

# ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Park Cities Presbyterian Church July 9, 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.

The Prelude

"Voluntary in G"

R. Vaughan Williams

Psalm 96.6-9

Call to Worship

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

Minister: Splendor and majesty are before Him;

strength and beauty are in His sanctuary.

People: Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples,

ascribe to the LORD glory and strength!

Minister: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name;

bring an offering, and come into His courts!

People: Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness;

tremble before Him, all the earth!



#### \*Prayer of Adoration

# \*Profession of Faith

Dr. Pete Deison 8:00 The Rev. Robby Higginbottom 9:30 The Rev. Bill Lamberth 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.

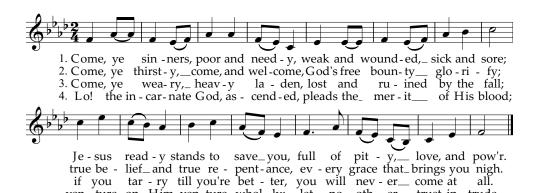
The Apostles' Creed

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\*Hymn

"Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"

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#### **Public Confession of Sin**

Almighty God,

You have raised Jesus from death to life and crowned Him Lord of all.

We confess our tendency to supplant His authority;

we want to control our lives

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and constantly pursue the means to do so.

Our lives are anxious because we fear not getting the things we most desire.

We do not do to others as we would have them do to us;

our altars of self-ambition are covered with broken relationships.

Loving Father, through the blood of Your Son

reconcile us to Yourself and to one another.

Teach us how to seek first Your kingdom and righteousness,

trusting that You will add to us everything we need.

Place our hope and confidence in our Great High Priest, who ever lives to make intercession for us.

#### **Private Confession**

#### Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Psalm 103.8

#### Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Dr. Deison 8:00 Mr. Higginbottom 9:30 Mr. Lamberth 11:00

# **Musical Offering**

8:00

"Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus"
J. Marty Cope, organ

arr. Raymond Haan

9:30/11:00

"If Ye Love Me"
Chancel Choir • Mr. Cope, conductor

Thomas Tallis

If ye love Me, keep My commandments and I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter that He may abide with you forever, even the Spirit of truth.

# \*The Greeting of Peace

Minister: Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer

and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. The peace of the Lord be with you always.

Philippians 4.6-8

People: And also with you.

# Service of Friendship

#### \*Scripture Reading

1 Peter 5.7

. . . casting all your anxieties on Him, because He cares for you.

The Sermon

"Because He Cares For You"

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

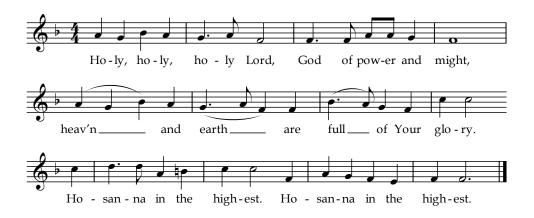
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



# \*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: Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself, and God our Father,

who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.

2 Thessalonians 2.16-17

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

"Prelude, Fugue, and Chaconne" Mr. Cope, organ Dieterich Buxtehude

\*Please stand if you are able.

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for His bountiful "grace upon grace."

"And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you."

1 Peter 5.10

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

Telcome to Park Cities Presbyterian Church. We are glad you have joined us today.

We want to come alongside you in hospitality and prayer. At the conclusion of our services, there are men and women at the front and back of the sanctuary to meet and pray with you—in complete confidence.

If you are experiencing an unexpected pregnancy, you are loved. For support, please speak with us or call Thrive Women's Clinic at 214-343-9263 or Kari Stainback at 214-224-2738.

"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

#### **Senior Pastor**

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Rick Owens

David Franklin

# Sermon Notes

1 Peter 5.7
"Because He Cares for You"

# Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of July 9, 2017

#### **Praise**

# Call to Worship (everyone together)

Splendor and majesty are before Him; strength and beauty are in His sanctuary. Ascribe to the LORD, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the LORD glory and strength!

"Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning" (read or sing these words together)

Please see the hymn on page two.

# **Hearing and Learning God's Word**

**Scripture Reading** 1 Peter 5.7 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

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

- 1. What do you worry about?
- 2. Why do you think it's important to believe that God cares for you?
- 3. Name some of the ways that God has cared you. When you are finished, try naming 10 more.
- 4. Does God care for us when we suffer? Why might He allow suffering in our lives?
- 5. The Apostle Paul writes, "He who did not spare His own Son but gave Him up for us all, how will He not also with Him graciously give us all things?" Why does the giving of God's Son prove God's care for us?
- 6. When do you doubt God's care for you? What might you tell yourself in those moments? What verse or verses could you memorize for such occasions?

#### **Scripture Memory for July** (memorize this passage of Scripture this month)

1 Peter 5.10-11

And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to His eternal glory in Christ, will Himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. <sup>11</sup> To Him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

# **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.