

# ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church February 7, 2016 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.

**The Prelude** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" OLD HUNDREDTH Mr. Stephen Nielson, piano arr. S. Nielson

The Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00 The Rev. Chad Scruggs 9:30/11:00

Minister: Blessed be the LORD! For He has heard the voice of my pleas for

mercy.

People: The LORD is my strength and my shield; in Him my heart

trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I

give thanks to Him.

Minister: The LORD is the strength of His people; He is the saving refuge of

His anointed.

People: Oh, save Your people and bless Your heritage! Be their

**Shepherd and carry them forever.** Psalm 28.6-9

\*Hymn No. 100

"Holy, Holy, Holy!"

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Dr. Julian Russell 8:00 The Rev. Paul Goebel 9:30 The Rev. Matt Fray 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

\*Hymn No. 469

"How Sweet and Awesome Is the Place" Stanzas: 1-4, 6

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### **Public Confession of Sin**

Almighty God,

who are rich in mercy to all those who call upon You, hear us as we come to You humbly confessing our sins and transgressions,

and imploring Your mercy and forgiveness.

We have broken Your holy laws by our deeds and by our words, and by the sinful affections of our hearts.

We confess before You our disobedience and ingratitude, our pride and willfulness, and all our failures and shortcomings toward You

and toward others. Have mercy upon us,

most merciful Father,

and of Your great goodness

grant that we may hereafter serve and please You

in newness of life;

through the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### **Private Confession**

# Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, You will not despise.

Psalm 51.17



#### Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Dr. Russell 8:00 Mr. Goebel 9:30 Mr. Fray 11:00

## **Musical Offering**

8:00 "Day By Day" Mr. Nielson, piano BLOTT EN DAG arr. S. Nielson

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# Chancel Choir • High School Ensemble J. Marty Cope, *director* • Stephen Nielson, *piano*

He leadeth me, O blessed thought! O words with heavenly comfort fraught! What e're, I do, where e're I be, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

He leadeth me! By His own hand He leadeth me. His faithful follower I would be, for by His hand He leadeth me.

Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom, sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom, by waters still, o'er troubled sea, still 'tis His hand that leadeth me.

Lord, I would clasp Thy hand in mine, never to murmur nor repine; content, whatever lot I see, since 'tis my God that leadeth me.

And when my task on earth is done, when, by Thy grace, the victory's won, e'en death's cold wave I will not flee, since God through Jordan leadeth me.

## \*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

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

James 4.10-17

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will exalt you.

Do not speak evil against one another, brothers. The one who speaks against a brother or judges his brother, speaks evil against the law and judges the law. But if you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law but a judge.

- <sup>12</sup> There is only one lawgiver and judge, He who is able to save and to destroy. But who are you to judge your neighbor?
- <sup>13</sup> Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit"
- <sup>14</sup> yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes.
- $^{15}$  Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that."
- <sup>16</sup> As it is, you boast in your arrogance. All such boasting is evil.
- <sup>17</sup> So whoever knows the right thing to do and fails to do it, for him it is sin.

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

Worshipers 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

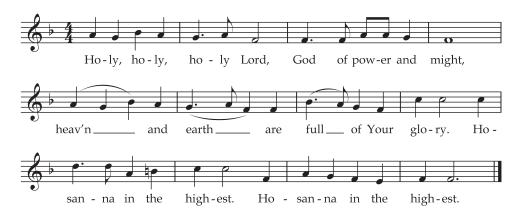
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



#### \*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.

#### \*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**

8:00	"Now Thank We All Our God"	NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT
	Mr. Nielson, piano	arr. S. Nielson
9:30/11:00	Fugue in C Major, "Jig" Mr. Cope, <i>organ</i>	Dieterich Buxtehude

<sup>\*</sup>The congregation stands.

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.

#### **Senior Pastor**

The Rev. Mark Davis

#### Session/Associate Pastors

Joe Abbate	Eric Horan	Gil Sheehan
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Dr. Jeff White The Rev. Matthew Fray

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Jeff Barber

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# Sermon Notes

James 4.10-17

"Pride's Undoing"

# Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of February 7, 2016

#### **Praise**

Call to Worship (everyone together)

The LORD is my strength and my shield; in Him my heart trusts, and I am helped; my heart exults, and with my song I give thanks to Him.

"How Deep the Father's Love" (read or sing these words together)

Please see the hymn on page three.

# Hearing and Learning God's Word

**Scripture Reading:** James 4.10-17 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. What is pride?
- 2. According to James 4.10-17, what are two ways that pride shows up in our lives?
- 3. What is our relationship to God's law supposed to be? What about our relationship to our neighbor?
- 4. How does James teach us to fight against our pride?
- 5. Why can we entrust ourselves to God's will?

**Scripture Memory for February:** (memorize this verse of Scripture this month)

James 4.10

Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will exalt you.

### <u>Prayer</u>

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.