

PROVIDENCE FORGE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Clerk of Session: Chuck Hasbrouck (2026)

Admin Pillar:

Pete Adamson (2026), Lisa Ballou (2027), Kenny Evans (2027)

Christian Life Pillar:

Patty Robinson (2026), Paul Davis (2028), Davis Gammon (2026)

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Gathering to Worship

If you are new to PFPC or new to the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), welcome!

Reformed worship is centered around the Word, both the Word of scripture and Christ as the Word Incarnate. In worship we gather around the Word, engage with the Word, and respond to the Word.

Confessing to God's Mercy

In the presence of a holy God, we turn from communal praise to corporate confession, established on the promise of God's grace, is one of the hallmarks of the Reformed tradition. Being aware of the ways we fall short of God's best hopes for us, we turn to God in prayer, asking for forgiveness.

Sunday, March 15, 2026

Lenten Series: Heart-to-Heart Talks

We say the words printed in **bold** together. | † Indicates that we stand as we are able.

Prelude Melody Raef

Welcome Martha Martin

Introit "Seek Ye First" Choir

† **Call to Worship** based on Psalm 23 (CEB)

Leader: The Lord is our shepherd. We lack nothing.

People: Our God lets us rest in grassy meadows; leads us to restful waters; and keeps us alive.

Leader: The Lord guides us on proper paths for the sake of God's good name.

People: Even when we walk through the darkest valley, we will fear no danger because God is with us.

Leader: The Lord's rod and staff— they protect us.

People: God sets a table for us right in front of our enemies.

Leader: The Lord bathes our head in oil; our cup is so full it spills over!

People: Yes, goodness and steadfast love will pursue us all the days of my life, and we will live in the Lord's house as long as we live.

† **Hymn of Praise** #462 Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies

† **Call to Confession** from the Book of Common Worship

† **Prayer of Confession** adapted from the Worship Book (1970)

**O God of mercy:
You sent Jesus Christ to save the lost.
We do not deserve to be called your children,
for we have left you, and wasted our gifts.
We have failed in love, forgotten to be just, and have turned away from your truth. Help us to know that when we repent and turn to you, you are forgiving, and come with joy to welcome us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

† **Declaration of Forgiveness** from the Book of Common Worship

† **Response to God's Forgiving Love** #579 Gloria Patri

