

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Ron Williams 8:00

The Rev. Mark Davis 9:30/11:00

The Prelude

8:00

“Morning Has Broken”
Stephen Nielson, *piano*

BUNESSAN

9:30/11:00

“Lux aeterna”
Lucas Aleman, *violin* • J. Marty Cope, *piano* • Nathan Davy, *organ*

Nadia Boulanger

*Call to Worship

Mr. Williams 8:00

Mr. Davis 9:30/11:00

Minister: You are He who took me from the womb;

People: You made me trust You at my mother’s breasts.

Minister: On You was I cast from my birth,

People: and from my mother’s womb You have been my God.

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.**

Minister: For kingship belongs to the LORD,

People: and He rules over the nations.

Psalm 22.9-10, 27-28

*Hymn

“Now Thank We All Our God”

NUN DANKET

Hymn No. 98 in the Trinity Hymnal



1. Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and
2. O may this boun - teous God through all our life be
3. All praise and thanks to God the Fa - ther now be



voic - es, who won-drous things hath done, in whom His world re-
near us, with ev - er - joy - ful hearts and bless - ed peace to
giv - en, the Son, and Him who reigns with them in high - est



joic - es; who from our moth-er's arms, hath blessed us on our
cheer us; and keep us in His grace, and guide us when per-
heav - en; the one e - ter - nal God, whom earth and heav'n a -



way with count-less gifts of love, and still is ours to - day.
plexed, and free us from all ills in this world and the next.
dore; for thus it was, is now, and shall be ev - er - more.

*Prayer of Adoration

*Profession of Faith

The Rev. Bill Lamberth

The Lord Jesus,

by His perfect obedience and sacrifice of Himself—

which He through the eternal Spirit once offered up to God—

has fully satisfied the justice of His Father.

He purchased not only reconciliation

but also an everlasting inheritance

in the Kingdom of heaven

for all those whom the Father has given to Him.

Westminster Confession, Chapter VIII, Section 5



1. I watched my Sav-ior bleed a-way; sin nailed Him to a
 2. Three days then passed of ut-ter doubt; what good comes from the
 3. New life dawns in the Eas-ter light; He lives with-in my
 4. That mer-cy like a might-y man fought Sa-tan for my
 5. Sure grace now seals my heart to Christ, His blood has claimed my



cross. The sky turned black, though it was day; all
 dead? The an-swer came with an-gel shout, "He a-
 heart. The pow'r I need for dai-ly life, His
 soul; E'en heav-en turned its face a-way, so
 soul. Full vic-t'ry won by sac-ri-fice, has



thought His cause was lost. They put Him in a sin-ner's
 rose just as He said!" The stone was moved; my Lord was
 Spi-rit does im-part. The hand that nailed Him to the
 aw-ful was the toll; But— Love Di-vine en-dured the
 made my spir-it whole. No long-er can— I doubt His



tomb, and sealed it with a stone. My hope de-
 gone, a-lone with all my sin. My hope a-
 cross, now clasps the One once pierced. The beast that
 pain, His pas-sion was for me; For on His
 love, nor ques-tion Heav-en's plan. King Je-sus



scend-ed in that grave, all earth-ly plans un-done.
 scend-ed with the Son; now I be-lieve in Him.
 scourged His back and scoffed knows mer-cy e'en more fierce.
 cross He hung my crimes, and bled to set— me free.
 lives and so shall I, en-throned at God's right hand.

Sacrament of Baptism

8:00/9:30/11:00

Parental Vows

1. Do you acknowledge your children's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do you claim God's covenant promises on their behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation, as you do for your own?
3. Do you now unreservedly dedicate your children to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before them a godly example, that you will pray with and for them, that you will teach them the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?

Congregational Vow

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting these parents in the Christian nurture of their children?

8:00

Harrison Alexander Iwema
Eliza Michelle Iwema

9:30

Mary Mills Koons
Parks Daniel Mullen
Adeline Woods Petty
Hannah Marie Schueneman

11:00

Dawson William Feste
Wynn McCue Hudnut
Micah Jacob Smith
Finley Harrison Thicksten

Prayer for the Families

*Hymn

8:00/9:30/11:00

“Jesus Loves Me, This I Know”

JESUS LOVES ME

Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so;
Little ones to Him belong, they are weak but He is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Public Confession of Sin

Mr. Lamberth

**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

But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:21-23

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

Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Lamberth

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 "Children of the Heavenly Father" TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA
Mr. Nielson, piano

9:30/11:00 "Jesus Loves Me" arr. Ferguson
Chancel Choir • Stephen Nielson, piano • J. Marty Cope, conductor

Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so; little ones to Him belong, they are weak, but He is strong.

Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so. Jesus loves me, He who died heaven's gate to open wide; He will wash away my sin, let His little child come in.

Jesus loves me, He will stay close beside me all the way. He calls children to His side, saying, "Come with Me abide."

*The Scripture Reading: Matthew 5:1-12

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.*

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 down the center aisle to the front of the chapel two rows at a time to receive the elements, and partake of each element upon receiving it. Return to your seat by way of the side aisles with your empty cup.

***Closing Hymn**

“His Mercy Is More”

Boswell/Papa



What love could re - mem - ber no wrongs we have done; om -
What pa - tience would wait as we con - stant - ly roam; what
What rich - es of kind - ness He la - vished on us; His



ni - cient, all kno - wing, He counts not their sum. Thrown
Fa - ther, so ten - der, is call - ing us home. He
blood was the pay - ment, His life was the cost. We



in - to a sea with - out bot - tom or shore;
wel - comes the weak - est, the vil - est, the poor; —
stood 'neath a debt we could ne - ver af - ford; —



our sins they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is more. Praise the Lord! —



His mer - cy is more. _____ Stron - ger than dark - ness, new ev' - ry



morn; our sins they are ma - ny, His mer - cy is more.

***The Benediction**

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!**

Postlude

8:00

“Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It!”
Mr. Nielson, piano

ADA
arr. S. Nielson

9:30/11:00

“Toccatà”
Dr. Davy, organ

John Weaver

**Please stand if you are able.*

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

I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth.

3 John 1.4

The flowers in the narthex this morning are given to the glory of God and in memory and honor of Marvin C. "Cub" Culbertson, Jr. by his family.



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

*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.*

SERMON NOTES

Matthew 5.1-12
“Have Mercy”

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. What is mercy?
2. What is the difference between mercy and grace?
3. What examples of mercy have you received?
4. What are your favorite examples of mercy in Scripture? Why?
5. Where is it hard for you to show mercy? Why?
6. How can we grow in showing mercy?
7. How will you seek to show mercy this week?

Highlights

MAY 8, 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. Download the free PCPC mobile app to explore more.

Connections Card

Thanks for joining us today! Whether you are a guest or a long-time member, please scan the QR code and fill out our Connections Card, so we can know you were here and help you connect with PCPC.

connect@pcpc.org



Happy Mother's Day!

Mother's Day is a day the nation sets aside to honor moms. Hopefully, you can call, write, or even visit your mom in person today and honor her for the years she spent raising and caring for you. For many, though, Mother's Day is hard because it stirs up sadness due to the loss of a child, mother, or a strained relationship. Our hope is that you can honor your mother today while remembering and praising God our Father for His love, comfort, and faithfulness. "The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Your faithfulness."

–Lamentations 3:22-23

PCPC Women – Redeeming Talk

Join us May 11–June 1 for teaching and talking about this transformation as we look at several passages of God's Word together! Early Morning Bible Study meets at 7:00 a.m., and Maymester meets at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesdays.

pcpc.org/women

All-Church Prayer

May 22

4:00 P.M. | SANCTUARY

Whether you have a prayer of praise, request, emotional, relational, or spiritual need, come to be prayed with by one of our elders or pastors.

This Week

MAY 13 AT 12-NOON | Senior Adult Luncheon with Dr. Hal Habecker (Classroom A9)

MAY 15 AT 9:30 A.M. | High School Senior Sunday (Sanctuary and lunch)

MAY 15 AT 12:30 P.M. | Intentional Christian Grandparenting with Dr. Tim Kimmel (Oak Lawn West)

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2021/2022 Operating Budget	\$14,200,000
Jul 1, 2021–May 1, 2022 Budget	\$12,482,427
Jul 1, 2021–May 1, 2022 Giving	\$14,212,428
Budget Variance	\$1,730,001