



*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

January 19, 2025

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

January 19, 2025
8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Pete Hatton 8:00
The Rev. Paul Goebel 9:30/11:00

The Prelude

8:00 "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" WESTMINSTER ABBEY
Stephen Nielson, *piano*

9:30/11:00 "Menuet" Maurice Ravel
Elise Belk, *oboe* • Nathan Davy, *piano*

*Call to Worship

Minister: Oh sing to the LORD a new song,

People: for He has done marvelous things!

Minister: His right hand and His holy arm have worked salvation for Him.

**People: The LORD has made known His salvation; He has revealed His
righteousness in the sight of the nations.**

Minister: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it;

People: the world and those who dwell in it!

Minister: Let the rivers clap their hands;

People: let the hills sing for joy together before the LORD,

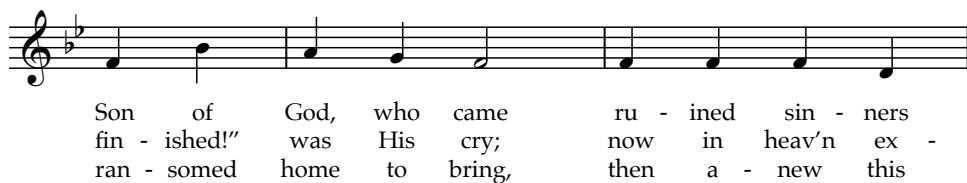
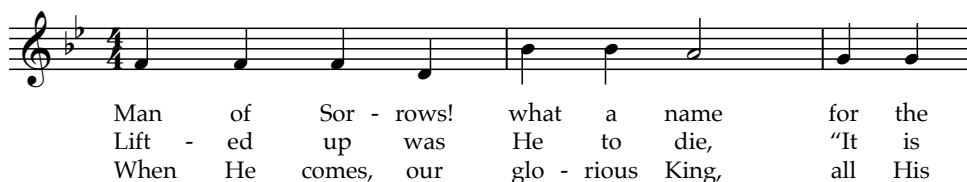
Minister: for He comes to judge the earth.

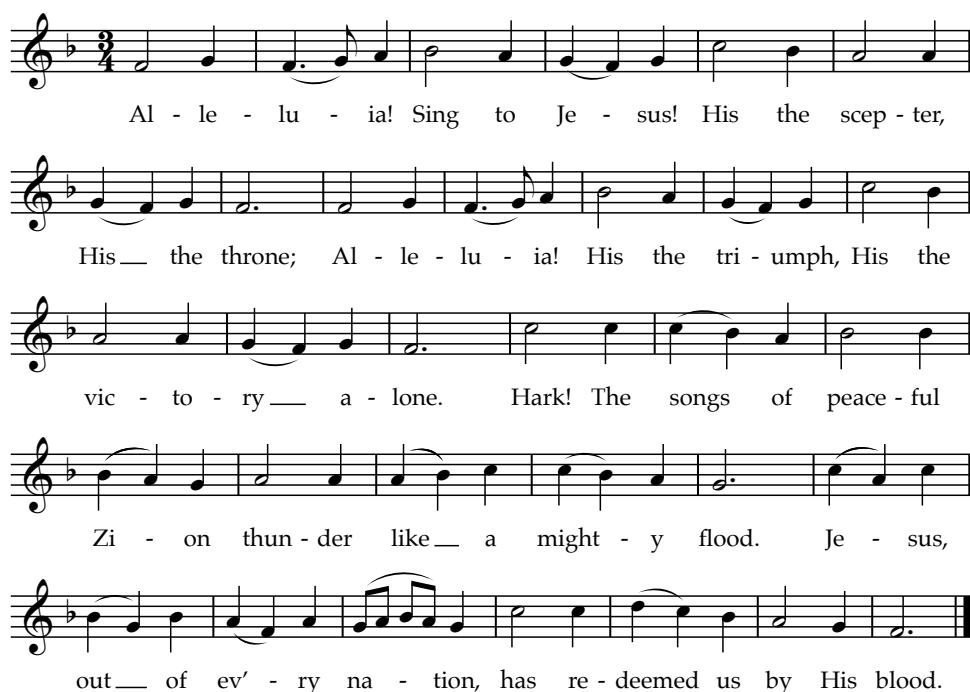
**People: He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples
with equity.**

Psalms 98.1-2, 7-9

*Hymns of Praise

"Man of Sorrows! What a Name" HALLELUJAH! WHAT A SAVIOR





Al - le - lu - ia! Sing to Je - sus! His the scep - ter,
His the throne; Al - le - lu - ia! His the tri - umph, His the
vic - to - ry a - lone. Hark! The songs of peace - ful
Zi - on thun - der like a might - y flood. Je - sus,
out of ev' - ry na - tion, has re - deemed us by His blood.

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Profession of Faith**

The Rev. Sam Leopold

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
He descended into hell.

The third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Apostles' Creed



The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad;
Now let the heav'ns be joy - ful, let earth her song be - gin;



the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.
let the round world keep tri - umph, and all that is there - in;



From death to life e - ter - nal, from this world to the sky,
in - vis - i - ble and vis - i - ble, their notes let all things blend,



our Christ hath brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.
for Christ the Lord hath ris - en, our joy that hath no end.

Sacrament of Baptism

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?

9:30

Abigail Marie Norris
Caleb Richard Norris
Harper Rosemary Smith
Eloise Teal Smith

11:00

Camille James Snell

Prayer for the Families

9:30/11:00

*Hymn

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. Leopold

O Divine Redeemer,
great was Your goodness in undertaking my redemption,
in consenting to be made sin for me,
in conquering all my foes.
Great was Your love in manifesting Yourself alive,
in showing Your sacred wounds,
that every fear might vanish,
and every doubt be removed.
Great was Your mercy in ascending to heaven
in being crowned and enthroned there to intercede for me,
there to help me in temptation,
there to open the eternal book,
there to receive me finally to Yourself.
Great was Your wisdom in devising this means of salvation;
bathe my soul in rich consolations of Your resurrection life.
O God, pardon all my sins,
known and unknown,
felt and unfelt,
confessed and not confessed,
remembered or forgotten.
Grant me more and more of the resurrection life:
may it rule me,
may I walk in its power,
and be strengthened through its influence.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with Him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This He set aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and put them to open shame, by triumphing over them in Him.

Colossians 2.13-15

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

***Hymn**

“Before the Throne of God Above”

Smith/Cook



1. Be - fore the throne of God a - bove I have a
2. When Sa - tan tempts me to des - pair, and tells me
3. Be - hold Him there, the ri - sen Lamb, my per - fect



strong, a per - fect plea, a great High Priest whose name is
of the guilt with - in, up - ward I look and see Him
spot - less Right-eous - ness, the great un - change - a - ble I



Love who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is
there who made an end to all my sin. Be - cause the
Am, the King of glo - ry and of Grace. One with Him -



gra - ven on His hands. My name is writ - ten on His
sin - less Sav - ior died, my sin - ful soul is count - ed
self, I can - not die. My soul is pur - chased with His



heart. I know that while in heav'n He stands no tongue can
free. For God the Just is sat - is - fied to look on
blood. My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my



bid me thence de - part; no tongue can bid me thence de - part.
Him and par - don me, to look on Him and par - don me.
Sav - ior and my God, with Christ my Sav - ior and my God.

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

“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring”
Mr. Nielson, *piano*

J. S. Bach/Myra Hess

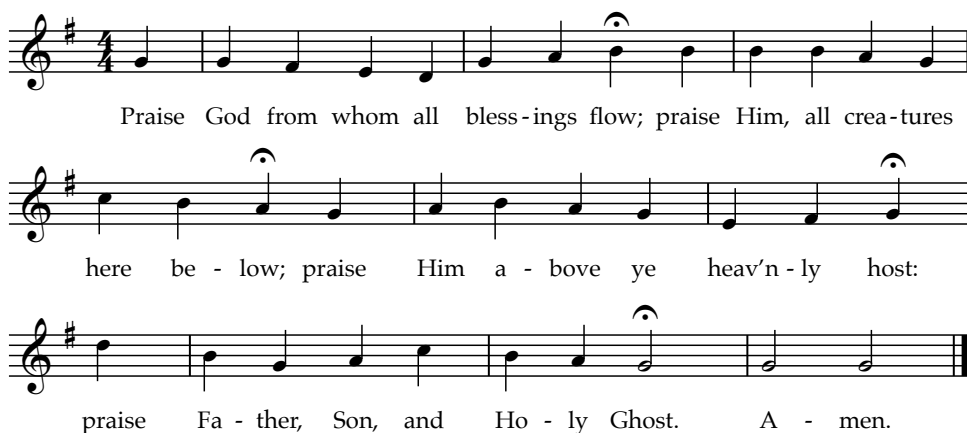
Do not I love Thee, O my Lord? Behold my heart, and see; and turn each cursed idol out that dares to rival Thee.

Do not I love Thee from my soul? Then let me nothing love; dead be my heart to every joy, when Jesus cannot move.

Thou knowest I love Thee, dearest Lord, but, O! I long to soar far from the sphere of mortal joys, and learn to love Thee more.

*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: John 5.19-29

So Jesus said to them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of His own accord, but only what He sees the Father doing. For whatever the Father does, that the Son does likewise.

²⁰ *For the Father loves the Son and shows Him all that He Himself is doing. And greater works than these will He show Him, so that you may marvel.*

²¹ *For as the Father raises the dead and gives them life, so also the Son gives life to whom He will.*

²² *For the Father judges no one, but has given all judgment to the Son,*

²³ *that all may honor the Son, just as they honor the Father. Whoever does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent Him.*

²⁴ *Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears My word and believes Him who sent Me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life.*

²⁵ *Truly, truly, I say to you, an hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live.*

²⁶ *For as the Father has life in Himself, so He has granted the Son also to have life in Himself.*

²⁷ *And He has given Him authority to execute judgment, because He is the Son of Man.*

²⁸ *Do not marvel at this, for an hour is coming when all who are in the tombs will hear His voice*

²⁹ *and come out, those who have done good to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil to the resurrection of judgment.*

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**

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.)*

***Closing Hymn**

“Alleluia, Alleluia!”

ODE TO JOY



1. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Hearts to heav'n and
2. Christ is ris - en, Christ the first-fruits of the ho - ly
3. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Glo - ry be to



voic - es raise: sing to God a hymn of glad - ness, sing to
har - vest field, which will all its full a - bun - dance at His
God on high! Al - le - lu - ia to the Sav - ior who has



God a hymn of praise; He who on the cross a vic - tim
sec - ond com - ing yield: then the gold - en ears of har - vest
won the vic - to - ry! Al - le - lu - ia to the Spir - it,



for the world's sal - va - tion bled, Je - sus Christ, the
will their heads be - fore Him wave, rip - ened by His
fount of love and sanc - ti - ty! Al - le - lu - ia,



King of Glo - ry, now is ris - en from the dead.
glo - rious sun - shine from the fur - rows of the grave.
al - le - lu - ia to the Tri - une Maj - es - ty!

***The Benediction**

Minister: Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Hebrews 13.20-21

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

Postlude

8:00

“The Church’s One Foundation”
Mr. Nielson, *piano*

AURELIA

9:30/11:00

“Finale” from *Symphony 2*
Dr. Davy, *organ*

Charles-Marie Widor

**Please stand if you are able.*

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

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

John 5.19-29

“From Death to Life”

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. Read John 5.20. What are the “greater works” that Jesus wants us to marvel at?
2. What has God the Father entrusted to Jesus as the Son of God?
3. Read John 5.24. How can a person have eternal life?
4. How is Jesus both our judge and our justifier?
5. Read 1 Corinthians 15.12-19. Why is the resurrection of the dead an essential aspect of the Christian faith?
6. How does the promise of eternal life change the way that we live today?

Highlights

JANUARY 19, 2025

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.

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2025 Spring Kickoff

Register for classes as we abide in Christ and connect with one another:

- Grief Support Group
- Men, Women, & Couple's Bible Studies
- Middle & High School Small Groups
- UNION Pre-Marriage Class (February)

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Missionary Luncheon

Today

12:30 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Please join us to hear about God's Kingdom work in Japan through Heidi Hill with RUF Global in Chiba & Shannon Deboer at Christ Bible Institute in Nagoya. Lunch will be provided; donations appreciated.

Men's Night of Worship

Thursday, January 23

6:30 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Come enjoy fellowship and worship the Lord. Dinner in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m. and worship & prayer in the Sanctuary at 7:30 p.m. Register for dinner by end of day Monday, January 20.

pcpc.org/men

Adkins & Nielson

Sunday, January 26

5:30 & 7:30 P.M. | CAMBRIDGE HALL (LEVEL TWO)

Dallas Symphony Orchestra principal cellist Christopher Adkins and Steinway Artist Stephen Nielson present an exquisite evening of chamber music. No tickets required for either concert time.

pcpcconcerts.org

Winter Grace

Saturday, Feb. 1-Sunday, Feb. 2

Join us for PCPC's annual on-campus retreat featuring Sinclair Ferguson with teaching, worship, music from special guests, and breakout sessions on "God's Grace in Christ Alone." WinterGrace is free to attend. Registration required for childcare and an optional Saturday luncheon for \$15 per person. Schedule and registration available online.

pcpc.org/wintergrace

Special Events at PCPC

RUF-International Lunar New Year

FRIDAY, JAN. 31 | 6:00 P.M. | ROBERTS' HOME

Dessert War: Mother & Son Valentine's

FRIDAY, FEB. 7 | 5:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Harbor of Hope Care Group

TUESDAYS, BEGINNING FEB. 11 | 6:45 P.M. | PCPC

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2024/2025 Operating Budget	\$17,200,000
Jul 1, 2024-Jan 12, 2025 Budget	\$10,632,803
Jul 1, 2024-Jan 12, 2025 Giving	\$10,169,615
Budget Variance	(\$463,187)