

**Preparation for Worship** 

# Order for the Worship of God

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH JULY 13, 2014 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

# Call to Worship The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00 The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00 Minister: Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise Him in the heights! Praise Him, all His angels; praise Him, all His hosts! People: Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all rulers of the earth! Young men and maidens together, old men and children! Let them praise the name of the LORD, for His name alone is exalted; His majesty is above earth and heaven.

\*Hymn No. 76 "Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven" LAUDA ANIMA

### \*Prayer of Adoration concluding with The Lord's Prayer

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. 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



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**Public Confession of Sin** 

Almighty and most merciful God; we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed; that we have not loved You with all our heart and soul, with all our mind and strength; and that we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We beseech You, O God, to forgive what we have been, to help us to amend what we are, and of Your mercy to direct what we shall be; so that we may hereafter walk in the way of Your commandments, and do those things which are pleasing in Your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Private Confession** 

### Words of Assurance

He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our iniquities. For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is His steadfast love toward those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so far does He remove our transgressions from us. Psalm 103.10-12

# Giving of Tithes and Offerings

## **Musical Meditation**

8:00

J. Marty Cope, organ

9:30/11:00 "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" Wood Chancel Choir • Bryan Varenkamp, conductor

Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the Head and Cornerstone; chosen of the Lord, and precious, binding all the Church in one; Holy Zion's help forever, and her confidence alone.

To this temple where we call Thee, come O Lord of hosts, today; with Thy wonted loving-kindness hear Thy servants as they pray, and Thy fullest benediction shed within its walls alway.

Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son; laud and honor to the Spirit, ever Three and ever One; One in might and One in glory, while unending ages run.

### \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister:Now in Christ Jesus, we who once were far off have been<br/>brought near by the blood of Christ, for He Himself is our peace.<br/>The peace of the Lord be with you always.Ephesians 2.13-14People: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**

### Psalm 63

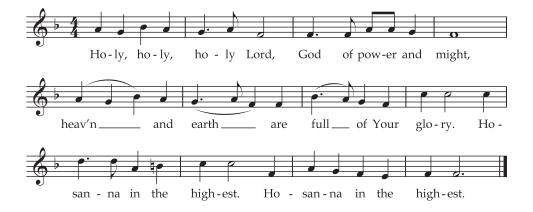
O God, You are my God; earnestly I seek You; my soul thirsts for You; my flesh faints for You, as in a dry and weary land where there is no water. <sup>2</sup> So I have looked upon You in the sanctuary, beholding Your power and glory. <sup>3</sup> Because Your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise You. <sup>4</sup> So I will bless You as long as I live; in Your name I will lift up my hands. <sup>5</sup> My soul will be satisfied as with fat and rich food, and my mouth will praise You with joyful lips, <sup>6</sup> when I remember You upon my bed, and meditate on You in the watches of the night; <sup>7</sup> for You have been my help, and in the shadow of Your wings I will sing for joy. <sup>8</sup> My soul clings to You; Your right hand upholds me. <sup>9</sup> But those who seek to destroy my life shall go down into the depths of the earth; <sup>10</sup> they shall be given over to the power of the sword; they shall be a portion for jackals. <sup>11</sup> But the king shall rejoice in God; all who swear by Him shall exult, for the mouths of liars will be stopped.

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

### \*The Great Thanksgiving 8:00 only

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:



### \*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.

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

\*Closing Hymn No. 660 "O God beyond All Praising"

### \*Benediction

Minister: 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

"Toccata" Mr. Cope, organ

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*\*The congregation stands.* 

The flowers in our worship service this morning are from the wedding of Alexandra Caroline Figari and Coleman Carver Easley and are given to the glory of God and in humble and abundant thanksgiving for J. Marty Cope and the Park Cities Presbyterian Church Chancel Choir.

So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him. 1 John 4.16

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.

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### **Senior Pastor**

### The Rev. Mark Davis

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Paul Flowers	Robert Mighell	Steve Williamson
Will Francis	Pat Moore	Arthur Wood

# Sermon Notes

Psalm 63

"A Wilderness Prayer from the Wilderness"

### Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of July 13, 2014

### <u>Praise</u>

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

Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD from the heavens; praise Him in the heights! Praise Him, all His angels; praise Him, all His hosts!

"Sing Praise to the Father" (read or sing these words together)

Please refer to the hymn on page two.

### Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: Psalm 63 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. Describe how David describes who he is praying/singing to:
- 2. What is the condition of David's soul and David's surroundings?
- 3. In his condition, how does he view God?
- 4. How will David's soul be satisfied?
- 5. How is David seeking the Lord?
- 6. What can we learn from David about seeking our Savior Jesus?
- 7. How is Christ our covering and the one our soul longs for more and more?

### Questions for older children

- 1. Have you ever felt like you were in the wilderness? Describe:
- 2. What can we learn from David's prayer that can enhance our own prayers?
- 3. In this prayer, how does David view God?
- 4. How does our view of God influence the way we pray?
- 5. Where is God when we pray?

### Scripture Memory for July: (memorize these verses of Scripture this month)

### Romans 8.26-27

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. And He who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.

### <u>Prayer</u>

### **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.