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> to extend the transforming presence of the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ in Dallas and to the world.

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SUNDAY WORSHIP: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m. 24/7 PRAYER HOTLINE: 214-224-2680 or 24/7prayer@pcpc.org

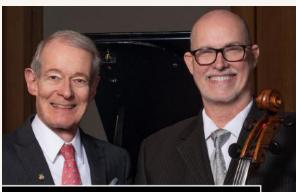
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"Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears My word and believes Him who sent Me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life." John 5:24

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Adkins & Nielson Concerts January 26 | 5:30 & 7:30 p.m.



CONNECT, ABIDE, & EXTEND

SPRING KICKOFF

JANUARY 12-17

Join us this spring as we abide in Christ and connect with one another at PCPC.

- All Church Prayer
- Men, Women, & Couple's Bible Studies
- Middle & High School Small Groups
- Midweek Vespers & Dinner
- New Members Class
- Care & Counseling Groups

Download our 2025 Spring Guide at pcpc.org/guide/.

COMMUNICANTS CLASS PARENT INTRO MEETING

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12 & 19 | 11:00 A.M. | CHAPEL

Is your child interested in making a public profession of faith, being admitted to the Lord's Table, and becoming a full communing member of PCPC? This spring, Communicants Classes for 2nd-8th graders and 9th-12th graders will meet on Sundays beginning January 26 for 6 weeks. One parent must attend the required Parent Intro Meeting in order for a child to participate. Register now!

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CITY MISSIONS EXPO

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5 | 10:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join us for this come-and-go event to learn what God has done, is doing, and will do through our City Missions Partners. Learn how you can be a part of extending Jesus' Kingdom in Dallas. Appetizers will be provided. We hope to see you there!

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GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

TUESDAYS BEGINNING JANUARY 14 | 6:45 P.M. | THE PARLOR

Essential touchstones for finding biblical hope and soulful healing through the journey of grief. This support group offers a learning component along with confidential discussion in a safe and trusting environment. Rob Rucker, Facilitator.

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ADKINS & NIELSON CONCERTS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26 | 5:30 & 7:30 P.M. | CAMBRIDGE HALL

Dallas Symphony Orchestra principal cellist Christopher Adkins and Steinway Artist Stephen Nielson present an evening of chamber music. No tickets required.

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SPECIAL EVENTS

- PRESCHOOL POP & PLAY | JANUARY 3
- FIRST FRIDAY/BEFRIEND | JANUARY 3
- THE GATHERING (HIGH SCHOOL) | JANUARY 8
- 60+ COMMUNITY FELLOWSHIP: "PSALM 90" | JANUARY 10
- PRESCHOOL SONG & STORY | JANUARY 17
- YOUNG ADULT SOLITUDE SATURDAY | JANUARY 18
- MISSIONARY LUNCHEON: HILL & DEBOER | JANUARY 19
- MEN'S NIGHT OF WORSHIP | JANUARY 23
- MEN'S SOLITUDE SATURDAY | JANUARY 25
- RUF-INTERNATIONAL LUNAR NEW YEAR | JANUARY 31

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SINCLAIR FERGUSON



Dr. Ferguson is a father in faith and a beloved friend to many at PCPC, and we are thrilled to welcome him back for WinterGrace this year! He is a gifted preacher, teacher, and author and is known around the world as a gracious champion of Reformed theology. He currently serves as a teaching fellow and the vice-chairman of Ligonier Ministries, the Chancellor's Professor of Systematic Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary, a Preaching Associate at Trinity Church in Aberdeen, Scotland, and most recently the host of the podcast *Things Unseen.*

Winter (Trace is an on-campus retreat for our whole congregation that aims to renew our hearts in a classic theme of God's grace. This year, our theme is "God's Grace in Christ Alone." Whether you are a member of PCPC or a guest, we hope you will make plans to join us for two days of fellowship, worship, and teaching and music from special guests.

May God use WinterGrace to stir our hearts and re-orient our lives around "the immeasurable riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus" (Ephesians 2:7).

Please save the dates, February 1-2, 2025.



Please visit **pcpc.org/wintergrace** for more details.

"What goes deepest to the heart, goes widest to the world!"



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Looking at this collage of photos from 2024, what immediately jumps out to you? What do all these people have in common? The Name of Christ. At PCPC, we have gathered in the Name of Christ through worship, Bible studies, mission trips, children and family programs, and care groups. Children and youth have sung of His excellencies and gathered to abide in Christ. Neighbors have broken bread together in homes throughout Parish ministry, and Midweek dinners have been consumed shoulder to shoulder in fellowship.

Young and old, near and far, we have gathered because Christ is excellent. You can see joy and peace on the faces in these photos. We're all here because of Christ and are united in His Name because He first loved us. As we move into 2025, "Let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near." – Hebrews 10:24-25