables you, to pray for Jessica and Corey Young, and to encourage and support them in their labors, recognizing them as PCPC's ambassadors to Cambodia?

**The Commissioning Prayer**

Mr. David Newman, *Elder*

**\*Closing Hymn**

"In Christ Alone"

Getty/Townend



1. In Christ a-lone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my  
2. In Christ a-lone who took on flesh, full-ness of God in help-less  
3. There in the ground His bo-dy lay, light of the world in dark-ness  
4. No guilt in life, no fear in death, This is the power of Christ in



song; this Cor-ner-stone, this so-lid Ground, firm through the  
babe! This gift of love and right-eous-ness, scorned by the  
slain: then burst-ing forth in glo-rious Day up from the  
me; from life's first cry to fi-nal breath, Je-sus com-



fier-cest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of  
ones He came to save: till on that cross as Je-sus  
grave He rose a-gain! And as He stands in vic-to-  
mands my des-ti-ny. No power of hell, no scheme of



peace, when fears are stilled, when striv-ings cease! My Com-for-  
died, the wrath of God was sat-is-fied, for ev-ery  
ry sin's curse has lost its grip on me, for I am  
man, can ev-er pluck me from His hand; till He re-



ter, my All in All, here in the love of Christ I stand.  
sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.  
His and He is mine: bought with the pre-cious blood of Christ.  
turns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

**\*The Benediction**

Mr. Davis 9:30

The Rev. Corey Young 11:00

Minister: And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."  
Matthew 28:18-20

People: **Thanks be to God! Amen.**

**Postlude**

Mr. Colin Howland, organ

*\*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 Megan McGill Black and Cory Lee Moulton.*

# SERMON NOTES

Hosea 4.1-12

“My People Are Destroyed for Lack of Knowledge”

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**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.**



## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of June 26, 2011

### Praise

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

I am the LORD; I have called you in righteousness; I will take you by the hand and keep you. Isaiah 42:6

#### **“In Christ Alone”** *(sing or say these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page seven.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

#### **Scripture Reading:** Hosea 4.1-12 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. How does the Lord describe the people of Israel in Hosea 4.1-2?
2. In verse 6, God says His people are destroyed by what?
3. What does it mean that they have no knowledge of God?
4. Why does the Lord reject the priest in verse 6?
5. Why is it important for our pastors to preach the Word of God?

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

1. Why did the people of Israel forsake God?
2. What is the cost of rejecting the knowledge of God?
3. What is the difference between knowing God and knowing about God?

#### **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.