

AVONDALE UMC | 08.04.24



WELCOME

WE'RE BLESSED TO WORSHIP TOGETHER!

GATHERING

Gathering Music

God So Loved

Gathering

* Call to Worship

* Song of Faith

In Christ There Is No East or West

UMH 548

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.

Scripture

John 3:1-17

Act of Praise

Sanctuary

Val Fagan, Guitar & Vocal

Message

Memory Issues

Rev. Emily Stirewalt

THANKSGIVING

Call to the Table

Come, Share the Lord

FWS 2269

Gathering at the Table of Christ

As you come forward to receive communion you are invited to place your tithes, offerings, and Connections Card in the plate. Everyone is invited to the Feast of Grace. Gluten-Free crackers and a dedicated Gluten-Free cup are available to the pastor's left. If, for any reason, you are not able to partake of the bread and cup, know that you are still welcome to celebrate with us. Simply come forward with arms crossed over your chest and the pastor will be honored to offer a blessing for you.



Invitation | The Great Thanksgiving | The Lord's Prayer | Breaking the Bread

Sharing the Feast | Music for Feasting | Returning Thanks

SENDING

Upcoming

These upcoming opportunities are a chance to carry this week's message into the world. Be sure to mark your calendars and invite others to join us.

* Song of Faith

Spirit Song

UMH 347

Blessing

Parting Music

Spirit Song

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastor: Rev. Rebecca Dunger Peak

Ministers: The People

Guest Speaker: Rev. Emily Stirewalt

Worship Leader: Rev. Kristy Schmitz

Music Director: Kevin Hershberger

Guest Musician: Val Fagan, Guitar & Vocals

Tech Team: Brent Henry & Mike Slavik

Candle Lighters: Our Youth



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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



RECONCILING MINISTRIES NETWORK