

# LARGE PRINT WORSHIP GUIDE

OCTOBER 20, 2019

## OPENING VOLUNTARY

Cortège et Litanie

Marcel Dupré

## INTROIT

*Allegro con moto*

The Sanctuary Ringers

Jason Krug

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: We gather together in the name of Jesus Christ,

All: **Members of God's family, and siblings to one another.**

One: There are no outsiders here among us. No one has any special standing.

All: **We are all children of God, brought together by the redeeming love of Christ.**

One: Praise the Lord.

All: **The Lord's name be praised.**

## \*HYMN 299

*You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim*

HANOVER

## \*CALL TO CONFESSION AND PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of hope, we confess our disregard of your care, our doubt of your providence and our blindness to signs of your love. We are afraid to risk our comforts to find new life. We separate ourselves from you and from others. We foster divisions between those you love. We miss opportunities to serve you and others. Help us amend our lives and make us your faithful people, who bear the good fruit of your Word in the world. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

## 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

Mark 12:30-31

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

## SERMON

Why Serve?

Rev. Matthew Ruffner

## \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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 on 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.

## OFFERTORY

*Laudate Dominum* from SOLEMN VESPERS (8:15 a.m.)  
Julie Liston Johnson, soloist

W.A. Mozart

*Wana Baraka* (9:30 & 11 a.m.)  
The Sanctuary Choir and Judy Melson, percussion

Traditional Kenyan/arr. Kirchner

## \*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all people here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

MOLLY ANNE HORNER (9:30 a.m.)

Parents: Lexie and Jason Horner

Elder Sponsor: Stephanie Haley

CARTER BUIE CHANEY (11 a.m.)

Parents: Lindsay and Brent Chaney

Elder Sponsors: Clare & Cal Chaney, paternal grandparents

LINDSAY BARDACH CHANEY (11 a.m.)

Elder Sponsors: Clare & Cal Chaney, parents-in-law

EMILY KATHERINE SINGLETON (11 a.m.)

Parents: Elizabeth Wallace & Bruce Singleton

Elder Sponsor: Lacy Schultz

Raindrops, oceans, lakes, and rivers; welcome, child of God.  
Mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters; welcome, child of God.  
When the world feels wide around you, when the dark of night surrounds you,  
We are here to tend and guide you. Welcome, child of God.

## **\*HYMN 320 (1-3)**

*The Church of Christ in Every Age*

WAREHAM

## **\*BENEDICTION**

## **CLOSING VOLUNTARY**

Minuet Gothique

Leon Boëllmann

## **WORSHIP LEADERS**

Today's preacher is Rev. Matthew Ruffner. Director of Music Steve Jobman leads our Sanctuary Choir. Organ Scholar Jared Cook is our organist. Our acolytes are Dillon and Axel Kennedy. Our liturgist is Jack Brackett. Next week's preacher is Rev. Matthew Ruffner.

## **FLOWER DEDICATIONS**

The flowers decorating the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God by Bill and Sally Dix in memory of their parents Rex and Ruby Wignall, Ernest and Mary Jane Dix. The flowers decorating the Chapel today are in celebration of the wedding of William Sandifer and Kaitlyn Schutza who were married yesterday in the Chapel. William is the son of former PHPC members Patrice and Ben Doerries. The flowers in the Columbarium are given to the glory of God by Linda Elliott in loving memory of Jim Elliott and from the Tan Family to the glory of God and in loving memory of Martha Tan.



Rev. Matthew Ruffner  
Senior Pastor



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



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



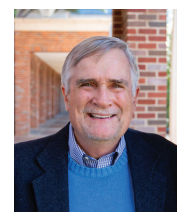
Rev. Kathy Lee-Cornell  
Associate Pastor for  
Mission and Outreach



Rev. Sarah Are  
Associate Pastor  
for Youth and  
Young Adults



Rev. Dr. Bob Poteet  
Parish Associate



Rev. Dr. John Roper  
Parish Associate

## CONNECT

**PHPC Kids:** Join us at Coffee Park on **October 26** at 8:30 a.m. for Playdate in the Park with the Ruffners. It will be a morning of playing, fellowship, coffee and donuts!

**Cultivating Thriving Community in Dallas with Michelle Kinder and Larry James:** Join us **November 7** at 7:30pm in the Sanctuary. What are the challenges we face as a city and where and how is the church called to participate? Join us as local leaders, Michelle Kinder and Larry James speak about the importance of social emotional health, valuing every neighbor, and the things that make for thriving community life for all people. Free registration at [phpc.org/speaker](http://phpc.org/speaker)

**Kirkin of the Tartans and Commit Kick-off Sunday:** Join us for spirited worship with bagpipes on **October 27** as we celebrate Presbyterians' historic relationship to Scotland, and launch our four-week stewardship season of Commit. During Commit we pledge our financial estimates of giving supporting the mission and ministry of the church for the year ahead.

## GROW

**Racial Justice and Equity Pilgrimage Information Meeting:** This spring, we will embark on a racial justice pilgrimage from Dallas to the deep South to meet people, hear stories, and visit landmarks in the history of slavery, reconstruction, Jim Crow, and civil rights. Travel dates are February 16-23, 2020 Sunday, **October 20** at noon in Jubilee Hall B.

**Book Study: Anxious to Talk About It: Helping White Christians Talk Faithfully about Racism** by Rev. Dr. Carolyn Helsel. **October 29-December 3** on Tuesdays, 6:30-8 p.m. in the Parlor. Led by Rev. Mark Brainerd. Register: [phpc.org/adultlearning](http://phpc.org/adultlearning).

**Book Study: All I Really Want: Readings for a Modern Christmas** by Quinn G. Caldwell. **November 3-November 24** Sundays, 9:30 a.m. in Parlor. Led by Member Engagement Coordinator Allison Cochran. Sometimes the happiest and holiest time of the year is also the hardest for people to enjoy. These daily readings offer the skeptic, the over-committed the opportunity to make room for God to show up.

**Crisis of Confidence with Kathleen Fischer:** Parents often wonder what it takes to raise a healthy, confident, responsible, independent child. Good managers wonder the same about employees. With plenty of distractions which seem urgent and important, it's easy to get swept off-course. This presentation considers: How can we promote our kids thinking things through and successfully solving their own problems? **November 3** at 9:30 a.m. in Jubilee Hall.

## SERVE

**NDSM Coat Drive:** Throughout October, donate a new or gently used coat of any size (adult male is most needed). Drop off coats in the Atrium. North Dallas Shared Ministries assists individuals and families with material and medical needs. There are plenty of ways to serve at NDSM -- the Emergency Aid Center, Food Pantry, Clothes Closet, Client Interviewing, the Medical Clinic, and more! To learn more about how you can volunteer and connect local residents with much needed resources, contact Ruth Ann Janson, [ruthann@ndsm.org](mailto:ruthann@ndsm.org)

## GIVE

The **Every Dollar Counts** for October is care packages for graduates of Presbyterian Children's Homes & Services. This ministry sends much needed encouragement and care packages to PCHAS Advanced Education students. The students receiving homemade care packages are students who have been in PCHAS group home care for at least a year or more and most have graduated while in PCHAS care.

## JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayers for the family and friends of Alicia and Ed Love following the passing of her mom, Peggy Sherrill, on October 12.

Prayers for the family and friends of Mary Blanche Cashmore. She passed away on October 14. There will be a memorial at PHPC on Tuesday, October 22.