

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

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Previous video messages and the church calendar are available on the website at [www.avonumc.com](http://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!



**April 27, 2025**

**Traditional Worship: 8:30 am**

**Blended Worship: 10:00 am**

## 8:30 am Worship

**Prelude** Dianne Perry, organ  
"Thine Is the Glory" - Arr. Marvin Gaspard

**Welcome & Announcements** Pastor Ed

**VBS Skit** Holly Collins & Christine Aguiar

**Call to Worship** Pastor Danny

**Hymn** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" **No. 89**

**Prayer** Pastor Rob

**Special Music** "On Eagles Wings" Ashley Childers

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

**Hymn** "Lead On, O King Eternal" **No. 580**

**Scripture** John 20:19-31

**Message** "Peace Be With You" Pastor Danny

**Hymn** "Here I Am, Lord" **No. 593**

**Time of Offering & Pastoral Prayer** Pastor Rob

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**

**Special Music** "Birthday Cake" Jumpstart Music  
Directed by Erin & Preston Curry

**Benediction** Pastor Danny

**Postlude** Dianne Perry, organ  
Postlude on "Hallelujah! Thine the Glory" - David Lasky

**\*Ruth Circle** will meet on Monday, May 5th at 1:30 pm in Conference Room 1. Please remember to bring items for the Blessing Box.

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

**\*Prime Timers** - There are only a few spot available for the Amish Lady luncheon on May 13th. Please contact Janell Miller asap if you are interested in attending. **The group will leave the church promptly at 10:45 am.**

**\*UWF Spring Tea, Saturday, May 17th in Fellowship Hall at Noon** - Refreshments will be provided and you are invited to bring your own tea cup. The guest speaker will be Rev. Meredith McNabb, Associate Superintendent of the Central District of INUMC. She will be speaking on "The Journey Together". Tickets will be sold before and after the Sunday services starting today and on May 4th & 11th. The cost is \$5 and will benefit AUMC UWF local projects.

**\*Save the dates for VBS 2025 - June 23rd - 27th from 9:00 am - Noon.** Registration is now open! The VBS team is collecting Capri Suns. Please leave your Capri Sun donations in the Coat Room. You can order t-shirts and a music download through the Realm App or on the church website.

Come along for an Alaskan adventure...

**JUNE 23-27** 9am-12pm

**VBS 2025** Gr. PreK-6

**Kid Registration!** PreK-5th Registration April 19-June 7!

**Volunteer Sign Up!** 6th-12th & Adult Volunteers Needed!

**Donations!** Your donation helps us keep VBS free for kids!

Kid Registration link [HERE](#).  
Volunteer Registration link [HERE](#).  
Donations link [HERE](#).

## Announcements

**\*Today** - Join us in the Narthex and the Gathering Place after services for cake and to celebrate AUMC's Endowment Fund's 18th Birthday. The Endowment Fund is the gift that keeps on giving by investing your gifts and using the dividends and interest to support church ministries.

**\*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. The guest speaker will be Debbie Alexander.

**\*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. 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.

**\*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.

**\*Just a reminder - Koinonia** would appreciate large bags, colored bags, and white bags for waving mats. At this time, they have plenty of gray bags.

## 10:00 am Worship

**Prelude** Dianne Perry, organ  
"Thine Is the Glory" - Arr. Marvin Gaspard

### Call to Worship

**Songs** "Jesus Lead On" Praise Band  
"Awaken The Dawn"

**Prayer** Pastor Ed

**Special Music** "Birthday Cake" Jumpstart Music  
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**Special Music** "Hymn to the Trinity" Chancel Choir

**Scripture** John 20:19-31

**Message** "Peace Be With You" Pastor Danny

**Hymn** "Here I Am, Lord" **No. 593**

**New Members** Keith & Nancy Bruning, Marsha Bruning,  
Ashley Childers, Bob & Hannah Heit, Janell Miller, Bob &  
Shirley Russel, Bobby & Lilli Thalken, and Terri Williams

**Offering & Pastoral Prayer** Pastor Rob  
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**Postlude** Praise Band

# Prayer List

## Our Church Family

Jim & Ann Wriston

### Sympathy to:

The family and friends of Ron Hilton upon his death.

David Sinclair and family upon the death of his brother, Bob.

### Continued Healing & Grace

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

### Our Extended Families & Friends

*Tim* - brother of Teresa Donohue; *Cammy* - great niece of Linda Letourneau; *Ron* - father of Susan Imel

### 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:

Drew Schmidt      Brody Katterheinrich

### Our Card Ministry

Sarah Willis

## Ways to Support AUMC

### 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

