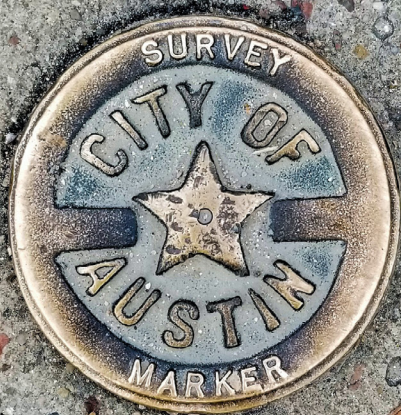




PROVIDENCE CHURCH

SUNDAY GATHERING

August 8th, 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

Ephesians 1:3-10

SONG ○ WORSHIP THE KING

○ worship the King, all glorious above
And gratefully sing His wonderful love
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise

○ tell of His might, ○ sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm

*You alone are the matchless King,
To You alone be all majesty
Your glories, Your wonders, what tongue can recite?
We offer our praise, bowing our lives*

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail
In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend

CONFESSION OF SIN

We are a forgetful people, ○ Lord. We have not cherished Your Word in our heart. We have not walked in its light. In our fear, we have doubted your goodness, and sought our own will above yours. We have chased after the desires of the flesh, thinking they will satisfy us. But we are brought low by our folly. Forgive us, ○ Lord. Cover our shame and deliver us from our iniquity. Our flesh and our heart may fail, but You are the strength of our heart and our portion forever.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 Corinthians 1:17-18

GATHERED WORSHIP

SONG ROCK OF AGES

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in Thee,
Let the water and the blood, from Thy wounded side which flowed
Be of sin the double cure, save from wrath and make me pure

Not the labor of my hands can fulfill Thy law's demands
Could my zeal no respite know? Could my tears forever flow?
All for sin could not atone, Thou must save, and Thou alone

Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to the cross I cling
Naked, come to Thee for dress, helpless look to Thee for grace
Foul I to the fountain fly, wash me, Savior, or I die

Wash me, Savior, or I die, Wash me Savior, or I die
Wash me, wash me Savior, or I die, Wash me Savior, or I die

Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in Thee

You've washed me, Savior, I'm alive, You've washed me, Savior, I'm alive

SONG HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word
What more can He say than to you He hath said
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

Fear not, I am with thee, oh, be not dismayed
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand
Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie
My grace, all-sufficient, will be thy supply
The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design
Thy dross to consume and thy gold to refine

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose
I will not, I will not, desert to his foes
That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake
I will never, no never, no never forsake

GATHERED WORSHIP

PROFESSION OF FAITH ADAPTED FROM ROMANS 11

We rejoice in the depth of the riches of the wisdom and knowledge of God! His judgments are unsearchable and His ways are unfathomable! There is no one who has known the mind of the Lord. There is no one who gives counsel to God. There is no one who gives to God anything of worth. For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be the glory forever! Amen..

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

SCRIPTURE READING

Ecclesiastes 7:1-14

PREACHING OF THE WORD

(Torch and Midde School Sunday)

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 BE THOU MY VISION

Be Thou my vision, oh Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me, save that thou art
Thou my best thought, by day or by night
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word
I ever with Thee, and Thou with me, Lord
Thou my great Father, and I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance now and always
Thou, and Thou only, first in my heart
High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art

High King of heaven, my victory won
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun
Heart of my own heart whatever befall
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all!

SONG THE SOLID ROCK

My hope is built on nothing less, than Jesus blood and righteousness
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus name

When darkness veils His lovely face, I rest on His unchanging grace
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil

*On Christ, the Solid Rock, I stand, all other ground is sinking sand
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His oath His covenant His blood, support me in the whelming flood
When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay

When He shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in Him be found
Dressed in His righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne

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 message leaders directly or email gc@providenceaustin.com for help figuring out which GC would be a good fit for you.

CENTRAL

Alex & Hannah Moser

Monday • 7:00pm • Crestview
alexwmoser@gmail.com

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

Monday • 7:00pm • Walnut Bend
matthew.craig.lafollette@gmail.com

Sam & Brigitte Moore

Monday • 7:00pm • East Austin
s_moore@utexas.edu

NORTH

Jake & Melanie Hebert

Wednesday • 7:00pm • Jollyville
melanieabear@gmail.com

Colby & Emily Humphrey

Tuesday • 8:00pm • Pioneer Crossing
colbyshumphrey@gmail.com

Daniel & Ellie Rogers

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

SOUTH

Baird & Monica Smith

Friday • 6:30pm • Travis Country
monicamsmith75@gmail.com

Matt Halvorson & Angela Amaya

Monday • 7:00pm • South Lamar
matt.d.halvorson@gmail.com

Jordan & Darby Hurst

Tuesday • 8:00pm • Westgate
jordan@providenceaustin.com

WEST

Will & Katie Fowler

Sunday • 10:00am • Westlake
williamdudleyfowler@gmail.com

John & Evonne Griffin

Wednesday • 7:45pm • West Lake Hills
johnmgriffin@gmail.com

EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

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

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 email recovery@providenceaustin.com with any questions you might have.

SERVING ON SUNDAYS

We need more people helping to serve on Sundays, so if you are not already serving, we would love for you to jump in! The primary ways our church body does this is through Providence Kids, Setup/Tear Down teams, A/V Team, and the Music Team. Currently, we need 8 more volunteers in order to open two new classrooms for the fall in Providence Kids, and we need 5 more volunteers for the A/V team. Would you consider serving in one of these ways? Sign up online @ providenceaustin.com/SERVING-ON-SUNDAYS

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/give** for more info on giving online.
3. You can donate stock. Email **donations@providenceaustin.com** for details.

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-us**

NAME:

EMAIL:

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☐ Membership

☐ Other:

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