



PROVIDENCE CHURCH

SUNDAY GATHERING
November 20, 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

Psalms 89:5-9

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

Lord, You come to us, but we do not recognize You; You call, but we do not follow; You command, but we do not obey, You bless us, but we do not thank you. Please forgive and help us. Lord, You showed us how to carry out Your mission, but we still insist on our own; You left your throne and identified with the poor and needy, but we cling to comfort, luxury and excess; You suffered and died for all, but we are slow to accept the pain and suffering of authentic Christ-like living. In the midst of our lack of faith, You are always faithful! Please forgive and help us, You are the faithful one! Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 Peter 2:21-25

GATHERED WORSHIP

SONG HALLELUJAH, WHAT A SAVIOR!

“Man of Sorrows,” what a name, for the Son of God who came
Ruined sinners to reclaim, Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Bearing shame and disrepute, in our place condemned He stood
He bought our freedom with His blood, Hallelujah, what a Savior!

What a savior, what a King, who came to suffer for our peace

What a savior, what a King, who came to suffer

Came to suffer for our peace

Lifted up was He to die, “It is finished” was His cry
King of heaven, crucified! Hallelujah, What a Savior!

What a savior, what a King, who came to suffer for our peace

What a savior, what a King, who came to suffer, came to suffer

When He comes, our glorious King, His full reign and justice bring
And forever we will sing, Hallelujah what a Savior!
Hallelujah what a Savior! Hallelujah what a Savior!

SONG I WANT TO KNOW YOU

I’ve tried in vain a thousand ways, my fears to quell, my hopes to raise
But what I need, Your word has said, is ever, only, Jesus

You died, you live, you reign, you plead, there’s love in all your words and deeds
This weary heart finds all it needs in ever, only, Jesus

I want to know you, Jesus my Lord

King of the Heavens, King of my soul

I trade my treasure and all my rewards

Jesus to know you, then know you more

Though some should curse me for your name I have no fear, I have no shame
You stand with me for all my days, my ever, only, Jesus

Like wave after wave on the ocean, like all of the sand on the shore
Your beauty and glory are endless, O Jesus, I must know you more

GATHERED WORSHIP

PROFESSION OF FAITH ADAPTED FROM PHILIPPIANS 2

We believe the Word was in the form of God and did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped. He emptied himself, took the form of a servant, and was born in our own likeness. We believe he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death on a cross. We believe God has highly exalted him, and bestowed on him the name that is above every name. We believe that at the name of Jesus every knee shall bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth; and every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

(Torch & Middle School Sunday)

SCRIPTURE READING

1 Corinthians 9:1-18

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 CHRIST SURRENDERED ALL

All, Lord Jesus, You surrendered, all to us You freely gave
All our sin You bravely shouldered, for the world, to heal and save

All, Lord Jesus, You surrendered, all your rights You left behind
Trading might for humble weakness, for the good of all mankind

*Christ surrendered all, Christ surrendered all
For His bride and our salvation, Christ surrendered all*

All, Lord Jesus, You surrendered, all for me, your enemy
Worldly pleasures I was seeking, still, Lord, You were seeking me

All Your life is now our merit, all Your death our ransom paid
Now we feel no condemnation, just a love that cannot fade

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.
What can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

*Oh, precious is the flow, that makes me white as snow
No other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus*

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? Oh 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.

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John & Evonne Griffin

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PARTNERSHIP WITH UACC

Providence is entering into a partnership with University Avenue Church of Christ (the church that owns this building). Through this partnership, God has blessed Providence with long term stability in a central (and very strategic) part of our city. This is something we have prayed for since we launched, so we are rejoicing in God's abundant provision for our church.

This partnership opens up the ability to move our Sunday service to the morning. After a thorough process, our leadership team **has made the decision to move to morning service starting December 11th**. Here are some answers to a few questions you might have:

Q: What exactly does this partnership mean for our two churches?

We will be moving to more of a shared approach in our relationship ... 1) Shared space: Providence will have greater access and use of the UA building throughout the week. 2) Shared costs: Providence is making a long-term financial commitment to help pay for the costs of operating the UA facilities. 3) Shared ministries: We will be joining together with UA for certain ministry initiatives and activities.

Q: Does this mean that our two churches will be merging?

In short, no. UA will continue to own and maintain the building, and we will be two churches operating in the same space. They will gather for worship at the same exact time as Providence in the campus center across the small parking lot.

Q: What time will our morning service start?

10:30am. This is the time that UA is currently meeting, and since we have opened our PK ministry to their children, we want to sync up with them on start time.

Q: How does this affect parking?

The only change to parking is that we will no longer be using the small lot between the main building and the campus center. We want to allow members of UA to have full access to those spaces. All other parking options will continue to be available. (*AT&T garage, the surface lot at MLK and Colorado, and the State Parking Garage E at 17th and Colorado.*)

For full details about this transition, go to **providenceaustin.com/morning-service**
And as always, you can email us with any questions or concerns you might have: **info@providenceaustin.com**.

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.

NAME:

EMAIL:

I AM INTERESTED IN:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Weekly email</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Gospel Communities</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Serving</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Membership</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Baptism</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Other:</i> |



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