

Park Cities Presbyterian Church

August 30, 2026



*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

August 30, 2026
8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

8:00 The Rev. Sam Leopold
9:30/11:00 The Rev. Mark Davis

Prelude

8:00

“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”
Stephen Nielson, *piano*

AUSTRIAN HYMN
arr. Ovid Young

9:30/11:00

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”
Dr. Nathan Davy, *organ*

Craig Phillips

* Call to Worship

8:00 The Rev. Dr. Pete Deison

Minister: Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens,

People: Your faithfulness to the clouds.

Minister: Your righteousness is like the mountains of God;

Your judgments are like the great deep;

People: man and beast You save, O LORD.

Minister: How precious is Your steadfast love, O God!

People: The children of mankind take refuge
in the shadow of Your wings.

Minister: They feast on the abundance of Your house,

People: and You give them drink from the river of Your delights.

Minister: For with You is the fountain of life;

People: in Your light do we see light.

Psalms 36:5-9

* Hymn of Praise

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”

MIT FREUDEN ZART



1. Sing praise to God who reigns a - bove, the God of
2. What God's al - might - y pow'r hath made His gra - cious
3. The Lord is nev - er far a - way, but, through all
4. Thus, all my glad - some way a - long, I sing a -



all cre - a - tion, the God of pow'r, the God of
mer - cy keep - eth; by morn - ing glow or eve - ning
grief dis - tress - ing, an ev - er - pres - ent help and
loud Thy prais - es, that men may hear the grate - ful



love, the God of our sal - va - tion; with
shade His watch - ful eye ne'er sleep - eth; with -
stay, our peace, and joy, and bless - ing; as
song my voice un - wea - ried rais - es, be



heal - ing balm my soul He fills, and ev - 'ry faith - less
in the king - dom of His might, lo! all is just and
with a moth - er's ten - der hand, He leads His own, His
joy - ful in the Lord, my heart, both soul and bod - y



mur - mur stills: to God all praise and glo - ry.
all is right: to God all praise and glo - ry.
cho - sen band: to God all praise and glo - ry.
bear your part: to God all praise and glo - ry.

* Prayer of Adoration

* Isaiah 6—A Litany

Minister: In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of His robe filled the temple. Above Him stood the seraphim. Each had six wings: with two he covered his face, and with two he covered his feet, and with two he flew. And one called to another and said:

People: **“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory!”**

Isaiah 6:1-3

* Hymn

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

NICAEA

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, Holy, Holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, Holy, Holy, all the saints adore Thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before Thee,
Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

People: **And the foundations of the thresholds shook at the voice of Him who called, and the house was filled with smoke.**

Minister: And I said: “Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the LORD of hosts!” *Isaiah 6:4-5*

All singing:

Holy, Holy, Holy, though the darkness hide Thee,
Though the eye of sinful man Thy glory may not see,
Only Thou art holy; there is none beside Thee
Perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Minister: Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said:

People: **“Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for.”**

Minister: And I heard the voice of the Lord saying,

People: **“Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?”**

Minister: Then I said, “Here I am! Send me.”

Isaiah 6:6-8

All singing:

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty!
All Thy works shall praise Thy Name, in earth and sky and sea;
Holy, Holy, Holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Public Confession of Sin

Mr. Leopold

God of compassion,
You are slow to anger and full of mercy,
welcoming sinners who return to You with penitent hearts.
Receive in Your loving embrace
all who come home to You.
Seat them at Your bountiful table of grace,
that, with all Your children,
they may feast with delight
on all that satisfies the hungry heart.
We ask Your forgiveness in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior,
who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Private Confession

Words of Assurance and Pardon of the Gospel

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the Kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Colossians 1:13-14

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

Prayer of Intercession & Offertory Prayer

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

“God Is Here!”
Mr. Nielson, *piano*

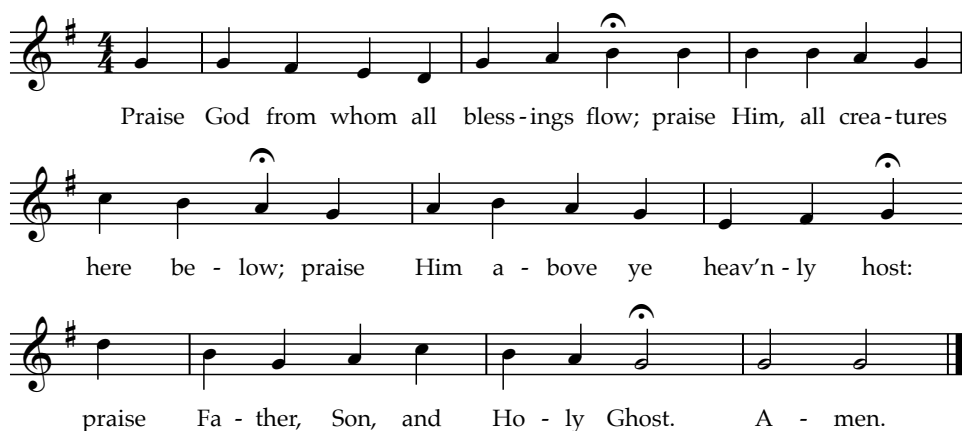
ABBOT’S LEIGH

9:30/11:00

“Praise the Lord”
Chancel Choir · Dr. Nathan Davy, *organ*
J. Marty Cope, *conductor*

G. F. Handel
arr. Hopson

*Praise the Lord. Let songs of joy break forth.
Sing alleluia. Praise His name forevermore.
Shout, sing and dance; come dance and celebrate.
Rejoice; let all within us praise His name.
Shout, sing, let songs of joy break forth.
Rejoice, praise His holy name forevermore.*



**ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF
REV. DUSTIN JOSHUA HUNT AND REV. DR. MARK IAN McDOWELL
AS ASSISTANT PASTORS OF PARK CITIES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

— 9:30/11:00 —

Explanation of Ordination and Installation

Mr. Davis

The Ordination Questions

1. Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, as originally given, to be the inerrant Word of God, the only infallible rule of faith and practice?
2. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures; and do you further promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with any of the fundamentals of this system of doctrine, you will on your own initiative make known to your Presbytery the change which has taken place in your views since the assumption of this ordination vow?
3. Do you approve of the form of government and discipline of the Presbyterian Church in America, in conformity with the general principles of Biblical polity?
4. Do you promise subjection to your brethren in the Lord?
5. Have you been induced, as far as you know your own heart, to seek the office of the holy ministry from love of God and a sincere desire to promote His glory in the gospel of His Son?
6. Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in maintaining the truths of the gospel and the purity and peace of the Church, whatever persecution or opposition may arise unto you on that account?
7. Do you engage to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all your duties as a Christian and a minister of the Gospel, whether personal or relational, private or public; and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your manner of life, and to walk with exemplary piety before the flock of which God shall make you overseer?

The Installation Questions

1. Are you now willing to serve this congregation as an assistant pastor, agreeable to your declaration in accepting its call?
2. Do you conscientiously believe and declare, as far as you know your own heart, that, in serving this congregation, you are influenced by a sincere desire to promote the glory of God and the good of the Church?
3. Do you solemnly promise that, by the assistance of the grace of God, you will endeavor faithfully to discharge all the duties of an assistant pastor to this congregation, and will be careful to maintain a deportment in all respects becoming a minister of the Gospel of Christ, agreeable to your ordination engagements?

Questions to the Session

1. Do you, the men of the session of PCPC, continue to profess your readiness to receive Dustin Hunt and Mark McDowell to be your assistant pastors?
2. Do you promise to receive the word of truth from their mouths with meekness and love?
3. Do you promise to encourage them in their labors, and to assist their endeavors for your instruction and spiritual edification?
4. Do you engage to continue them, while they are your assistant pastors that competent worldly maintenance which you have promised, and to furnish them with whatever you may see needful for the honor of religion and for their comfort among you?

The Laying On of Hands and Ordination Prayer

9:30 John Bateman, *elder*

11:00 Jack Denman, *elder*

The Pronouncement and the Right Hand of Fellowship

Mr. Davis

* Hymn

"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"

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Charge to the Session

Rick Owens, *elder*

*** The Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:26-28**

²⁶ *Be angry and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger,*
²⁷ *and give no opportunity to the devil.*
²⁸ *Let the thief no longer steal, but rather let him labor, doing honest work with his own hands, so that he may have something to share with anyone in need.*

Sermon

“Be Angry and Do Not Sin”

8:00 Dr. Deison

9:30/11:00 Mr. Davis

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!

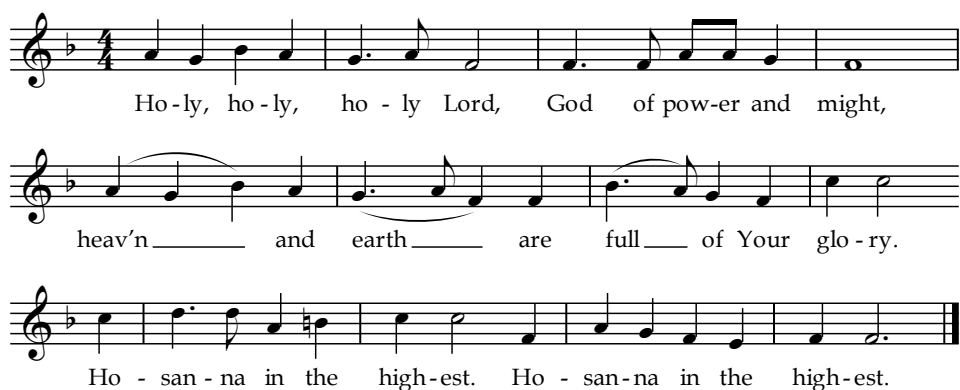
People: We lift them up to the Lord!

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.

Minister: Holy and Gracious God,

People: We do not come to Your Table trusting in our righteousness, but resting in Your abundant grace and rich mercy. Help us, O Holy Spirit, to earnestly examine our repentance, love, and new obedience, that we may partake worthily. Amen.

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

*** The Lord's Table 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

“Speak, O Lord”

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1. Speak, O Lord, as we come to You to re - ceive the food
2. Teach us Lord, full o - be - di - ence, Ho - ly rev - er - ence,
3. Speak, O Lord, and re - new our minds; Help us grasp the heights



of Your Ho - ly Word. Take Your Truth, plant it deep in us;
true hu - mil - i - ty. Test our thoughts and our at - ti - tudes
of Your plans for us. Truths un - changed from the dawn of time,



shape and fash - ion us in Your like - ness; That the light of
in the ra - di - ance of Your pur - i - ty. Cause our faith to
that will ech - o down through e - ter - ni - ty. And by grace we'll



Christ might be seen to - day in our acts of love and our
rise, cause our eyes to see Your ma - jes - tic love and au -
stand on Your prom - is - es; And by faith we'll walk as You



deeds of faith. Speak, O Lord and ful - fill in us____
thor - i - ty. Words of pow'r that can nev - er fail;
walk with us. Speak, O Lord, 'til Your church is built,



all Your pur - pos - es for Your glo - ry.
Let their truth pre - vail o - ver un - be - lief.
and the earth is filled with Your glo - ry.

* Benediction

9:30 Rev. Dustin Hunt

11:00 Rev. Dr. Mark McDowell

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.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen!

Hebrews 13:20-21

Postlude

8:00

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”
Mr. Nielson, *piano*

MADRID

9:30/11:00

“Carillon de Westminster”
Dr. Davy, *organ*

Louis Vierne

* 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.

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

Assistant Pastors
The Rev. Dr. Pete Deison (*emeritus*) The Rev. Bill Lamberth (*emeritus*)
The Rev. Matt Fray The Rev. Sam Leopold
The Rev. Pete Hatton The Rev. Tommy Overton
The Rev. Robby Higginbottom The Rev. Dr. Robert Rucker

Session

The Rev. Mark Davis <i>Moderator</i>	Jim Morris, Jr. <i>Clerk</i>
John Bateman	David Newman
Jack Denman, Jr.	Rick Owen
Don Dillahunt	Kirk Pogoloff
Lance Gurley	Dennis Roossien
Houston Hunt	Greg Russell
Tim Jeffress	John Ward
Bob McCamey	Randy Wood
Ben Moffitt	

SERMON NOTES

Ephesians 4:26-28
“Be Angry and Do Not Sin”

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 is your definition of anger? What definition of anger was shared in the sermon?
2. What are the three types of anger (two wrong and one right) highlighted in the sermon?
3. What is righteous anger?
4. What are examples of things followers of Christ should be rightly angry about?
5. How can we determine if our anger is righteous?
6. What are signs that our anger is not righteous?
7. What does unrighteous anger expose in our lives?
8. What does Paul mean when he says, "Don't let the sun go down on your anger?" Why is this wise counsel?
9. How does anger give the devil an opportunity?
10. How does the life of Christ and our life in Christ give us all we need to "be angry and not sin?"
11. What steps do you need to take in examining your anger?

Highlights

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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



Elementary & Middle School

PCPC Elementary and Middle School will not meet on Sunday, September 6, due to Labor Day. Worship Explorers (1st–2nd grades) will kick off on Sunday, September 13, for the 9:30 a.m. service. As always, we want to encourage you to worship together as a family with us on Sundays.

Women's Night of Worship & Prayer

Wednesday, September 9

6:30 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL & CHAPEL

PCPC Women will start this fall season by gathering to worship our God who dwells with us. We would love to see new and familiar faces as we chat, eat good food, and tell you all about our Bible studies and events.

pcpc.org/women

60+ Community

Friday, September 11

11:30 A.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL A/B

Metanoia Prison Ministries exists to make disciples for Jesus Christ of the nations in prison. Join Regional Director and PCPC member Paul Miller and his wife Laura for an inspirational look at disciple making! Please register for lunch by Tuesday, September 8.

pcpc.org/news-events

Midweek at PCPC

Wednesdays, beginning Sept. 16

Join us at PCPC on Wednesday evenings for Midweek activities. Gather with our church family for delicious food, meaningful fellowship, Companion Course on Prayer, Bible studies for middle school and adults, and choir rehearsals for children and adults.

pcpc.org/midweek

Welcome Luncheon

Today

12:30 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for lunch today as we welcome:

- Dustin Hunt as the PCPC Pastor of Church Planting & Executive Director of Southwest Church Planting Network
- Dr. Mark McDowell as an Assistant Pastor (Theologian in Residence)

Special Events

Global Worker Ruth's Farewell

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 2 | 5:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Preschool Pop & Play

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4 | 9:00 A.M. | GYM

First Friday/bEfriend

FRIDAY, SEPT. 4 | 6:00 P.M. | PRESCHOOL AREA

Helping Hands

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12 | 8:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M.

MEET IN OAK LAWN WEST

Fall Kickoff: Classes & Studies

SEPT. 13-18

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PCPC's biblical Principles

of Stewardship.



Download the PCPC App with iOS or Android device to give online (including setting up recurring gifts).

GENERAL FUND

2026/2027 Operating Budget	\$18,300,000
Jul 1, 2026–Aug 23, 2026 Budget	\$2,089,893
Jul 1, 2026–Aug 23, 2026 Giving	\$2,255,709
Budget Variance	\$165,816