

### Church News & Notes (continued)

The latest editions of the AUMC Membership Directory and Birthday/ Anniversary List can be found in the back of the sanctuary.

The Upper Room devotional guide for September/ October is available, and can be found in the church stairway or on the back shelf.

For upcoming events, please visit our website at [www.avonnyumc.org](http://www.avonnyumc.org) Also, follow us on Facebook at [facebook.com/AvonnyUMC](https://facebook.com/AvonnyUMC), and on Twitter @UMCAVON

Hearing assistance is available for our services. Just let an usher know for assistance.

For handicap accessibility to the second floor please let the greeter at the door know of this need.

Children are always welcome in worship. Coloring books, crayons, and activity bags are available from the usher.

Please feel free to contact the church with any questions or concerns at 226-8600. This week's office hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9 AM -12 PM.

If you are interested in purchasing Tops gift cards, an on-going fund-raiser for our church, please see Elaine Davis.

Printed scriptures are from the New International Version.

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### This Week's Church Activities

#### Sunday, September 15, 2019

7:30 Radio Ministry WYSL 1040AM  
9:00 Coffee Hour/ Sunday School  
10:00 Worship Service  
12:00 Newsletter Deadline

#### Monday

7:00 Church Council

#### Wednesday

6:00 Bible Study  
7:00 Chancel Choir

#### Thursday

11:00 Heart of Ruth

#### Sunday, September 22, 2019

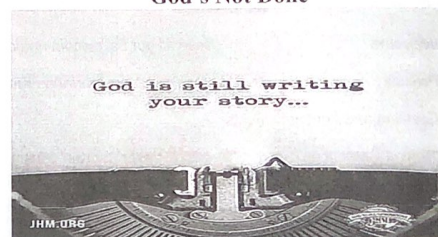
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9:00 Coffee Hour/ Sunday School  
10:00 Worship Service  
11:15 Worship Team

### Our Church Staff

Pastor:	Mia Richardson
Lay Leaders:	Laurie Combs Jackie Potter
Instrumentalist:	Mark Brennan
Office Manager:	Mark Brennan
Music Director:	Linda Rosebrough
Sound Engineer:	Mark Blakely
Custodian:	Bob Wright
Child Care Providers:	Alex Herman Cecelia Drake

### Philippians 4: 1-6

### "God's Not Done"



Welcome to the Avon United Methodist Church. Our congregation includes people of all backgrounds and perspectives, and we affirm God's grace and love for all people, no matter where you are from, what you look like, or who you love. We gather out of our common love for God and his people, and we are glad you are with us. Our mission is to follow in the path of Jesus so that we may grow in faith, serve in his name, and share God's love.

Avon United Methodist Church  
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585-226-8600  
[www.avonnyumc.org](http://www.avonnyumc.org)  
Radio Ministry Sundays 7:30am, WYSL1040

**September 15, 2019**  
**10:00 AM**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

14th Sunday after Pentecost  
\*Please stand in body or spirit

**WE GATHER**

Welcome *Please fill out Fellowship Folder*

Prelude "No Matter What," arr. Marianne Kim

Greeting and Announcements

Time of Centering "Evening Prayer" by Karl Jenkins

\*Call to Worship  
God beckons God's people  
**From places of devastation and hopelessness, from foolishness and pride, from mourning and grief.**  
Come into God's courts with thanksgiving, for this is not the end.  
**God still reigns. Let us worship God!**

Praying Together:  
**God of timeless grace, you fill us with joyful expectation. Make us ready for the message that prepares the way, that with uprightness of heart and holy joy we may eagerly await the kingdom of your Son, Jesus Christ, who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.**

\*Hymn "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," #526

Sharing Our Prayers, Pastor's Prayer, Lord's Prayer

**WE LISTEN AND PRAY**

A Gift of Music "I Will Sing Praise," arr. Joseph Martin  
Given in loving memory of Doris Blakely

\*Scripture Reading John 4:4-26

Conversations with Children

Song of Meditation "God's Not Done With You," by Tauren Wells

\*Scripture Reading Philippians 1:1-8

Sermon Rev. Mia Richardson

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S GRACE**

\*Hymn "In the Garden," #314

Joy of Giving "We're Marching to Zion," arr. Mark Hayes

\*Doxology "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow," #95

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving  
**Faithful One, you have entrusted us with so many gifts that are more important than worldly possessions. You have called us to be stewards of all that you have created. We strive to fulfill your call to be generous stewards by openly sharing the bounty you have placed under our care. We know that we visibly demonstrate our commitment to your work in this world by giving these tithes and offerings. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

**WE GO FORTH TO SERVE**

\*Hymn "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms," #133, v. 1-2

\*Benediction

Postlude "Ride On, King Jesus," arr. Gina Sprunger

*We hope that you have felt God's love  
in a new, refreshing way  
For you're so welcomed in this place  
And we hope you'll come again,  
To join with us in fellowship  
And to make some special friends.*

**Assisting In Worship Today**

Pastors Rev. Mia Richardson  
Ushers Marcia Cameron, June Despard  
Mavis Preston, Malinda Wilson  
Reader Bruce Arney  
Instrumentalist Mark Brennan  
Music Director Linda Rosebrough  
Sound Engineer Mark Blakely

The flowers on the altar are given by Ken and Norrine Furman, to thank God for our many blessings.

We would like to thank Quinn Kenyon and the Chancel Choir for sharing their musical gifts with us this morning.

**Church News & Notes...**

There are nametags in the downstairs entryway. Please wear yours to assist Pastor Mia Richardson in learning names.

The Food Pantry is requesting cake/ brownie/ muffin mixes, canned tuna, canned fruit, and Jell-o.

The September issue of our newsletter, The Messenger, is available. If you would like to receive a full-color digital copy via email, please indicate that in the fellowship folder. Submissions for the October issue are due on Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>.

Zion Episcopal Church is hosting a Lasagna Dinner and Basket Raffle on Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>. Generous meat or vegetable lasagna plate with tossed salad, Italian bread, beverage & dessert. Adults: \$10, Children 12 and under: \$5. Dining in: 5-7 PM, Take-out: 4:30-6 PM. Tickets are available at the main door, or at the church office, Monday through Thursday, 10 AM- 12 PM, or from any church member.