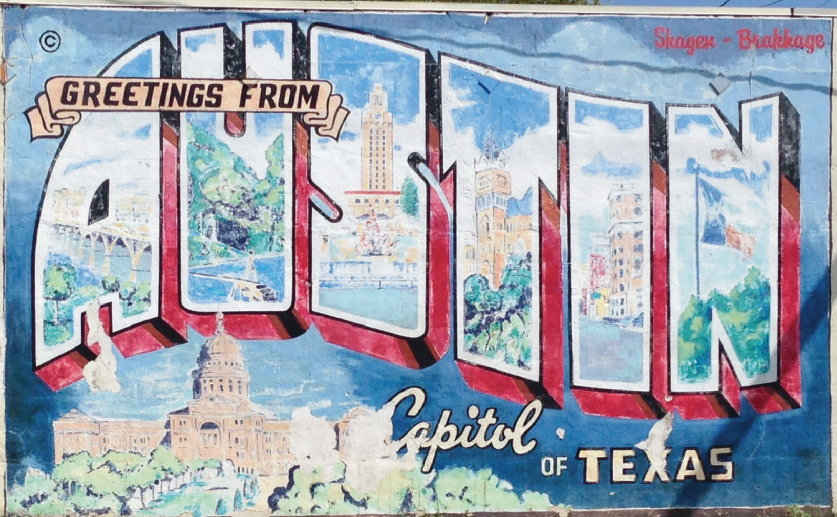




# PROVIDENCE CHURCH



## PROVIDENCE GATHERING

*February 21st, 2021*

## PROVIDENCE CHURCH DNA

Our central aim is to understand the gospel in all its fullness and apply the gospel to all of life: the grace of God toward us in Christ, the presence of God with and through his people, and the movement of God to renew all things.

## GATHERED WORSHIP

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*Psalm 86:1-12*

### SONG OUR GREAT GOD

Eternal God, unchanging, mysterious and unknown  
Your boundless love, unfailing, in grace and mercy shown  
Bright seraphim in ceaseless flight, around Your glorious throne  
They raise their voices day and night in praise to You alone!

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Lord, we are weak and frail, and are helpless in the storm  
Surround us with Your angels and hold us in Your arms  
Our cold and ruthless enemy, his pleasure is our harm  
Rise up, O Lord, and he will flee before our sovereign God

Let every creature in the sea and every flying bird,  
Let every mountain, every field, and valley of the earth  
Let all the moons and all the stars in all the universe  
Sing praises to the living God, who rules them by His Word

### CONFESSION OF SIN

Great and mighty God, You are the maker of all things, yet we try to find life apart from you. Forgive us for forgetting that you are the everlasting God. Good Father, You redeemed us from the dominion of darkness, yet we forget that we were bought with the blood of Christ. Forgive us for forgetting that we belong to you. Sovereign ruler, you hold all things together, yet we are anxious and always looking for control over our lives. Forgive us for forgetting that you care for us. Have mercy on us, and conform our hearts to live as your beloved children.

## GATHERED WORSHIP

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Isaiah 43:1-3*

#### **SONG** CHRIST OUR HOPE IN LIFE AND DEATH

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone  
What is our only confidence? That our souls to Him belong  
Who holds our days within His hand? What comes, apart from His command?  
And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand

*O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal*

*O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess*

*Christ our hope in life and death*

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good  
Where is His grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood  
Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial?  
Who sends the waves that bring us night, unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

Unto the grave, what will we sing? "Christ, He lives; Christ, He lives!"  
And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with Him  
There we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed  
And we will feast in endless joy, when Christ is ours forevermore!

#### **PROFESSION OF FAITH** HEIDELBERG 1

*Q: What is your only comfort in life and death?*

**A:** That I am not my own, but belong-body and soul, in life and in death, to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things will work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

## **GATHERED WORSHIP**

### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

### **SCRIPTURE READING**

*Psalm 46*

### **PREACHING OF THE WORD**

### **COMMUNION**

### **GIVING**

*We desire that generous giving would be both an act of worship and display of the grace we receive through Christ. You can place your offerings in one of the two boxes located up front, or there are alternate ways of giving listed on pg 8.*

## GATHERED WORSHIP

### SONG IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL

When peace like a river attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say, "It is well, it is well, with my soul"

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come,  
Let this blest assurance control, That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate,  
And hath shed His own blood for my soul.

*It is well (It is well), With my soul (With my soul).*

*It is well, it is well, with my soul*

My sin, oh the bliss of this glorious thought, my sin, not in part but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, oh my soul

And Lord haste the day when my faith shall be sight  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll  
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend  
Even so, it is well with my soul

### SONG O LOVE THAT WILL NOT LET ME GO

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in thee  
I give thee back the life I owe, that in thine ocean depths its flow  
May richer, fuller be

O light that followest all my way, I yield my flickering torch to thee  
My heart restores its borrowed ray, that in thy sunshine's blaze its day  
May brighter, fairer be

O Joy that seekest me through pain, I cannot close my heart to thee  
I trace the rainbow through the rain, and feel the promise is not vain  
That morn shall tearless be

O Cross that liftest up my head, I dare not ask to fly from thee  
I lay in dust life's glory dead, and from the ground there blossoms red  
Life that shall endless be

## BENEDICTION

## GOSPEL COMMUNITIES

Church is a family. A Gospel Community (GC) is a place where you can experience that reality. We extend grace, speak truth, deal with conflict, meet needs, and invite others in. Our groups meet throughout the week and across the city. You can email GC leaders directly about their group or you can email **gc@providenceaustin.com** if you would like help figuring out which GC would be a good fit for you.

### CENTRAL

**Evan & Kristina Baehr**

Monday • 8:00pm • Deep Eddy  
evanbaehr@gmail.com

**Alex Moser & Devon Keith**

Monday • 7:00pm • Crestview  
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**Mark & Laura McKnight**

Wednesday • 6:30pm • NW Hills  
laurafmcknight@gmail.com

**Steve & Kate Zinnecker**

Sunday • 10:00am • Rosedale  
steve.zinnecker@gmail.com

**Trey & Kyrsten Arbuckle**

Sunday • 10:00am • Clarksville  
trey.arbuckle@gmail.com

### EAST

**John & Chelsea Scharbach**

Tuesday • 7:00pm • University Hills  
jscharbach@gmail.com

**Ashwin & Grace Rao**

Wednesday • 7:30pm • Swedish Hill  
grace.and.ashwin@gmail.com

**Matt & Caroline LaFollette**

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matthew.craig.lafollette@gmail.com

**Sam & Brigitte Moore**

Monday • 7:00pm • East Austin  
s\_moore@utexas.edu

### NORTH

**Jake & Melanie Hebert**

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**Dan & Kelsey Newman**

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dr.dan.newman@gmail.com

**Daniel & Ellie Rogers**

Tuesday • 7:00pm • Windsor Park  
ellierogers216@gmail.com

### SOUTH

**Marat & Ophelia Chafigouline**

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marat.chafigouline@gmail.com

**Matt Halvorson & Angela Amaya**

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matt.d.halvorson@gmail.com

**Jordan & Darby Hurst**

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jordan@providenceaustin.com

### WEST

**Will & Katie Fowler**

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**John & Evonne Griffin**

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**Ben & Carolyn Bright**

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## EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

*Here is what is coming up in the life of our church ...*

### **A FUTURE AND A HOPE CONFERENCE** | March 6th • 11:00-2:00pm

*Virtual Conference*

Looking to learn more about foster care and adoption? Then this virtual conference on March 6th is for you! It is for those who are exploring fostering, adopting, and learning more about serving within the foster care community. You can learn more and sign up @ [www.iamfosteringhope.org](http://www.iamfosteringhope.org)

Please email [Lucy@providenceaustin.com](mailto:Lucy@providenceaustin.com) know if you are interested in watching the conference with other people from Providence and we will connect you.

### **PROVIDENCE RECOVERY** | Every Thursday • 7:00-8:30pm

*Meeting virtually*

Providence Recovery is a Christ-centered twelve-step program designed to help people point each other to Jesus for healing and provide fellowship and accountability in applying Christian principles and practices to every area of life. Recovery is geared towards anyone struggling with patterns of sinful behavior, whether “addictive” or not. Recovery is currently meeting virtually each week. You can view the Recovery page on our website for more details or you can email [recovery@providenceaustin.com](mailto:recovery@providenceaustin.com) with any questions you might have.

### **PROVIDENCE YOUTH**

Providence Youth (6th-8th grade) and High School groups will be gathering monthly for various events this spring. Please contact Alex Moser ([alex@providenceaustin.com](mailto:alex@providenceaustin.com)) for all dates and info.

## WAYS TO GIVE

We desire that generous giving would be both an act of worship and display of the grace we receive through Christ. There are several ways to give financially to the mission of God through Providence Church:

1. You can place your cash and/or check donations in one of the two offering boxes located at the front of the sanctuary.
2. You can setup automatic withdraw from your bank account. Go to **www.providenceaustin.com/donate** to create your giving account.
3. You can make stock donations. Email **donations@providenceaustin.com** for more info.

## CONNECT

If you would like to receive weekly communication from Providence or if you would like to talk to someone about how to get more involved in some aspect of our church, please fill out your contact info, detach the below portion, and hand it to one of our leaders or fill out online: **providenceaustin.com/contact**

**NAME:**

**EMAIL:**

### I AM INTERESTED IN:

☐ Weekly email

☐ Serving

☐ Gospel Communities

☐ Getting baptized

☐ Membership

☐ Other:

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