

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S TABLE

Park Cities Presbyterian Church October 26, 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 Come to Worship at His Bidding

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

Psalm 150.6

Preparation for Worship

Call to Worship

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

Minister: Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is

pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.

People: He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds. Great

is our Lord, and abundant in power; His understanding is beyond measure. Psalm 147.1, 3, 5

*Hymn No. 179

"Hallelujah! Thine the Glory"

THINE THE GLORY

*Prayer of Adoration

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00 The Rev. Brent Baker 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

*A Doxology

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Becoming a Communing Member and Coming to the Lord's Table for the First Time

Mr. Davis

9:30/11:00

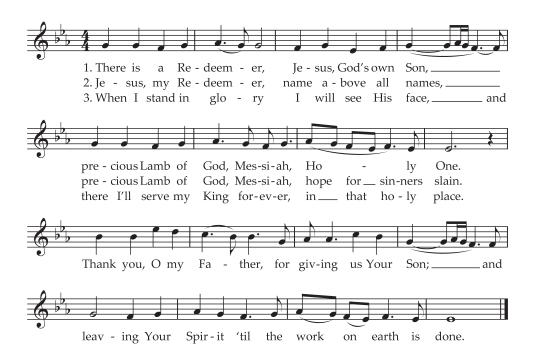
Middle School Communicants:

Madeline Elizabeth Alfonso Louisa Tate Benedict Margaret Tess Benedict Whitney Grace Dodson Kendall Katherine Ferguson Sophia Alden Hagstrom Daniel Spencer Harper Elizabeth Baker Henson Claire Elizabeth Lunceford Pauline Gill Napier Graydon Samantha Paul Claire Kendall Ponder Philip Tucker Russell

The Sacrament of Baptism

9:30 **M**a

Madeline Elizabeth Alfonso Claire Elizabeth Lunceford Claire Kendall Ponder



Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Dr. Deison 8:00 Mr. Baker 9:30 Dr. Deison 11:00

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Musical Meditation

8:00

Colin Howland, organ

9:30/11:00

"Greater Love Hath No Man" Chancel Choir • Bryan Varenkamp, solo J. Marty Cope, director Ireland

Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it. Love is strong as death. Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

Who His own self bare our sins in His own body on the tree that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness. Ye are washed, ye are sanctified, ye are justified, in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, that ye should show forth the praises of Him who hath called you out of darkness into His marvelous light.

I beseech you, brothers, by the mercies of God that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

*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.

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

John 1.14-18

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen His glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. ¹⁵ (John bore witness about Him, and cried out, "This was He of whom I said, 'He who comes after me ranks before me, because He was before me.' ") ¹⁶ For from His fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. ¹⁷ For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. ¹⁸ No one has ever seen God; the only God, who is at the Father's side. He has made Him known.

Communion Meditation "He Has Made Him Known"

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

Public Confession of Sin

We do not presume to come to this Thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in Thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under Thy table. But Thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to partake of this Sacrament of Thy Son Jesus Christ, that we may walk in newness of life, may grow into His likeness, and may evermore dwell in Him, and He in us. Amen.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

1 Timothy 1.15

*The Great Thanksgiving

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

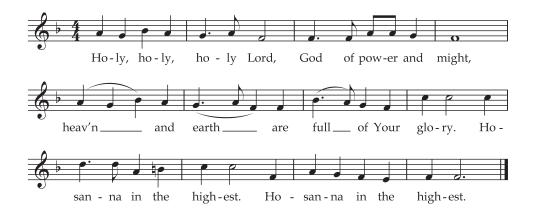
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



*The Words of Institution

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 9:30/11:00

Please hold the bread and cup, and we will all partake together.

During the serving of the bread, please sing:

Hymn No. 648

"My Jesus, I Love Thee"

CARITAS

During the serving of the cup:

"Give Us the Wings of Faith" PCPC Chamber Choir

Whithourn

Give me the wings of faith to rise within the veil, and see the saints above, how great their joys, how bright their glories be.

We ask them whence their victory came: They, with united breath, ascribe the conquest to the Lamb, their triumph to His death.

They marked the footsteps that He trod, His zeal inspired their breast; and following their incarnate God, they reached the promised rest.

*Hymn No. 172

"Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder"

ALL SAINTS OLD

*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

*The congregation stands.

Members of our fellowship at Park Cities Presbyterian Church who have joined the Church Triumphant since our last Communion:

Marty Martin
Vaughn Dell Ellis
Ben Roberts
James (Jim) Law
Nelson Bunker Hunt

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

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

Session/Associate Pastor

Joe Abbate	Mark Fulmer	Mike Skinner
Tommy Bain	Pat Hamner	Jay Turner
Alan Balser	John Hawkins	Tim Wilson
Frank Bullock	Jim Madden	Jeff Wilson
Dr. Pete Deison	Bob McCamey	Randy Wood
Jack Denman	Gil Sheehan	

Assistant Pastors

The Rev. Ron Williams	The Rev. Tommy Overton
The Rev. Bill Lamberth	The Rev. Paul Goebel
Dr. Julian Russell	The Rev. Brent Baker
Dr. Jeff White	The Rev. Chad Scruggs

Executive DirectorJeff Barber

Shepherding Elders

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

John Bateman	David Franklin	Stephen Nielson
Ron Baxter	David Gowdey	Boots Nowlin
Brad Bradley	Harry Hargrave	Rick Owens
David Burgher	John Harper	Bobby Payne
Rick Bush	Bob Heinonen	Kirk Pogoloff
Kit Case	David Horn	Irv Queal
George Chapman	Ed Jarrett	Bob Rasberry
Jim Chenoweth	Tim Jeffress	Nelson Somerville
Doug Chesnut	Russell Johnson	Dick Steele
Grady Crosland	Kent Johnson	Dan Stewart
Marvin Culbertson	Bryan Keyes	Tracy Taylor
Charles Debter	Don King	Bill Thomas
John Denman	Louie Little	Steve Vanderhill
Curt Dobbs	Bill Mabus	John Vanderveld
Bert Ehrmann	Mike McMahon	Ron Wideman
Bill Farrell	Robert Mighell	Steve Williamson
Paul Flowers	Pat Moore	Arthur Wood
Will Francis	David Newman	

SERMON NOTES

John 1.14-18

"He Has Made Him Known"

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 October 26, 2014

Praise

Call to Worship (everyone together)

Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.

"There Is a Redeemer" (sing or say these words together)

Please refer to the hymn on page three.

Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: John 1.14-18 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. Let's review something from last week. How is the verse "Grace upon Grace" like the ocean?
- 2. Do you ever wish you could see God?
- 3. What does John 1.18 tell us about who has seen God? (see also John 6.46)
- 4. What does the word reveal mean?
- 5. How has Jesus revealed who God is to us?
- 6. Why did Jesus have to become a man to reveal God to us?

Ouestions for older children

- 1. Why do you think "No one has ever seen God"?
- 2. How has Jesus made God known?
- 3. How does the Lord's table help make God known?
- 4. How does the Lord's table help us know who we are?

Scripture Memory for October (memorize this verse of Scripture this month)

John 1.9-13

The true light, which gives light to everyone, was coming into the world. He was in the world, and the world was made through Him, yet the world did not know Him. He came to His own, and His own people did not receive Him. But to all who did receive Him, who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God.

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.