



*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

July 4, 2021

# ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

## Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00  
The Rev. Dr. Julian Russell 9:30/11:00

## The Prelude

8:00 "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" MELITA  
Stephen Nielson, *piano* arr. S. Nielson

9:30/11:00 "Amazing Grace" NEW BRITAIN  
Stephen Nielson, *piano* • Dr. Nathan Davy, *organ* arr. Nielson & Young

## \*Call to Worship

Mr. Williams 8:00  
Dr. Russell 9:30/11:00

Minister: God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

**People: Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way,**

Minister: Though the mountains be moved into the heart of the sea,

**People: Though its waters roar and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.**

Minister: "Be still, and know that I am God. I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth!"

**People: The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.**

from Psalm 46

## \*Hymn of Praise

"God of Our Fathers"

NATIONAL HYMN

No. 710 in the Trinity Hymnal

Please join in singing using the bulletin or the red Trinity Hymnal in the pew racks.



1. God of our fath - ers whose al-might-y hand
2. Thy love di - vine hath led us in the past;
3. From war's a - larms, from dead - ly pe - ti - lence,
4. Re - fresh Thy peo - ple on their toilsome way,



leads forth in beau - ty all the star - ry band  
in this free land by Thee our lot is cast;  
be Thy strong arm our ev - er - sure de - fense;  
lead us from night to nev - er - end - ing day;



of shin - ing worlds in splen - dor through the skies,  
be Thou our ru - ler, gaurd - ian, guide, and stay;  
Thy true re - li - gion in our hearts in - crease,  
fill all our lives with love and grace di - vine,



our grate - ful songs be - fore Thy throne a - rise.  
Thy Word our law, Thy paths our chos - en way.  
Thy boun - teous good - ness nour - ish us in peace.  
and glo - ry, laud, and praise be ev - er Thine.

**\*Prayer of Adoration**

Mr. Williams 8:00  
Dr. Russell 9:30/11:00

**\*Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Tommy Overton

**Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example,  
so that we might follow in His steps.  
He committed no sin,  
neither was deceit found in His mouth.  
When He was reviled, He did not revile in return;  
when He suffered, He did not threaten,  
but continued entrusting Himself to Him who judges justly.  
He Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree,  
that we might die to sin and live to righteousness.  
By His wounds we have been healed.**

based on 1 Peter 2.21-24



I will glo-ry in my Re - deem-er Whose price-less blood  
I will glo-ry in my Re - deem-er my life He bought,  
I will glo-ry in my Re - deem-er Who car - ries me



has ran-somed me. Mine was the sin that drove the bit-ter nails  
my love He owns. I have no long-ings for a - noth - er  
on ea - gle's wings. He crowns my life with lov - ing kind - ness,



and hung Him on that judg-ment tree. I will glo-ry in my Re-  
I'm sat - is - fied in Him a - lone. I will glo-ry in my Re-  
His tri - umph song I'll ev - er sing. I will glo-ry in my Re-



deem-er Who crushed the pow'r of sin and death; My on - ly  
deem-er His faith - ful - ness, my stand - ing place Though foes are  
deem-er Who waits for me at gates of gold And when He



Sav - ior be - fore the Ho - ly Judge, the Lamb who is my  
might-y and rush up - on me my feet are firm, held  
calls me it will be par - a - dise His face for - ev - er



right - eous - ness, the Lamb who is my right - eous - ness.  
by His grace, my feet are firm held by His grace.  
to be - hold, His face for - ev - er to be - hold.

Public Confession of Sin

Mr. Overton

Have mercy on me, O God,  
according to Your steadfast love;  
According to Your abundant mercy  
blot out my transgressions.  
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,  
and cleanse me from my sin!  
Against You, You only, have I sinned  
and done what is evil in Your sight,  
Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
and renew a right spirit within me.  
Cast me not away from Your presence,  
and take not Your Holy Spirit from me.  
Restore to me the joy of Your salvation  
and uphold me with a willing spirit.

from Psalm 51

Private Confession

## Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

Blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob,  
whose hope is in the LORD his God,  
who made heaven and earth,  
the sea, and all that is in them,  
who keeps faith forever;  
who executes justice for the oppressed,  
who gives food to the hungry.  
The LORD sets the prisoners free;  
the LORD opens the eyes of the blind.  
The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;  
the LORD loves the righteous.

Psalm 146.5-8

## Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

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

*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](http://pcpc.org/give) or text "give" to 214-997-9973.*

## Musical Offering

8:00	"Precious Lord, Take My Hand" Mr. Nielson, piano	PRECIOUS LORD arr. O. Young
9:30/11:00	"Forevermore" Alicia Iwema and Steve Williamson, vocalists • Mr. Nielson, piano	Travis Cottrell/Philip Keveren

## Extend Christ: Mission Dallas

9:30

## \*The Scripture Reading: Mark 10.32-52

Mr. Williams 8:00  
Dr. Russell 9:30/11:00

*And they were on the road, going up to Jerusalem, and Jesus was walking ahead of them. And they were amazed, and those who followed were afraid. And taking the twelve again, He began to tell them what was to happen to Him,*  
<sup>33</sup> *saying, "See, we are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be delivered over to the chief priests and the scribes, and they will condemn Him to death and deliver Him over to the Gentiles.*  
<sup>34</sup> *And they will mock Him and spit on Him, and flog Him and kill Him. And after three days He will rise."*  
<sup>35</sup> *And James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came up to Him and said to Him, "Teacher, we want You to do for us whatever we ask of You."*  
<sup>36</sup> *And He said to them, "What do you want Me to do for you?"*  
<sup>37</sup> *And they said to Him, "Grant us to sit, one at Your right hand and one at Your left, in Your glory."*  
<sup>38</sup> *Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or to be baptized with the baptism with which I am baptized?"*  
<sup>39</sup> *And they said to Him, "We are able." And Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink, and with the baptism with which I am baptized, you will be baptized,*  
<sup>40</sup> *but to sit at My right hand or at My left is not Mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."*

- <sup>41</sup> And when the ten heard it, they began to be indignant at James and John.  
<sup>42</sup> And Jesus called them to Him and said to them, "You know that those who are considered rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them.  
<sup>43</sup> But it shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant,  
<sup>44</sup> and whoever would be first among you must be slave of all.  
<sup>45</sup> For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many."  
<sup>46</sup> And they came to Jericho. And as He was leaving Jericho with His disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside.  
<sup>47</sup> And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"  
<sup>48</sup> And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!"  
<sup>49</sup> And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; He is calling you."  
<sup>50</sup> And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus.  
<sup>51</sup> And Jesus said to him, "What do you want Me to do for you?" And the blind man said to Him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight."  
<sup>52</sup> And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed Him on the way.

**The Sermon**

"The Cost of True Discipleship"

Mr. Williams 8:00  
 Dr. Russell 9:30/11:00

**\*Closing Hymn**

"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

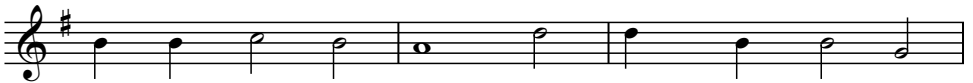
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Hymn No. 164 in the Trinity Hymnal

9:30/11:00



1. O for a thou - sand tongues to sing my  
 2. My gra - cious Mas - ter and my God, as -  
 3. Je - sus! the name that charms our fears, that  
 4. He breaks the pow'r of reign - ing sin, He  
 5. He speaks, and lis - t'ning to His voice, new  
 6. Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, your



great Re - deem - er's praise, the glo - ries of my  
 sist me to pro - claim, to spread through all the  
 bids our sor - rows cease, 'tis mu - sic in the  
 sets the pris - 'ner free; His blood can make the  
 life the dead re - ceive; the mourn - ful, bro - ken  
 loos - ened tongues em - ploy; ye blind, be - hold your



God and King, the \_\_\_ tri - umphs of His grace!  
 earth a - broad the \_\_\_ hon - ors of Thy name.  
 sin - ner's ears, 'tis \_\_\_ life, and health, and peace.  
 foul - est clean; His \_\_\_ blood a - vailed for me.  
 hearts re - joice; the \_\_\_ hum - ble poor be - lieve.  
 Sav - ior come, and \_\_\_ leap, ye lame, for joy.

**\*The Benediction**

Mr. Williams 8:00  
Dr. Russell 9:30/11:00

Minister: The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

Numbers 6.24-26

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

**Postlude**

9:30/11:00

“Grand Choeur Dialogue”  
Dr. Davy, organ

*Eugene Gigout*

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

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

*“... for dominion belongs to the LORD and  
He rules over the nations.” Psalm 22.28*

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

**SERMON NOTES**

Mark 10.32-52

“The Cost of True Discipleship”

# Highlights

JULY 4, 2021

EVERYONE

YOUNG FAMILIES

## Connections Card

Thanks for joining us today! We would love to help you get plugged in at PCPC. Please scan the QR code and fill out our Connections Card, so we can help you take your next step. We have wonderful community and ministry opportunities for everyone.



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## New Member Class

*Sundays, September 12-October 31*

9:30-10:40 A.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Is the Lord calling you to be a member of PCPC? Our New Member Class gives you the opportunity to explore that question as we discuss our church's beliefs, vision, and mission. Register online.

[pcpc.org/events](http://pcpc.org/events)

## Hymn Sing

*Today*

11:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M. | THE CHAPEL

If your Sunday Morning Community isn't meeting or if you just want to exercise your vocal cords, join us for a joyous all church Hymn Sing over the holiday weekend. All are welcome; no experience required!

## Summer Bible Conference

*Thursdays, July 8-29*

10:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for the Summer Bible Conference, hosted by the Senior Adults Ministry, where we will study the Bible's teaching about the Abrahamic faith in Genesis. Music will be provided by Stephen Nielson and a delicious Festive Kitchen lunch will follow the study, but you will need to make a reservation.

[jane.beasley@pcpc.org](mailto:jane.beasley@pcpc.org)

## First Fridays

*Sunday, July 18*

12:15 P.M. | KID'S CHAPEL

We are launching First Friday: Parent's Night Out for our PCPC member families with children with disability. Each child with disability and each of their siblings ages 3-18 will be paired with a buddy for the evening and enjoy special activities and programming. Please join us if you are a member who would be served by this ministry or a person who would like to volunteer to serve with us.

[jeanie.cox@pcpc.org](mailto:jeanie.cox@pcpc.org)

## Pop & Play, Share & Pray

*Wednesdays, July 7 & 21*

2:30-4:30 P.M. | PCPC GYM

Come enjoy bounce houses and basketball with your preschool and elementary students. Invitation is open to all young parents, and no RSVP is necessary.  
[jeanie.cox@pcpc.org](mailto:jeanie.cox@pcpc.org)

## Children's & Youth Choirs Begin

*Wednesday, September 15*

Weekly rehearsals for Children's and Youth choirs are back this fall!

*Carol Choir (grades K-1) / 4:30-5:15 p.m.*

*Chapel Choir (grades 2-4) / 4:30-5:30 p.m.*

*Covenant Choir (grades 5-8) / 5:00-6:00 p.m.*

Though we will not have a dedicated High School Ensemble this year, we would love for your high school aged singers to be involved in mentoring our younger choirs and occasionally joining our adult choir. Register at [pcpc.org/music/choirs](http://pcpc.org/music/choirs).

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## GENERAL FUND

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

July 1, 2020-June 27, 2021 Budget \$13,500,00

July 1, 2020-June 27, 2021 Giving \$12,838,187

Budget Variance -\$661,813