

COLEMANVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

"To Love Others as God Loves Us"

*Lay leader, Dave Topper
Ellen Peifer, Hymn Leader
Jill Kelley, Pianist*

Ascension of the Lord/Seventh Sunday of Easter

The 8:40 a.m. service order is as follows:

Meditation		Ringing of the Bell
Announcements		Rick Booth
Prelude		
Bringing in the Light of Christ		
+Choral Introit "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" (vs 1) p.126		
Welcome		Dave Topper
Opening Prayer		Dave Topper
+Hymn	"In Christ Alone"	
The Passing of the Peace		
Special Music	"Reckless Love" by Cory Asbury	
		John & Immanuel Dizon
Hymn	"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"	p.140
Morning Prayer:		Dave Topper
Pastoral Prayer		
Lord's Prayer		
Scripture Reading	Matthew 1:1, 16-25(NT pg.1)	Rick Booth
Message	<i>"Part of the Family"</i>	John Dizon
		Guest Speaker
+Offering: Doxology		Dave Topper
Prayer		
+Closing Hymn	"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"	
+Benediction		Dave Topper
+Choral Blessing	"Go, Make of All Disciples" (vs1)	p.571
+Follow the Light of Christ		
+Postlude		

(+) *Stand or remain seated if it helps you to worship better.*

"Our Worship Together Has Ended/The Service Begins"
*Offering plates are in the rear of the sanctuary to receive our gifts,
tithes, and offerings.*

Scripture for next week: John 7:37-39

To ensure Pastor Manny can best minister to our community, please inform him of any needs for prayer, visitation, counseling, or recognition. He can be reached at 1(908)590-3288. Pastor Manny is available in the office on Tuesdays. If you'd like to schedule a meeting, a call beforehand will help ensure he's available to connect with you. He can also be reached by email at manpcruz@yahoo.com.

Mission and Ministry

Renewal Leave – Pastor Manny will be away from **May 24th** to **May 30th** (Andy Collins will give the message on May 24th), and **June 15th** to **June 21st** (Donna Eshleman will give the message on June 21st). For emergencies or pastoral concerns during these times, please contact Dave Topper (717) 984-7600.

Sunday School classes begin at 10:15 AM following the worship service and are available for all ages. All are welcome to attend.

The Penny Jar is located on the table in the Narthex. Funds collected through **June** will go to the Loft.

Newsletter Blips are due today.

May 19th 11:30 am – Widow/Widowers luncheon at the Conestoga Wagon.

May 19th – 21st – Conference - Pastor Manny and Dave Topper will be attending the EPA 2026 annual conference session on May 19 to 21 at Wildwood Convention Center, Wildwood, New Jersey.

May 25th – 29th – Office hours are as follows... Monday, May 25th, the office will be open from 8 am to 4 pm. On Wednesday, May 27th, the office will be closed. Thursday, May 28th, it will be open from 8 am to 12 noon, and Friday, May 29th, it will be closed. The office will return to its regular scheduled hours on June 1st.

May 31st – Peace with Justice Sunday

June 7th 10 am – Combined communion service & picnic

June 14th – Senior Recognition Sunday- To be sure we don't overlook graduating students, please send their names to the church office with information about their graduation, school, and degree by **June 7th**. Please include photos so they can be included in the PowerPoint.

Prayer cards are available in the Narthex. If you want someone included, please get in touch with the office at 717-872-7951.

Prayer Chain - If you or someone you know would like to be added to the prayer chain, please call the church office at (717) 872-7951 on Mondays, Wednesdays, or Fridays. Or Pat Collins at (717) 575-1852 on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and weekends. If you are unable to reach us, please contact Dave Topper at (717) 984-7600.

Scripture readers – Please see Jill Kelley if you are interested in scripture/ announcement readers.

Please see Sue Rineer, if you are interested in Communion Helpers, or Omie Zecher, if you are interested in being a Greeter. Thank you.

Community Aid – We have received \$71.48 from donations made at Community Aid so far this year.

Meetings

May 26th 1 pm – Outreach Meeting

June 1st 9:30 am – UWF Meeting

June 9th 6:30 pm – Trustee Meeting

Fundraisers

Sub Sale - pickup date is tomorrow, **May 18th**.

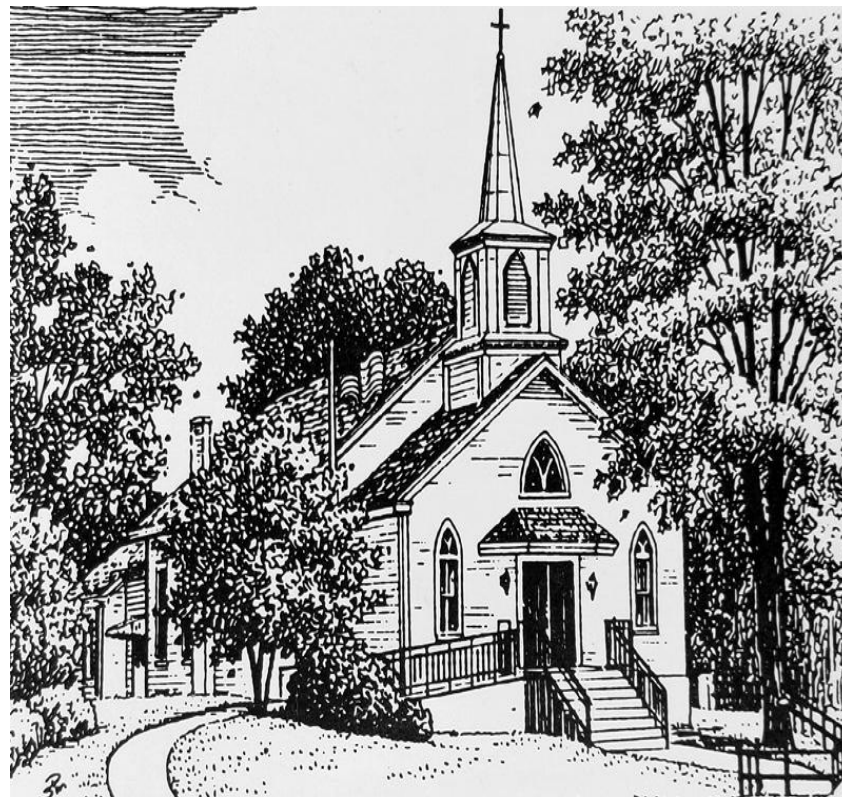
Community

Conestoga Food Bank – Items needed: Jelly/Jam, Alfredo Sauce, Taco Kits, Canned Fruit, Dinty Moore Beef Stew, Canned Red Beets, Canned Carrots, Canned Peas/Carrots, Flavored Noodles, Flavored Potatoes, Muffin mix (Just add water). Please, no expired items; they cannot be accepted.

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