# PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PCA

#### North Texas Presbytery

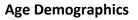
#### Midland, Texas

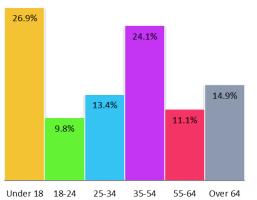
## Midland-Odessa Area Statistics

(Midland & Odessa are largely a combined community.) Mission Insite, 2024

## By the Numbers

Population:	281,774
2033 Projected Population	304,537
Median household income:	\$104,217
White Collar Workers	57.4%
Poverty Rate:	9.5%

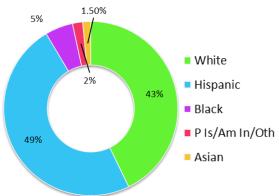




## **Marital Status**

51%
5%
12%
2%
30%

## **Racial Demographics**



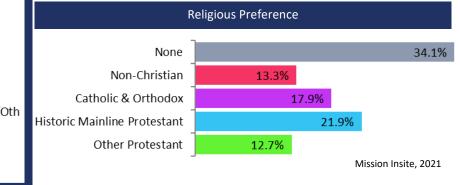
Providence Presbyterian Church in Midland, Texas, is seeking a pastor to lead in replanting the church. The Midland metro area has a population of over 300,000. Reformed teaching is needed, holding to the high view of the Bible as God's inerrant Word, while preserving and living out sola Scriptura, sola fide, sola gratia, solus Christus, and soli Deo gloria.

Midland-Odessa has a traditional Texan flare but is the "epicenter of the American oil and gas production." With its booming economy and energy tech it attracts and sends people all over the world. Like ancient Rome, it is a cross-roads community. Yet, Midland is an attractive sized community, family oriented, culturally diverse, friendly, conservative, and young, with an average age of 34.

In addition to reaching individuals and families in our community,

we hope to impact the students and faculty at the three area colleges. Join us as we seek to expand the glory of God in the Gospel through reformed teaching to the variety of cultures, risk takers, entrepreneurs and problem solvers that are drawn to the Midland-Odessa area.





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# **Midland Area Highlights**

- Excellent K-12 schooling options including public, private/academy and a variety of homeschool groups
- Midland Community College, Odessa College and University of Texas Permian Basin campuses have a combined student population >18,000.
- Parks and rec facilities provide playgrounds, sports fields, and picnic areas. There is also the COM Aquatics complex, the Bush Tennis Center and even polo to enjoy.
- Cultural opportunities abound with both local and professional performances, concerts, symphony, theater and rodeos.
- Midland Zoo is currently under construction and slated to open in 2027.
- Watch area High School Football under the "Friday Night Lights," catch a baseball game with the Midland Rockhounds, a soccer game with the West Texas FC, or a hocky game with the Odessa Jackalopes.

# Family Structure of Households

Married Couple68.1%Single Mother23.2%Single Father8.6%

## Education

(population over age 25)81.6% High School Grad or higher17.2% Bachelor's Degree7.2% Graduate or Professional Degree

# Candidate Strengths

- Pioneering mindset and energy to engage in a church replant
- Pastoral duties: praying, teaching, preaching, shepherding, helping manage administrative functions, and a priority for personal study in scripture
- Strategic leadership and visioning into the next generation of this PCA church
- Biblical exegesis and expository teaching and preaching

## Support

- The commitment, encouragement, and resources of a core group of 15+ committed believers along with the oversight of the temporary session from the North Texas Presbytery
- Routine coaching through PCA coaching resources

## Imagine

- A reformed theological gospel-centered, grace-based PCA church in Midland, Texas, focused on teaching, establishing and equipping the saints to do the good work of ministry.
- Joining in the work of the great commission through evangelism and mission within the community and to the ends of the earth.

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