

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.

PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH November 8, 2020

## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

The Prelude

"All Glory Be to God on High"
J. Marty Cope, organ

arr. Paul Manz

"O, the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus" Stephen Nielson, *piano* 

EBENEZER arr. S. Nielson

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

Welcome

The Rev. Mark Davis

### Call to Worship

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" ODE TO JOY Mr. Nielson, piano • Mr. Cope, organ arr. Nielson & Young

Minister: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

People: Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into His presence

with singing!

Minister: Know that the LORD, He is God!

People: It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, and

the sheep of His pasture.

Minister: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise!

People: Give thanks to Him; bless His name!

Minister: For the LORD is good;

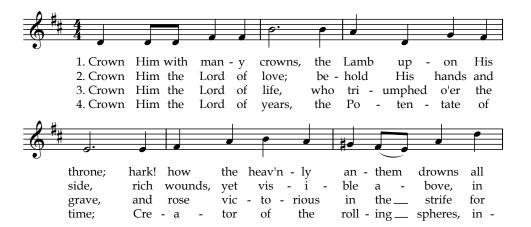
People: His steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to

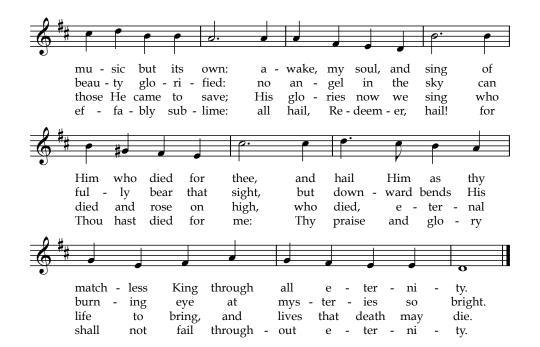
all generations. Psalm 100

\*Hymn of Praise

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

DIADEMATA





#### \*Prayer of Adoration

Mr. Davis

#### Children's Sermon

## **Confession of Sin**

The Rev. Paul Goebel

O Lord, no day of my life has passed that has not proved me guilty of sin.

Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart; praise has been often praiseless sound.

Lord Jesus, though my sins rise to heaven Your merits soar above them.

I appeal from the throne of Your perfect justice to Your throne of boundless grace.

Grant me to hear Your voice assuring me that I am guilty of sin, but pardoned; wandering, but found; sinning, but cleansed.

Give me perpetual broken heartedness, keep me always clinging to Your cross, flood me every moment with descending grace.

#### **Private Confession**

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

If God is for us, who can be against us? 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?

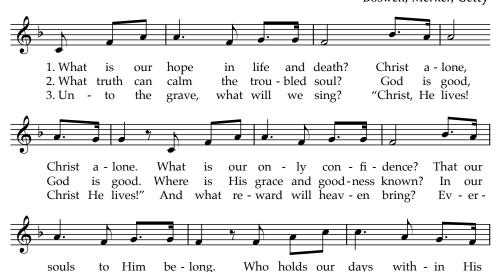
Romans 8.31b-32

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

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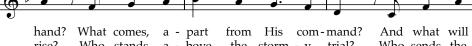
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The to the end? love of Christ, in which we waves that bring us nigh un to the shore, the rock of Christ? when Christ is feast end - less joy, ours for - ev - er - more.



sing hal - le-O sing hal - le - lu - jah! Our hope springs e - ter-nal; O



lu-jah! Now and ev-er we con-fess Christ our hope in life and death.

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Goebel

In lieu of giving via passed offering plates, you are welcome to place your offering in one of the wooden giving-boxes as you leave Worship. They are located near the exits. You may also give online at pcpc.org/give.

**Musical Offering** 

"Now Sing We Joyfully Unto God" Members of the Chancel Choir J. Marty Cope, organ • Dr. Davy, conductor Gordon Young

Now sing we joyfully unto God! We sing! Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; alleluia! Praise Him above, ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; alleluia!

## \*The Scripture Reading: Mark 3.6-21

- The Pharisees went out and immediately held counsel with the Herodians against Him, how to destroy Him.
- <sup>7</sup> Jesus withdrew with His disciples to the sea, and a great crowd followed, from Galilee and Judea
- <sup>8</sup> and Jerusalem and Idumea and from beyond the Jordan and from around Tyre and Sidon. When the great crowd heard all that He was doing, they came to Him.
- <sup>9</sup> And He told His disciples to have a boat ready for Him because of the crowd, lest they crush Him,
- <sup>10</sup> for He had healed many, so that all who had diseases pressed around Him to touch Him.
- <sup>11</sup> And whenever the unclean spirits saw Him, they fell down before Him and cried out, "You are the Son of God."
- <sup>12</sup> And He strictly ordered them not to make Him known.
- <sup>13</sup> And He went up on the mountain and called to Him those whom He desired, and they came to Him.
- <sup>14</sup> And He appointed twelve (whom He also named apostles) so that they might be with Him and He might send them out to preach
- 15 and have authority to cast out demons.
- <sup>16</sup> He appointed the twelve: Simon (to whom He gave the name Peter);
- <sup>17</sup> James the son of Zebedee and John the brother of James (to whom He gave the name Boanerges, that is, Sons of Thunder);
- <sup>18</sup> Andrew, and Philip, and Bartholomew, and Matthew, and Thomas, and James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus, and Simon the Zealot,
- <sup>19</sup> and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed Him.
- <sup>20</sup> Then He went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat.
- <sup>21</sup> And when His family heard it, they went out to seize Him, for they were saying, "He is out of His mind."

The Sermon

"Coming to Jesus or Coming for Jesus"

Mr. Davis



\*The Benediction Mr. Davis

Minister: Now may the Savior,

who has abolished death, come to you in your sorrows, stay by your side in the darkness, carry you through your distresses,

and give you joy in the morning.

Dale Ralph Davis

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

**Postlude** "Toccata on OLD HUNDREDTH" *Michael Burkhardt* Mr. Cope, *organ* 

\*Please stand if you are able.



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## **SERMON NOTES**

Mark 3.6-21 "Coming to Jesus or Coming for Jesus"

# **Highlights**

## **NOVEMBER 8, 2020**

EVERYONE

WOMEN

### Welcome

Thank you for your flexibility week to week as we work to ensure the safety of our worshippers. We appreciate you wearing your mask while you are in the building and maintaining a 6-foot safe distance between parties. Reservations will open Monday at 7:00 a.m., and we are now offering childcare for ages 0-4 each week. If you develop any symptoms related to COVID-19, we ask that you abstain from joining us in person and worship with us online at *pcpc.org/live/*.

## Dr. Nathan Davy Organ Recital

Today

6:00 P.M. | SANCTUARY

Join us for an evening of music by Bach, Rachmaninov, Haydn, and more performed by our very own Dr. Nathan Davy. Also included will be an adaptation of Barber's famous *Adagio for Strings*. This event is free and open to the public, with masks/distancing. *pcpc.org/events/* 

## **Volunteer Opportunities**

There are many Thanksgiving and Christmas volunteer opportunities with PCPC Ministry Partners like Mercy Street, Vickery Trading Company, For the Nations, Voice of Hope and others! You can learn more by visiting *PCPC.org/volunteer* and typing in the keyword "holiday." Also available is a great opportunity to greet guests on Sunday mornings with our Frontline Ministry.

## Poinsettias in the Sanctuary

Each year, we extend the opportunity to purchase a poinsettia (\$11.00 each) in memory of or in honor of a friend or loved one. Poinsettia reservations are open and **run through Wednesday, November 25**.

pcpc.org/events/

MISSIONS

## Living on Mission Zoom Call

Sunday, November 15

6:30-8:00 P.M.

November's Zoom gathering will feature Ellen and Reid Porter, PCPC members and City Missionaries in Dallas. The Porters will share about their journey to becoming City Missionaries, their work with Advocates for Community Transformation and BraveLove. pcpc.org/events/

## The Bridge: What's Her Story?

Tuesday, November 10

7:00-8:00 P.M. | SANCTUARY

Join us for an evening with women of all ages to gather for fellowship and a story of God's powerful grace in the life of one of our PCPC women, Tracey Frattaroli. pcpc.org/events/

## **Advent Prayer**

Tuesday, December 1

7:00 P.M. | SANCTUARY

Come be a part of this incredible time to focus on our Savior's Incarnation through a short devotional and time of prayer. Please reserve your seat if you plan on attending in person. This event will also be live streamed.

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## **EXTEND CAMPUS PLAN**

For updates on EXTEND, please visit extend.pcpc.org/updates

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#### **General Fund**

 2020/2021 Operating Budget
 \$13,500,000

 July 1-November 1, 2020 Budget
 \$3,341,171

 July 1-November 1, 2020 Giving
 \$2,947,410

 Budget Variance
 -\$393,761