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!





November 24, 2024 Traditional Worship: 8:30 am Blended Worship: 10:00 am

8:30 am Worship Prelude Dianne Perry, organ "All Thanks and Praise to God" - Lani Smith Welcome & Announcements Pastor Ed **Call to Worship** Pastor Danny "How Great Thou Art" Hymn No. 77 Pastor Rob Prayer **Special Music Spirit Ringers** "Grazioso" *Children are dismissed to Children's Church. "I Am Thine, O Lord" Hymn No. 419 Scripture John 4:7-15 Message Pastor Danny "Practical Discipleship: Practice the Ordinances" For Holiness of Heart in Unison No. 401 "Take Time to Be Holy" Hymn No. 395 **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

Benediction

Pastor Danny

Postlude

Dianne Perry, organ "Give Thanks" - Henry Smith

*Save the Dates! Hanging of the Greens, Sunday, December 1st at 6:30 pm, Sanctuary Breakfast in Bethlehem Saturday, December 7th, 9:00 - 11:00 am Christmas Cantata Sunday, December 22nd at 8:30 & 10:00 am, Sanctuary Christmas Eve Candlelight Services

4:00 & 6:00 pm, Sanctuary; 8:00 pm, Chapel

*The Village of Avon Worship Team wishes to invite you to join us on December 8th to sing Christmas carols with the residents of the Memory Care unit. A strong singing voice is not required – just the desire to share God's love through song. The Village of Avon is located at 4171 Forest Pointe Circle on County Rd. 400 E, between Old and New 36. The door is on the north side of the building. We meet in the lobby by 1:20 pm and head back to the unit at 1:30 pm. We usually wrap up around 2:00 pm. Children are more than welcome to attend. This worship team goes to The Village every 2nd Sunday of the month so please come as you are able. Send any questions to Sally Wilson at cwilson13@indy.rr.com.

*December 14th from 5:00 - 7:30 pm, Echo Youth will be turning the downstairs into the Echo Diner. We will be providing a menu of spaghetti, garlic bread and hot dogs, chips, and cookies. We are asking for reservations at 30-minute increments. Cost is \$10/adults, \$5/under 12, and free will donations accepted. 100% of the profits will go towards the Echo Winter retreat in January. Please contacting Dustin Etting at dustinetting@avonumc.com with any questions. Sign up using the QR Code below.



<u>Announcements</u>

*Today - Hope, Healing & Joy Service at 7:00 pm in the Chapel.

*Hanging of the Green is next Sunday, December 1st at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. We would love to have your delicious cookies to celebrate the season after the service. Please drop off Sunday morning of the service in the Fellowship Hall kitchen. Thank you!

*We are looking for someone to volunteer in the toddler/preschool room for the Christmas Eve 4:00 pm service on December 24th. Please contact Nancy Moon at nancymoon@avonumc.com.

***Ruth Circle** will meet at Cheddar's Scratch Kitchen on Monday, December 9th at 12:00 pm for lunch.

*The Missions Committee is excited to once again offer an Alternative Christmas Gift Catalog! This catalog incudes brief descriptions of some vital missions and ministries, some of which we support and some of which are new ones to AUMC. This is a chance to share your love at the holidays with a gift from you, from your family, or in honor of someone. You will receive a holiday certificate from the church that you can give to the recipient of your gift if it is given in honor of someone. It's that simple! Someone from the Missions Committee will be set up outside of the services with the catalog and to answer any questions. Please pick up a copy!

*On Tuesday, December 3rd, SanDee Miller's Bible Study groups will be hosting a light breakfast beginning at 8:00 am in Fellowship Hall. Then we will proceed to the Chapel for a Livestream presentation from Sister Claudette - the actual presentation will be taking place at Zionsville UMC. Sister Claudette will provide updates on the life changing impact of Project Rouj, in Haiti. Jamalyn Peigh Williamson is the Founder +CEO of this organization. Her husband is the Pastor at Zionsville UMC. All are invited! For questions ask SanDee Miller at sandeem06@aol.com, Beth Biever at thebievs@sbcglobal.net, or Pastor Danny.

10:00 am Worship

Prelude Dianne Perry, organ "All Thanks and Praise to God" - Lani Smith

Call to Worship		Pastor Danny
Song	"Come, Thou Fount"	Praise Band
Prayer		Pastor Ed
Song	"Lord I Need You"	Praise Band
Special Music	"Grazioso"	Spirit Ringers
Hymn	"I Am Thine, O Lord"	No. 419
Scripture	John 4:7-15	

Message Pastor Danny "Practical Discipleship: Practice the Ordinances"

For Holiness of Heart in Unison		No. 401
Hymn	"Take Time to Be Holy"	No. 395

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Our Church Family

Jarrod Spice	Elsa Jones
Linda Dobbs	Brenda Hull

Continued Healing & Grace

Sharon Mattingly, Brad Spice, Penny Hanlon, Nancy Schooley, Pastor Ron H. Branson, Troy Brownfield, Cheryl Powell, Alice King, Doris Pellom, Bob Thompson, Jeff Trees, & Betty Vogel

Our Extended Families & Friends

Camille - friend of Sonia Barnes; *Phyllis* - grandmother of Adam Coulter; *Mike, Darla, Melissa & family* - family of Sonia Barnes

Continued Healing & Grace Extended Families & Friends

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 Pastor Ron H. Branson



Giving

Attendance

Prayer



Ways to Give: 1. Offering boxes on Sunday

- 2. Text AVONUNITED to 73256
- 2. Text AVOINUNITED to 7325
- 3. Scan the Giving QR Code
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Other Ways to Support AUMC:

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- 2. Through IRA distributions
- 3. Through your estate
- 4. With your time



