



*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

April 3, 2022

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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

Fifth Sunday of Lent

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00
The Rev. Paul Goebel 9:30/11:00

*Call to Worship

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

Minister: I will extol You, O LORD, for you have drawn me up
and have not let my foes rejoice over me.

**People: O LORD my God, I cried to You for help,
and You have healed me.**

Minister: O LORD, You have brought up my soul from Sheol;

**People: You restored me to life from among those who go down
to the pit.**

Minister: You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; You have
loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness,

**People: that my glory may sing Your praise and not be silent.
O LORD my God, I will give thanks to You forever!**

Psalm 30.1-3, 11-12

*Hymn of Praise

“Holy God, We Praise Your Name”

GROSSER GOTT

1. Ho - ly God, we praise Your name; Lord of all, — we
2. Hark, the loud ce - les - tial hymn an - gel choirs a -
3. Lo! the ap - os - tol - ic train join Your sa - cred
4. Ho - ly Fa - ther, Ho - ly Son, Ho - ly Spir - it,

bow be - fore You; all on earth Your scep - ter claim,
bove are rais - ing; cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim
name to hal - low; proph - ets swell the glad re - frain,
Three we name You; while in es - sence on - ly One,

all in heav'n a - bove a - dore You. In - fi - nite — Your
 in un - ceas - ing cho - rus prais - ing, fill the heav'ns with
 and the white - robed mar - tyrs fol - low; and from morn to
 un - di - vid - ed God we claim You, and a - dor - ing

vast do - main, ev - er - last - ing is — Your reign.
 sweet ac - cord: "Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord."
 set of sun, through the church the song goes on.
 bend the knee, while we sing — this mys - ter - y.

***Prayer of Adoration**

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

***Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Robby Higginbottom

Minister: What is your only comfort in life and in death?

People: **That I belong—**

body and soul,

in life and in death—

not to myself,

but to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ,

who at the cost of His own blood

has fully paid for all my sins

and has completely freed me from the dominion of the devil;

that He protects me so well

that without the will of my Father in heaven

not a hair can fall from my head;

indeed, that everything must fit His purpose for my salvation.

Therefore, by His Holy Spirit,

He also assures me of eternal life,

and makes me wholeheartedly willing

and ready from now on to live for Him.

Heidelberg Catechism, Question 1



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.

Public Confession of Sin

Mr. Higginbottom

**O most mighty God, and merciful Father,
 who has compassion upon all people,
 and who wills not the death of a sinner,
 but rather that he should turn from his sin,
 and be saved;
 mercifully forgive us our trespasses;
 receive and comfort us.
 Your disposition is always to have mercy;
 it is Your character to forgive sins.
 Spare us therefore, good Lord,
 spare Your people, whom You have redeemed;
 enter not into judgment with Your servants;
 but so turn Your anger from us,
 who meekly acknowledge our transgressions,
 and truly repent of our faults,
 and so make haste to help us in this world,
 that we may ever live with You in the world to come;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

For the LORD will not forsake His people; He will not abandon His heritage; for justice will return to the righteous, and all the upright in heart will follow it.

Psalm 94.14-15

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

Musical Meditation

“Gweedore Brea”

John Crowther

9:30/11:00

Elisabeth Adkins, violin • J. Marty Cope, piano

*I lift up my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?
My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth.*

Psalm 121.1-2

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Higginbottom

*In addition to giving via passed offering plates, you are also welcome
to give online at pcpc.org/give or text “give” to 214-997-9973.*

Musical Offering

8:00

“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”
Stephen Nielson, piano

PASSION CHORALE
arr. S. Nielson

9:30/11:00

“Shepherd of My Heart”
Covenant Choir and Chancel Choir

Francis O'Brien

Katie Haring, conductor • Elisabeth Adkins, violin • Nathan Davy, piano

*My Shepherd is the Lord, for nothing shall I want; green are the pastures where
I'm led to repose. Near waters still and deep God will refresh my soul. I am
led onward in ways true to the Name.*

*Guide me, O Shepherd of my heart; lead me homeward through the dark, into
everlasting. Show me the way of truth and light; keep me always in Your
sight. May my life never part from the Shepherd of my heart.*

*If I should walk one day into the vale of darkness, no evil shall I fear with God
at my side. There with Your crook and staff You give me strength and com-
fort; You spread a banquet in the sight of my foes.*

*You anoint my head with oil; my cup is overflowing; goodness and kindness
crown the days of my life. Within the Lord's own house I dwell in peace
forever; within the house of God my soul is at rest.*

Extending the Kingdom: Family Ministry Volunteer Recognition

9:30/11:00

*Seeing the crowds, He went up on the mountain, and when He sat down,
His disciples came to Him.*

² *And He opened His mouth and taught them, saying:*

³ *“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven.*

⁴ *“Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.*

⁵ *“Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.*

⁶ *“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall
be satisfied.*

⁷ *“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.*

⁸ *“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.*

⁹ *“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.*

¹⁰ *“Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is
the Kingdom of heaven.*

¹¹ *“Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds
of evil against you falsely on My account.*

¹² *Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted
the prophets who were before you.*

The Sermon

“Those Who Mourn”

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

Worshippers at 9:30/11:00, 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!

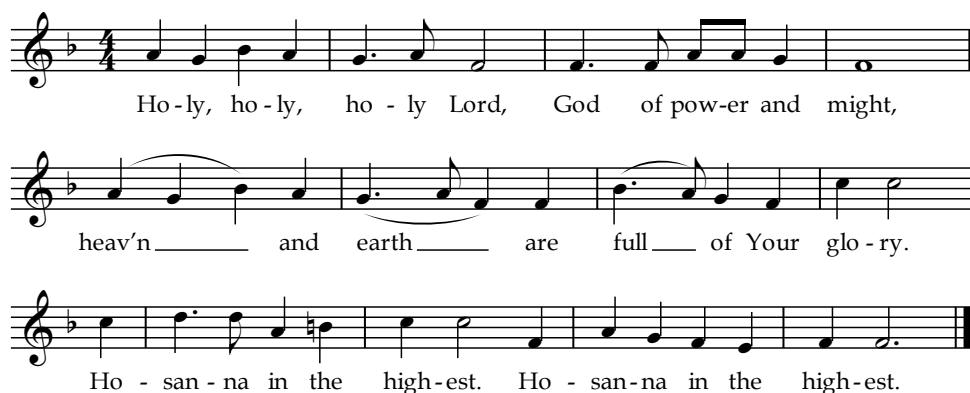
People: We lift them up to the Lord!

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:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of Your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

***The Words of Institution 8:00**

Communion 8:00

Please come forward down the center aisle, row by row. After receiving the elements packet from the elder, please return to your seat via the side aisle with the packet. After everyone has been served, you will be instructed by the pastor and all will partake together.

*Closing Hymn Medley

“Be Still, My Soul”
“He Will Hold Me Fast”

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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.



When I fear my faith will fail, Christ will hold me fast;
Those He saves are His de - light, Christ will hold me fast;
For my life He bled and died, Christ will hold me fast;



When the tempt-er would pre - vail, He will hold me fast.
Pre - cious in His ho - ly sight, He will hold me fast.
Just - ice has been sat - is - fied; He will hold me fast.



I could nev-er keep my hold through life's fear-ful path;
He'll not let my soul be lost; His prom - is - es shall last;
Raised with Him to end-less life, He will hold me fast



for my love is oft - en cold; He must hold me fast. —
bought by Him at such a cost, He will hold me fast. —
'Till our faith is turned to sight, when He comes at last! —

Refrain



He will hold me fast, He will hold me fast;



for my Sav-ior loves me so, He will hold me fast.

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**

Minister: Now may the Father who chose you, the Son who bought you, the Spirit who dwells in you, go before you in your darkness, stand beside you in your fears, hold you up in your sorrows, until Jesus comes.
Dale Ralph Davis

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

8:00 "Now Thank We All Our God" *NUN DANKET*
Mr. Nielson, *piano*

9:30/11:00 "Voluntary on the Old 100th" *Henry Purcell*
Dr. Davy, *organ*

**Please stand if you are able.*

The flowers in our worship service this morning are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Anne Marie Morris by her son Jim Morris and his wife and children.



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

Matthew 5.1-12
“Those Who Mourn”

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The following questions help us dialog with the sermon, music, and liturgy in this morning's worship service. Together, these elements provide space for reflection and prayer during personal devotions, group studies, and family worship.

1. How does our modern culture think of mourning? How is this different than the way Jesus describes mourning in the Beatitudes?
2. How have you experienced grief? Where have you seen God in the midst of your grief?
3. Where do we see Jesus mourn in the Bible? What does this teach us about mourning and grief?
4. What does it mean to mourn our sin? How is mourning our sin different than shame?
5. What does mourning have to do with repentance?
6. How does Jesus give us comfort?
7. Where do you go for comfort? How are these comforts different than the comfort that Jesus gives?
8. How is the comfort of Jesus both a future promise and a present reality?

Highlights

APRIL 3, 2022

What's Next?

We have friendly faces waiting to help you connect to Christ and one another at PCPC just as you exit the front of the Sanctuary. Look for the Connect banner on your way to the Grand Hall. We would also love to help you abide in and extend Christ. You can find out more at the Information Center in the Grand Hall.

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.

connect@pcpc.org



Provide & Protect III

Today

4:00 - 5:30 P.M. | OAK LAWN WEST

Come join Keith Waggoner of Excellence in Giving for a discussion on how to be more confident in your ability to evaluate ministries and avoid common giving mistakes so you can experience the full joy of giving!

RSVP to elizabeth.chandler@pcpc.org

Helping Hands

April 9

8:00 - 1:00 P.M. | OAK LAWN WEST

Be the hands and feet of Jesus by helping single moms, widows/ers, senior adults, and those with chronic illness by doing odd jobs (light repairs, maintenance, and minor jobs) around their homes. pcpc.org/events

Holy Week at PCPC

PALM SUNDAY SERVICES

APRIL 10 (8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 A.M.)

FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE

APRIL 10 (4:00 P.M.)

NOONDAY SERVICES

APRIL 11-15 (12-NOON)

MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE

APRIL 14 (7:00 P.M.)

SONG & STORY

APRIL 15 (10:30 A.M.)

EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES

APRIL 17 (8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 A.M.)

pcpc.org/holyweek

Faith & Culture: Media and Technology

April 19

7:00 - 9:00 P.M.

We invite you to hear Randall Stephenson, retired Executive Chairman and CEO of AT&T, share where we've come from, where we are, and where technology is headed. Don't miss his insights about being wise with the technology we have at our fingertips.

pcpc.org/faithandculture

Family Legacy Food Packing

April 23

9:00 - 11:00 A.M. OR 10:30 - 12:30 P.M.

We are looking for 250 volunteers to help package 100,000 nutritional meals for children in Zambia. Take advantage of this opportunity to Extend Christ through serving. pcpc.org/events

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GENERAL FUND

2021/2022 Operating Budget	\$14,200,000
Jul 1, 2021-Mar 27, 2022 Budget	\$11,279,840
Jul 1, 2021-Mar 27, 2022 Giving	\$12,828,513
Budget Variance	\$1,548,673