

# PROVIDENCE CHURCH

SUNDAY GATHERING April 3, 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 96.1-9

## SONG ONLY A HOLY GOD

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven?
Who else could make every king bow down?
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles? Only a Holy God!

What other beauty demands such praises?
What other splendor outshines the sun?
What other majesty rules with justice? Only a Holy God!

Come and behold Him, the One and the Only Cry out, sing holy, forever a Holy God Come and worship the Holy God

What other glory consumes like fire? What other power can raise the dead? What other name remains undefeated? Only a Holy God!

Who else could rescue me from my failing? Who else would offer His only Son? Who else invites me to call Him Father? Only a Holy God, only my Holy God!

## **CONFESSION OF SIN**

God of salvation, in Christ you have done great things — our hearts are filled with joy. By your power you lifted us out of the wasteland of sin and brought us with joy and laughter into your kingdom. Salvation is your gift to us. But we confess that often we try to replace your gift with our own efforts. We try to complete what is already perfect; we try to add to what is already full; we try to earn what we already have. Forgive us for our foolishness. Help us to depend on your grace. Help us to live grateful and joyful lives in return. For Jesus' sake alone, Amen.

#### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Psalm 18:1-2,6

## **SONG PSALM 62**

My soul finds rest in God alone, my rock and my salvation A fortress strong against my foes and I will not be shaken Though lips may bless and hearts may curse and lies like arrows pierce me I'll fix my heart on righteousness, I'll look to Him who hears me

Find rest, my soul, in God alone amid the world's temptations When evil seeks to take a hold I'll cling to my salvation Though riches come and riches go, don't set your heart upon them The fields of hope in which I sow are harvested in heaven

O praise Him, Hallelujah, my Delight and my Reward Everlasting, never-failing, my Redeemer, my God

I'll set my gaze on God alone and trust in Him completely With every day pour out my soul and He will prove His mercy Though life is but a fleeting breath, a sigh too brief to measure My King has crushed the curse of death and I am His forever

O praise Him, O praise Him, Hallelujah, Hallelujah

## 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 On Christ, the Solid Rock, I stand All other ground is sinking sand All other ground is sinking sand

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

## PROFESSION OF FAITH APOSTLE'S CREED

We 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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell; the third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. We believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 19:1-10

## 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** OUR BOAST

Our boast is in Jesus, Incarnate Word, the God-head embodied in miracle birth He dawned human flesh, to end sin and death, oh our boast is in Christ, the Word

Our boast is in Jesus, our low-born Lord

Who in humble meekness made himself poor

He taught and he healed, the Kingdom revealed, oh our boast is in Christ, the Lord

Praise the Son of God, the Son of Man He's the Image of the Great I am Our Prophet, High Priest, and the Ruler of kings Oh our boast is in Christ the risen Lamb

Our boast is in Jesus, God's given Son, in love he has freed us, spilling His blood His own life he laid, then vanquished the grave, oh our boast is in Christ the Son!

Our hope is in Jesus, our cosmic King, to heaven ascended, and now intercedes And he shall return to wed heaven and earth, our hope is in Christ, the King!

# SONG JOYFUL, JOYFUL WE ADORE THEE

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of love Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee, opening to the sun above Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day

All Thy works with joy surround Thee, earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays Stars and angels sing around Thee, center of unbroken praise Field and forest, vale and mountain, flow'ry meadow, flashing sea Singing bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in Thee

Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest
Wellspring of the joy of living, ocean depth of happy rest
Thou our Father, Christ our brother, all who live in love are Thine
Teach us how to love each other, lift us to Thy joy divine

Mortals, join the mighty chorus, which the morning stars began Father love is reigning o'er us, brother love binds man to man Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife Joyful music leads us sunward, in the triumph song of life

#### 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

## Trey & Kyrsten Arbuckle

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

## Jamie & Katie Bennett

Monday • 7:00pm • Hyde Park Jamie.Bennett.tx@gmail.com

## John & Meg Gazzini

Monday · 7:30pm · Bryker Woods gazzini.meg@gmail.com

## Mark & Laura McKnight

Wednesday • 7:30pm • NW Hills laurafmcknight@gmail.com

## Ashwin & Grace Rao

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

## Will & Debbie Walker

Tuesday · 8:00pm · Tarrytown will@providenceaustin.com

## Steve & Kate Zinnecker

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

## SOUTH

# Jordan & Darby Hurst

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

## **Baird & Monica Smith**

Friday • 7:00pm • Travis Country monicamichellesmith@yahoo.com

## NORTH

#### Jake & Melanie Hebert

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

## Colby & Emily Humphrey

Tuesday • 7:45pm • I35 & Braker Ln colbyshumphrey@gmail.com

## **EAST**

## Daniel & Ellie Rogers

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

## John & Chelsea Scharbach

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#### Matt & Caroline LaFollette

Monday • 7:00pm • East Austin matthew.craig.lafollette@gmail.com

## Bill & Madi Nguyen

Monday • 7:00pm • East Austin nguyen.bill.a@gmail.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 ...

**GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE** | Friday, April 15th • 6:30-7:30pm University Avenue Church of Christ (1903 University Ave)

On Good Friday, we will gather to remember the death of Jesus. The Innocent One was punished; the Healer was wounded; the Teacher was silenced; the Son was forsaken. On Good Friday we remember the crcifixion of Christ, who suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God (1 Peter 3:18). Children are more than welcome, but no childcare will be provided. Free parking in AT&T Center garage with validated parking ticket.

# 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 round table discussions, daily scripture readings and prayers and songs 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** 

**SINGLES IN THE KINGDOM** | Saturday, May 7th, 10:00-4:00pm Grace Covenant Church (9431 Jollyville Road)

We are all called to steward our lives for the kingdom of God — our resources, time, work, and relationships. Whether you are single or married, dating or engaged, content or struggling, this event will challenge you to think biblically about your identity and calling in the family of God. This is a one-day conference in partnership with The Well Church (lunch provided). There will be worship, connection, teaching, breakouts, and even an after-conference meetup at Meanwhile Brewery! Our speaker for the event is Hunter Beaumont, a single pastor in Denver, CO. Hunter worked for 8 years as a CPA in Dallas before planting an Acts 29 church in downtown Denver. He speaks regularly on this topic and brings a refreshingly biblical and practical perspective to the conversation. The cost is \$25.

More info & Sign Up @ providenceaustin.com/SINGLESCONFERENCE

## 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