



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

APRIL 22, 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.*

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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

9:30/11:00

*"Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him"*  
Carol Choir and Chapel Choir • Lynda Fray, *director*  
Jason Tenpenny, *piano*

*arr. Reeves*

*Please sing when so directed.*

Wor-ship, hon - or, glo - ry, bless - ing, Lord, we of - fer un - to Thee.  
Young and old, Thy praise ex - press-ing, in glad hom - age bend the knee.  
All the saints in heav'n a - dore Thee. We would bow be - fore Thy throne;  
as Thy an - gels serve be - fore Thee,  
So on earth Thy will be done.

### *We Come to Worship at His Bidding*

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

*Psalms 150.6*

## Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00  
The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy?

**People: Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to Me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, My steadfast, sure love for David.**

Minister: Seek the LORD while He may be found; call upon Him while He is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that He may have compassion on him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.

**People: For My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways My ways, declares the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are My ways higher than your ways and My thoughts than your thoughts.** from Isaiah 55

### *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. 286

"Worship Christ, the Risen King!"

REGENT SQUARE

## \*Prayer of Adoration

## \*Confession of Faith

The Rev. Tommy Overton 8:00  
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty 9:30/11:00

Minister: Christian, what is your only comfort, in life and in death?

**People: That I belong—body and soul, in life and in death—not to myself, but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ, who at the cost of His own blood has fully paid for all my sins and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil; that He protects me so well that without the will of my Father in heaven not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, that everything must fit His purpose for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit, He also assures me of eternal life, and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for Him.**

The Heidelberg Catechism, Question 1

*Refrain*

Al-le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Give\_ thanks to the ris-en Lord, Al-le -  
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Give\_ praise to His\_ name!

1. Je - sus is Lord of all the\_ earth.
2. Spread the good news o'er all the\_ earth;
3. We have been cru - ci - fied with\_ Christ.
4. Come, let us praise the liv - ing\_ God,

*D.C.*

He is the King of cre - a - - - tion.  
Je - sus has died and has ris - - - en.  
Now we shall live\_ for - ev - - - er.  
joy - ful - ly sing to our Sav - - - ior.

## Public Confession of Sin

Our gracious and loving Father, we give You thanks and praise for being the ever-faithful God, for Your constant provision, care, and protection. We rejoice in the truth of Your Word which teaches Your goodness and mercy will follow us all the days of our lives; and since You did not spare Your own Son, but freely gave Him up for us all, that You most graciously give us all the things we need. Yet, Father, we confess our propensity to worry rather than wait, to focus on the waves around us rather than looking into Your face. Please, give us faith to trust You in all the circumstances of life. Help us to fix our eyes on the Founder and Perfecter of our faith, even our Savior, Jesus Christ, who rules and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, ever One God, world without end.

## Silent Confession

## Words of Assurance

I acknowledged my sin to You, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Psalm 32.5

## *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

## Hymn of Assurance

9:30/11:00

No. 281

“I Know That My Redeemer Lives”

SHOUT ON

Stanza 1: Choir • Stanzas 2-4: All

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Overton 8:00

Mr. Lafferty 9:30/11:00

## Musical Offering

8:00

Colin Howland, organ

9:30/11:00

“Sanctus” from *Requiem*

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Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, director

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts.

*Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus, Dominus deus sabaoth.*

Heaven and earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna in the highest.

*Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis.*

(Isaiah 6.3; 1 Samuel 17.45; Revelation 4.8; Matthew 21.9; Psalm 118.26)

## \*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 Scripture Reading

Matthew 6.25-34

*Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? <sup>27</sup> And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? <sup>28</sup> And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, <sup>29</sup> yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> Therefore do not be anxious, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ <sup>32</sup> For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. <sup>33</sup> But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.*

— 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.

**\*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 88.10-18*

*Do You work wonders for the dead? Do the departed rise up to praise You? Is Your steadfast love declared in the grave, or Your faithfulness in Abaddon? Are Your wonders known in the darkness, or Your righteousness in the land of forgetfulness? But I, O LORD, cry to You; in the morning my prayer comes before You. O LORD, why do You cast my soul away? Why do You hide Your face from me? Afflicted and close to death from my youth up, I suffer Your terrors; I am helpless. Your wrath has swept over me; Your dreadful assaults destroy me. They surround me like a flood all day long; they close in on me together. You have caused my beloved and my friend to shun me; my companions have become darkness.*

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

**\*Hymn No. 300**      “Blessing and Honor and Glory and Power”    *O QUANTA QUALIA*

**\*The Benediction**

Minister: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.      Numbers 6.24-26

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

**Postlude**

“Fanfare for Easter”  
Colin Howland, organ

*Pelz*

*\*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 Brittany Rae Dickenson and Thomas Spence Miller.*

**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.

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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.**

### **Senior Pastor**

The Rev. Mark Davis

### **Session/Associate Pastor**

Tommy Bain	Will Francis	Bobby Payne
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### **Assistant Pastors**

The Rev. Ron Williams	Dr. Jeff White
The Rev. Bill Lamberth	The Rev. Tommy Overton
The Rev. Patrick Lafferty	Dr. Joseph "Skip" Ryan
The Rev. Julian Russell	

### **Executive Director**

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### **Shepherding Elders**

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

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Paul Flowers	Mike McMahon	Arthur Wood

# SERMON NOTES

Matthew 6.25-34

“Questioning Our Anxiety”



## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of April 22, 2012

### Praise

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

Seek the LORD while He may be found; call upon Him while He is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that He may have compassion on him, and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.

#### **“Alleluia, Give Thanks”** *(sing or say these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page three.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

#### **Scripture Reading:** Matthew 6.25-34 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. What is anxiety?
2. Why do we worry?
3. List some things you worry about.
4. List the five questions Jesus asks in this passage.
5. How can these questions teach us not to worry?
6. How does worrying show that we have little faith?

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

1. What do you worry about the most? Why?
2. Why do you think Jesus said so much about clothing?
3. How can we really stop worrying?

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

1 Corinthians 15.20-22

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. For as by a man came death, by a Man has come also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive.

### 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.