



## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

NOVEMBER 15, 2015

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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### The Prelude

8:00 "I Sing of Thee" *arr. Ovid Young*  
Jenni Rasberry and Evelyn Freeman, *sopranos*

9:30/11:00 "Chorale" *Ola Gjeilo*

### The Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: All Your works shall give thanks to You, O LORD,  
and all Your saints shall bless You!

**People: They shall speak of the glory of Your Kingdom  
and tell of Your power,**

Minister: To make known to the children of man Your mighty deeds,  
and the glorious splendor of Your Kingdom.

**People: Your Kingdom is an everlasting Kingdom,  
and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.**

Psalm 145.10-13

**\*Hymn of Praise No. 115** "All Creatures of Our God and King" *LASST UNS ERFREUEN*  
Stanzas: 1-2, All; 3: Women; 4: Men; 5: All

### \*Prayer of Adoration

**Musical Meditation****“Creation Song”**

Joanne Brown

9:30/11:00

Chapel Choir and Carol Choir

Lynda Fray, *director* • Paula Wissler, *flute* • Emilie Miller, *piano*

*Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Let everything that has breath shout and sing. For God created the heavens and earth by speaking only a word. Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.*

*The sun and moon and the stars join in song. The birds and beasts of the field sing along. For God created the heavens and earth by speaking only a word. Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.*

*Dividing light from darkness, God made both day and night, created earth and saw it was good. The waters brought forth creatures and birds flew up above, then God created people with great love.*

**\*Hymn****“There Is a Redeemer”**

Green



1. There is a Re - deem - er, Je - sus, God's own Son, \_\_\_\_\_
2. Je - sus, my Re - deem - er, name a - bove all names, \_\_\_\_\_
3. When I stand in glo - ry I will see His face, \_\_\_\_\_ and



- pre - cious Lamb of God, Mes-si-ah, Ho - ly One.  
 pre - cious Lamb of God, Mes-si-ah, hope for sin - ners slain.  
 there I'll serve my King for-ev-er, in that ho - ly place.



Thank you, O my Fa - ther, for giv-ing us Your Son; \_\_\_\_\_ and



leav - ing Your Spir - it 'til the work on earth is done.

**Sacrament of Baptism**

9:30/11:00

**Parental Vows**

1. Do you acknowledge your children'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 children 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 these parents in the Christian nurture of their children?

9:30

11:00

Elizabeth Grace Morrison  
Annie Claire Pollard  
John McNeil Smith  
Ann Elizabeth Wallace

William Taylor Clark  
Hope Elizabeth Douglass  
Samuel Micah Douglass  
Emma May Fein

## Prayer for the Families

9:30/11:00

### \*Hymn

“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.

## Public Confession of Sin

The Rev. Bill Lamberth 8:00  
The Rev. Chad Scruggs 9:30  
The Rev. Robby Higginbottom 11:00

Merciful God,  
You pardon all who truly repent and turn to You.  
We humbly confess our sins and ask Your mercy.  
We have not loved You with a pure heart,  
nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves.  
We have not done justice, loved kindness,  
or walked humbly with You, our God.  
Have mercy on us, O God, in Your lovingkindness.  
In Your great compassion,  
cleanse us from our sin.

## Private Confession

## Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

The LORD has remembered us; He will bless us; He will bless the house of Israel; He will bless the house of Aaron; He will bless those who fear the LORD, both the small and the great. Psalm 115.12-13

*Today we observe Veterans Day in gratefulness to God for those who willingly serve and have served to confront evil and bring human flourishing to so many.*

*"Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life . . ."*  
*John 15.13*

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Lamberth 8:00  
Mr. Scruggs 9:30  
Mr. Higginbottom 11:00

## Musical Offering

8:00 *"In the Presence"* *Mark Altrogge*  
Mrs. Rasberry, *piano/vocal* • Mrs. Freeman, *soprano*

9:30/11:00 *"Saints Bound for Heaven"* *arr. Mack Wilberg*  
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *director*  
Stephen Nielson and Lexi Jones, *piano*

*Our bondage it shall end by and by. From Egypt's yoke set free, hail the glorious jubilee, and to Canaan we'll return by and by.  
Our Deliv'rer He shall come by and by. And our sorrows have an end, with our three-score years and ten, and vast glory crown the day by and by.  
And when to Jordan's floods we are come, Jehovah rules the tide, and the waters He'll divide, and the ransom'd host shall shout, "We are come."  
Then with all the happy throng we'll rejoice. Shouting glory to our King, till the vaults of heaven ring, and thro' all eternity we'll rejoice.*

## \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing,  
so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.  
The peace of the Lord be with you always. Romans 15.13

**People: And also with you.**

## The Service of Friendship

### \*The Scripture Reading

James 2.14-17

*What good is it, my brothers, if someone says he has faith but does not have works?  
Can that faith save him?*

<sup>15</sup> *If a brother or sister is poorly clothed and lacking in daily food,*

<sup>16</sup> *and one of you says to them, "Go in peace, be warmed and filled," without giving  
them the things needed for the body, what good is that?*

<sup>17</sup> *So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.*

### The Sermon

"Faith Inside Will Be Seen Outside"

Mr. Williams 8:00

Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

Worshippers at 9:30 and 11:00, please  
continue at the 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:**

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.*

**\*Closing Hymn No. 246** "Man of Sorrows! What a Name" WHAT A SAVIOR

**\*Benediction**

Minister: And the God of all grace, who called us to His eternal glory in Christ, after we have suffered a little while, will Himself restore us and make us strong, firm and steadfast. To Him be the power for ever and ever! I Peter 5.10-11

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

**Postlude** "Prelude in Classic Style" Gordon Young  
Mr. Cope, *organ*

*\*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.*

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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 Pastors**

|                      |                       |              |
|----------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Joe Abbate           | Eric Horan            | Gil Sheehan  |
| Dr. Pete Deison      | Houston Hunt          | Mike Skinner |
| Jack Denman          | Jim Madden            | Jay Turner   |
| Mark Fulmer          | Bob McCamey           | Jeff Wilson  |
| The Rev. Paul Goebel | Gregory Morris        | Tim Wilson   |
| Pat Hamner           | Boots Nowlin          |              |
| John Hawkins         | The Rev. Chad Scruggs |              |

### **Assistant Pastors**

|                        |                             |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| The Rev. Ron Williams  | The Rev. Tommy Overton      |
| The Rev. Bill Lamberth | The Rev. Brent Baker        |
| Dr. Julian Russell     | The Rev. Robby Higginbottom |
| Dr. Jeff White         | The Rev. Matthew Fray       |

### **Executive Director**

Jeff Barber

### **Shepherding Elders**

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

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

## SERMON NOTES

James 2.14-17

“Faith Inside Will Be Seen Outside”

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Extend is a verb with three possible meanings: 1) to cause to cover a larger area; to make something longer and/or wider 2) to hold something out to someone or 3) to exert oneself to the utmost.



## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of November 15, 2015

### Praise

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

All Your works shall give thanks to You, O LORD, and all Your saints shall bless You! They shall speak of the glory of Your Kingdom.

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

Please see the hymn on page three.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

#### **Scripture Reading:** James 2.14-17 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. What is faith?
2. What are works?
3. How can we see true faith?
4. How does true faith help the poor and needy?
5. If someone says they have faith but is unwilling to help a brother or sister in need, what does this say about their faith?

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

1. Where are you tempted to show favoritism?
2. How much do you have to give?
3. What causes you to want to give and what keeps you from giving?
4. What is the greatest motivation to give?

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

James 2.14-17

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### Prayer

#### **The Lord's Prayer** *(say 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.