

Order for the Worship of God

Park Cities Presbyterian Church November 20, 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

8:00	Marche Triomphale on	Sigfrid Karg-Elert
	"Now Thank We All Our God"	
	Dr. Bradley Hunter Welch, organ	
9:30/11:00	"Dear Refuge of My Weary Soul" Mr. Brian Piper, vocal/piano	Steele/Twit

Call to Worship

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

Minister: I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount

all of Your wonderful deeds.

People: I will be glad and exult in You; I will sing praise to Your name,

O Most High.

Minister: The LORD is a stronghold for the oppressed, a stronghold in times

of trouble.

People: And those who know Your name put their trust in You, for You,

O LORD, have not forsaken those who seek You. Psalm 9.1-2, 9-10

*Hymn of Praise No. 715 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

Christ, having redeemed us by His blood,
is also restoring us by His Spirit into His image,
so that with our whole lives
we may show that we are thankful to God
for His benefits,
so that He may be praised through us,
so that we may be assured of our faith by its fruits,
and so that by our godly living
our neighbors may be won over to Christ.

Heidelberg Catechism, No. 86

*Hymn No. 363

"We Gather Together" Stanzas: 1-2 KREMSER

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

Carson Bailey Crum Charles Jeffrey Dowell Benning Adams Laughlin Sally Ann Vick Eli Bunker Hunt Lucy Carroll Hunt Timothy Edward Stainback, Jr. Carter Troy Prater

Prayer for the families

9:30/11:00

*Hymn No. 363 9:30/11:00 "We Gather Together" Stanza: 3

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KREMSER

Public Confession of Sin

O Lord, You alone know how often we have offended You and hurt the lives of others.

Forgive us, O Lord, for every unkind thought, every untrue word, every wrong act.

Forgive us, for we have been selfish, and have not thought of the needs of others.

Forgive us for our ingratitude, our neglect of prayer, our carelessness in the use of money, our forgetfulness of our sacred vows.

O God, have mercy upon us.

Create in us clean hearts and renew a right spirit within us.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1.9

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

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

Musical Offering

8:00 "Pastorale" Raymond Haan Dr. Welch, organ

9:30/11:00 "Total Praise" arr. Carol Cymbala
Chancel Choir • Dr. Welch, organ • Mr. Piper, piano
J. Marty Cope, director

Lord, I will lift my eyes to the hills, knowing my help is coming from You. Your peace You give me in time of the storm. You are the source of my strength. You are the strength of my life. I lift my hands in total praise to You. Amen.

*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of

one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Colossians 3.15

People: And also with you.

*The Scripture Reading

1 Peter 2.10

Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

Hosea 1.1-2.1

- The word of the LORD that came to Hosea, the son of Beeri, in the days of Uzziah, Jotham, Ahaz, and Hezekiah, kings of Judah, and in the days of Jeroboam the son of Joash, king of Israel.
- ² When the LORD first spoke through Hosea, the LORD said to Hosea, "Go, take to yourself a wife of adultery and have children of adultery, for the land commits great adultery by forsaking the LORD."
- ³ So he went and took Gomer, the daughter of Diblaim, and she conceived and bore him a son.
- ⁴ And the LORD said to him, "Call his name Jezreel, for in just a little while I will punish the house of Jehu for the blood of Jezreel, and I will put an end to the kingdom of the house of Israel.
- ⁵ And on that day I will break the bow of Israel in the Valley of Jezreel."
- ⁶ She conceived again and bore a daughter. And the LORD said to him, "Call her name No Mercy, for I will no more have mercy on the house of Israel, to forgive them at all.
- ⁷ But I will have mercy on the house of Judah, and I will save them by the LORD their God. I will not save them by bow or by sword or by war or by horses or by horsemen."
- ⁸ When she had weaned No Mercy, she conceived and bore a son.
- ⁹ And the LORD said, "Call his name Not My People, for you are not my people, and I am not your God."
- ¹⁰ Yet the number of the children of Israel shall be like the sand of the sea, which cannot be measured or numbered. And in the place where it was said to them, "You are not my people," it shall be said to them, "Children of the living God."
- ¹¹ And the children of Judah and the children of Israel shall be gathered together, and they shall appoint for themselves one head. And they shall go up from the land, for great shall be the day of Jezreel.
- ^{2.1} Say to your brothers, "You are my people," and to your sisters, "You have received mercy."

The Sermon

"People of Gratitude"

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 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

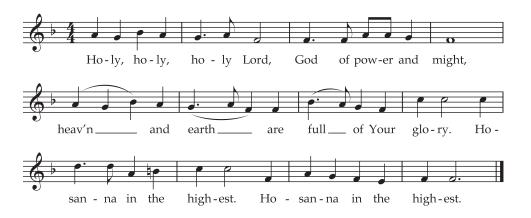
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



*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.

*The Benediction

Minister: So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to

live in Him, rooted and built up in Him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness.

Colossians 2.6

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude "Prelude in B Major, Opus 7, No. 1"

Marcel Dupré

Dr. Welch, organ

*The congregation stands.

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the baptism of Carson Bailey Crum.

The flowers in the narthex are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dot Harrington and in celebration of the marriage of Morgan Davis and Will Harrington.

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.

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Sermon Notes

1 Peter 2.10; Hosea 1.1-11-2.1

"People of Gratitude"

Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of November 20, 2016

Praise

Call to Worship (everyone together)

I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of Your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult in You; I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" (read or sing these words together)

Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home: All is safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin; God, our Maker, doth provide for our wants to be supplied: Come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.

Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2.10; Hosea 1.1-11-2.1 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. What does it mean to be thankful? Why are we sometimes unthankful?
- 2. How do we know that God loves us?
- 3. What is God's punishment for Sin?
- 4. What did Jesus do for us on the Cross? Why should we be thankful for Jesus?

Questions for older children

- 1. What does gratitude have to do with remembering God's goodness?
- 2. How is God's relationship with us like the relationship between a husband and a wife?
- 3. How has the Gospel of Jesus Christ made us God's people?
- 4. What does gratitude have to do with Grace?

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

1 Peter 2.2

Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation.

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.