

**Welcome to our guests! Please stop by the
Welcome Center after the service for a special gift.**

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Welcome Desk - Patsy Porter

**Previous video messages and the church calendar are
available on the website at www.avonumc.com.**

**Remember to record your attendance in Realm or use
the attendance pad found in the pew or on the
chairs and pass to those in your row.**

**NA meets in the AUMC building on Mondays at 6:30 pm.
AA meets on Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:00 pm. For more
information about AA, please contact Dan: 765-513-0588.**

**Please make sure you keep a lid on your coffee cups in the
Narthex and the Gathering area. Your help keeping coffee out
of the Chapel and Sanctuary is appreciated. Thank you!**



**PALM
SUNDAY**



April 13, 2025

Traditional Worship: 8:30 am

Blended Worship: 10:00 am

8:30 am Worship

Prelude Dianne Perry, organ
"Ride On, Ride On in Majesty" - Dan R. Edwards

Welcome & Announcements Pastor Ed

Call to Worship Pastor Danny

Musical Call to Worship Chancel Choir
"Open Wide the Gates"

Hymn **No. 280, vs. 1-4**
"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

Prayer Gary Robinson

Special Music "In the Name of the Lord" Chancel Choir

***Children are dismissed to Children's Church.**

Hymn "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" **No. 278**

"Not What We Expected" Drama

Scripture Luke 19:28-40 Pastor Danny

Message Pastor Danny
"Thank God. Jesus is Different!"

Hymn "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" **No. 277**

Time of Offering & Pastoral Prayer Pastor Danny

Give now via the wooden offering boxes, mail or bring your offering to the church office, Scan the QR Code, or text "AVONUNITED" to 73256 to give.



Doxology

Benediction Pastor Danny

Postlude Dianne Perry, organ
"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" - Kevin Uppercue

***This year's Easter Offering will go to support of the Hendricks County Food Pantry Coalition and Hope Clinic.**

***If you have a graduate this year,** please let the church office know at 317-272-4068 or office@avonumc.com.

***There will be a International Bereaved Mother's Day Service** on Sunday, May 4th at 2:30 pm in the Chapel sponsored by AUMC Stephen Ministry. Debbie Alexander will be the guest speaker.

***Are you new to AUMC?** Have you been attending for a while and feeling ready to seek new connections? If so, please consider joining a three session gathering called "Simple Group." All are welcome! We will focus on three simple questions: "Who Am I?"..."Who Is God?"..."Who Are We Together?" Simple Group will meet in Room 110 for an hour on Sundays from 11:15 am - 12:15 pm after the 10:00 worship service. Meeting dates are May 4th, May 18th, and June 1st. If planning to attend, please contact Donna Curtis at dsuecurtis@gmail.com to assist with the preparation of materials.

***Sunday, May 4th - You are invited to mark your calendar for a very special day.** Pastor Danny's seminary professor, Dr. Jack Levison, is scheduled to be our guest preacher that morning to begin the Renewal season and Danny's sabbatical. An all-church Pitch-in Dinner is schedule for that evening at 5:00 pm, followed by a workshop about the Holy Spirit taught by Dr. Levison.

***Renewal Book - A "Fresh Air: The Holy Spirit For An Inspired Life"** book by Jack Levison is available for each AUMC household today. Dr. Levison will preach based upon the book on May 4th. Opportunities for renewal during the months of May - June include reading and discussing the "Fresh Air" book with others or on your own.

Announcements

*Lenten Breakfast Schedule

Breakfasts are from 7:30 – 8:45 am

Saturday, April 19th - Pittsboro UMC

***The Sages small group** will meet at 11:30 am on Maundy Thursday, April 17th at The Pancake Emporium.

*Maundy Thursday Meal & Communion Service on April 17th

An all-church fellowship opportunity April 17th at 6:00 pm in The Gathering Place (Between Door 1 and the Sanctuary). **Soups are needed for the meal. If you are interested in providing a soup** for about 20 to 25 people, please contact the church office or stop by the Welcome Desk.

***Good Friday Service, April 18th at 6:00 pm in the Chapel.**

***Candy Drop & Egg Hunt, April 19th beginning at 9:00 am.**

***Easter Sunrise Service, April 20th at 6:45 am, Wesley Pavilion.**

***Easter Celebration Worship, April 20th, 8:30 & 10:00 am.**



***Save the dates for VBS 2025 - June 23rd - 27th from 9:00 am - Noon!** Registration will open on April 19th. The VBS team is now collecting Capri Suns. Please leave your Capri Sun donations in the Coat Room.

10:00 am Worship

Prelude Dianne Perry, organ
"Ride On, Ride On in Majesty" - Dan R. Edwards

Call to Worship

Musical Call To Worship Chancel Choir
"Open Wide the Gates" Kids with Palm procession

Songs "Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)" Praise Band
"Hosanna"

Prayer Pastor Ed

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Postlude Praise Band

PRAYER list...

Our Church Family

Linda Britton
Ron Hilton

Jim & Ann Wriston

Continued Healing & Grace

Brenda Hull, John Sharkey, Penny Hanlon, Nancy Schooley, Troy Brownfield, Alice King, Doris Pellom, Bob Thompson, & Betty Vogel

Our Extended Families & Friends

Ron - father of Susan Imel; *David* - father-in-law of Rae Anna Reason; *Joshua* - stepbrother of Clark Oldland

Continued Healing & Grace Extended Families & Friends

Reily Novak - niece of Mary Sue Lisby; *Miles* - grandson of Deane & Nancy Duncan; *Nora* - granddaughter of Sebastine & Karen Ujereh; *Alyssa* - granddaughter of Bob & Joyce Thompson; *Ken & Jim* - friends of Joanne Barrick; *Gladys* - mother of Lisa Dick

Those Serving Our Country in the Military

This week's military persons of the week are:

Bridget Logeais

Ryan Filek

Our Card Ministry

Linda Sweany



Giving



Ways to Give:

1. Offering boxes on Sunday
2. Text AVONUNITED to 73256
3. Scan the Giving QR Code
4. Drop off or mail to the church

Attendance



Other Ways to Support AUMC:

1. Select AUMC as your rewards partner at Kroger Community Rewards.
2. Through IRA distributions
3. Through your estate
4. With your time

Prayer



Pledge

