

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP



NEW ST PETER'S

SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

*"Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.
I will dwell in you and walk among you; and I will be your God,
and you shall be My people."*

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Please be seated as we gather to sing. Congregants read the bolded text aloud.

GATHERING

"Jesus Shall Reign"

Duke Street

**Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Does his successive journeys run;
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore,
Till moons shall wax and wane no more**

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 91

Come and worship the LORD, your refuge and fortress,
your God in whom you trust.

Silence

LITURGY OF THE WORD Psalm 90-91 John 1

Lord, You have been our dwelling place in all generations.

**Before the mountains were brought forth,
or ever You had formed the earth and the world,
from everlasting to everlasting You are God.**

Teach us to number our days, heavenly Father,
that we may get a heart of wisdom.

**Satisfy us in the morning with Your steadfast love,
that we may rejoice and be glad all Your days.**

For we cling to Christ, who came and dwelt among us.

**In His name, we call out to You.
Answer us and be with us in our trouble.
Satisfy us in Him and show us Your salvation.**

INVOCATION

THE LORD'S PRAYER Matthew 6

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we
also forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.**

"Come, Thou Almighty King"

Trinity
Anon., ca 1757

1. Come, thou Al - might - y King, help us thy name to sing,
2. Come, thou In - car - nate Word, gird on thy might - y sword,
3. Come, Ho - ly Com - fort - er, thy sa - cred wit - ness bear
4. To the great One in Three e - ter - nal prais - es be,

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help us to praise. Fa - ther, all glo - ri - ous, o'er all vic -
our prayer at - tend. Come, and thy peo - ple bless, and give thy
in this glad hour. Thou who al - might - y art, now rule in
hence ev - er - more. His sov - ereign maj - es - ty may we in

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- to - ri - ous, come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.
Word suc - cess; Spir - it of ho - li - ness, on us de - scend.
ev - ery heart, and ne'er from us de - part, Spir - it of pow'r.
glo - ry see, and to e - ter - ni - ty love and a - dore.

"Come Magnify the Lord with Me (Psalm 34)"

Coram Deo Church, 2016
Isaac Watts, 1719



1.Lord I will bless You all my — days, — Your praise will
2.To Him the wand'r - ers lift their — eyes, — their fac - es
3.God's ang - els help the one that — faints, — and guard the

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dwell u - pon my — tongue. — My soul will glo - ry in Your — grace, -
feel a heav'-nly — shine. — A beam of mer - cy from the — skies, -
ones that serve the — Lord. — O - bey and love Him, all ye — saints, -

6



— Let all re - joice to hear my — song. — Come mag-ni-
— Will bless with light and joy di - vine. —
— Taste of His grace, and trust His — Word. —

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fy the Lord with — me! — Come let us all ex - alt His — name! .

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— I sought the e - tern - al God and — He — has freed my

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long - ing heart from — blame! — (2.To Him the)
(3.God's ang - els)

We come to You in confession,
our one Lord—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**You have saved us from our sin and from death,
and You have led and fed us by Your Spirit.
In Your goodness, You have commanded us to love You
with all our heart and with all our soul and with all our might.
You have instructed us to write these commands on our heart
and to train our children to walk with us on the road with Jesus.
But we easily forget You and Your redemption.
We fill our mouths with bread of our own making,
and neglect the words that come from Your mouth.
We put You to the test by trusting in our own righteousness,
by going after other gods,
and by not loving our neighbors as ourselves.
Forgive our sins, dear Lord,
and renew us in knowledge after the image of Christ.
Amen.**

Silent confession

Brothers and sisters, while you were still weak and laden with sin,
Christ died for you and reconciled you to God.

**For if many died through the one man's trespass,
much more have the grace of God and the free gift
by the grace of that one man Jesus Christ
abounded for the many.**

A reading from Moses: The first man succumbs to the temptation of the
serpent and plunges humanity into sin and misery.

*Children, Pre-K and Kinder, are invited to attend Worship Training.
All children are retrieved after the sermon for Communion.*

**CONFESSION
OF SIN & PLEA
FOR PARDON**
Deuteronomy 6-9
Colossians 3

**ASSURANCE OF
PARDON**
Romans 5

**OLD TESTAMENT
READING**
Genesis 3.1-7

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LITANY OF
THANKSGIVING

Let us thank God whom we worship here in the beauty of holiness.

For the assurance of pardon from our sins through faith in Christ,
we thank You, Lord.

For the confidence to draw near to Your throne of grace
as daughters and sons,
we thank You, Lord.

For the beauty of the earth and the glories of the skies,
and for Your abundant provision in all things,
we thank You, Lord.

For the time of rest You provided for the Dean family this summer,
we thank You, Lord.

For the peace we have in Christ, peace with God and with one another,
we thank You, Lord!

SHARING OF THE
PEACE OF CHRIST

So, Church, may the peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

TITHES &
OFFERINGS

*The musicians will play for a moment before singing
so that you can bring your tithes and offerings
and share the peace of Christ with those around you.*

DOXOLOGY

"Jesus Shall Reign"

DUKE STREET

**People and realms of every tongue
Dwell on His love with sweetest song;
And infant voices shall proclaim
Their early blessings on His name.**

¹ Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. ² And after fasting forty days and forty nights, He was hungry.

³ And the tempter came and said to Him, *“If You are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread.”* ⁴ But He answered, *“It is written,*

*“Man shall not live by bread alone,
but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.”*

⁵ Then the devil took Him to the holy city and set Him on the pinnacle of the temple ⁶ and said to Him, *“If You are the Son of God, throw Yourself down, for it is written,*

“He will command His angels concerning You,”

and

*“On their hands they will bear You up,
lest You strike Your foot against a stone.”*

⁷ Jesus said to him, *“Again it is written, ‘You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.’”* ⁸ Again, the devil took Him to a very high mountain and showed Him all the kingdoms of the world and their glory. ⁹ And he said to Him, *“All these I will give You, if You will fall down and worship me.”* ¹⁰ Then Jesus said to him, *“Be gone, Satan! For it is written,*

*“You shall worship the Lord your God
and Him only shall you serve.”*

¹¹ Then the devil left Him, and behold, angels came and were ministering to Him.

“The Second Man, Part 1”

Matthew 4.1-11

Fullest Human

Perfect Son

Cross-Bearing King

**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.**

**He descended into judgment and continued in the state of the dead until the third day.*

The LORD be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord
It is fitting and right.

Let us raise our hearts and minds on high, where Jesus Christ is, in
the glory of His Father, and from whence we look for Him at our
redemption.

**We thank you O God, through Your beloved servant Jesus Christ, who
delivered Himself willingly unto death for us.**

In His name we lift up the cup of salvation,
and we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again!

THE TABLE

- *Ushers will release you by rows after the music team has partaken*
- *Grape juice is in the outer ring of the tray and wine in the center*
- *Gluten-free bread is available at each table*

OFFERINGS

- *Tithes and gifts can be brought to the box in the center of the room.*
- *Online Giving - newstpeters.org/give*

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

Elders, Deacons, and members of our Women's Leadership Team will be on stage near the musicians to pray with and for you.

PRAYER FOR FAITH

If you are not a follower of Jesus, we invite you to reflect on the prayer at the bottom of page 13, and we invite you to talk with our pastor if you would like to know more about the hope of the Good News on display at Christ's Table.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

WORDS OF INSTITUTION & INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Psalm 116, Church Order of Hippolytus (3rd Century), Sursum Corda of John Calvin (16th Century)

DIRECTIONS

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

Hamburg
text: Isaac Watts, 1707, 1709



1. When I sur - vey the__ won - drous cross on which the Prince of__
2. For - bid it, Lord, that__ I should boast, save in the death of__
3. See, from his head, his__ hands, his__ feet, sor - row and love flow__
4. Were the whole realm of__ na - ture__ mine, that were a pres - ent__



glo - ry__ died, my rich - est gain I__ count but__
 Christ my__ God: all the vain things that__ charm me__
 min - gled__ down: did e'er such love and__ sor - row__
 far too__ small; love so a - maz - ing,__ so di - -



loss, and pour con - tempt on all my__ pride.
 most, I sac - ri - fice them to his__ blood.
 meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a__ crown?
 - vine, de - mands my soul, my life, my__ all.

"Before the Throne of God Above"

Vikki Cook, 1997
text: Charitie Lees Bancroft, 1841-1923



1. Be - fore the throne of God a - bove I have a strong a per - fect
2. When Sa - tan tempts me to de - spair, and tells me of the guilt with -
3. Be - hold Him there! the ris - en Lamb, my per - fect, spot - less Right - eous -



plea, A great High Priest whose name is "Love," Who ev - er
- in, up - ward I look and see Him there Who made an
- ness, the great un - change - a - ble I AM, the King of



lives and pleads for me. My name is grave - n on His hands, My name is
end to all my sin. Be - cause the sin - less Sav - ior died, My sin - ful
glo - ry and of grace! One with Him - self I can - not die, My soul is



writ - ten on His heart; I know that while in heav'n He stands no tongue can
soul is count - ed free; For God, the Just, is sa - tis - fied to look on
pur - chased by His 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.

“Christ Our Hope in Life and Death”

Keith Getty, Matt Boswell, Jordan Kauflin,
Matt Merker, Matt Papa, 2020



1. What is our hope in life and death? Christ a - lone, Christ a - lone.
2. What truth can calm the trou - bled soul? God is good, God is good.
3. Un - to the grave, what shall we sing? “Christ, he lives!” “Christ, He lives!”



What is our on - ly con - fi - dence? That our souls to him be - long.
Where is his grace and good - ness known? In our great Re - deem - er's blood.
And what re - ward will heav - en bring? Ev - er - last - ing life with him.



Who holds our days with - in his hand? What comes, a - part from his com -
Who holds our faith when fears a - rise? who stands a - bove the storm - y
There we will rise to meet the Lord, Then sin and death will be de -



- mand? And what will keep us to the end? The love of
trial? Who sends the waves that bring us nigh Un - to the
- stroyed, And we will feast in end - less joy, When Christ is

Refrain



Christ, in which we stand. _____
shore, the rock of Christ? _____ O sing ha - le - lu - ia! Our
ours for - ev - er - more. _____



hope springs e - ter - nal; O sing ha - le - lu - ia! Now and



ev - er we con - fess Christ our hope in life and death.

Almighty God, eternal Father,

**we have sat at Your feet,
learned from Your word,
and eaten from Your table.
We give You thanks and praise
for accepting us into Your family.
Send us out with Your blessing,
to live and to witness for You in the power of Your Spirit,
through Jesus Christ, the firstborn from the dead.**

Let the favor of the Lord your God be upon you, and establish the work of your hands!

Come quickly, Lord Jesus! Amen.

Please enjoy the fellowship of believers in the lobby or outside.

Good Father, open my heart and my eyes to see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, even against the darkness of my sin and suffering; and help me to draw near, believing that You exist and that You meet those who seek You in Christ. In my doubt, guide my mind. In my wandering, guide my feet and bring me ultimately home through Jesus, the Way. (2 Corinthians 4, Hebrews 11)

SCATTERING
*Kenyan Reformed
Prayer*

BENEDICTION
Psalm 90

POSTLUDE

**PRAYER FOR
FAITH**

GATHERED

As a church family, we gather weekly to celebrate God's grace in worship and teach and encourage one another as we follow Jesus.

WEEKLY WORSHIP

(Sundays, 10:15-11:30am)

The church is an outpost of heaven on earth, and nowhere is this more evident than in its worship. So, even on the road with Jesus, we taste home each Lord's Day in the worship gathering, as we feed on Christ through His preached word, the sacraments, fellowship, and prayer. (Matthew 11:28-29).

SOLD

(Sundays, 9-9:50am - begins for children/youth 9/20, for adults 9/27)

School of Life & Doctrine (SOLD) is our Christian education ministry for all ages. We meet here at the Dallas Children's Theater, including classes for kids, youth, and adults.

KIDS - WORSHIP TRAINING

(Sundays, 10:15-11:30am)

Our goal is to prepare our children in Worship Training to enter into the "big" Worship Service with their parents, better able to listen and engage with the liturgy as they grow in maturity. In Worship Training, leaders guide the children in singing, prayer, a simple liturgy, and a curriculum lesson with age-appropriate activities.

NSP YOUTH

(Wednesdays, 6:30-8:00pm) (Contact youth@newstpeters.org)

NSP has a ministry to Middle School and High School students. In our dedicated teaching times the youth at New St. Peter's work through the topics of Basic Bible (Old and New Testament), Apologetics, Spiritual Disciplines, and Christian History. During the School year, we meet most regularly on Sunday mornings during SOLD, but also meet outside of that time for fellowship, encouragement, and service in both large and small groups.

SCATTERED

When we are scattered throughout the city, we are no less the church. In our diverse neighborhoods, we want to invite disciples and skeptics to join us on the road with Jesus.

HOME GROUPS

In order to better serve the needs of our members through fellowship and hospitality, we have organized our members into various regional parishes. Our Home Groups meet at different frequencies throughout the metro in these parishes. By inviting our neighbors, visitors, and members into Christian fellowship, we seek to cultivate an environment of welcome that leads to an experience of belonging. We do this through regular rhythms of fellowship and prayer in each other's homes.

MEN'S & WOMEN'S MINISTRY

There are a number of ways to get involved in men's and women's ministry at NSP, including Bible and book studies, discipleship and prayer groups, and special events.

20somethings

Anyone from college through the late 20s is welcome—both married and single! This group enjoys bi-monthly fellowship dinners in homes of different families in our church and also gets together for seasonal Bible studies and occasional celebrations.

To learn more about these ministries, scan the QR code below or visit www.newstpeters.org



ANNOUNCEMENTS & CALENDAR

THIS WEEK

- **Women's Ministry** - Sign up in the Tuesday email or in Church Center for Bible studies (began 9/2) and multi-generational groups.
- **Youth** - Wednesday night fellowships this week, 6:30-8:00pm. Girls Fellowship - Shannon Temple's home. Boys Fellowship - Brian Franklin's home. Please join the NSP Youth Group in Church Center to stay up to date.
- **Men's Bible Study** - contact Peter Moore at pmoore@smu.edu about fall studies.

UPCOMING

- **Interested in Membership?** - Use the QR code below to mark your interest in learning about membership at NSP.
- **Fall Kick-off (9/20)** - 9am (kids/youth SOLD, and adult fellowship/ministry preview). If you have a child(ren) birth through 5th grade who will be participating in SOLD classes this year, please register them at <https://new-st-peters.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/3846568>.
- **Adult SOLD and New Member Class (9/27)** - 9am
- **Multi-Church Hymn Sing (9/27)** - 4pm at Mercy Presbyterian

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Scan this QR code to fill
out a short visitor's form.

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