

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 June 2, 2024

## ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

June 2, 2024 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

#### Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Mark Davis

#### The Prelude

8:00

"God Is Here!" Stephen Nielson, *piano* 

ABOTS LEIGH

9:30/11:00

"Processional"

J. Marty Cope, organ

William Mathias

#### \*Call to Worship

Minister: All Your works shall give thanks to You, O LORD,

People: and all Your saints shall bless You!

Minister: They shall speak of the glory of Your Kingdom

People: and tell of Your power,

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Minister: to make known to the children of man Your mighty deeds,

People: and the glorious splendor of Your Kingdom.

Minister: Your Kingdom is an everlasting Kingdom,

People: and Your dominion endures throughout all generations.

Psalm 145.10-13

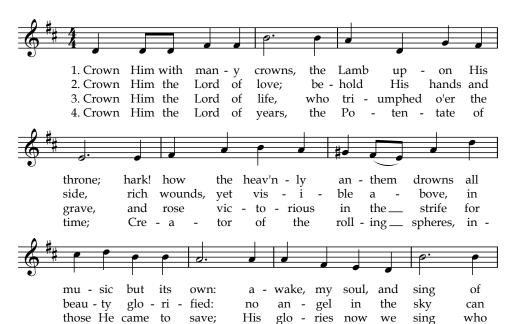
\*Hymn of Praise "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Hymn No. 295 in the Trinity Hymnal

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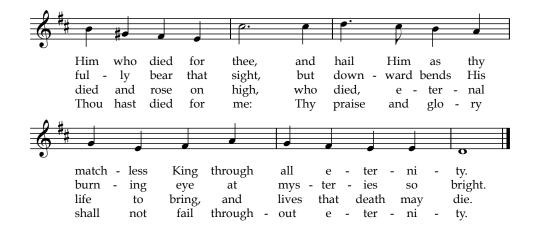
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#### \*Prayer of Adoration

#### \*Profession of Faith

The Rev. Sam Leopold

I believe that the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who out of nothing created heaven and earth and everything in them, who still upholds and rules them by His eternal counsel and providence, is my God and Father because of Christ His Son.

I trust Him so much that I do not doubt He will provide whatever I need for body and soul, and He will turn to my good whatever adversity He sends me in this sad world.

He is able to do this because He is almighty God;

He desires to do this because He is a faithful Father.

from Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A 26

**Extend Christ: Short Term Trip Commissioning** 

9:30/11:00

The Rev. Sam Leopold Dr. Michael A. Skinner



#### **Public Confession of Sin**

Mr. Leopold

We praise You, O God of light,

that in You there is no darkness at all.

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Illumine our lives with Your Word of truth,

that we might know ourselves and see our great need for You.

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We are afraid to be seen as we really are,

and yet, O God, You know us through and through.

Help me to see again that Jesus died for all of my sin, even those which I don't want to let go.

Impress upon me that since I have been crucified with Christ, that I am dead to my sin.

How can I go on living in it?

Lord, I cry out to You in my need.

Be pleased to help me, O God, through Jesus my Savior and Light, who rescues me from the darkness.

#### Private Confession

#### Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

By Your favor, O LORD, You made my mountain stand strong; You have turned for me my mourning into dancing; You have loosed my sackcloth and clothed me with gladness, that my glory may sing Your praise and not be silent. O LORD my God, I will give thanks to You forever!

Psalm 30.7a, 11-12

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

#### Prayer of Intercession/Offertory Prayer

Mr. Leopold

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

"Prelude, Op. 23, No. 4" Mr. Nielson, *piano* 

Sergei Rachmaninoff

9:30/11:00

"Nunc Dimittis"
Chancel Choir • J. Marty Cope, conducting

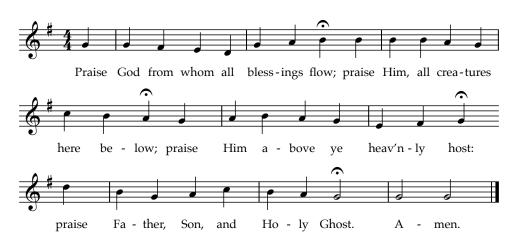
Orlando Gibbons

Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace, according to Thy Word. For mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people; to be a light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of Thy people Israel.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning and is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

This canticle (a song from the Bible) is the "Song of Simeon," from the presentation of Jesus at the Temple in Luke 2, which Simeon proclaimed as he took the Christ Child in his arms and blessed God.

\*The Doxology OLD HUNDREDTH



Our 9:30 Worship Explorers program for 1st and 2nd graders has concluded for the year. Worship Explorers will resume the Sunday after Labor Day. We encourage our families to participate in corporate worship together.

### \*The Scripture Reading: Revelation 21.22-27

Mr. Davis 8:00 Sarah and Chris Morrison 9:30 Sue and Dick Senzig 11:00

And I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb.

- <sup>23</sup> And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and its lamp is the Lamb.
- <sup>24</sup> By its light will the nations walk, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it,
- <sup>25</sup> and its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there.
- <sup>26</sup> They will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations.
- <sup>27</sup> But nothing unclean will ever enter it, nor anyone who does what is detestable or false, but only those who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

Sermon

"What is *not* Present in the New City"

Mr. Davis

Worshipers 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

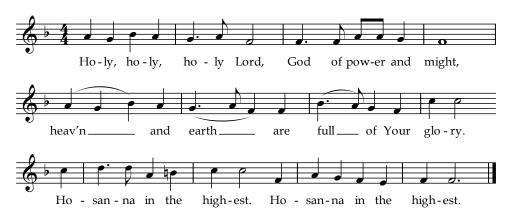
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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:



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

#### Communion 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.)

Hymn No. 642 in the Trinity Hymnal



#### \*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! Amen.

#### The Postlude

8:00 "For Your Gift of God the Spirit" BLAENWERN
Mr. Nielson, piano

9:30/11:00 "We Will Glorify" arr. Fred Bock
Mr. Cope, organ

\*Please stand if you are able.

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

We thank Steve Barnes, percussionist, for leading in our services this morning.

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

**Ministers**: The members of this church family who, in serving their Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ, extend His Kingdom in Dallas and to the world.

#### **Senior Pastor**

The Rev. Mark Davis

#### **Pastors**

The Rev. Dr. Pete Deison, Emeritus

The Rev. Matt Fray

The Rev. Paul Goebel, Associate Pastor

The Rev. Pete Hatton

The Rev. Robby Higginbottom

The Rev. Bill Lamberth, Emeritus

The Rev. Sam Leopold

The Rev. Tommy Overton

#### **Executive Director**

Jeff Barber

### **SERMON NOTES**

Revelation 21.22-27

"What is *n ot* Present in the New City"

## **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.	How is the theme of the Temple revealed throughout the Scriptures? Give a survey:
2.	When you hear people describe Heaven, what is commonly present in their description?
3.	According to John's vision of the New Jerusalem, what three things are not present? Unpack each one and describe why it's lack of presence is significant:
4.	How does John's vision of the future give you hope in the present?
5.	What is the "Lamb's Book of Life" and why is it significant?

## **JUNE 2, 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

## **Congregational Meeting**

The Session has approved a Congregational Meeting today for the purpose of electing Bill Lamberth as Pastor Emeritus and electing new deacons and elders. Recommendations for the next class close today.

recommendations.pcpc.org

#### **Summer RUF**

Beginning June 5 7:30 P.M. | PCPC CHAPEL

College students in Dallas this summer, join us for Summer RUF! You will hear the preaching of God's Word each week led by a different campus minister.

pcpc.org/events

## Together: Summer Study

Beginning June 11 & 12
TUESDAYS 7:00 A.M. | MEN'S STUDY

WEDNESDAYS 7:00 P.M. | CO-ED STUDY

Join in for this 6-week study on what it means to live life together.

pcpc.org/events

## Summer Women's Book Study

Beginning June 12

10:00 A.M. | ADULT CLASSROOM 12

Be a part of this 6-week book discussion that introduces 8 ways to cultivate meaningful relationships in the Body of Christ.

pcpc.org/women

#### **Extend Christ to PCPC Kids**

Would you prayerfully consider serving the next generation on Sunday mornings? Fill out an interest form or visit with us in the Grand Hall

after the service. *pcpc.org/kids* 



## The Trumpet Shall Sound!

June 16

7:00 P.M. | SANCTUARY

Nathan Davy, joined by Rachel McClarty on violin, Cody McClarty on trumpet, and Stephen Morscheck on bass, will present a program of vocal and instrumental music of Bach, Sowerby, Rheinberger, and more, including "The Trumpet Shall Sound!" from Handel's Messiah. No ticket is required.

pcpcconcerts.org

## **Special Events**

Middle School Trampoline Park

JUNE 5 | 6:00 P.M. | ALTITUDE

Young Adult Summer Book Study BEGINS JUNE 5 | 7:00 P.M. | OFFSITE

Summer Moms' Morning
BEGINNING JUNE 12 | 9:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

The Bridge: What's Her Story? JUNE 18 | 6:30 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

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Download the PCPC

App with iOS or Android device where you can give online (including setting up recurring gifts).

#### **GENERAL FUND**

2023/2024 Operating Budget \$15,925,000
Jul 1, 2023-May 26, 2024 Budget \$14,739,492
Jul 1, 2023-May 26, 2024 Giving \$15,047,316
Budget Variance \$307,824