

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.

ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

July 6, 2025 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

The Rev. Mark Davis

The Prelude

8:00 "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" Robert A. Hobby

Mary Preston, organ

9:30/11:00 "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" MELITA
"God of Our Fathers" NATIONAL HYMN

Stephen Nielson, piano · Nathan Davy, organ arr. Nielson & Young

*Call to Worship

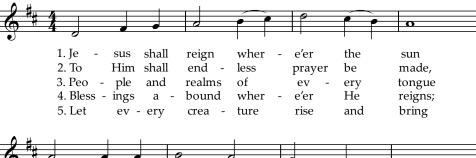
Minister: The LORD reigns, let the earth rejoice;
People: let the many coastlands be glad!
Minister: The heavens proclaim His righteousness,
People: and all the peoples see His glory.

Minister: For You, O LORD, are most high over all the earth;

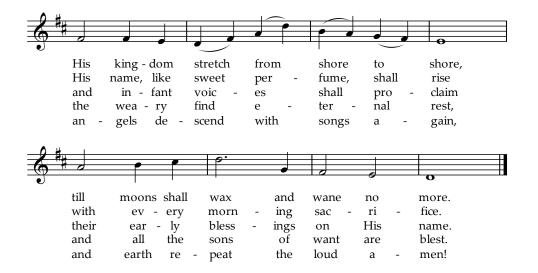
People: You are exalted far above all gods. Psalm 97.1, 6, 9

*Hymn of Praise "Jesus Shall Reign" Hymn No. 441 in the Trinity Hymnal

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*Prayer of Adoration

*Profession of Faith

The Rev. Sam Leopold

We confess and acknowledge one God alone, to whom alone we must cleave, whom alone we must serve, whom only we must worship, and in whom alone we put our trust. Who is eternal, infinite, immeasurable, incomprehensible, omnipotent, invisible; one in substance and yet distinct in three Persons, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost. By whom we confess and believe all things in heaven and earth, visible and invisible, to have been created, to be retained in their being, and to be ruled and guided by His inscrutable providence for such end as His eternal wisdom, goodness, and justice have appointed, and to the manifestation of His own glory. Amen.

The Old Scots Confession 1560, Article 1



Public Confession of Sin

Mr. Leopold

Merciful God,

we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved You

with our whole heart and mind and strength.

We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

In Your mercy forgive what we have been,

help us amend what we are, and direct what we shall be, so that we may delight in Your will

and walk in Your ways,

to the glory of Your holy name.

Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the LORD, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Jeremiah 29.11

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

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" Mrs. Preston, organ

Healey Willan

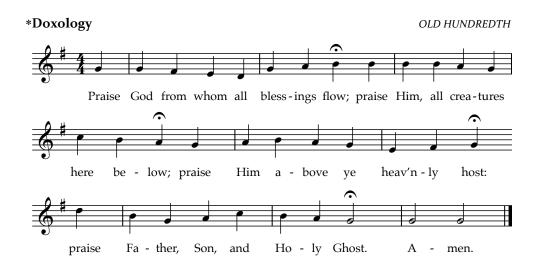
9:30/11:00 "Amazing Grace" arr. Jay Althouse Chancel Choir • Mr. Nielson, piano • Dr. Davy, conducting

Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me, I once was lost but now am found was blind but now I see.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come, 'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far and grace will lead me home.

When we've been there ten thousand years bright shining as the sun, We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we've first begun.

Amazing grace how sweet the sound.



*The Scripture Reading: John 15.8-25

- "By this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be My disciples.
- ⁹ As the Father has loved Me, so have I loved you. Abide in My love.
- ¹⁰ If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept My Father's commandments and abide in His love.
- ¹¹ These things I have spoken to you, that My joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full.
- ¹² This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.
- ¹³ Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends.
- ¹⁴ You are My friends if you do what I command you.
- ¹⁵ No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you.
- ¹⁶ You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in My name, He may give it to you.
- ¹⁷ These things I command you, so that you will love one another.
- ¹⁸ If the world hates you, know that it has hated Me before it hated you.
- ¹⁹ If you were of the world, the world would love you as its own; but because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you.
- ²⁰ Remember the word that I said to you: 'A servant is not greater than his master.' If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you. If they kept My word, they will also keep yours.
- ²¹ But all these things they will do to you on account of My name, because they do not know Him who sent Me.
- ²² If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have been guilty of sin, but now they have no excuse for their sin.
- ²³ Whoever hates Me hates My Father also.
- ²⁴ If I had not done among them the works that no one else did, they would not be quilty of sin, but now they have seen and hated both Me and My Father.
- ²⁵ But the word that is written in their Law must be fulfilled: 'They hated Me without a cause.'"

Sermon

"Love for Me = Hate from the World"

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

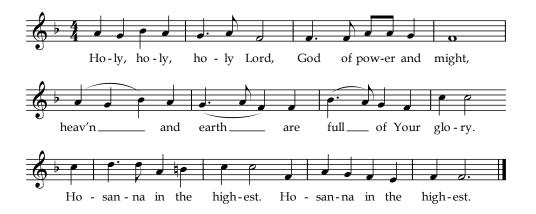
to give thanks unto You, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty,

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. 92 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.

Postlude

8:00 "Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals" Sigfrid Karg-Elert
Mrs. Preston, organ

9:30/11:00 "Grand Choeur" Theodore Dubois
Dr. Davy, organ

*Please stand if you are able.

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

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 PastorThe 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 The Rev. Dr. Robert Rucker

Executive Director

Dr. Jeff Barber

SERMON NOTES

John 15.8-25
"Love for Me = Hate from the World"

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.	What does it mean to abide in Christ's love?
2.	What is the sign that we are abiding in Christ?
3.	What is His call to His disciples regarding love, and how does He describe the greatest love?
4.	How does the disciple's identity change according to this passage? How is this true also for us?
5.	What does He appoint the disciples to do? (John 15.16)
6.	How will the world respond to the disciples as they abide in Christ?
7.	What does Jesus mean by the "world" in this teaching?
8.	How have you experienced hatred from the world?
9.	What hope does this passage give you for enduring the hatred of the world?

JULY 6, 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 with others in our church family, 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

The Walk

Wednesdays from July 9-30 6:45 P.M. | CLASSROOM 12 (LOWER LEVEL)

Please walk with us on a 4-week journey into Ephesians 4. We will meet weekly for large group teaching, followed by small group discussions. Register online.

pcpc.org/events

60+ Summer Bible Conference

Fridays from July 11—August 1 11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Take a deep dive into the rich historical background and powerful context behind John 16-18. Discover the incredible details that will illuminate some of Jesus' final words. Register online.

pcpc.org/events

The Gathering

Wednesday, July 16 7:15 P.M. | THE LOFT (LEVEL TWO)

All High School students are invited to join us for fellowship and worship!

pcpc.org/events

Young Adult Sand Volleyball

Saturday, July 26

9:00 A.M. | THE SANDY PICKLE

Join PCPC + HP Pres Young Adults for our sixth annual sand volleyball tournament.

Registration is required.

Breakfast snacks provided and lunch available for purchase.

pcpc.org/events



Mommy & Me Co-Op Day Camp

Tuesday, July 29-Thursday, July 31 9:00 A.M. | PRESCHOOL AREA

We are piloting a new summer opportunity for our young families. Come enjoy 3 hours of directed play involving sports, art, crafts, and reading WITH your child. Families may rotate together or allow each child to rotate with their own age group. Please register to attend.

pcpc.org/events

Special Events

Prayer for Ukraine (Zoom) TUESDAY, JULY 8 | 7:00 P.M.

Middle School Dodgeball WEDNESDAY, JULY 23 | 4:30 P.M. High School Pickleball WEDNESDAY, JULY 23 | 7:15 P.M.



Middle School Ranger's Game WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6 | 1:30 P.M.

pcpc.org/calendar

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2024/2025 Operating Budget \$17,200,000
Jul 1, 2024–June 29, 2025 Budget \$17,200,000
Jul 1, 2024–June 29, 2025 Giving \$16,675,656
Budget Variance (\$524,344)