



Lenexa United Methodist Church

Journeying Together Toward Spiritual Growth

August 4, 2024

10:15 A.M.

11th Sunday After Pentecost

Summer Schedule

June 2—August 25

8:00 a.m. | Worship in the Park

9:00 a.m. | Sunday School for Children, Youth, and Adults

10:15 a.m. | Combined Indoor Worship

PRELUDE

OPENING SONG

“Raise a Hallelujah”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: O come, let us sing to the Lord;

All: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

One: Let us come with thanksgiving;

All: let us come with songs of praise!

One: Great are you, God.

All: You are worthy of all our praise.

One: So with our hearts full of song, we will praise you.

All: We will praise you all of our days. AMEN!

*HYMN

“It Is Well with My Soul” vs. 1, 2, 4 UMH #377

*PASSING THE PEACE

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

Mary Clow

PRAYER SONG

“Shout to the Lord”

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

**All: 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.**

SPECIAL MUSIC

“Blessed Assurance”

Solo by Dave Glisson

*SCRIPTURE LESSON

Psalm 96:1-8

*RESPONSE

One: May God add a Blessing to the reading, hearing,
and understanding of scripture.

All: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

“This Is My Song: Then Sings My Soul”

Rev. Lori Patton Aguilar

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION/OFFERING

*In the United Methodist Church, all are welcome to share the bread and cup.
Please come by the center aisle. After receiving the bread, you may choose to
touch it to the juice in the chalice or receive the juice in a prefilled cup.*

There are gluten-free wafers available in the center.

You are welcome to pray at the altar rail after receiving the elements.

If you wish to be served in the pew, please inform an usher.

*As you come forward for communion, you have the opportunity
to light a candle. This candle can be lit in memorial, as a means of prayer,
or simply as a way for you to commune with The Holy.*

*Place your offering in the offering plate at the end of the altar rail before
returning to your seat. You may also give online at lenexaumc.org,
download the mobile app ShelbyNext Giving,
or text the amount you would like to give to (913) 444-5960.*

*RESPONSE

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH #95

*OFFERING PRAYER

*HYMN

“How Great Thou Art” vs. 1, 4 UMH #77

*BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE

“Blessed Assurance”

*POSTLUDE

*Please stand as you are able.

Sermon Synopsis: Have you ever heard the phrase, “Where words fail, music speaks”? This Hans Christian Andersen quote is relatable in so many ways. Sometimes we are reaching out to God to raise a Hallelujah or a shout to the Lord! Sometimes we are simply listening, trying to soak in the echoes of mercy and whispers of love. And sometimes it is the peaceful melody reassuring us that it is well with our soul. Today, we begin to hear how Christian music intertwines with our faith.

Music Leaders: Tree of Life Band and Nan Hulett

Liturgist: Tammy Shepherd

Media Techs: Mary Clow, Macey Deweese, C.J. Cooper

All are welcome at LUMC!

To our guests—welcome! Thank you for worshiping with us! Please provide your name and information on the Friendship Pad. If you do not have a church home, we invite you to join our community. Contact Pastor Lori if you are interested in discussing membership.

Friendship Pad: Please take a moment to record your presence, and then pass the pad to others sitting in your row.

Hearing aids that receive sound directly from the PA system and **large-print hymnals** are available from an usher.

Children are always welcome in worship services.

Nursery Care is available for infants and toddlers in Room 206.

Sunday School (All classes meet at 9:00 a.m. over the summer):

Nursery Care (3 years and under) - Room 206

Kid’s Kingdom (4 years-5th grade) - 2nd floor Education Building

Youth (6th-12th grade) - Loft

YAC: Young Adults Conversations - Underground

Spectrum (adults) - Room 122

Foundations (adults) - Wesley Room

Dashers (adults) - Asbury Room

Contact the church office for more information about small groups.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Lori Patton Aguilar | Senior Pastor

Paige Foster | Youth and Congregational Ministries

Mary Clow | Children’s Ministries

Megan Taylor | Preschool/CDO

Ann Ober | Nursery Supervisor

Blair Penney, Nan Hulett, Trey Bures, & Liesel Stephens | Music Staff

Linda Stokes | Business Administrator

Lauren Lanigan | Communications

UPCOMING EVENTS & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



HOME MEET AND GREETINGS | Sign up outside the Sanctuary to attend a home dinner meet and greet with Pastor Lori and John Patton Aguilar. You can also sign up by contacting the church office at office@lenexaumc.org or 913-888-5600.



TREASURER'S REPORT | See the latest financial news about your church. Pick up a copy of the 2nd Quarter Treasurer's report on the information table at the top of the stairs by the office or email linda.stokes@lenexaumc.org, and Linda will send one to you.



UPPER ROOM | The July-August Upper Rooms are here. Pick one up at the top of the stairs by the church office or contact us (office@lenexaumc.org or 913-888-5600) and we will mail one to you.



PARK & PLAY | Join us on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 10-11 a.m. at a different park for play time, snack time, and music/story time. Bring your kids, grandkids, and friends as we get out in the community and have fun! On August 17 we will be at Electric Park (95th and Loiret).



BACK TO SCHOOL BLESSING | On August 18 we will celebrate the season of Back to School with a blessing for students, teachers, and school staff during worship at both the 8:00 Worship in the Park and 10:15 indoor worship service. Goody bags will be handed out to kids, teachers, and school staff in attendance. Invite those in your life who are celebrating this season of Back to School to join us for worship!



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS | We invite you to join us for a Blessing of the Animals during our final Worship in the Park this year on August 25 at 8:00 a.m. by the gazebo at Sar-Ko-Par Trails Park. Bring your furry, scaly, or feathered friends (or a picture of them if they don't travel well) for our Blessing of the Animals.



WORSHIP SCHEDULE | Our summer worship schedule continues through August 25. The regular worship and Sunday School schedule will resume on September 1 with 9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship, 10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship, and Heavenly Half Hour from 10-10:30. Starting September 1, Foundations, Spectrum, and Kid's Kingdom Sunday School will meet at 9:00 a.m. and Dashers, Young Adult Conversations, Youth, and Kids Connect Sunday School will meet at 10:30 a.m.



DINNER'S ON US | Tell your family, friends, and neighbors because dinner's on us! A free drive through community meal of pulled pork or PB&J sandwiches, chips, and dessert is served every Wednesday evening from 5:30—6:30 p.m. in the west parking lot.



FOOD PANTRY | The Johnson County Multi-Service Center is in need of cereal, ramen noodles, hearty soup, and rice. Please bring donations to the gray bins in the hallway outside of the church office.

THIS WEEK AT LENEXA UMC

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

8:00 a.m. Worship in the Park | Sar-Ko-Par Trails Park
9:00 a.m. Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults
10:00 a.m. Heavenly Brew Fellowship Time | Schneeberger Hall
10:15 a.m. Worship Service | Sanctuary and Online
11:30 a.m. Worship Team Meeting | Wesley Room
3:00 p.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
4:00 p.m. LUMYouth Group | Schneeberger Hall
5:00 p.m. Heartland Square Dancers | Underground
6:00 p.m. Bible Conversations | Wesley Room

MONDAY, AUGUST 5

10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting | Library
7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 186 Troop Meeting | Schneeberger Hall

TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

Election Day | Wesley Room

10:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Group | Library
6:30 p.m. Heartland Square Dancers | Underground
6:30 p.m. Young People's AA | Schneeberger Hall
8:00 p.m. AA | Room 113

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

5:30 p.m. Dinner's On Us | Drive Through
6:30 p.m. Back to Basics (AA) | Room 113
7:00 p.m. Tree of Life Praise Band Rehearsal | Sanctuary

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8

10:00 a.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
10:00 a.m. Susanna Circle | Wesley Room
5:00 p.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
6:00 p.m. Prayer Group | Wesley Room
7:00 p.m. Oxford Hustlers 4-H Club Meeting | Underground
7:00 p.m. Tai Chi | Schneeberger Hall
7:00 p.m. Young People's AA | Asbury Room

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10

10:00 a.m. Stateline Rug Hooking Guild | Schneeberger
10:00 a.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11

8:00 a.m. Worship in the Park | Sar-Ko-Par Trails Park
9:00 a.m. Sunday School for Children, Youth and Adults
10:00 a.m. Heavenly Brew Fellowship Time | Schneeberger Hall
10:15 a.m. Worship Service | Sanctuary and Online
11:30 a.m. Endowment Meeting | Library
3:00 p.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
4:00 p.m. LUMYouth Group | Schneeberger Hall
5:00 p.m. Heartland Square Dancers | Underground
6:00 p.m. Bible Conversations | Wesley Room

"E" room numbers designate rooms in the Education Building.
Check website calendar or door stand calendar
to verify meetings as locations are subject to change



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