

April 3, 2022



**Lenexa United
Methodist Church**

WELCOME

One: God is good...

All: All the time!

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CALL TO WORSHIP

One: When Jesus speaks, our hearts burn within us;

All: Our eyes are opened when he breaks the bread.

One: Beloved, we are God's children now;

All: When Christ is revealed, we will be like him.

One: Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain.

All: Blessing and honor and glory to God!

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

*Lord, we know Easter is coming soon
And, while we anxiously wait to celebrate
your triumphant victory over sin and death,
there are still difficult days between now and then.
There is nothing perfect about us,
yet you beckon us with hands
that soon will be scarred by betrayal, greed,
selfishness, pettiness, pride, and apathy.
You see us and our imperfections
with compassionate and patient eyes
as we struggle to rid our lives
of all the worldly things that distort, distract,
and entangle us.
As the cross looms ahead,
our eyes and our focus are on you and you alone
for our redemption and salvation.*

*In the Name of the Suffering Savior,
we ask these things.*

Amen