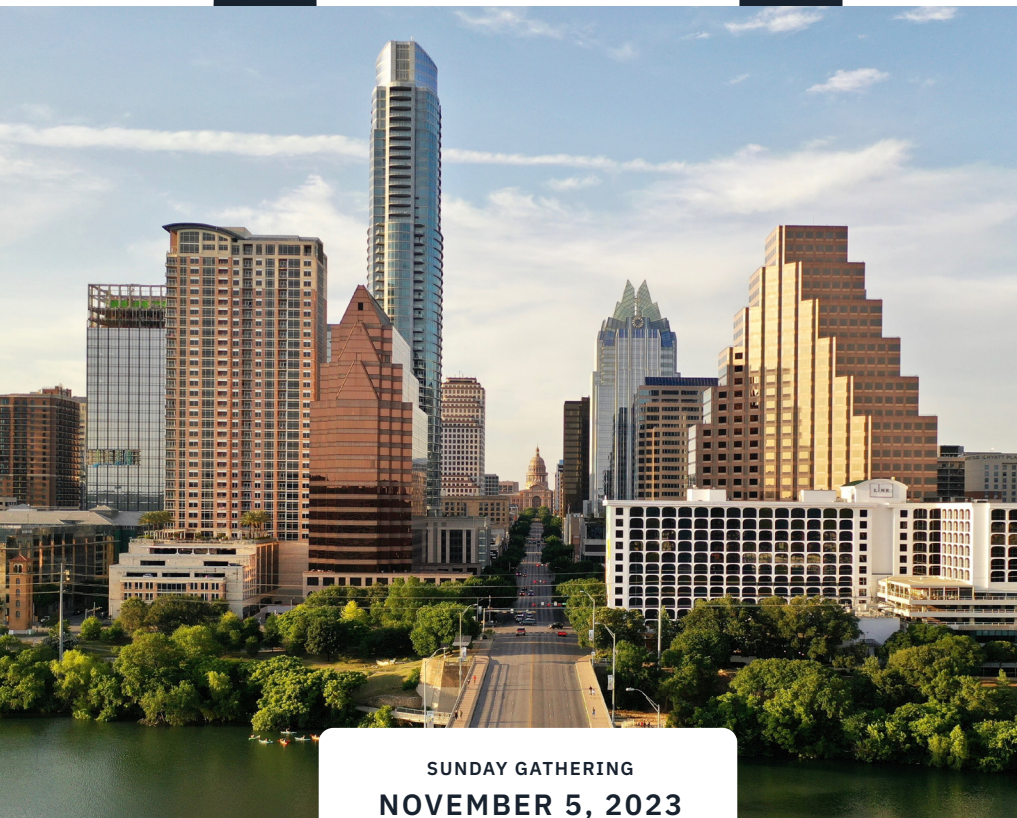


PROVIDENCE CHURCH



SUNDAY GATHERING
NOVEMBER 5, 2023

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 33

SONG | Praise to the Lord Almighty

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation
 O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation
 All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near, praise him in glad adoration

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper, thy work and defend thee
 Surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee
 Ponder anew what the Almighty can do, if with his love he befriend thee

Praise the Lord!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth
 Shelters thee under his wings yea so gently sustaineth
 Hast thou not seen how thy desires have been, granted in what he ordaineth

Praise to the Lord, O let all that is in me adore him
 All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him
 Let the amen sound from his people again, gladly forever adore him

Oh praise him, praise him, praise the Lord!

CONFESSION OF SIN

Father in heaven, we need to be forgiven. We have tried to heal ourselves. Instead of trusting in the death of Jesus Christ, we have tried to work off our guilt. We have tried so hard to pile up good deeds that outweigh our sins. Instead of trusting in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, we have tried to change through our own efforts. We have tried to change our hearts through sheer willpower. Forgive us for trying to heal ourselves. Forgive us for neglecting your grace. Forgive us and heal us, for Jesus' sake. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Colossians 2:13-14

SONG | Crown Him ◀

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne
 Hark how the heav'nly anthem drowns, all music but its own
 Awake my soul and sing of him who died for me
 And hail him as the matchless King, throughout eternity

Oh crown him, crown him, Jesus, the Lord of life, the Lord of love, the Lord of all!

Crown him the Lord of life who triumphed o'er the grave
 And rose victorious in the strife for those he came to save
 His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high
 Who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die

Oh crown him, crown him, Jesus
 The Word made flesh defeated death, when he rose
 The Crucified is seated high, upon his throne, upon his throne!

Crown him the Lord of love, behold his hands his side
 His wounds yet visible above in beauty glorified
 All hail redeemer hail, for he has died for me
 His praise and glory shall not fail, throughout eternity

SONG | Not to Us ◀

Not to us, but to your holy name, be all fame and glory
 Not to us, but to the living God, we exalt you only

Your mighty voice sung us into being now nature joins in the symphony
 The nations bow, and the demons quake, as all your saints lift up your name
 The earth and heavens prove that all the praise belongs to you

The idols made with our clever hands, can't heal or save, they have no command
 but waters rage and the mountains surge, they all obey, when you speak a word
 The earth and heavens prove that all the praise belongs to you

Not to us, glory to Yahweh

PROFESSION OF FAITH | Adapted from Ephesians 2 

We profess and affirm with the Holy Scriptures that we were dead in our trespasses and sins, in which we walked, following the passions of our flesh. We were by nature children of wrath, in bondage to sin, and unable to do what is good. But God, because of his great love, made us alive with Christ, and freed us from bondage to sin.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH 

Torch Sunday (4th & 5th graders)

READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD 

Romans 8:12-17 (pg. 888 in pew bibles)

COMMUNION 

The communion meal is a sign and seal of a believer's union with Christ. We invite all who have trusted in Christ and been baptized to partake in this meal. If you are still investigating Christianity or not sure what you believe, we invite you to observe during this time and further consider what these things mean.

SONG | Sovereign Grace O'er Sin Abounding


Sovereign grace o'er sin abounding! Ransomed souls, the tidings swell
 'Tis a deep that knows no sounding; who its breadth or length can tell?
 On its glories, let my soul forever dwell

What from Christ that soul can sever, bound by everlasting bands?
 Once in him, in him forever; thus the eternal covenant stands
 None shall take Thee, from the strength of Israel's hands

Heirs of God, joint heirs with Jesus, long ere time its race begun
 To his name eternal praises; O what wonders love has done
 One with Jesus, by eternal union one

On such love, my soul, still ponder, love so great, so rich, so free
 Say while lost in holy wonder, why, O Lord, such love to me?
 Hallelujah! Grace shall reign, Hallelujah! Grace shall reign
 Hallelujah! Grace shall reign eternally

SONG | How Deep the Father's Love for Us


How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure
 That he would give his only Son, to make a wretch his treasure
 How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns his face away
 As wounds which mar the Chosen One, bring many sons to glory

Behold the man upon a cross, my sin upon his shoulders
 Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers
 It was my sin that held him there until it was accomplished
 His dying breath has brought me life, I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no power's, no wisdom
 But I will boast in Jesus Christ, his death and resurrection
 Why should I gain from his reward? I cannot give an answer
 But this I know with all my heart, his wounds have paid my ransom

How deep, how vast, how great, his love

SONG | None But Thee ◀

Jesus, mighty King of Heaven, Thou O Lord our guide shall be
Thy commission we rely on, we will follow none but Thee

As an emblem of Thy passion and Thy victory o'er the grave
We who know Thy great salvation are baptized now beneath the wave

Fall on us O Holy Lord, our hearts O King are only yours
By your grace we live, and we will follow none but Thee
Will follow none but Thee

Fearless of the worlds despising, we the ancient path pursue
Buried with our Lord and rising, to a life divinely new

Sin shall never be our master, captives of Thy blessed grace
Offering our lives hereafter, we resolve to seek Thy face

Will follow none but Thee

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. 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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PROVIDENCE RECOVERY | EVERY THURSDAY • 7PM

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. Our weekly meetings start at 7:00pm in the Activity Center. You can email recovery@providenceaustin.com with any questions you may have.

GIVING

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.

