

September 18, 2022



Lenexa United Methodist Church

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

*God of hope, there are many in our midst and in our community who are hurting. There are those in our midst and in our community who are suffering from physical ailments, loss of loved ones, mental, spiritual, and emotional distress. The world seems to offer little hope. The world often offers us more pain and heartache. Meanwhile, you offer hope. You offer us joy. You have provided us with a multitude of resources. Give us the guidance to use those resources in order to share your hope with those in need. Help us to give food to the hungry, drink to the thirsty, welcome to the stranger, clothes to the naked, and care to the sick and imprisoned so that through the gifts you have provided we may bring your joy to the world.
Amen.*

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: All that we are is a gift from God.

All: *The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it.*

One: All that we have is a gift from God.

All: *The world, and those who live in it.*

One: There are no words to describe the wonders of God's creation.

All: *For God has founded it on the seas.*

One: Rejoice as we join together in praise for God's great gifts.

All: *God established it on the rivers.*

