



GATHERING

Gathering Music	<i>Faithfulness Medley</i>	Emily Jenkins
Gathering		
* Call to Worship		
* Song of Faith:	<i>There's a Wideness in God's Mercy</i>	UMH 121

ENGAGING

The Brown Bag Mystery Tour R² & The AUMC Young Ones
Children and youth of all ages and stages are welcome to come to the front of the sanctuary to hang out with Rev. Rebecca as we discover the surprise awaiting us in the Brown Bag.

Prayer for Illumination

A Poetic Pause

The Story John 8:2-11, CEB | Matthew 23:23, CEB

The Story in Song *Let Us Remember*

Message *the good news is . . . rooted in justice, mercy, and faithfulness*

Affirmation of Faith

THANKSGIVING

Call to Prayer *Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)*

Call to Confession | Prayer of Confession | Words of Forgiveness

Prayers of the People | The Lord's Prayer (UMH 895)

Celebrating Generosity

One of the ways we give thanks to God at Avondale UMC is by meeting God's generosity with our own. The Connection Card is a tool for offering to God our acts of discipleship throughout the previous week. It's also a place to share with the pastor any prayer



requests. As the offering plate comes your way, we encourage you to connect with your nearest neighbors. You may use the QR code to make e-donations.

Musical Offering	Still Waters	Emily Jenkins
* Doxology	Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	UMH 95
* Prayer of Dedication		

SENDING

Next Steps

These upcoming opportunities are a chance to take next steps in our faith, growing deeper in God, and carrying this week's message into the world. Be sure to mark your calendars and invite others to join us.

* Song of Faith	Put a Little Love in Your Heart
* Blessing	
Parting Music	Put a Little Love in Your Heart

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastor: Rev. Rebecca Dunger Peak

Music Director: Kevin Hershberger

IT Director: Brent Henry

Tech Team: Brent Henry & Cheryl Henry

Ministers: The People

Guest Musician: Emily Jenkins, Piano & Vocals

Worship Leader: Kathy Irvine

Candle Lighters: Our Youth



Connect with us

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To connect with us on Slack for general church chats and/or the Prayer Chain send a request to Brent at avondaleumctech@gmail.com

As United Methodists, we believe in open hearts, open minds, and open doors. The congregation of Avondale United Methodist Church in Kansas City, Missouri, is open to all of God's children. We welcome, include, fully affirm, and celebrate the lives of all people. People of all physical and mental ability, race, ethnicity, age gender, gender identity, gender expressions, family structure, marital status, socio-economic class, faith history, and sexual orientation are welcome, affirmed, and loved here. We believe that all individuals are created by love in God's image. As a Reconciling Ministry Church, we strive to create a safe space and a community that enriches the life of each person. We embrace our diversity and invite all to be a vital part of our church family and ministry. ~ Adopted November 2019

