

9:00 A.M. Worship

GATHERING SONG *“You’ve Got a Friend in Me”*

GREETING

***OPENING SONG** *“Any More”*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CELEBRATION SONG *“What a Beautiful Name”*

***SHARING OUR PRAYERS AND GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

*You are invited to come forward at this time if you wish.
You can light a candle in memorial or as a means of prayer.*

*You may place your gifts in the offering plates
at the front or back of the Sanctuary.*

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download the mobile app ShelbyNext Giving,
or text the amount you would like to give to (913) 444-5960.*

***RESPONSE** *“Doxology”*

***OFFERING PRAYER**

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC *“Goodness of God”*
The Ten Co-band-ments

SCRIPTURE LESSON Joshua 1:7-9

RESPONSE

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

Together: *Thanks be to God.*

MESSAGE Logan Efurd

***PRAISE SONG** *“Nobody Loves Me Like You”*

***BENEDICTION**

***BLESSING SONG**

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

May 17, 2026

Graduation Sunday/UM Student Day

Today we recognize our graduating seniors!
Logan Efurd is our Graduating High School Senior. Today we will hear
a little bit about his faith journey as he shares the message!

Liturgists: 9:00 | Dustin Nichols 10:30 | Eli Buell, Michael Vyhldal
Music Leaders: 9:00 | Tree of Life Praise Band 10:30 | Chancel Choir
Ushers: 9:00 | Tim Cooney
10:30 | Brian McNichols, Janice Nelson
Media Techs: Mary Clow, Macey Cooper, C.J. Cooper,
Kari Turley, Pat Turley

All are welcome at LUMC!

To our guests—welcome! Thank you for worshipping 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.
A **Family Room** with a livestream of worship is available in the church library.
Nursery Care is available for infants and toddlers in Room 206.

9:00 a.m. Sunday School:

Kid’s Kingdom (4 years-5th grade) - 2nd floor Education Building
Spectrum (adults) - Room 122 | Foundations (adults) - Wesley Room

10:30 a.m. Sunday School:

Preschool Class (3-4 years) and Kids Connect (5 years-5th grade)
Meet in Sanctuary, Pick up in Education Building
Dashers (adults) - Asbury Room

Contact the church office for more information about small groups.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Lori Patton Aguilar | Senior Pastor
Mary Clow | Children’s Ministries and Communications
Megan Taylor | Preschool/CDO
Blair Penney, Nan Hulett, Trey Bures, & Liesel Stephens | Music Staff
Holly West | Office Administrator
Julie Smith | Design Specialist
All of Us | Ministers

10:30 A.M. Worship

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPECIAL MUSIC *“Goodness of God”*
The Ten Co-band-ments

***CALL TO WORSHIP** See screen or insert

***OPENING HYMN** *“This Is a Day of New Beginnings”*
UMH #383 vs. 1, 2, 4

***PASSING THE PEACE**

CHILDREN’S MOMENT Mary Clow

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH See screen or insert

CANDLELIGHTING AND GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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

***OFFERING PRAYER**

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER

ANTHEM *“Just A Closer Walk With Thee”*
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON Joshua 1:7-9

RESPONSE

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

Together: *Thanks be to God.*

MESSAGE Logan Efurd

***CLOSING HYMN** *“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”* UMH #103

***BENEDICTION**

***POSTLUDE**

*Please stand in body or in spirit.

UPCOMING EVENTS & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



UNITED METHODIST STUDENT DAY | Today is United Methodist Student Day. The offerings we collect today directly fund scholarships and grants for students within The United Methodist Church. You can support the special offering in the offering plate, by mailing a check to the church office, or online at lenexaumc.org/give.



MISSION OF THE MONTH | Our May Mission of the Month is the LUMC Preschool Scholarship fund. Thank you for your support of our preschool families in times of financial need. Donations can be made in the offering plate or online at lenexaumc.org/give.



PARK & PLAY | Join us at Scouting Park (94th and Haskins) on **Saturday, May 23**, from 10–11 a.m. for Park & Play! Children will have fun playing together, and we'll gather at the end for a snack and music/story time. Invite your friends to join us!



TOGETHER SUNDAY AT THE PARK | On **May 31**, we will celebrate our next 5th Sunday Together. Adult and children's Sunday School will meet at 9:00 a.m. at LUMC, followed by one combined worship service at 10:30 a.m. at the Sunflower Shelter at Sar-Ko-Par Trails Park with music led by the Park Players. Please bring your own lunch for a church picnic following worship.



SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE | Our summer worship schedule starts **June 7!** Worship in the Park is at 8:00 a.m. by the gazebo at Sar-Ko-Par Trails Park. Bring a chair or a blanket. Sunday School for children and adults meets at 9:00 a.m. followed by Heavenly Half Hour snack and fellowship time from 10-10:30. We will have one combined indoor worship service at 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary with a mix of traditional and contemporary music.



WORSHIP IN THE PARK GUITAR PLAYERS | We are looking for volunteers to play guitar for the 8 a.m. Worship in the Park service this summer. You can sign up for weeks you are available at lenexaumc.org/signup.



SUMMER BIBLE STUDY | Join us for a 9-week Summer Bible study starting June 3 on Wednesdays from 6–7 p.m. at Scouting Park (94th & Haskins). Bring Dinner's On Us from LUMC to enjoy at the park as we discuss *Alphabet of Faith: Prophetic Prayers for a Chaotic World* by Walter Brueggeman. Children are welcome to play at the playground during the study. Everyone is invited! Questions? Contact Mary Clow at mary.clow@lenexaumc.org



POST-SECONDARY SCHOLARSHIPS | Applications are open for post-secondary undergraduate scholarships through LUMC Endowment Funds. Applications are due June 30 and require an essay, two letters of recommendation, and an official school transcript. Requirements: member of LUMC, 2.5 GPA or GED, full-time student at an accredited institution, and have not received an LUMC scholarship in the past. Pick up an application in the church office or email office@lenexaumc.org.

THIS WEEK AT LENEXA UMC

SUNDAY, MAY 17

9:00 a.m. Worship Service | Sanctuary and Online
 9:00 a.m. Sunday School for Children and Adults
(see class list inside bulletin)
 10:00 a.m. Heavenly Half Hour | Schneeberger Hall
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service | Sanctuary and Online
 10:30 a.m. Sunday School for Children and Adults
(see class list inside bulletin)
 1:30 p.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
 4:00 p.m. LUMYouth Group | Schneeberger Hall
 6:00 p.m. Bible Conversations | Wesley Room

MONDAY, MAY 18

6:30 p.m. Leadership Board Meeting | Wesley Room
 7:00 p.m. Scouts BSA Troop 186 | Schneeberger Hall
 7:00 p.m. Tai Chi | Underground

TUESDAY, MAY 19

10:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Group | Wesley Room
 10:00 a.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
 7:00 p.m. Peaceful Stretch | Schneeberger Hall
 8:00 p.m. AA | Room 113

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

12:00 p.m. Messenger Deadline—
 send to communications@lenexaumc.org
 5:00 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, MAY 21

10:00 a.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
 5:00 p.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
 7:00 p.m. Friends & Followers Christ Care Group | Library
 7:00 p.m. Tai Chi | Schneeberger Hall
 7:00 p.m. Young People's AA | Asbury Room

SATURDAY, MAY 23

10:00 a.m. Ethiopian Church Group | Sanctuary
 10:00 a.m. Park & Play | Scouting Park

SUNDAY, MAY 24

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"E" room numbers designate rooms in the Education Building.

Check website or door stand calendar to verify meetings as locations are subject to change.



Lenexa United Methodist Church

Journeying Together Toward Spiritual Growth



*"I hereby command you: Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."
 Joshua 1:9*

Welcome to Lenexa United Methodist Church

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9:00 AND 10:30 A.M.

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