



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

FEBRUARY 5, 2012

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

“Laudate Dominum”

(Praise The Lord)

Dawn Hui, *violin*

Mozart

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: 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: **May the glory of the LORD endure forever; may the LORD
rejoice in His works, who looks on the earth and it trembles,
who touches the mountains and they smoke! I will sing to the
LORD as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I
have being.**

from Psalm 104

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. 44**

“How Great Thou Art”

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***Prayer of Adoration**

***Confession of Faith**

The Rev. Julian Russell 8:00

The Rev. Tommy Overton 9:30

Dr. Pete Deison 11:00

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

***Hymn of Praise No. 382** "God Himself Is with Us" *WUNDERBARER KONIG*

Extending the Kingdom: Sanctity of Life

Katie Dulin

9:30/11:00

***Hymn of Assurance** "Before the Throne of God Above"

Cook

9:30/11:00



1. Be - fore the throne of God a - bove I have a
2. When Sa - tan tempts me to des - pair, and tells me
3. Be - hold Him there, the ri - sen Lamb, my per - fect



strong, a per - fect plea, a great High Priest whose name is
of the guilt with - in, up - ward I look and see Him
spot - less Right - eous - ness, the great un - change - a - ble I



Love who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is
there who made an end to all my sin. Be - cause the
Am, the King of glo - ry and of Grace. One with Him -



gra - ven on His hands. My name is writ - ten on His
sin - less Sav - ior died, my sin - ful soul is count - ed
self, I can - not die. My soul is pur - chased with His



heart. I know that while in heav'n He stands no tongue can
 free. For God the Just is sat - is - fied to look on
 blood. My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my



bid me thence de - part; no tongue can bid me thence de - part.
 Him and par - don me, to look on Him and par - don me.
 Sav - ior and my God, with Christ my Sav - ior and my God.

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

Public Confession of Sin

O God of grace, You have imputed my sin to my substitute, and have imputed His righteousness to my soul, clothing me with a bridegroom's robe, decking me with jewels of holiness. But in my Christian walk I am still in rags; my best prayers are stained with sin; my penitential tears are so much impurity; my confessions of wrong are so many aggravations of sin; my receiving the Spirit is tainted with selfishness. I need to repent of my repentance; I need my tears to be washed; I have no robe to bring to cover my sins, no loom to weave my own righteousness; I am always standing clothed in filthy garments, and by grace am always receiving change of raiment, for You justify the ungodly. Grant me never to lose sight of the exceeding sinfulness of sin, the exceeding righteousness of salvation, the exceeding glory of Christ, the exceeding beauty of holiness, the exceeding wonder of grace!

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

"In overflowing anger for a moment I hid my face from you, but with everlasting love I will have compassion on you," says the LORD, your Redeemer. "This is like the days of Noah to Me: as I swore that the waters of Noah should no more go over the earth, so I have sworn that I will not be angry with you, and will not rebuke you. For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but My steadfast love shall not depart from you, and My covenant of peace shall not be removed," says the LORD, who has compassion on you.

Isaiah 54.8-10

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

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

Musical Offering

8:00

“Let the Words of My Mouth”
Brian Piper and Amy Mackenroth, vocalists

Ortega
based on Psalm 19.14
and Philippians 4.8

9:30/11:00

“My Jesus, I Love Thee” Sjolund
Chancel Choir • Dawn Hui, violin • J. Marty Cope, director
My Jesus, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine; for Thee all the follies of sin I resign; my gracious Redeemer, my Savior art Thou: if ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.
I love Thee because Thou hast first loved me and purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree. I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow: if ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.
In mansions of glory and endless delight I'll ever adore Thee in heaven so bright; I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow; if ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

*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

Children's Sermon

9:30/11:00

*The Scripture Reading

Matthew 5.33-37

“Again you have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘You shall not swear falsely, but shall perform to the Lord what you have sworn.’³⁴ But I say to you, Do not take an oath at all, either by heaven, for it is the throne of God,³⁵ or by the earth, for it is His footstool, or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King.³⁶ And do not take an oath by your head, for you cannot make one hair white or black.³⁷ Let what you say be simply ‘Yes’ or ‘No’; anything more than this comes from evil.”

The Morning Sermon

“Cross My Heart”

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

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

*The Great Thanksgiving 8:00

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

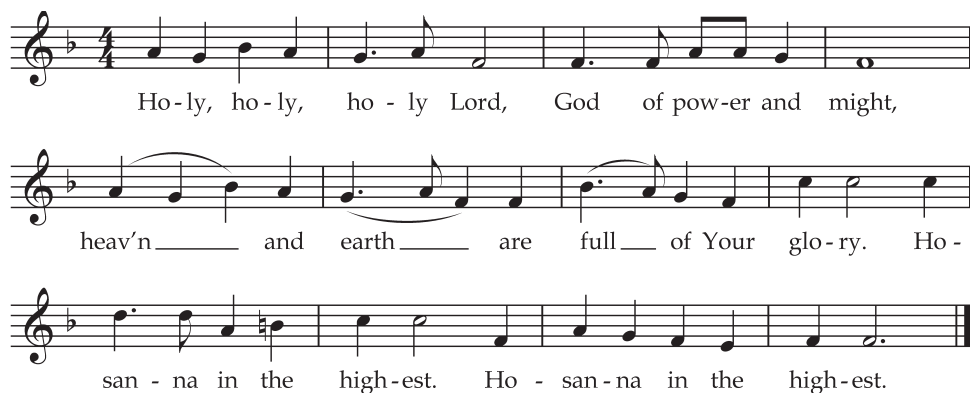
People: **We lift them up to the Lord!**

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*

***Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing 8:00**

***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 83.1-5, 13-15

O God, do not keep silence; do not hold Your peace or be still, O God! For behold, Your enemies make an uproar; those who hate You have raised their heads. They lay crafty plans against Your people; they consult together against Your treasured ones. They say, "Come, let us wipe them out as a nation; let the name of Israel be remembered no more!" For they conspire with one accord; against You they make a covenant . . . O my God, make them like whirling dust, like chaff before the wind. As fire consumes the forest, as the flame sets the mountains ablaze, so may You pursue them with Your tempest and terrify them with Your hurricane! Fill their faces with shame, that they may seek Your name, O LORD. Let them be put to shame and dismayed forever; let them perish in disgrace, that they may know that You alone, whose name is the LORD, are the Most High over all the earth.

— Worshipers at 9:30 and 11:00, 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

***Closing Hymn No. 585** "Take My Life, and Let It Be Consecrated" *HENDON*

***The Benediction**

Minister: Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; He will surely do it. 1 Thessalonians 5.23-24

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

Postlude "Trumpet Allemande" *Holborne*
Colin Howland, organ

**The congregation stands.*

Celebrating the Sanctity of Human Life, the flowers in our worship services this morning are given to the glory of God by Friends of the Dallas Pregnancy Resource Center in honor of the babies saved and the men and women who came into relationship with Christ in 2011 through this ministry.

The red flowers represent the 154 babies who were saved from the tragedy of abortion, and the white flowers represent the 65 new believers who have come into a relationship with Christ through the ministry.

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.

Sunday Morning Communities

8:00 am

Adult classes

GO! GROUP Jackson	Room 305
KOINONIA Dotson	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, 167, 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
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Adult classes

AGAPE Brodie/Bridgeman/Thomas	Room 261
GOOD NEWS Rasmussen	Room 263
GOOD SHEPHERD Olles	Room 301
WOMEN OF GRACE (meets second/ third Sundays)	Room 303
VERITAS Shull/Isaac	Room 262

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WORSHIP SERVICE Sribounheuang	Chapel
CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL	Room 305

11:00 am

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TODDLER 1B	Room 171
TODDLER 2	Room 174
TODDLER 3	Room 169
TODDLER 4	Room 172
TODDLER 5	Room 170

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FOUR-YEAR-OLDS	Rooms 162, 163
FIVE-YEAR-OLDS	Rooms 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
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High school

NINTH-TWELFTH GRADE	Oak Lawn OR
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Adult classes

COVENANT Deison/Wood	Room 261
GROUND SCHOOL Lafferty/Jeffress	Oak Lawn West
LAO FELLOWSHIP Sribounheuang	Chapel
NEW CREATIONS Fulmer/Vanderhill	Room 262
SHEPHERDS OF SOULS Russell	Room 300
SOJOURNERS White	Room 263
VINEYARD Gowdey	Room 107/109
NEW CITY Goebel	Room 302/304
DOULOS (YOUNG ADULTS) Wilson	Room 301

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

Want to know more about...

the Good News Community?

This community is a lively class for couples and singles of all ages who enjoy solid, life-changing Bible studies, hearty singing, fervent prayer, and a caring fellowship. Outside of class the members enjoy brunches, class dinners at the church, home gatherings or parties, and missions and outreach opportunities throughout the year. This class meets in Room 263 at 9:30 am. Mike Rasmussen, our teacher, is Dean of Students and Assistant Professor of Practical Theology at Redeemer Seminary in Dallas. Our study is: *The Attributes of God*.

SERMON NOTES

Matthew 5.33-37

“Cross My Heart”

Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of February 5, 2012

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. from Psalm 104

“Before the Throne of God Above” *(sing or say these words together)*

Refer to the hymn on page two.

Hearing and Learning God’s Word

Scripture Reading: Matthew 5.33-37 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. Why is it important to tell the truth?
2. Why do people lie?
3. When have you been tempted to lie?
4. Tell of a time when you were lied to.
5. How can Jesus help us tell the truth?

Questions for older children

1. Why do we make promises and oaths?
2. Reflect upon a time when you lied. Why did you lie?
3. Pastor Davis said we lie to _____ or _____ ourselves. What did he mean by this?
4. How is lying believing a lie?
5. How has Christ set us free from the *father of lies*?

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

Colossians 1.15-16

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by Him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through Him and for Him.

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.