

SUNDAY GATHERING May 1, 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.

GATHERED WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 33:1-8

SONG JESUS, FOUNT OF JOY ETERNAL

Jesus, fount of joy eternal, spring of endless love divine Deepest well once poured out for us, filling empty hearts with life Come rejoice, be glad forever, come rejoice again in Christ Jesus, fount of joy eternal, precious savior, our delight

Long we drank from shallow waters, filled but never satisfied Till when Calv'ry's flood broke open, mercy flowed in full supply Oh what heights of truest pleasure, oh what depths of sacrifice Jesus, fount of joy eternal, by his blood we're washed as white

Just beyond these restless waters, there's a land where peace will reign Sin and sadness there are swallowed, in a sea of sovereign grace On those shores we'll sing forever, planted by the streams of life Jesus, fount of joy eternal, heaven's treasure our delight

Come rejoice, be glad forever, come rejoice again in Christ Jesus, fount of joy eternal, precious savior, our delight

CONFESSION OF SIN

Gracious God, we affirm that you alone are good. But we have sought our good in other things. We have pursued joy in the creation rather than in the Creator. We have not loved what is truly good. Forgive our sin, O God. Forgive us for refusing to believe that You are good, and that You do good. Have mercy upon us, according to Your goodness, according to Your unfailing love. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 36:7-9

SONG COME THOU FOUNT

Come thou fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace Streams of mercy never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above Praise the Mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love

Here I raise my Ebenezer, hither by Thy help I've come And I hope by Thy good pleasure safely to arrive at home Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood

O to grace how great a debtor, daily I'm constrained to be Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee Prone to wander, Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above

Prone to wander, Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above

SONG STEADFAST

I will build my house, whether storm or drought On the rock that does not move I will set my hope in your love, O Lord And your faithfulness will prove

You are steadfast, steadfast You are steadfast, steadfast

By the word you spoke, all the starry host are called out by name each night In your watchful care, I will rest secure as you lead us with your light

I will not trust in the strength of kings, on your promise I will stand I will shout for joy, I will raise my voice, Hallelujah to the Lamb!

In the moment of emptiness all was fulfilled In the hour of darkness Your light was revealed In the presence of death Your life was affirmed In the absence of holiness, You are still God

GATHERED WORSHIP

PROFESSION OF FAITH WESTMINSTER CONFESSION CH. 2

God has all life, glory, goodness, and blessedness in and of himself. He alone is all-sufficient, in and to himself, not standing in need of any creatures which he has made, nor deriving any glory from them, but rather manifesting his own glory in, by, to, and on them. He alone is the fountain of all being, of whom, through whom, and to whom are all things. He has absolute sovereignty over them, to do by them, for them, or upon them whatever he pleases. To him is due from angels and men, and every other creature, whatever worship, service, or obedience he is pleased to require of them.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 24:36-53

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 COME BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY Come behold the wondrous mystery in the dawning of the King He the theme of heavens praises, robed in frail humanity In our longing, in our darkness, now the light of life has come Look to Christ, who condescended, took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous mystery He the perfect Son of Man In His living, in His suffering, never trace nor stain of sin See the true and better Adam, come to save the hell-bound man Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law, in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous mystery, Christ the Lord upon the tree In the stead of ruined sinners, hangs the Lamb in victory See the price of our redemption, see the Father's plan unfold Bringing many sons to glory, grace unmeasured, love untold

Come behold the wondrous mystery, slain by death the God of life But no grave could e'er restrain Him, praise the Lord; He is alive! What a foretaste of deliverance, how unwavering our hope Christ in power resurrected, as we will be when he comes

Be Thou my vision, O 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

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 WE WILL FEAST IN THE HOUSE OF ZION We will feast in the house of Zion, we will sing with our hearts restored "He has done great things," we will say together We will feast, and weep no more

We will not be burned by the fire; He is the Lord our God We are not consumed by the flood—upheld, protected, gathered up

In the dark of night before the dawn, my soul be not afraid For the promised morning, Oh how long! O God of Jacob, be my strength!

Every vow we've broken and betrayed, You are the faithful One And from the garden to the grave, bind us together, bring shalom

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 • 135 & Braker Ln colbyshumphrey@gmail.com

EAST

Daniel & Ellie Rogers Tuesday • 7:00pm • Windsor Park ellierogers216@gmail.com

John & Chelsea Scharbach Tuesday • 7:00pm • University Hills jscharbach@gmail.com

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 • Westlake johnmgriffin@gmail.com

EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

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

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 – and 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. He speaks regularly on this topic and brings a refreshingly biblical and practical perspective to the conversation. Cost is \$25. More info & Sign Up @ **providenceaustin.com/SINGLESCONFERENCE**

PROVIDENCE KIDS DIRECTOR

We are looking for a new Providence Kids Director. As our church grows, so does the complexity of PK and the scope of care we want to offer our kids and families. On that note, we are looking for someone who loves kids, but who also has strong leadership and administration gifts. This is a part-time position, 20 hours per week with some flexibility to work from home. If you are interested or know someone who might be, go here: **providenceaustin.com/PK-DIRECTOR**

PROVIDENCE RECOVERY | Every Thursday • 7:00-8:00pm University Avenue Church of Christ

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. Our weekly meetings start at 7:00pm in the Activity Center located on the first floor of the building. You can show up to a meeting whenever you like (use the north lot for parking) or you can email **recovery@providenceaustin.com** with any questions you may have.

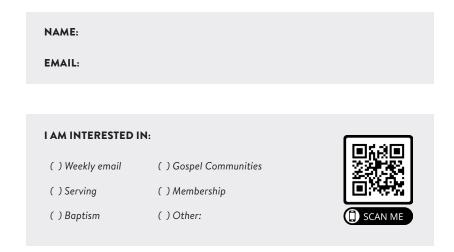
WAYS TO GIVE

We desire that generous giving would be both an act of worship and display of the grace we receieve 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.
- 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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