

January 8, 2023



**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.

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: The wise men came from far away.

All: Let us seek and find you, Lord.

One: The wise men followed a sign –
the bright star.

**All: Let us watch for signs to find you,
Lord.**

One: The wise men brought precious gifts
for a homeless family of a
different religion.

**All: Let us provide our precious gifts
to you, Lord.**

COMMUNITY PRAYER

*Heavenly Father,
we thank you for another day of health.
We thank you for shelter and
life-giving food and water.
You know what is best for us and
will lead us in the right path if we let you.*

*Help us discover the gifts you have given to us.
Help us to use those gifts to change the world
and be your hands and feet.
Help us to use those gifts out of love for others
and not for our own benefit.
Help us to overcome excuses
for not using our gifts.*

*We offer our prayers, presence, gifts,
service, and witness to you.*

*Help us live in such a way
to honor you in all we do.*

In your name we pray, Amen.

