

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 12, 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

"There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood" Brian Piper, *piano*

FOUNTAIN

Prayer for PCPC Short-term Missionaries

9:30/11:00

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00 The Rev. Paul Goebel 9:30/11:00

Minister: Blessed is the man who makes the LORD his trust, who does not

turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie!

People: You have multiplied, O LORD my God, Your wondrous deeds

and Your thoughts toward us; none can compare with You! I will proclaim and tell of them, yet they are more than can

be told.

Minister: In sacrifice and offering You have not delighted,

People: But You have given me an open ear. Burnt offering and sin

offering You have not required. Psalm 40.4-6

*Hymn of Praise No. 295 "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

DIADEMATA

*Hymn

Dr. Julian Russell 8:00 The Rev. Matt Fray 9:30 Dr. Pete Deison 11:00

We believe and confess one single catholic or universal church a holy congregation and gathering of true Christian believers, awaiting their entire salvation in Jesus Christ, being washed by His blood, and sanctified and sealed by the Holy Spirit. This church has existed from the beginning of the world and will last until the end, as appears from the fact that Christ is eternal King who cannot be without subjects. This holy church is not confined, bound, or limited to a certain place or certain people. But it is spread and dispersed throughout the entire world, though still joined and united in heart and will, in one and the same Spirit, by the power of faith.

from Belgic Confession, Article 27

Vikki Cook



Public Confession of Sin

O eternal God and merciful Father, we humble ourselves before Your great Majesty

against which we have frequently and grievously sinned.

We acknowledge that we deserve nothing less that eternal death.

We are unclean before You, and children of wrath.

We continually transgress Your commandments;

failing to do what You have commanded us,

and doing that which You have expressly forbidden.

We all like sheep have gone astray;

we have turned everyone to his own way.

Wash us in the pure fountain of Christ's blood, so that we may become clean and white as snow.

Cover us with His innocence and righteousness,

for the glory of Your Name.

Deliver our understanding from all blindness, and our hearts from all willfulness and rebellion.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Ephesians 2.8-9

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Dr. Russell 8:00 Mr. Ed Jarrett, *Elder* 9:30 Mr. Randy Wood, *Elder* 11:00

Musical Offering

8:00 "How Great Thou Art" O STORE GUD

John Denman, clarinet • Brian Piper, piano

9:30/11:00 "Gracious Spirit Dwell with Me" arr. K. Lee Scott Summer Choir • Bryan Varenkamp, conductor

Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would gracious be; help me now Thy grace to see, I would be like Thee; and, with words that help and heal, Thy life would mine

reveal; and, with actions bold and meek, for Christ, my Savior, speak.

Truthful Spirit, dwell with me, I would truthful be; help me now Thy truth to see, I would be like Thee; and, with wisdom kind and clear, Thy life in mine appear; and with actions brotherly, speak Christ's sincerity.

Holy Spirit, dwell with me, I would holy be; show Thy mercy tenderly, make me more like Thee; separate from sin, I would and cherish all things good, and whatever I can be give Him who gave me Thee.

Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be; help me now Thy pow'r to see, I would be like Thee; 'gainst all weapons hell can wield, be Thou my strength and shield; let Thy word my weapon be, Lord, Thine the victory.

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Let the peace of Christ dwell in your hearts. We were like sheep

going astray, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of our souls. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

1 Peter 2.25

People: And also with you.

Jennifer and Robert Prather 11:00

Genesis 4.1-17

Now Adam knew Eve his wife, and she conceived and bore Cain, saying, "I have gotten a man with the help of the LORD."

² And again, she bore his brother Abel. Now Abel was a keeper of sheep, and Cain a worker of the ground.

³ In the course of time Cain brought to the LORD an offering of the fruit of the ground, ⁴ and Abel also brought of the firstborn of his flock and of their fat portions. And the

LORD had regard for Abel and his offering,

- ⁵ but for Cain and his offering He had no regard. So Cain was very angry, and his face fell.
- ⁶ The LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry, and why has your face fallen?
- ⁷ If you do well, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do well, sin is crouching at the door. Its desire is for you, but you must rule over it."
- ⁸ Cain spoke to Abel his brother. And when they were in the field, Cain rose up against his brother Abel and killed him.
- ⁹ Then the LORD said to Cain, "Where is Abel your brother?" He said, "I do not know; am I my brother's keeper?"
- ¹⁰ And the LORD said, "What have you done? The voice of your brother's blood is crying to me from the ground.
- ¹¹ And now you are cursed from the ground, which has opened its mouth to receive your brother's blood from your hand.
- ¹² When you work the ground, it shall no longer yield to you its strength. You shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth."

¹³ Cain said to the LORD, "My punishment is greater than I can bear.

- ¹⁴ Behold, You have driven me today away from the ground, and from Your face I shall be hidden. I shall be a fugitive and a wanderer on the earth, and whoever finds me will kill me."
- ¹⁵ Then the LORD said to him, "Not so! If anyone kills Cain, vengeance shall be taken on him sevenfold." And the LORD put a mark on Cain, lest any who found him should attack him.
- ¹⁶ Then Cain went away from the presence of the LORD and settled in the land of Nod, east of Eden.
- ¹⁷ Cain knew his wife, and she conceived and bore Enoch. When he built a city, he called the name of the city after the name of his son, Enoch.

Hebrews 11.4

By faith Abel offered to God a more acceptable sacrifice than Cain, through which he was commended as righteous, God commending him by accepting his gifts. And through his faith, though he died, he still speaks.

The Morning Sermon

"Cain and Abel: Our Heritage and Hope" Mr. Williams 8:00 Mr. Goebel 9:30/11:00

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

*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

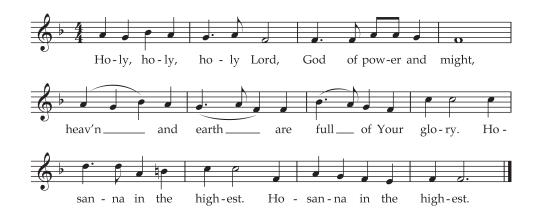
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



*The 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. 455 "And Can It Be That I Should Gain"

SAGINA

*Benediction

Minister: Look to Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy

that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12.2

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude "Festal March" William Walton J. Marty Cope, organ

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.

^{*}The congregation stands.

Extending the Kingdom PCPC Missions 2016

Cambodia Short Term Mission Trip

February 9-15

- Pray for the continued ministry of the MTW team on the ground
- Praise the Lord for Mary Flo Ridley and her program "Simple Truths"
- Pray for the follow up to continue amongst the students and adults who attended the seminars put on by our team

Japan Reverse Mission Trip

February 10-20

- Praise God for giving the students a desire to grow in their love for the places in which they minister and church plant
- Pray for a new ministry to develop with Japanese businessmen

Bahamas High School Mission Trip

March 5-12

- Pray for the continued ministry of St. Andrews Kirk in Nassau as they minister to their community
- Pray for Julian and Christiana Russell's transition to the Bahamas and their house remodel
- Pray for lasting impact of the vacation Bible school on the children in Baintown

Latin American Island Nation East West Ministries

February 13-19 February 27—March 3 November 5-12

- Praise the Lord for hearts receptive to the gospel and fruitful ministry
- Pray for the upcoming Father-Son trip in November

West Africa Short Term Mission Trip

June 30—July 10

- Pray for safe travels, no illnesses, and no lost luggage for the team
- Pray for the men and women who will lead teaching for the pastors and their wives throughout the week and for the translators as they seek to convey the messages
- Pray for the PCPC children's team as they lead a VBS program for the week

East Asia High School Mission Trip

June 28-July 11

- Pray for our team to be unified and that they would truly enjoy being with each other and working together
- Pray that God would allow a deep trust to remain between us and the school so that the program continues for years to come
- Pray that God would quickly form friendships/relationships between our students and their students so that conversation might go to a heart level

Zambia Arise Africa Mission TripJuly 15-24

- Pray for God's provision for those still raising funds for the trip
- Pray for God's transforming work in the hearts of our team and for the needs of the Zambian people we will meet
- Pray for the Gospel to be heard and received by those who are still in darkness and by those who already know the Lord and need refreshment

Thailand Family Mission Trip August 8-18

• Pray for Jeff White and his family as they lead a retreat for missionaries and their families

South Asia Vision Trip August 4-19

- Pray for the gospel of Jesus Christ to encourage, unify, and motivate our team as they travel and serve together
- Pray for wisdom in teaching and encouraging the ministers who attend the pastoral training seminars the team will help lead
- Pray for the protection of local believers and long-term missionaries (including a home-church missionary from our church) as restrictions and hostility against Christianity increases

Japan Young Adults Mission Trip

August 18-27

- Pray for safety, health, and unity amongst our 10 young adults who will spend the week in Nagoya, Japan
- Pray for the team to be an encouragement for our missionaries, Brett and Taylor Rayl
- Pray for opportunities to share the Gospel unashamedly and for compassion on the people of Japan

Peru: Vision Trip August

- Pray for Pete Deison and his team as they look for opportunities to send a full team in the summer of 2017
- Pray for the missionaries on the ground who they will be visiting with

Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of June 12, 2016

Praise

Call to Worship (everyone together)

Blessed is the man who makes the LORD his trust, who does not turn to the proud, to those who go astray after a lie! You have multiplied, O LORD my God, Your wondrous deeds and Your thoughts toward us; none can compare with You! I will proclaim and tell of them, yet they are more than can be told.

"I Will Glory in My Redeemer" (read or sing these words together)

Please see the hymn on page two.

Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: Genesis 4.1-17; Hebrews 11.4 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. How does the book of Hebrews define faith?
- 2. Why did God accept Abel and his offering but reject Cain and his?
- 3. What is sin? How did sin affect Cain? How does sin affect us?
- 4. How is Jesus like Abel, only greater?

Questions for older children

- 1. What does it mean to be saved by faith alone and not by works?
- 2. What was the punishment for Cain's sin? What is the punishment for our sin?
- 3. What is the city of God? How is the city of God different than our city?
- 4. How was the death of Jesus like the death of Abel? How was it different?

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

Hebrews 12.1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, ² looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne 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.

Find your Sunday Morning Community

NURSERY

(BIRTH-18 MONTHS)

Visitors, please check in at red desk **A**

PRESCHOOL (2 YR.-K)

Visitors, please check in at red desk **B**

ELEMENTARY-BIBLE EXPLORERS

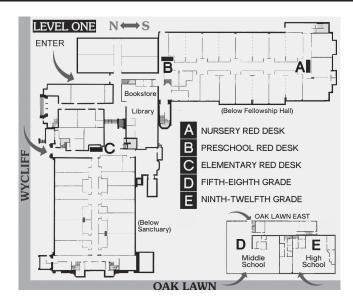
Visitors, please check in at red desk **C**

FIFTH-EIGHTH GRADE

11:00 am Sunday School in Oak Lawn East **D**

NINTH-TWELFTH GRADE

11:00 am Sunday School in Oak Lawn East **E**



A nursing mothers' room with livestream of the worship service is on the lower level beneath the Narthex.

Adult Communities

ALL AGES WELCOME IN ALL CLASSES!

Adults & Adult Families

GO GROUP

Singles & couples 8:00 am, Room 305

BELIEVERS' FELLOWSHIP

Empty nesters & singles 9:30 am, Oak Lawn West

GOOD SHEPHERD'S FELLOWSHIP

Couples, singles & families

9:30 am, Room 301

VERITAS

Couples & singles

9:30 am. Room 262

COVENANT

Empty nesters & singles

11:00 am, Room 261

KALEO

Singles & young families

11:00 am, Room 263

NEW CREATIONS

Couples & singles

11:00 am. Room 262

SHEPHERDS OF SOULS

Couples & singles

11:00 am, Room 300

THE WELL

Couples, singles, late 30s & 40s 11:00 am, Room 302/304

Young Adults & Families

AMBASSADORS

College, singles, marrieds & starter families

11:00 am, Room 301

COLLEGE

11:00 am. Room 259

CORNERSTONE

Young & newly marrieds, 20s & 30s 9:30 am. Room 259

Senior Adults

KOINONIA

8:15 am, Room 303

GOOD NEWS

9:30 am. Room 263

Special Interest

NEW DAY

9:30 am, Room 261

WOMEN OF GRACE

9:30 am (2nd & 3rd Sundays only) Room 303

To learn more: pcpc.org/communities; elaine.montague@pcpc.org