

PROVIDENCE CHURCH

SUNDAY GATHERING March 6, 2022

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.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 25.1-10

SONG HOLY HOLY, HOLY

You are holy, holy, holy! You are holy, holy, holy!

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 are falling down before Thee
Which wert and art and evermore shall be

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

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

CONFESSION OF SIN ADAPTED FROM DANIEL 9

Great and awesome God, You keep your covenant and steadfast love with us. While You are holy and perfectly righteous, we are wayward and corrupt. In disobedience to your word, we have chosen to walk in iniquity instead of humility and justice. In foolishness, we have rebelled against your wisdom and have made a mess of our relationships. In pride, we have rejected your guidance and have become blind to the way of Jesus. Forgive us, Lord, and reveal to us the beauty and power of the cross of Christ to deal with our sin. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hebrews 10:19-22

SONG BEAUTIFUL SCANDALOUS NIGHT

Go on up to the mountain of mercy, to the crimson perpetual tide Kneel down on the shore, be thirsty no more, go on under and be purified

Follow Christ to the holy mountain, sinner sorry and wrecked by the fall Cleanse your heart and your soul in the fountain that flows, For you and for me and for all

At the wonderful, tragic, mysterious tree, on that beautiful scandalous night, you and me Were atoned by His blood and forever washed white, on that beautiful scandalous night

On the hillside you will be delivered, at the foot of the cross justified And your spirit restored by the river that pours, from our blessed Savior's side

SONG GRACE ALONE

I was an orphan lost at the fall, running away when I'd hear You call But Father You worked Your will

I had no righteousness of my own, I had no right to draw near Your throne But Father You loved me still

And in love before you laid the world's foundation

You predestined to adopt me as your own

You have raised me up so high above my station

I'm a child of God by grace and grace alone

You left Your home to seek out the lost, You knew the great and terrible cost But Jesus Your face was set

I worked my fingers down to the bone, nothing I did could ever atone

But Jesus You paid my debt

By Your blood I have redemption and salvation

Though You died that I might reap what you have sown

And You rose that I might be a new creation, I am born again by grace and grace alone

I was in darkness all of my life, I never knew the day from the night

But Spirit You made me see

I swore I knew the way on my own, a head full of rocks a heart made of stone

But Spirit You moved in me

At Your touch my sleeping spirit was awakened

On my darkened heart the light of Christ has shone

Called into a Kingdom that cannot be shaken

I will stand in faith by grace and grace alone

PROFESSION OF FAITH ISAIAH 26

We will trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord is the Rock eternal. He humbles those who dwell on high, He lays the lofty city low; He levels it to the ground and casts it down to the dust. He makes the way of the righteous smooth. We walk in the way of Your laws, oh Lord, and we wait for You; Your name and renown are the desire of our hearts. When Your judgments come upon the earth, the people of the world learn righteousness. Lord, You establish peace for us; all that we have accomplished, You have done for us.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 9:57-62

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.

SONG YET NOT I BUT THROUGH CHRIST IN ME

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer, there is no more for heaven now to give He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus, for my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing: All is mine! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark, but I am not forsaken, for by my side, the Savior He will stay I labour on in weakness and rejoicing, for in my need, His power is displayed To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me, through the deepest valley He will lead Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven, the future sure, the price it has been paid For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon, and He was raised to overthrow the grave To this I hold, my sin has been defeated, Jesus now and ever is my plea Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free! Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath, I long to follow Jesus, For he has said that he will bring me home And day by day, I know He will renew me, until I stand with joy before the throne To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus, all the glory evermore to Him When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat: Yet not I, but through Christ in me

Restore us again, God of our salvation, Revive us again in Your unfailing love Holy Spirit, bring us life once again, Holy Spirit, lead our hearts back to You

SONG HOW GREAT THOU ART

Then sings my soul, my Savior, God, to Thee! How great thou art! How great thou art!

Oh Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder Thy power throughout the universe displayed

And when I think that God, His son not sparing Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it in That on the cross, my burden gladly bearing He bled and died to take away my sin

When Christ shall come with shout of acclamation To reign on earth, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow with humble adoration And then proclaim, "My God, How great Thou art!"

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

Trey & Kyrsten Arbuckle

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

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Mark & Laura McKnight

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

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Baird & Monica Smith

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John & Chelsea Scharbach

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John & Evonne Griffin

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EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

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

JOURNEY TO THE CROSS PODCAST | Season of Lent

Journey to the Cross is a daily liturgy podcast for Lent. Each week of the podcast is focused on a different theme that captures the content and tone of the Lenten season. Episodes consist of:

- Table discussions around the particular theme for that week—its connection to the season of Lent and its importance in our daily lives.
- Daily Scripture readings and prayers that engage that week's theme and walk us through Jesus' own journey to the cross.
- Songs (originals and re-worked hymns), recorded by our music team here at Providence, that correspond to each week's theme.

Our hope is that this podcast helps you to focus on Jesus this Lenten season and to be renewed in your love and affection for Him. The first episode of the podcast released on March 2. Subscribe here to follow along: **providenceaustin.com/lent**

LIFE TOGETHER CONFERENCE | March 26th • 9:00am - 1:00 pm Grace Covenant Church (9431 Jollyville Road)

The Christian life is not a solo endeavor. In Christ, we are brothers and sisters, fellow-workers, the church. We were made for life together. One of the main ways we live out our calling is through our Gospel Communities. So it's worth asking: What is our vision for GCs? What are the challenges? And what can I do to help my group pursue that vision? That is what this half-day event is all about: Gospel Communities!

And we don't want to just talk about GCs; we want to give you time and tools to work on your GC. The teaching will be focused on helping you "workshop" the ideas and principles with people in your group. It will truly be a formative and fun time together, so make sure to register here: **providenceaustin.com/LIFETOGETHER**

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.

CONNECT

If you would like to receive weekly communication or talk to someone about how to get more involved in our church, please fill out your contact info, detach the below portion, and place it in one of the offering boxes up front. You can also fill it out digitally by scanning the QR code below.

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EMAIL:		
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() Serving	() Membership	
() Baptism	() Other:	SCAN ME