

February 7, 2021



**Lenexa United
Methodist Church**

WELCOME

One: God is good...

All: All the time!

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CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Sometimes good things are right in front of us
and we don't see them.

All: Our fears and our prejudices blind us.

One: Open your eyes this day to see
the goodness of the Lord.

**All: Open our hearts, gracious God,
to receive your blessings.**

One: Hallelujah!

All: Hallelujah!

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father,
who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name.
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done
on Earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil,
for Thine is the kingdom,
and the power,
and the glory forever.*

Amen.

COMMUNITY PRAYER

*Dear God, as we face these uncertain times
in our nation and the world,
we ask you, Lord, to dwell among us.
We are comforted by the knowledge
that You alone are our Savior and Lord,
and the ultimate Master of life.
We trust our nation to Your loving care, Lord.*

*Send Your Spirit to touch the hearts
of our nation's leaders.
Give them the wisdom to know what is right,
and the courage to do it.
Give us Your light and Your truth
to guide us in our ways
so that we may seek Your will in our lives
and impact the world around us for Your Kingdom.*

**In Jesus' Name we pray.
Amen.**

*You are invited to join the Great Plains Conference and our bishop in
100 days of prayer through Easter Sunday, April 4.*

*Set apart a sacred and regular time each day to pray for our nation
and a smooth transition of power using the following prayer.*

"A PRAYER IN A TIME OF NATIONAL CRISIS"

United Methodist Book of Worship #517

***God of all the ages,
in your sight nations rise and fall
and pass through times of peril.
Now when our land is troubled,
be near to judge and save.
May leaders be led by your wisdom;
may they search your will and see it clearly.
If we have turned from your way,
reverse our ways and help us to repent.
Give us your light and your truth,
let them guide us;
through Jesus Christ,
who is Lord of this world,
and our Savior.
Amen.***