

LARGE PRINT WORSHIP GUIDE

FEBRUARY 2, 2020

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

All: **God's steadfast love endures forever.**

One: Welcome one another in Jesus' name,

All: **For Christ is truly present among us.**

One: God walks with us on the journey of life and of faith.

All: **Let us worship God!**

*HYMN 645

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

MIT FREUDEN ZART

*CALL TO CONFESSION AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, hear our prayer: For the mending of our hearts, torn apart by our unkindness; For the healing of our souls, hurting from the despair around us; For the forgiveness we seek for the sin we have allowed to persist; For the reconciliation of the world, whose division condemns us; We pray for the courage to admit our fault, The strength to amend our actions, and the hope that your grace awaits us. Through Christ we pray. Amen.

WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

One: Friends, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel:

All: **We are saved by grace through faith. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

Thanks be to God. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Ruth 1:1-22

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Rev. Matthew Ruffner

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

OFFERTORY

“Laudate Dominum” from *Vesperae solennes de confessore* (8:15 a.m.) W.A. Mozart
Kristen Bumpas, soloist

Festival Sanctus (9:30 & 11 a.m.)
The Sanctuary Choir

John Leavitt

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

INVITATION TO THE LORD’S TABLE

One: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: **We lift them to the Lord.**

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

One: It is truly right, God of all nations, to give you thanks... And so with your people on earth and all the company of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn, singing:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord. God of pow'r and might. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord.
 God of pow'r and might. Hea-ven and earth are full, full of your glo - ry. Ho
 san - na in the high - est. Ho-san - na in the high - est. Bles-sed is He who comes, who
 comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san - na in the high - est, Ho-san - na in the high - est.

Great is the mystery of Faith:

Christ has died; Christ is ri - sen; Christ will come a - gain.

***HYMN 819 (VERSE 1)**

Be Still, My Soul

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***BENEDICTION**

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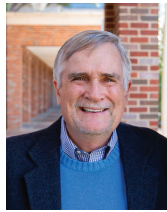
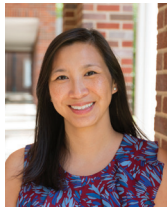
Lift High the Cross

setting by John Leavitt

WORSHIP LEADERS

Today's preacher is Rev. Matthew Ruffner. Artist-in-Residence Bradley Hunter Welch is our Sanctuary organist. Jared Cook is our Chapel organist. Director of Music Steve Jobman leads our Sanctuary Choir. Our lay liturgist is Rob Armstrong. Our acolytes are Caitlin and David Howard.

Next week's preacher is Rev. Matthew Ruffner.



Rev. Matthew Ruffner
Senior Pastor

Rev. Dr. Sarah Johnson
Senior Associate
Pastor for Adult
Learning and
Engagement

Rev. Mark Brainerd
Senior Associate Pastor
for Congregational
Care and Administration

Rev. Kathy Lee-Cornell
Associate Pastor for
Mission and Outreach

Rev. Sarah Are
Associate Pastor
for Youth and
Young Adults

Rev. Dr. Bob Poteet
Parish Associate
(Part-time)

Rev. Dr. John Roper
Parish Associate
(Part-time)

Rev. Caroline
Braskamp
Parish Associate
(Part-time)

CONNECT

Kid and Youth Summer Programming: As you are planning your summer 2020, we hope you include PHPC in your plans! We have several opportunities - you can learn more and register at phpc.org/kidsummer or phpc.org/youthsummer

Organ Concert: Jared Cook Preston Hollow's Organ Scholar, will give a Senior Organ Concert on **Sunday, February 9** at 2 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The concert will feature works by Bach, Brahms, Davies, Roberts and Vierne. Free and open to the public.

Foundation Scholarships - High School and College Students
Application Deadline: **February 20**. PHPC scholarship funds are awarded in two primary categories: Church Leadership Scholarship Awards and College Freshman Scholarship Awards. To apply, go to phpc.org/foundation

Growing Saints Garden Club Annual Benefit Program and Luncheon: Sally Rodriguez will present "Little Known Histories and Scandals of the Dallas Parks Department" on **Friday, February 21** at 10 a.m. Jubilee Hall. Luncheon reservations are \$30. Make checks to Growing Saints Garden Club. Reservations due by February 18 to Debby Duty at Debduty@yahoo.com Guests are welcome.

Ash Wednesday: There will be two services on **February 26** for Ash Wednesday, at 12:15 p.m. and 7 p.m.

LEARN

Lunch & Learn about PHPC Foundation: A panel of experts from the PHPC Foundation will talk about why the Foundation is important, the many ways you can consider participating and they will take your questions as we enjoy a delicious lunch. **February 16** following 11 a.m. worship. Reservations are required and the cost is \$10. You may sign up to attend this Lunch & Learn at phpc.org. Sign up in the Atrium or contact Tammy Hale thale@phpc.org The deadline for reservations is February 20.

SERVE

Volunteers Needed: Literacy Achieves is looking for volunteers to help residents complete their census forms in the computer lab at the Vickery Meadow location. The training is **February 19**. Contact Linda Humphries at 972 248 1997 or humphrieslk@aol.com

Junior High Youth is going to Hunger Busters! Join us this afternoon, **February 2**. Hunger Busters is an organization that seeks to provide a third meal to food-insecure children. Meet at the Youth House at 2:30 p.m., and pick-up is at the Youth House at 5:30 p.m. All 7th and 8th graders and friends are invited! Contact Maggie Johnson (mjohnson@phpc.org) with any questions.

Route 56 at Presbyterian Village North: We will visit our friends at PVN and take them a special Valentines treat on **February 9** from 12:15 - 2:30 p.m. ! Register at phpc.org/route56 or contact Ann Nielsen (anielsen@phpc.org) for more details.

GIVE

The Every Dollar Counts for February goes to I Pour Life Texas. This program is focused on serving at-risk and homeless youth in Dallas, specifically through their partnerships in two DISD specialized schools: Maya Angelou High School, whose students are pregnant and/or parents, and the JL Patton Academic Center, whose students are over-age and under-credited compared to their grade level peers.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayers for family and friends of Sue Gilly following the passing of her mother, Phyllis Gilly on January 3. A memorial service will be held in PHPC Chapel on February 8 at 11 a.m.