

*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

May 5, 2024

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

May 5, 2024

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

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Mark Davis

*Call to Worship

Minister: Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel!

People: Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem!

Minister: The Lord has taken away the judgments against you; He has cleared away your enemies.

People: The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil.

Minister: The Lord your God is in your midst,

People: a Mighty One who will save;

Minister: He will rejoice over you with gladness; He will quiet you by His love;

People: He will exult over you with loud singing. Zephaniah 3.14-15, 17

*Easter Hymn of Praise

“I Know That My Redeemer Lives—Glory, Hallelujah!” *SHOUT ON*

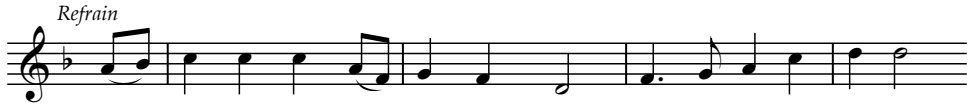
Hymn No. 281 in the Trinity Hymnal



1. I know that my Re - deem - er lives— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
2. He lives, He lives, who once was dead— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
3. He lives to bless me with His love— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
4. He lives, all glo - ry to His name!— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!



What com - fort this sweet sen - tence gives— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
He lives, my ev - er - last - ing Head— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
He lives to plead for me a - bove— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!
He lives, my Je - sus, still the same— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!



Shout on, pray on, we're gain-ing ground— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!



The dead's a - live and the lost is found— glo - ry, hal - le - lu - jah!

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Matt Fray

Have this mind among yourselves,
which is yours in Christ Jesus,
who, though He was in the form of God,
did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped,
but emptied Himself,
by taking the form of a servant,
being born in the likeness of men.

And being found in human form,
He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death,
even death on a cross.

Therefore God has highly exalted Him
and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name,
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:5-11

*Hymn

"I Watched My Savior"

KINGSFOLD

8:00: Stanzas 1-5

words by Bryan Chapell

9:30/11:00: Stanzas 1-4



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 - long 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.

Recognition of New Members

9:30/11:00

Sacrament of Baptism

9:30

Jacob Michael Brown
Ethan Atwood Cherry
Emily Grace Chung
Sarah Sison Chung
Emma Lane Spicer

*Hymn

“I Watched My Savior”
9:30/11:00: Stanza 5

KINGSFOLD

Public Confession of Sin

Mr. Fray

O Lord God, who inhabits eternity,
the heavens declare Your glory,
the earth Your riches,
the universe is Your temple;
I thank You for Your riches given to me in Jesus:
for the unclouded revelation of Him in Your Word,
where I behold His person, character, grace, glory,
humiliation, sufferings, death, and resurrection.
I come to You in the all-prevailing Name of Jesus,
with nothing of my own to plead,
no works, no worthiness, no promises.
I am often straying, often knowingly opposing Your authority,
often abusing Your goodness.
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.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last He will stand upon the earth. And after my skin has been thus destroyed, yet in my flesh I shall see God.

Job 19.25-26

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

Musical Acclamation

“Gweedore Brae”

John Crowther

9:30/11:00

Lucas Aleman, *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. Fray

*In addition to giving via passed offering plates, you are also welcome
to give online at pcpc.org/give or text “give” to 214-833-7724.*

Musical Offering

8:00

“Deck Thyself, My Soul, with Gladness”
Mary Preston, *organ*

Johannes Brahms

9:30/11:00

“Sanctus” from *Requiem*

Gabriel Fauré

Chancel Choir • Stephen Nielson, *piano* • Lucas Aleman, *violin*

Nathan Davy, *organ* • J. Marty Cope, *conductor*

*Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth. Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.
Hosanna in excelsis.*

Holy, Lord God of hosts. Full are the heavens and the earth of Your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.

***The Doxology**

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all bless-ings flow; praise Him, all crea-tures
here be - low; praise Him a - bove ye heav'n - ly host:
praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

*During the 9:30 service, 1st and 2nd graders may exit at this time using the doors at the front-right of the Sanctuary to meet their teachers for Worship Explorers. **Children must be checked-in and have a nametag.** A check-in kiosk is available in the hallway outside the Sanctuary doors.*

***The Scripture Reading: Revelation 19.11-21**

Mr. Davis 8:00

Jenny and Tim Martin 9:30/11:00

Home Church Missionaries to Japan

Then I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse! The One sitting on it is called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war.

¹² *His eyes are like a flame of fire, and on His head are many diadems, and He has a name written that no one knows but Himself.*

¹³ *He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and the Name by which He is called is The Word of God.*

¹⁴ *And the armies of heaven, arrayed in fine linen, white and pure, were following Him on white horses.*

¹⁵ *From His mouth comes a sharp sword with which to strike down the nations, and He will rule them with a rod of iron. He will tread the winepress of the fury of the wrath of God the Almighty.*

¹⁶ *On His robe and on His thigh He has a Name written, King of kings and Lord of lords.*

¹⁷ *Then I saw an angel standing in the sun, and with a loud voice he called to all the birds that fly directly overhead, “Come, gather for the great supper of God,*

¹⁸ *to eat the flesh of kings, the flesh of captains, the flesh of mighty men, the flesh of horses and their riders, and the flesh of all men, both free and slave, both small and great.”*

¹⁹ *And I saw the beast and the kings of the earth with their armies gathered to make war against Him who was sitting on the horse and against His army.*

²⁰ *And the beast was captured, and with it the false prophet who in its presence had done the signs by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast and those who worshiped its image. These two were thrown alive into the lake of fire that burns with sulfur.*

²¹ *And the rest were slain by the sword that came from the mouth of Him who was sitting on the horse, and all the birds were gorged with their flesh.*

Sermon

“The Rider on the White Horse”

Mr. Davis

Worshippers at 9:30 and 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!

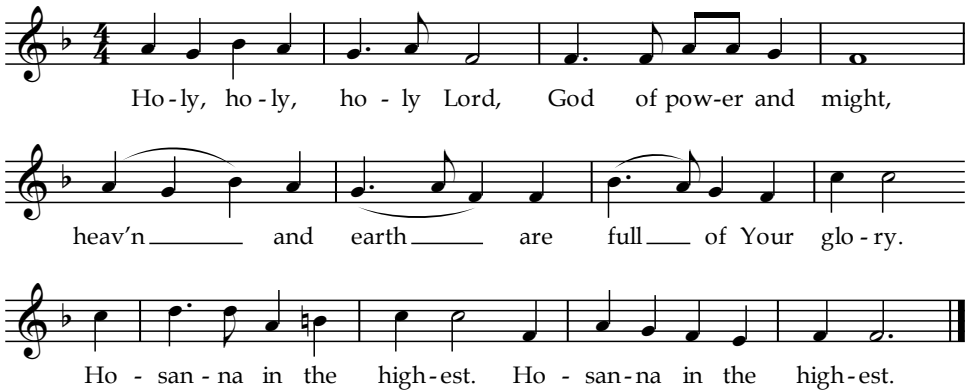
People: We lift them up to the Lord!

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**

*Please remain seated.
You will be served by your elders, and we will all partake
together when so instructed by the pastor.
(The bread being served is gluten free.)*

***Closing Hymn**

“Look, Ye Saints, the Sight Is Glorious”

REGENT SQUARE



1. Look, ye saints, the sight is glo - rious: see the Man of
2. Crown the Sav - ior, an - gels, crown Him; rich the tro - phies
3. Sin - ners in de - ri - sion crowned Him, mock - ing thus the
4. Hark! those bursts of ac - cla - ma - tion! Hark! those loud tri -



Sor - rows now; from the fight re - turned vic - to - rious,
Je - sus brings; in the seat of pow'r en - throne Him,
Sav - ior's claim; saints and an - gels crowd a - round Him,
um - phant chords! Je - sus takes the high - est sta - tion;



ev - 'ry knee to Him shall bow. Crown Him! Crown Him!
while the vault of heav - en rings. Crown Him! Crown Him!
own His ti - tle, praise His name. Crown Him! Crown Him!
O what joy the sight af - fords! Crown Him! Crown Him!



Crown Him! Crown Him! Crowns be - come the Vic - tor's brow.
Crown Him! Crown Him! Crown the Sav - ior King of kings.
Crown Him! Crown Him! Spread a - broad the Vic - tor's fame!
Crown Him! Crown Him! King of kings and Lord of lords.

***The Benediction**

Minister: May the Lord answer you in the day of trouble! May the name of the God of Jacob protect you! May He send you help from the sanctuary and give you support from Zion! May He grant you your heart's desire and fulfill all your plans!

May we shout for joy over your salvation, and in the name of our God set up our banners!

Psalm 20.1-2, 4-5a

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

The Postlude

8:00 "Fuga in G" from *Concerto per la Chiesa* Georg Philipp Telemann
Mrs. Preston, organ

9:30/11:00 "Fanfare" Jacques Lemmens
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 He who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new."
Also He said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true."*

Revelation 21.5

**Park Cities Presbyterian Church exists to extend the
transforming presence of the Kingdom of our
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SERMON NOTES

Revelation 19.11-21

“The Rider on the White Horse”

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The following questions help us engage with the sermon, music, and liturgy in this morning's worship service, and may be useful during personal devotions, group studies, and family worship.

1. Take time to unpack the various descriptions of Christ Jesus in 19:11-21. Ask the Holy Spirit to impress upon you the awesome wonder of who Jesus is. What stands out to you about these descriptions of Jesus?
2. What does the "White Horse" symbolize?
3. What is significant about the "Word of God" and "The sharp sword?"
4. How should we respond to the name "King of kings and Lord of lords?"
5. What is significant about the "the great supper of God" (19.17-18) compared to the "marriage supper of the Lamb" (19.9)?
6. What goes through your heart and mind as you read about this final battle and how Christ conquers His enemies?

Highlights

MAY 5, 2024

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.

Connection Card

Thanks for joining us today! If you are new or looking to connect at our church, please scan the QR code and fill out our Connection Card, so we can know you were here and help you connect.

pcpc.org/connect



Missionary Luncheon

Today

12:30 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

We invite you to hear about the Kingdom work of Jenny & Tim Martin in Japan with Christ Bible Institute (CBI) & TEAM. Lunch will be provided, donations appreciated.

Women's Early Morning Bible Study & Maymester

Wednesdays beginning May 8

7:00 A.M. (ROOM 9) OR 10:00 A.M. (THE LOFT)

Does unexpected change drive you crazy? Join our 4-week course looking to the Bible for stability and guidance from the One who constantly renews and yet does not change.

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Sinclair Ferguson

May 12

9:30 & 11:00 A.M. WORSHIP | SANCTUARY

PCPC welcomes Sinclair Ferguson, a native of Scotland, minister, theologian, professor, author, and host of the *Things Unseen* podcast.

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Faith & Culture: David Gibson

May 13

7:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Minister and author David Gibson from Trinity Church in Aberdeen, Scotland, will speak on the witness of the local church in a post-Christian culture.

pcpc.org/faithandculture

Congregational Meeting

June 2

The Session has approved a Congregational Meeting, on Sunday, June 2, during the 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. services, for the purpose of electing elders for the Class of 2028 and deacons. The ordination and installation will be held on Sunday, August 25, during the 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. services. Recommendations for the next class begin today (through June 2) and can be submitted on the website or on forms at the Information Center in the Grand Hall.

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[recommendations.pcpc.org](https://pcpc.org/recommendations)

Special Events

Prayer for Ukraine

MAY 7 | 7:30 P.M. | ZOOM

Senior Adult Book Review

MAY 10 | 10:30 A.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL C

Poetry, Jazz, & Compline

MAY 19 | 6:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

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2023/2024 Operating Budget	\$15,925,000
Jul 1, 2023–Apr 28, 2024 Budget	\$13,667,466
Jul 1, 2023–Apr 28, 2024 Giving	\$14,257,556
Budget Variance	\$590,089