

# ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church November 16, 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

## Preparation for Worship

9:30/11:00

"The Lord's Prayer"
Chapel Choir and Carol Choir
Lynda Fray, director • Charlotte Ball, piano

Russell Nagy

## Call to Worship

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

Minister: I will extol You, my God and King, and bless Your name forever

and ever.

People: Every day I will bless You and praise Your name forever and

ever.

Minister: Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and His greatness is

unsearchable.

People: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and Your dominion

endures throughout all generations. Psalm 145.1-3, 13

\*Hymn No. 101

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

TRINITY

Dr. Julian Russell 8:00 Dr. Pete Deison 9:30 The Rev. Mark Davis 11:00

If you love Me, you will keep My commandments. And I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees Him nor knows Him. You know Him, for He dwells with you and will be in you. These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; My peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.

\*Hymn No. 94

"How Firm a Foundation" Stanzas: 1-3, 6

**FOUNDATION** 

#### The Sacrament of Baptism

9:30/11:00

#### **Parental Vows**

- 1. Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
- 2. Do you claim God's covenant promises on their behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation, as you do for your own?
- 3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before them a godly example, that you will pray with and for them, that you will teach them the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

#### Congregational Vow

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of their child?

9:30 11:00

Grace Evelyn Mueller Major Ross Dearen Andrews Stone Karl Ira Andrews Spencer Northcutt Cathey Samuel McLeod Springer William Thomas Crum Rosamunde Aurelia Mackenroth

## **Prayer for the Families**

9:30/11:00

Mr. Tracy Taylor 9:30 Mr. Davis 11:00 Robby Higginbottom, guitar • Brian Piper, piano



#### **Public Confession of Sin**

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your steadfast love; according to Your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against You, You only, have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You may be justified in Your words and blameless in Your judgment. Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, and in sin did my mother conceive me. Behold, You delight in truth in the inward being, and You teach me wisdom in the secret heart. Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that You have broken rejoice. Hide Your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

#### **Private Confession**

Dr. Russell 8:00 Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

## Giving of Tithes and Offerings

#### **Musical Meditation**

8:00

Mr. Colin Howland, organ

9:30/11:00

"The Lord Is My Light" Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, director Beebe

The Lord is my light, the light of my life and my salvation. The Lord is my strength, the strength of my life and my salvation; of whom shall I be afraid? In times of trouble, He is there to comfort me. When all my hopes are dead, He lifts my head.

One thing have I desired, to behold the beauty of the Lord; I will offer gifts of joy, and with Thy grace, seek Thy face. Lord, hide not Thy face far from me, leave me not, You're my salvation. For You are my rock, the rock of my life and my salvation.

Of whom shall I be afraid? When I'm disheartened, You are there to see me through. When I can no longer stand, You take my hand.

## \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: We are the body of Christ; in one Spirit we were all baptized in

one body. Let us then pursue all that makes for peace and builds

up our common life. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

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.

## \*Scripture Reading

Romans 8.1-11

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. <sup>2</sup> For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. <sup>3</sup> For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, He condemned sin in the flesh, <sup>4</sup> in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit. <sup>5</sup> For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit set their minds on the things of the Spirit. <sup>6</sup> For to set the mind on the flesh is death, but to set the mind on the Spirit is life and peace. <sup>7</sup> For the mind that is set on the flesh is hostile to God, for it does not submit to God's law; indeed, it cannot. <sup>8</sup> Those who are in the flesh cannot please God. <sup>9</sup> You,

however, are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if in fact the Spirit of God dwells in you. Anyone who does not have the Spirit of Christ does not belong to Him. <sup>10</sup> But if Christ is in you, although the body is dead because of sin, the Spirit is life because of righteousness. <sup>11</sup> If the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you.

**The Morning Sermon** "Walking with the Spirit" Mr. Williams 8:00 The Rev. Tim Tinsley 9:30/11:00

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

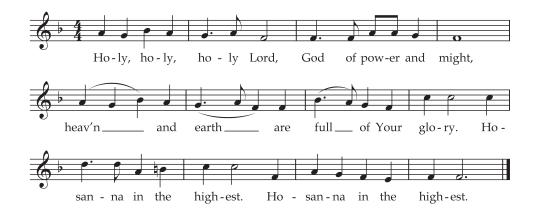
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



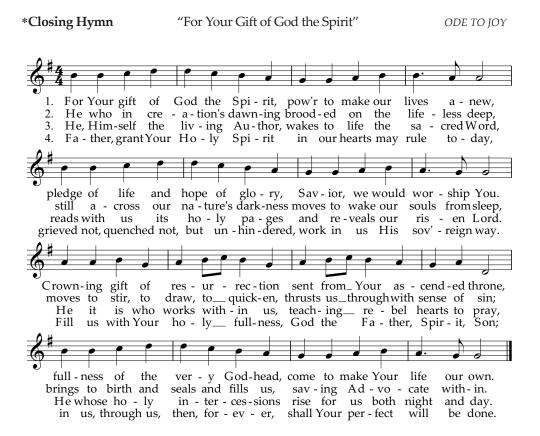
## \*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Blessing 8:00

#### \*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



#### \*The 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.

\*The congregation stands.

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of George Jackson's birthday from his family.

The flowers in the narthex are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the marriage of Rachel Evans and Jackson Mabry.

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.

## 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.

## SERMON NOTES

Romans 8.1-11

"Walking with the Spirit"

#### Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of November 16, 2014

#### **Praise**

**Call to Worship** (everyone together)

I will extol You, my God and King, and bless Your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless You and praise Your name forever and ever.

"For Your Gift of God the Spirit" (read or sing these words together)

Please refer to the hymn on page six.

## Hearing and Learning God's Word

**Scripture Reading:** Romans 8.1-11 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. What different ways does Paul refer to the Holy Spirit in Romans 8.1-11?
- 2. What is the difference between setting our minds on the flesh and setting our minds on the Spirit?
- 3. Why do you think Paul wants us to set our <u>minds</u> on the things of the Spirit?
- 4. According to verses 9-11, what does the Spirit do for us?

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

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. (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.'") For from His fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. No one has ever seen God; the only God, who is at the Father's side, He has made Him known.

#### **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.