

NOVEMBER 22, 2026

GATHERING

Gathering Music	*Thanksgiving!*	Joel Morrison, vocalist
Gathering		
* Call to Worship		
* Song of Faith	We Gather Together	# 131 UMH
Prayer of Confession		
Words of Assurance		
Passing of the Peace		

ENGAGING

Scripture		Psalm 100, Luke 17:11-19
Song of Faith	For the Beauty of the Earth	#92 UMH
Sermon	*An Attitude of Gratitude*	Rev. Susan Cox

THANKSGIVING

Call to Prayer	Give Thanks	#2036 TFWS
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. You may scan the QR code to give online.

Musical Offering *Thanks Be to God* Joel Morrison vocals, Mike Slavik

Trumpet

* Doxology *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH 94

* 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.

Closing Hymn God Be With You Till We Meet Again #672 UMH

* Blessing

Parting Music God Be With You Till We Meet Again

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Pastor: Rev. Susan Cox Ministers: The People

Music Director: Kevin Hershberger Worship Leader: Elizabeth Boman

Tech Team: Mike Slavik & Joseph Slavik Candle Lighters: Our Youth

Guest Musician: Joel Morrison, vocals, Mike Slavik, trumpet

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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

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