PROVIDENCE
CHURCH



SUNDAY GATHERING | NOVEMBER 8, 2026

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 34:1-8

SONG | O Worship the King

O worship the King, all glorious above
And gratefully sing his wonderful love
Our shield and defender the Ancient of Days
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise

O tell of his might, O sing of his grace
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space
His chariots of wrath, the deep thunderclouds form
And dark is his path on the wings of the storm

You alone are the matchless King, to you alone be all majesty
Your glories, your wonders, what tongue can recite?
We offer our praise, bowing our lives

Frail children of dust and feeble as frail
In thee do we trust, nor find thee to fail
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end
Our maker, defender, redeemer, and friend

CONFESSION OF SIN

Father, you have given us the good news of Jesus Christ, yet we are often reluctant to share it with others. We care too much about what people think of us. We fear rejection and miss opportunities to speak of Jesus. We are quick to judge, slow to listen, and often more concerned with being right than seeing others come to faith. Forgive us, Lord, for our fear, pride, and lack of love. Remind us of your mercy and give us courage to speak the truth with humility and love. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 Timothy 1:15-16

SONG | His Mercy Is More ◀

What love could remember, no wrongs we have done?
Omniscient, all-knowing, he counts not their sum
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam?
What Father so tender is calling us home?
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

Praise the Lord! His mercy is more! Stronger than darkness, new every morn
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more!

What riches of kindness he lavished on us
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford
Our sins they are many, his mercy more

SONG | His Glory and My Good ◀

I have seen my Father's glory, revealed in Jesus Christ
And the more that I behold him, the more he satisfies
When I gaze upon his beauty, when I see him as I should
Then my eyes are lifted upward, for his glory and my good

There is hope in every trial, for I can trust the Lord
He will turn my heart towards him, and help me bear the thorn
So in faith I follow Jesus, on the road not understood
For I know that he is working, for his glory and my good

To our God be the glory, to our God be praise, He alone, the name above all names
I will boast ever only in the Lord my God, for I know his glory is my good

See the open arms of Jesus, upon the cross that day
What they understood as weakness, deserves my every praise
For the charge that was against me, it was nailed into the wood
Yes, I know that he has saved me, for his glory and my good

Would I gladly be made nothing that Christ would be made more
Would I seek the only kingdom that far outweighs them all
I will stand before my Father where the faithful saints have stood
And with joy my heart shall praise him, for his glory and my good

PROFESSION OF FAITH | Adapted from 1 Corinthians 15:3-8

We believe that Christ died for our sins, according to the Scriptures. We believe that he was buried and that on the third day he was raised, according to the Scriptures. We believe that the risen Jesus appeared to Peter, then to the twelve, then to more than five hundred brothers and sisters, and finally to Paul himself. This is the gospel we have received, the truth in which we stand, and the hope that we boldly proclaim. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

READING & PREACHING OF THE WORD

Acts 26:19-32 (pg 880 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 | Come Ye Sinners ◀

Come ye sinners, poor and needy, weak and wounded, sick and sore
Jesus ready stands to save you, full of mercy, love, and pow'r

Come ye thirsty, come and welcome, God's free bounty glorified
True belief and true repentance, every grace that brings you nigh

I will arise and go to Jesus
He will embrace me in his arms
In the arms of my dear Savior
Oh, there are ten thousand charms

Come ye weary, heavy-laden, lost and ruined by the fall
If you tarry till you're better, you will never come at all

SONG | Be Thou My Vision ◀

Be Thou my vision, oh 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

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word
I ever with thee, and thou with me, Lord
Thou my great Father, and I thy true son
Thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance now and always
Thou, and thou only, the first in my heart
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art

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 | I Stand Amazed

O how marvelous! O how wonderful! And my song shall ever be
O how marvelous! O how wonderful! Is my Savior's love for me

I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene
And wonder how he could love me, a sinner condemned, unclean

He took my sins and my sorrows, he made them his very own
He bore the burden to Calvary and suffered and died alone

When with the ransomed in glory, his face I at last shall see
It will be my joy through the ages, to sing of his love for me

BENEDICTION

GOSPEL COMMUNITIES



Gospel Communities (GCs) are the primary context in our church for discipleship, community, and missional life. They are smaller groups of people within Providence who are seeking to extend grace, speak truth, deal with conflict, meet needs, and invite others in. Groups meet throughout the week and across the city.

Scan the QR code to learn more or email **gc@providenceaustin.com**.

PROVIDENCE RECOVERY



Providence Recovery is a Christ-centered, twelve-step program designed to help people point each other to Jesus for healing. We do this by providing fellowship and accountability in applying Christian principles and practices to every area of life. Our weekly meetings are on Thursdays at 7:00pm in the Activity Center (first floor of the building).

Scan the QR code to read more or email **recovery@providenceaustin.com**.

COLLEGE STUDENTS



We love college students, and we would love to help you get connected to our church. Let's get coffee or meet up on campus. We have monthly social events where you can meet new people and weekly small groups to help you grow in your faith.

Scan the QR code and fill out the form to get connected to our college director, Alex Moser (**alex@providenceaustin.com** / **214-707-7356**).

PROVIDENCE YOUTH



Middle School students (6th-8th) meet every other Sunday at 10:30am in the loft for Bible study and games.

High School students (9th-12th) meet in small groups twice a month, and a large group gathering once a month.

Scan the QR code to see the upcoming youth schedule or reach out to our youth director, Parker Puckett (**parker@providenceaustin.com**).

WORSHIP & PRAYER NIGHT | NOV. 12

Join us this Thursday, November 12 at 7:30pm at Central Christian church for a special evening of prayer for our city and celebration of how God has moved in the life of our church.

WEEKLY PRAYER GATHERING | TUESDAYS ON ZOOM

Our Tuesday morning prayer gathering will meet on Zoom to pray together for our church, our city, and the needs of those around us. Whether you've joined us before or this would be your first time, you can join us each Tuesday at 7:00am using the link at **providenceaustin.com/prayer**.

GUATEMALA TRIP 2027

Join us in Guatemala February 10-15, 2027 as we visit and serve alongside two of our international partners: Casa Bernabé and Iglesia Reforma. To register, visit **providenceaustin.com/guatemala-2027**.

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.**

