



**CELEBRATION  
OF THE  
LORD'S TABLE**

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

JANUARY 8, 2017

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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**\*Call to Worship**

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

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

Minister: Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!

People: **Worthy are You, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for You created all things, and by Your will they existed and were created.**

Revelation 4.8b, 11

**\*Hymn of Praise No. 100**

"Holy, Holy, Holy!"

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**\*Prayer of Adoration**

**\*Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Matt Fray 8:00  
The Rev. Paul Goebel 9:30  
The Rev. Chad Scruggs 11:00

Let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall.  
No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man.  
God is faithful,  
and He will not let you be tempted beyond your ability,  
but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape,  
that you may be able to endure it.  
Therefore, my beloved, flee from idolatry.

1 Corinthians 10:12-14

**Musical Meditation** “Adagio” from *Sonata in C Minor* RV53  
Steve Pettey, oboe

*Antonio Vivaldi*

**Public Confession of Sin**

O Holy Father, if Your mercy had bounds,  
where would be my refuge from just wrath?  
But Your love in Christ is without measure.  
Thus, I present myself to You with sins of commission and omission,  
against You, my Father;  
against You, adorable Redeemer;  
against You and Your strivings, O Holy Spirit;  
against the dictates of my conscience;  
against the precepts of Your Word;  
against my neighbors and myself.  
Frequently I vow to love You more fervently,  
yet I soon stumble, backslide,  
and have to confess my weakness, misery and sin.  
But I bless You that the finished work of Jesus  
needs no addition from my doings,  
that His oblation is sufficient satisfaction for my sins.  
If future days be mine,  
help me to amend my life,  
to hate and abhor evil,  
and to flee the sins I confess.

**Private Confession**

**Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel**

But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:21-23

**Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer**

Mr. Fray 8:00  
Mr. Goebel 9:30  
Mr. Scruggs 11:00

## Musical Offering

8:00

“My Jesus, I Love Thee”  
Stephen Nielson, *piano*

CARITAS  
*arr. Nielson*

9:30/11:00

“Do Not I Love Thee?”  
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, *director*  
Stephen Nielson, *piano* • Steve Pettey, *oboe*

*arr. Milburn Price*

*Do not I love Thee, O my Lord? Behold my heart, and see; and turn each cursed idol out that dares to rival Thee.*

*Do not I love Thee from my soul? Then let me nothing love; dead be my heart to every joy, when Jesus cannot move.*

*Thou know'st I love Thee, dearest Lord, but, O! I long to soar far from the sphere of mortal joys, and learn to love Thee more.*

## \*Hymn

“In Christ Alone”

*Townend/Getty*



1. In Christ a - lone my hope is found, He is my  
2. In Christ a - lone who took on flesh, full - ness of  
3. There in the ground His bod - y lay, Light of the  
4. No guilt in life, no fear in death, This is the



light, my strength, my song; This Cor - ner - stone, this so - lid  
God in help - less babe! This gift of love and right - eous -  
world by dark - ness slain: Then burst - ing forth in glo - r'ous  
pow'r of Christ in me; From life's first cry to fi - nal



Ground, firm through the fier - cest drought and storm.  
ness scorned by the ones He came to save:  
Day up from the grave He rose a - gain!  
breath Je - sus com - mands my des - ti - ny.



What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are  
'Till on that cross as Je - sus died, the wrath of  
And as He stands in vic - to - ry sin's curse has  
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, can ev - er



stilled, when striv - ings cease! My Com - for - ter, my All in  
God was sat - is - fied For ev - 'ry sin on Him was  
lost its grip on me, For I am His and He is  
pluck me from His hand; 'Till He re - turns or calls me



All, here in the love of Christ I stand.  
laid; here in the death of Christ I live.  
mine— bought with the pre - cious blood of Christ.  
home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand!

**\*The Scripture Reading**

1 Peter 2.11

*Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions of the flesh, which wage war against your soul.*

**The Sermon**

“Soul War”

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

**\*Words of Assurance and The Great Thanksgiving**

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.

**\*The Words of Institution**

**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.*

**Communion** 9:30/11:00

*Please come forward to receive the elements as directed by an usher.*

*Partake of each when served, returning to your seat with your empty cup.*

*During the serving of Communion*

“Sicilienne” *Maria Theresia von Paradis*  
Mr. Pettey, *oboe*

**Hymn No. 648** “My Jesus, I Love Thee” *CARITAS*

**\*Closing Hymn No. 263** “Lift High the Cross” *CRUCIFER*

**\*The Benediction**

Minister: Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of His glory with great joy, to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion and authority, before all time and now and forever. *Jude 24-25*

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

**Postlude**

8:00 “Lift High the Cross” *CRUCIFER*  
Mr. Nielson, *piano* *arr. Nielson*

9:30/11:00 “Toccata Brevis” *Daniel Gawthrop*  
Mr. Cope, *organ*

*\*The congregation stands.*

*Members of PCPC who have joined the Church Triumphant  
since our last Communion service:*

*Gay Shiels  
Alice Anne Bibby  
Barbara B. Hayes  
Wesley Hufnagel  
Dr. Donovan Campbell*

*The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God.*

**Park Cities Presbyterian Church exists to extend the transforming presence of the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in Dallas and to the world.**

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### **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.

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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	John Hawkins	Rob Sayles
Dr. Pete Deison	Eric Horan	The Rev. Chad Scruggs
Don Dillahunty	Houston Hunt	Gil Sheehan
Pete Flowers	Ed Jarrett	Jay Turner
Mark Fulmer	Bob McCamey	Jeff Wilson
The Rev. Paul Goebel	Gregory Morris	
Pat Hamner	Boots Nowlin	

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

# SERMON NOTES

1 Peter 2.11

“Soul War”



## Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of January 8, 2017

### Praise

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

Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!  
Worthy are You, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for  
You created all things, and by Your will they existed and were created.

#### **“In Christ Alone”** *(read or sing these words together)*

Please refer to the hymn on page three.

### Hearing and Learning God’s Word

#### **Scripture Reading:** 1 Peter 2.11 *(one person read the Scripture aloud)*

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

1. What names does Peter give the people he is addressing in his letter?
2. What is he telling believers to do in verse 11?
3. What does abstain mean?
4. What are some of the passions of the flesh?
5. How can we abstain from these passions?
6. What are the means of grace

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

1. How do the passions of the flesh wage war against our souls?
2. What is one passion of the flesh you struggle with?
3. How should you seek to abstain from this passion?
4. How does availing ourselves of the means of grace help us abstain

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

1 Peter 2.11

Beloved, I urge you as sojourners and exiles to abstain from the passions  
of the flesh, which wage war against your soul.

### 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 tempta-  
tion; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and  
the glory forever. Amen.