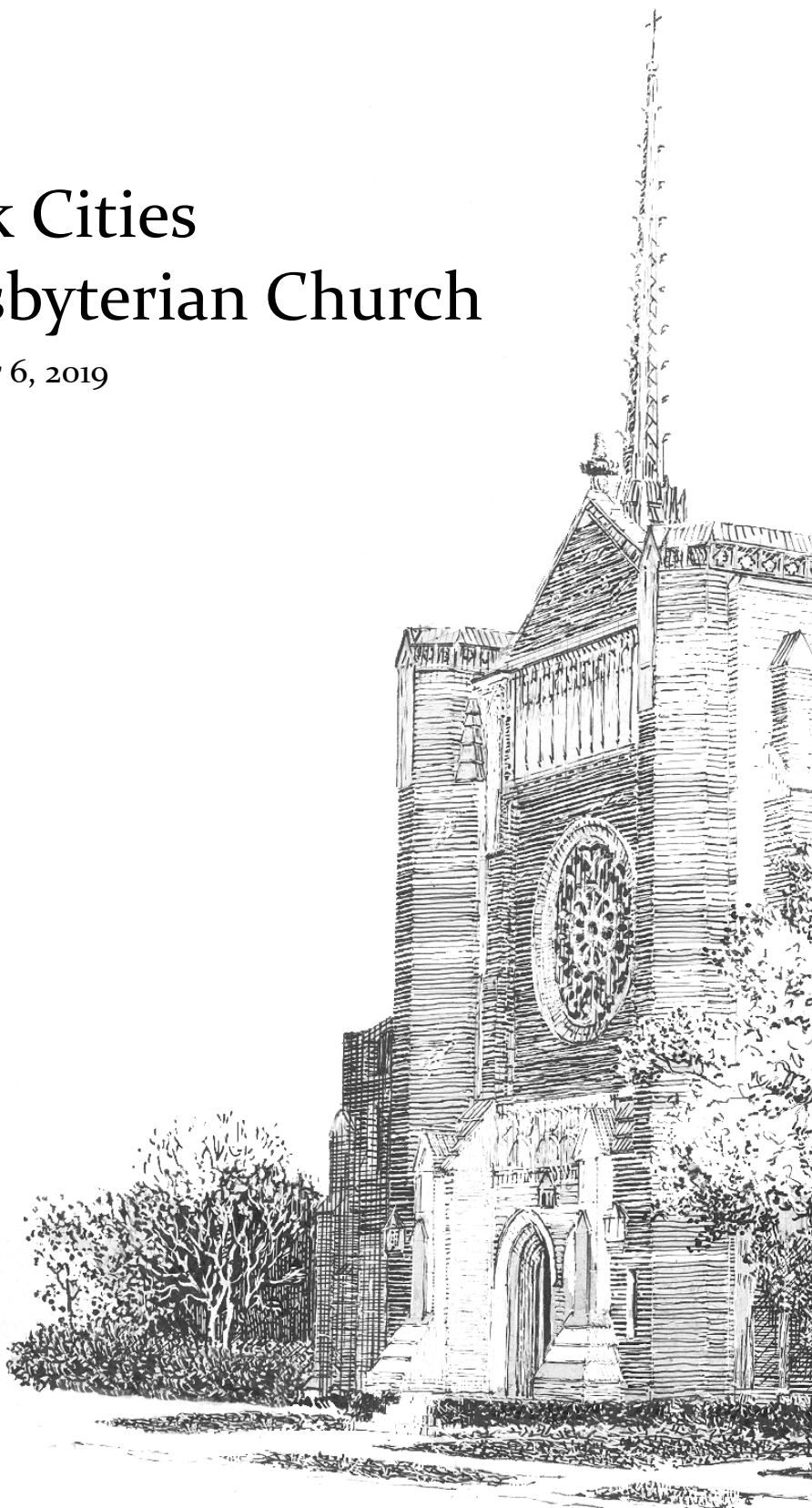


Park Cities Presbyterian Church

October 6, 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

October 6, 2019
8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

Prelude

“O God Beyond All Praising”
Stephen Nielson, *piano*

THAXTED
arr. S. Nielson

*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: Of old You laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are
the work of Your hands.

**People: They will perish, but You will remain; they will all wear out
like a garment.**

Minister: You will change them like a robe, and they will pass away, but
You are the same, and Your years have no end.

**People: The children of Your servants shall dwell secure; their
offspring shall be established before You.**

Psalms 102.25-28

***Hymn of Praise No. 342 “Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”**

REGENT SQUARE

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Tommy Overton 8:00
The Rev. Paul Goebel 9:30/11:00

Have this mind among yourselves,
which is yours in Christ Jesus,
Who, though He was in the form of God,
did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,
but emptied Himself,
by taking the form of a servant,
being born in the likeness of men.
And being found in human form,
He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death,
even death on a cross.

Therefore God has highly exalted Him
and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name,
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:5-11

*Hymn

"In Christ Alone"

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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!

Public Confession of Sin

O most great, most just and gracious God;
You are of purer eyes than to behold iniquity,
but You have promised mercy through Jesus Christ
to all that repent and believe in Him.

We confess that we have all sinned
and come short of the glory of God.

You have revealed Your wonderful love to us in Christ
and offered us pardon and salvation in Him,
but we have turned away.

Have mercy on us, most merciful Father!

In Your Son is our salvation,
in Your promises our hope.

Take us for Your children
and give us the Spirit of Your Son.

May we love You and share Your love with others,
through Jesus Christ our only Savior.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

God shows His love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 5:8

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Overton 8:00

Mr. Goebel 9:30/11:00

Musical Offering

8:00

“When Morning Gilds the Skies”
Dr. Nathan Davy, organ

Dale Wood

9:30/11:00

“Father of Light”

Boersma/Courtney

based on Psalm 56.3, 4, 13

Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, conductor

Claire Dillahunt, soprano • Mr. Nielson, piano • Dr. Davy, organ

All praise to the name of the Father of light, One who listens and hears when I call. Every step He ordains, I shall walk without fear. In His light I'll not stumble or fall. What can mortal man do while I'm safe in His hand? He is God, on His Word I rely.

In the midst of my fear I will trust in His name, for I know He will hear when I cry. He knows all of my feelings, the depths of despair, all the limits my soul can endure. I will trust in His name, I have nothing to lose for in Him all my hopes are secure.

God alone can deliver a soul from its death, lift a life from a wasteland of need. God alone can replenish with blessings untold, until into His light we are freed.

***The Greeting of Peace**

Minister: For you have delivered my soul from death, yes, my feet from falling,
that I may walk before God in the light of life. The peace of the Lord
be with you always. Psalm 56.13

People: And also with you.

Second Grader's Bible Presentation

9:30

***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

“How We Can Pay 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!

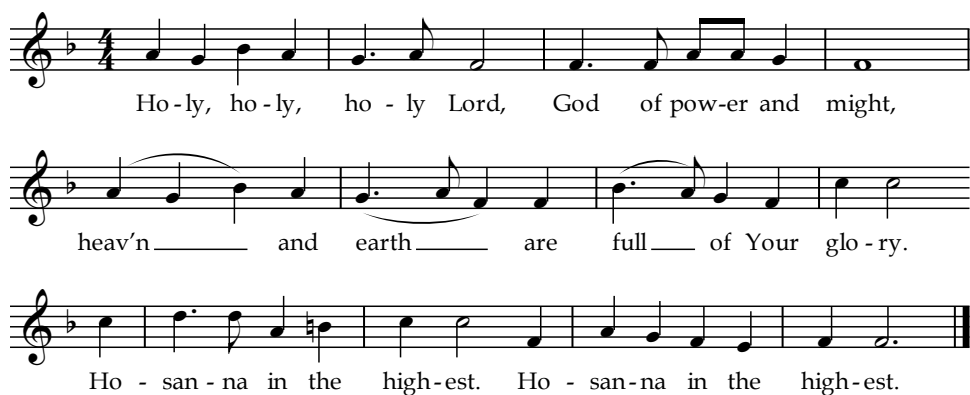
People: We lift them up to the Lord!

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. 521 "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"**

SOLID ROCK

***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

*"Allegro con Brio" from Sonata IV
 Dr. Davy, organ*

Felix Mendelssohn

**Please stand if you are able.*

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.

Senior Pastor

The Rev. Mark Davis

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The Rev. Tommy Overton

The Rev. Brent Baker

The Rev. Robby Higginbottom

The Rev. Matt Fray

Executive Director

Jeff Barber

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
“How We Can Pay Closer Attention”

Order of Worship for the Home – The Week of October 6, 2019

Praise

Call to Worship: *(everyone together)*

Of old You laid the foundation of the earth, and the heavens are the work of Your hands. They will perish, but You will remain; they will all wear out like a garment. You will change them like a robe, and they will pass away, but You are the same, and Your years have no end. The children of Your servants shall dwell secure; their offspring shall be established before You.

Psalm 102.25-28

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

Please see the hymn on page three.

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. Why was it important for the recipients of this letter to pay close attention to what they had heard?
2. To whom and what must we pay closer attention?
3. What does it look like for a Christian to live an absurd life?
4. Make a list of two or three things that you can do to pay closer attention to God’s Word.
5. What is the danger of not paying close attention?
6. Ask God to help you in your efforts to pay closer attention.

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

Hebrew 2.1

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

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.