

## NEW WORSHIP SANCTUARY

## CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

3,500-seat sanctuary accommodates a growing worship base for the U.S.'s largest United Methodist Church congregation. Expanding and remodeling of the existing campus achieves an exciting new worship auditorium offering acoustic versatility to accommodate traditional and contemporary services and sophisticated theatrical New productions. The existing 1,200-seat auditorium is being converted into a multi-purpose room.

AD's team addressed challenges associated with the new sanctuary's unique elliptical shape. Design elements were incorporated to assure the space functioned well for music-rich services, conveyed a sacred setting, supported a sense of intimacy and supported congregation connections with one another and the overall worship experience. The Church has a strong music ministry featuring a full orchestra and choir for traditional services and contemporary band and choir for evening worship services.

CLIENT Church of the Resurrection

> LOCATION Leawood, KS

PROJECT TYPE New Construction

> COMPLETE 2015

> > **COST** \$64 M

SEAT COUNT 3,500

> ARCHITECT HGA

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> SCOPE Acoustics