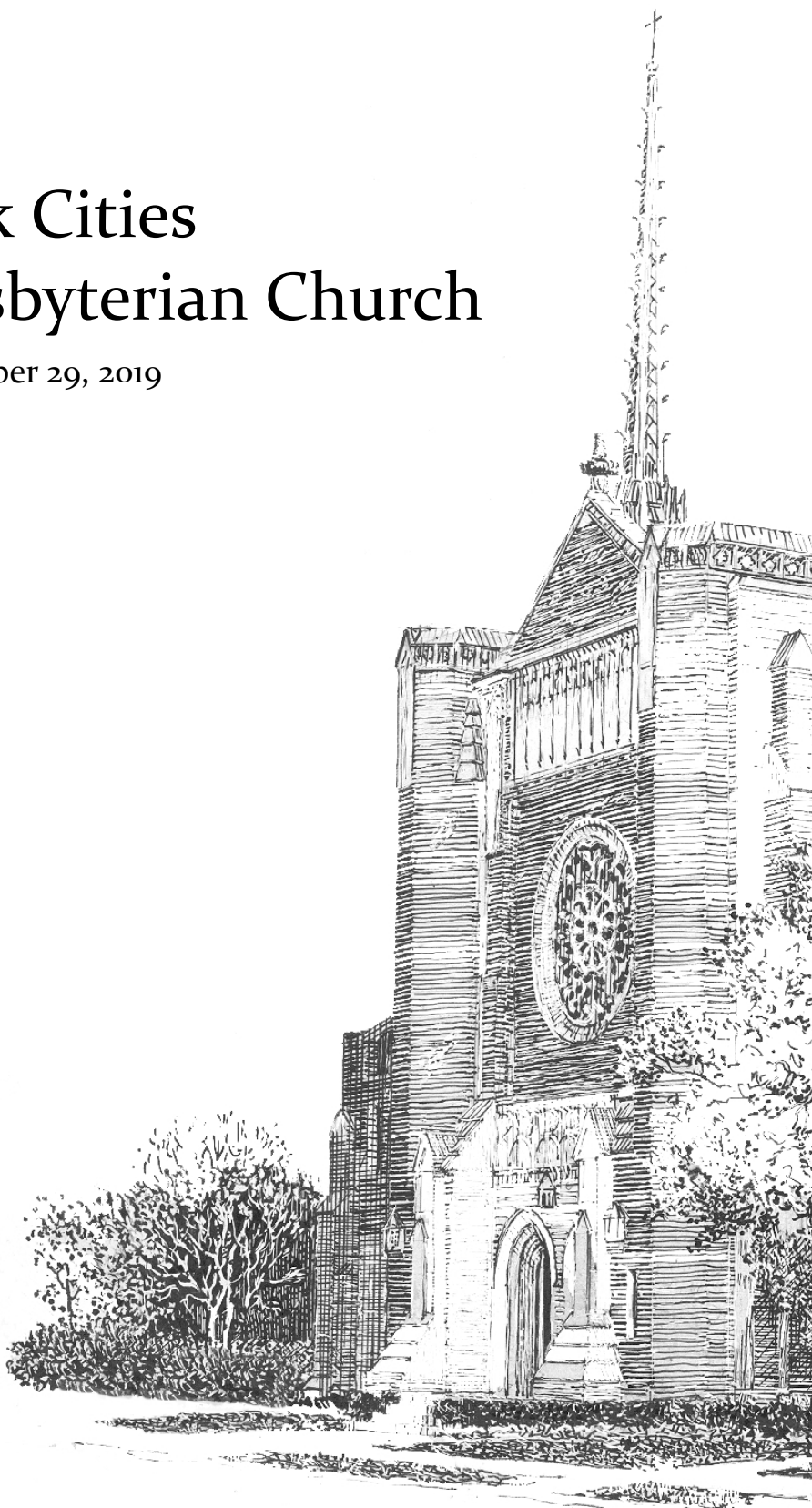


Park Cities Presbyterian Church

September 29, 2019



*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.*



ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

September 29, 2019
8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

Prelude

“Adagio, BWV 564/2”
Dr. Nathan Davy, *organ*

J. S. Bach

*During the Prelude, please join in silent preparation
of heart and mind to worship our God.*

Call to Worship

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00
The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: I will remember the deeds of the LORD;

People: yes, I will remember Your wonders of old.

Minister: I will ponder all Your work,

People: and meditate on Your mighty deeds.

Minister: Your way, O God, is holy.

People: What god is great like our God?

Minister: You are the God who works wonders;

People: You have made known Your might among the peoples.

Minister: You with Your arm redeemed Your people,

People: the children of Jacob and Joseph.

Psalm 77.11-15

***Hymn of Praise No. 103** “Holy God, We Praise Your Name”

GROSSER GOTT

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Matt Fray 8:00
The Rev. Tommy Overton 9:30/11:00

Since man, by his fall,
made himself incapable of life by the covenant of works,
the Lord was then pleased to make a second covenant,
commonly called the covenant of grace.

In it God freely offers
life and salvation by Jesus Christ to sinners,
requiring of them faith in Him,
that they may be saved,
and promising to give His Holy Spirit
to all those who are ordained to eternal life,
to make them willing and able to believe.

Westminster Confession of Faith, Chapter 7 (alt)

***Hymn No. 281** "I Know That My Redeemer Lives—Glory, Hallelujah!" *SHOUT ON*

Public Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father,
we acknowledge and confess before You
our sinful nature—
prone to evil and slothful in good—
and all our shortcomings and offenses against You.

You alone know how often we have sinned
in wandering from Your ways,
in wasting Your gifts,
in forgetting Your love.

O Lord, have mercy on us,
who are ashamed and sorry
for all wherein we have displeased You.

Teach us to hate our errors,
cleanse us from our secret faults,
and forgive our sins
for the sake of Your dear Son.

And O most holy and loving Father,
send Your purifying grace into our hearts,
we beseech You,
that we may henceforth live in Your light
and walk in Your ways,
according to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Book of Common Prayer, 1906

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

*Hymn of Assurance “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”

Townend

9:30/11:00



1. How deep the Fa - ther's love for us, how vast be - yond all
2. Be - hold the man u - pon the cross, my sin u - pon His
3. I will not boast in a - ny thing, no gifts, no pow'r, no



mea - sure, that He should give His on - ly Son to make a
shoul - ders; a - shamed, I hear my mock - ing voice call out a -
wis - dom; but I will boast in Je - sus Christ, His death and



wretch His trea - sure. How great the pain of sear - ing loss:
mong the scof - fers. It was my sin that held Him there
re - sur - rec - tion. Why should I gain from His re - ward?



the Fa - ther turns His face a - way as wounds, which mar the
un - til it was ac - com - plished; His dy - ing breath has
I can - not give an an - swer, but this I know with



Cho - sen One, bring ma - ny sons to glo - ry.
brought me life: I know that it is fin - ished.
all my heart: His wounds have paid my ran - som.

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Fray 8:00

Mr. Overton 9:30/11:00

Musical Offering

8:00

“Now Thank We All Our God”

arr. Michael Burkhardt

Dr. Davy, organ

9:30/11:00

“Lord, Most Holy”

Foster/Borop

Chancel Choir • Dave Leeman, conducting

Stephen Nielson, piano • Dr. Davy, organ

Lord, most holy, fount of grace, joy of heaven, fill this place; grant this blessing from above, come, sweet Spirit, Thou art loved, Lord, most holy.

Lord, most holy, ever near, pilgrim seeker, find us here. Make Thy dwelling in our hearts; grant a glimpse of who Thou art.

There is none above Thee, there is none beside Thee; make Thy presence known to Thy servants below.
Lord most holy, stir our faith; quench this thirst to seek Thy face. Hear us as we humbly call; pour Thy life stream on us all.
Holy, holy, holy, holy is the Lord! Holy is our God! He who always liveth evermore the same, heaven and earth He ruleth; come and praise His name.
Joy of heaven, grant this blessing from above, come, sweet Spirit, Thou art loved.

***The Greeting of Peace**

Minister: Now in Christ Jesus, we who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ, for He Himself is our peace. The peace of the Lord be with you always. Ephesians 2.13-14
People: And also with you.

***The Scripture Reading**

Hebrews 2.1-3a

Therefore we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it.

² *For since the message declared by angels proved to be reliable, and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution,*

³ *how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation?*

The Sermon

“We Must Pay Much Closer Attention”

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

Worshippers at 9:30 and 11:00,
please continue at the closing hymn.

***The Great Thanksgiving 8:00**

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

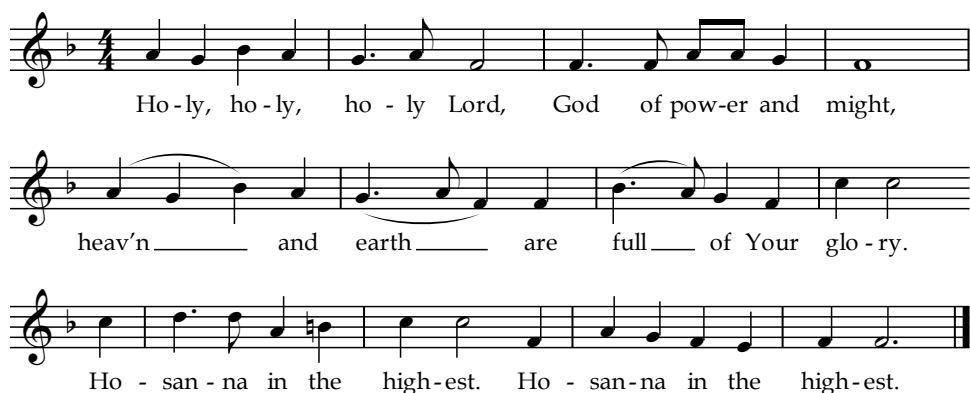
People: We lift them up to the Lord!

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 Words of Institution 8:00**

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. 460**

"Amazing Grace!"
 Stanzas: 1-3, 6

AMAZING GRACE

***The Benediction**

Minister: Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Hebrews 13.20-21

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

"Fugue in C, BWV 564/3"
 Dr. Davy, organ

J. S. Bach

**Please stand if you are able.*

*The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of
 Kristin Koons Jackson on the occasion of her birthday from her mother.
 Forever missed, forever loved.*

*"The LORD your God is with you, the Mighty Warrior who saves.
 He will take great delight in you; in His love He will no longer
 rebuke you, but will rejoice over you with singing."
 Zephaniah 3.17*

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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The Rev. Robby Higginbottom

The Rev. Matt Fray

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



Welcome to Park Cities Presbyterian Church. We are glad you 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

SERMON NOTES

Hebrews 2.1-3a

“We Must Pay Much Closer Attention”

Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of September 29, 2019

Praise

Call to Worship: *(everyone together)*

I will remember the deeds of the LORD; yes, I will remember Your wonders of old. I will ponder all Your work, and meditate on Your mighty deeds. Your way, O God, is holy. What god is great like our God? You are the God who works wonders; You have made known Your might among the peoples. You with Your arm redeemed Your people, the children of Jacob and Joseph. Psalm 77.11-15

“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us” *(read or sing these words together)*

Please see the hymn on page four.

Hearing and Learning God’s Word

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 2.1-3a *(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 pay close attention to someone?
2. What makes it hard to pay close attention?
3. What is the danger of not paying closer attention?
4. What is the author of Hebrews calling us to pay attention to?

Scripture Memory for September: *(memorize this passage of Scripture this month)*

Hebrews 1.1-2

Long ago, at many times and in many ways, God spoke to our fathers by the prophets, ² but in these last days He has spoken to us by His Son, whom He appointed the heir of all things, through whom also He created the world.

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.