

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 August 29, 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. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

The Prelude

8:00 "All Glory Be to God on High" Stephen Nielson, *piano* J.S. Bach

9:30/11:00

"Allegro" from Sonata No. 6

G.F. Handel

*Call to Worship

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

Minister: You who fear the LORD, praise Him!

People: All you offspring of Jacob, glorify Him, and stand in awe of

Him, all you offspring of Israel!

Minister: For He has not despised or abhorred the affliction of the afflicted, **People:** and He has not hidden His face from him, but has heard, when

he cried to Him.

Minister: All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD, **People:** and all the families of the nations shall worship before You.

Psalm 22.23-24, 27

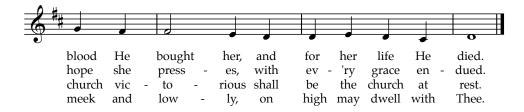
*Hymn of Praise

"The Church's One Foundation"

AURELIA

Hymn No. 347 in the Trinity Hymnal Please join in singing using the bulletin or the red Trinity Hymnal in the pew racks.





*Prayer of Adoration

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

*Profession of Faith

Mr. Williams 8:00 Nate Zugaro 9:30 Ellie Woodward 11:00

Leader: What is the chief end of man?

People: Man's chief end is to glorify God, and to enjoy Him forever.

Leader: What rule has God given to direct us how we may glorify and

enjoy Him?

People: The Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of

the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us

how we may glorify and enjoy Him.

Westminster Confession of Faith, Shorter Catechism, Questions 1 and 2



Public Confession of Sin

The Rev. Robby Higginbottom

O Lord God,

Who inhabits eternity,

the heavens declare Your glory,

the earth Your riches,

the universe is Your temple.

Your presence fills immensity,

yet You have of Your pleasure created life,

and communicated happiness.

In You I live and have my being;

I thank You for Your riches given to me in Jesus:

for the unclouded revelation of Him in Your Word.

Help me to feel a need of His continual saviorhood;

subdue in me the love of sin,

let me know the need of renovation as well as of forgiveness,

in order to serve and enjoy You forever.

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise Him, my salvation and my God. Psalm 43.5

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

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Higginbottom

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 or text "give" to 214-997-9973.

Musical Offering

8:00

"Christ Triumphant, Ever Reigning" Mr. Nielson, *piano*

John Barnard

9:30/11:00

"Psalm 86"

Carl Nygard

Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, conductor

Andrea Miller, soloist • Stephen Nielson, piano • Dr. Nathan Davy, organ

Hear my voice, O Lord, when I pray; hear my prayer when I cry from the lowly place; in Your mercy, Lord, let me stay; hear my voice, O Lord, when I pray. Hear my voice, O Lord, when I cry; hear my words when I call from the lowly place; I will pray, O Lord, lest I die. Hear my voice, O Lord, when I cry.

From the grave's descent You have taken me, when the men of the world have forsaken me. In my day of need and my time of grief, hear the prayer for my body and soul's relief.

In the morning, Lord, I will sing with a song that will rise from the holy place, and my praises, Lord, it will bring; in the morning, Lord, I will sing.

Alleluia. Amen.

Extend Christ: First Friday and Sunday Buddies

9:30/11:00

Michelle Scudder Leigh Johnson Becky Ellerman

*The Scripture Reading: Psalm 86

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

Incline Your ear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy.

- ² Preserve my life, for I am godly; save Your servant, who trusts in You—You are my God.
- ³ Be gracious to me, O Lord, for to You do I cry all the day.
- ⁴ Gladden the soul of your servant, for to You, O Lord, do I lift up my soul.
- ⁵ For You, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon You.
- ⁶ Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer; listen to my plea for grace.
- ⁷ In the day of my trouble I call upon You, for You answer me.
- ⁸ There is none like You among the gods, O Lord, nor are there any works like Yours.
- ⁹ All the nations You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord, and shall glorify Your name.
- ¹⁰ For You are great and do wondrous things; You alone are God.
- ¹¹ Teach me Your way, O LORD, that I may walk in Your truth; unite my heart to fear Your name.
- ¹² I give thanks to You, O Lord my God, with my whole heart, and I will glorify Your name forever.
- For great is Your steadfast love toward me; You have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.
- ¹⁴ O God, insolent men have risen up against me; a band of ruthless men seeks my life, and they do not set You before them.
- ¹⁵ But You, O Lord, are a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.
- ¹⁶ Turn to me and be gracious to me; give Your strength to Your servant, and save the son of Your maidservant.
- ¹⁷ Show me a sign of Your favor, that those who hate me may see and be put to shame because You, LORD, have helped me and comforted me.

The Sermon

"Courage from Communion with God"

Mr. Williams 8:00 Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00 Be still, my soul: the Lord is on your side; Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain; Leave to your God to order and provide; In ev'ry change He faithful will remain. Be still, my soul: your best, your heav'nly Friend Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.



Be still, my soul: the hour is hast'ning on When we shall be forever with the Lord, When disappointment, grief, and fear are gone, Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored. Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past, All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

*The Benediction

Mr. Williams 8:00 Mr. Davis 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

"All Creatures of Our God and King" arr. William Faulkes

Dr. Davy, organ

*Please stand if you are able.

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God. I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth. Psalm 34.1

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

Psalm 86 "Courage from Communion with God"

AUGUST 29, 2021

Highlights

EVERYONE

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

ABIDE IN CHRIST

Sovereign God **Daily Prayer Guide**

Our fall prayer guide will help us abide in Christ through prayer and God's Word. The Psalms, 1 & 2 Kings, and Daniel will be our daily readings. This guide will only be available on the new PCPC mobile app and PCPC website. Download the app today pcpc.org/resources/pcpc-app/.

Essential Paths

The Words of Life: Reading the Bible with Christ at the Center

Wednesdays, Beginning September 15 6:45 P.M. | CHAPEL OR ZOOM

Sundays, Beginning September 19

11:00 A.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us as we explore the riches of the Bible from Genesis to Revelation, and see how all Scripture points to Jesus Christ. This is the first course in our new Essential Paths series of discipleship courses. Space is limited. Registration required.

pcpc.org/essential-paths

EXTEND CHRIST

Volunteer Opportunities

We have volunteer opportunities available in PCPC Kids, Ushers, and our Frontline Ministries. Find out more on our app or at pcpc.org/volunteer/.

CONNECT

Pregame Saturday & **Promotion Sunday**

September 11-12

How about a PCPC Kids back to school celebration with music, fun, and a pizza tailgate on Saturday, September 11, from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at PCPC? And then all PCPC Kids from birth to 4th grade will promote to new classrooms on Sunday, September 12. Don't miss it! pcpc.org/events

2021 Fall Guide

Pick up a 2021 Fall Guide in the Grand Hall Information Center or on the new PCPC app and then register for Men, Women, Couples, and Youth Bible Studies, Special Events, and Classes that kickoff the week of September 12. Join us as we Connect to Christ & One Another, Abide in Christ, and Extend Christ this fall.

pcpc.org/events

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GENERAL FUND

2021/2022 Operating Budget \$14,200,000 July 1, 2021-August 22, 2021 Budget \$1,447,049 July 1, 2021-August 22, 2021 Giving \$1,286,056 **Budget Variance** -\$160,993