

COLEMANVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

"To Love Others as God Loves Us"

Rev. Manuel P. Cruz, Pastor

Ellen Peifer, Hymn Leader

Jill Kelley, Pianist

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

Meditation		Ringings of the Bell
Announcements		Isa Breneisen
Prelude		
Bringing in the Light of Christ		
+Choral Introit	"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" (vs 1, 3)	
Welcome		Pastor Manny
Opening Prayer		Pastor Manny
+Hymn	"To God Be the Glory"	p.98
The Passing of the Peace		
Special Music	"The Longer I Serve Him"	Choir
Hymn	"There Is a Balm in Gilead"	p.441
Morning Prayer:		Pastor Manny
Pastoral Prayer		
Lord's Prayer		
Scripture Reading	<i>Luke 16:1-13(pg.73)</i>	Isa Breneisen
Message	<i>"Is There No Balm in Gilead?"</i>	Pastor
Manny	<i>(Jeremiah 8:18-9:1)</i>	
+Offering: Doxology		Pastor Manny
Prayer		
+Closing Hymn	"Jesus Calls Us" (vs 1, 3, 5)	p.398
+Benediction		Pastor Manny
+Choral Blessing	"Make Me a Channel of Your Peace" (vs 1-2)	
+Follow the Light of Christ		
+Postlude		
	<i>(+) Stand or remain seated if it helps you to worship better.</i>	
	<i>"Our Worship Together Has Ended/The Service Begins"</i>	
	<i>Offering plates are in the rear of the sanctuary to receive our gifts, tithes, and offerings.</i>	

Scripture for next week: Luke 16:19-31

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

****If you would like anything added to the October Newsletter, please have the information to Michelle Smith by TODAY. Thank you. ****

Sunday School - classes for all ages will meet at 10:15 AM. All are welcome to attend! Anyone interested in assisting with Sunday School, please express interest to Pastor Manny or Donna Eshleman.

September 27th – Soup & Bake Sale - Soups available to purchase are all homemade: chicken corn, chicken noodle, and vegetable beef. Baked good donations accepted. Price is \$8 per quart. Pick-up between 10 am and 12 noon. Orders are due by September 21st.

Charge Conference has been pushed back to November 23rd at 12 pm at Boehm's UMC.

October 5th – World Communion Sunday

Community Meal

You MUST reserve meals by the deadline date by calling the office at (717)872-7951

Take Outs (Shut-ins Only) - 4:30-5:00 p.m.

Dine in 5:15 – 6:15 p.m.

October 8th – Meatball Sandwiches

Deadline - **October 5th**

October 19th – Laity Sunday

October 26th 2- 4 pm The Outreach Committee is having a Fall Fest/Trunk or Treat event at Colemanville UMC. In addition to light refreshments, there will be lots of fun activities for the kids, including trunks (with treats), a fishpond, and Day on the Farm activities. Kids feel free to dress up if you wish. Everything is free. Please mark your calendar and invite family and friends to the event. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer to help at the event, please contact one of the Outreach Committee members--Debbie and Tom Byrne, Darlene Hunsberger, Omie Zecher, and Ellen Peifer.

The Penny Jar is located on the table in the Narthex. Funds collected through **September** will go to the **Conestoga Food Bank**.

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

Scripture readers – Please see Jill Kelley to sign up for scripture/announcement readers, greeters, or communion helpers in upcoming worship services. Thank you

Meetings

October 6th 9:30 am – UWF Meeting

October 7th 6:30 pm – Worship Meeting

October 14th 6:30 pm – Trustee Meeting

October 21st 6:30 pm – Church Council Meeting

Community

Conestoga Food Bank – Items needed: Spaghetti Sauce/Pasta Sauce, Canned fruit (ie. apple sauce, pears, peaches), canned creamed soup, canned hearty soup (ie. beef stew), white rice, flavored potatoes (ie. boxed scalloped potatoes), Stove Top Stuffing, Instant Pancake Mix, canned meat (ie. chicken, tuna, ham), canned pasta (ie. Ravioli), Canned Chili with no beans, Hamburger Helper, Tuna Helper, Chicken Helper, Pop Tarts, Instant Oatmeal, pudding. Please, no expired items, they cannot be accepted.

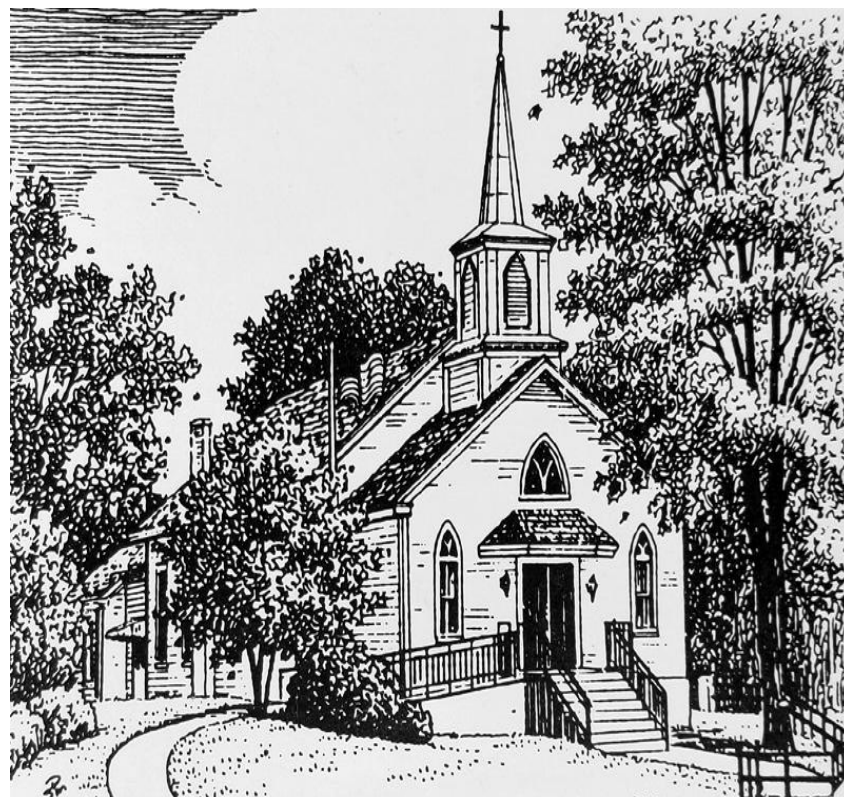
October 6th – 10th – CCMT Fall “Trip” to Lancaster and York counties with Servants Inc. As we did last October, CCMT leadership decided to volunteer locally this fall. Servants Inc. has many clients on their wait list who CCMT members can help with their skills. Check out the Servants Inc. website for more information. www.servants.org. **RSVP by Sunday, Sept. 21st**, with the days you will be volunteering to Fred Longenecker (fredlongenecker587@gmail.com) and Wendy Weitzel (wweitzel288@aol.com). Please see the bulletin board in the narthex for more information.

October 11th 9 am – 2 pm – Boehm’s Fall Fest – Music, vendors, entertainment outside, homemade apple butter, food & bake sale inside. 13 W. Boehm’s Rd. Willow Street, Pa. 17584.

Colemanville United Methodist Church

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