

COLEMANVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

"To Love Others as God Loves Us"

Rev. Manuel P. Cruz, Pastor

Ellen Peifer, Hymn Leader

Jill Kelley, Pianist

Baptism of the Lord

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

Meditation		Ringing of the Bell
Announcements		Isa Breneisen
Prelude	"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"	WT
Bringing in the Light of Christ		
+Choral Introit	"We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise"	
Welcome		Pastor Manny
Opening Prayer		Pastor Manny
+Hymn	"Fairest Lord Jesus"	p.189
The Passing of the Peace		
Special Music	"Spirit Song"	WT
Hymn	"Open My Eyes, That I May See."	p.454
Morning Prayer:		Pastor Manny
Pastoral Prayer		
Lord's Prayer		
Scripture Reading	Matthew 3:13-17 (NT pg.3)	Isa Breneisen
Message	"Seeing the Face of God"	Pastor Manny
+Offering: Doxology		Pastor Manny
Prayer		
+Closing Hymn	"Spirit of God Descend Upon My Heart" (vs 1,4-5)	p.500
+Benediction		Pastor Manny
+Choral Blessing	"The Trees of the Field"	
+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 1:29-42

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

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.

Sunday School classes for all ages begin at 10:15 AM. All are welcome to attend. Anyone interested in assisting with Sunday School, please contact Pastor Manny or Donna Eshleman.

January 18th – Human Relations Day

Monthly Community Meal

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

Take Outs (Shut-ins Only) - 4:30-5:00 p.m.
Dine in 5:15 – 6:15 p.m.

January 14th – Parmesan Chicken Deadline – **Today**

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

Apple Dumpling Bake – Apple dumplings will be made at Colemanville Church on Friday, January 16th, starting at 8 am. Help is welcome. Please contact Darlene Hunsberger or Donna Eshleman if you plan to help. Orders may be placed with any UWF member by signing the list in the narthex or contacting the church office at 717-872-7951. Cost per dumpling is \$4. Order deadline is January 4th. We encourage pick-up on the day of sale, 12 noon till 6 pm. Or Saturday, the day after the sale, 9 – 11 AM.

SNOWDATE is Friday, January 23rd, with the same pickup schedule.

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

Scripture readers – Please see Jill Kelley if you are interested in scripture/ announcement readers, greeters, or communion helpers in upcoming worship services. Thank you

HEAD COVERING UPDATE TO KITCHEN GUIDELINES EFFECTIVE

1-1-2026 - At the December UWF meeting, the following changes were discussed and are being implemented effective January 1, 2026.

Anyone working in the kitchen or with food must:

Wear a hairnet provided by the church, or a baseball-style cap provided by the individual. VISORS are NOT acceptable headwear.

Hair long enough to be tied back must be tied behind the head.

REMINDER -- Beard nets are available and required.

Please refer to the Kitchen Guidelines posted at the entrance to the kitchen area for information on policies and procedures regarding the use of gloves, aprons, food handling, and food storage.

February 28th - Tools for Ministry at Salem UMC, Manheim.

Meetings

January 13th 6:30 pm – Trustee Meeting

January 20th 6 pm – SPRC Meeting

January 27th 4 pm – Outreach Meeting

February 10th 6:30 pm – Trustee Meeting

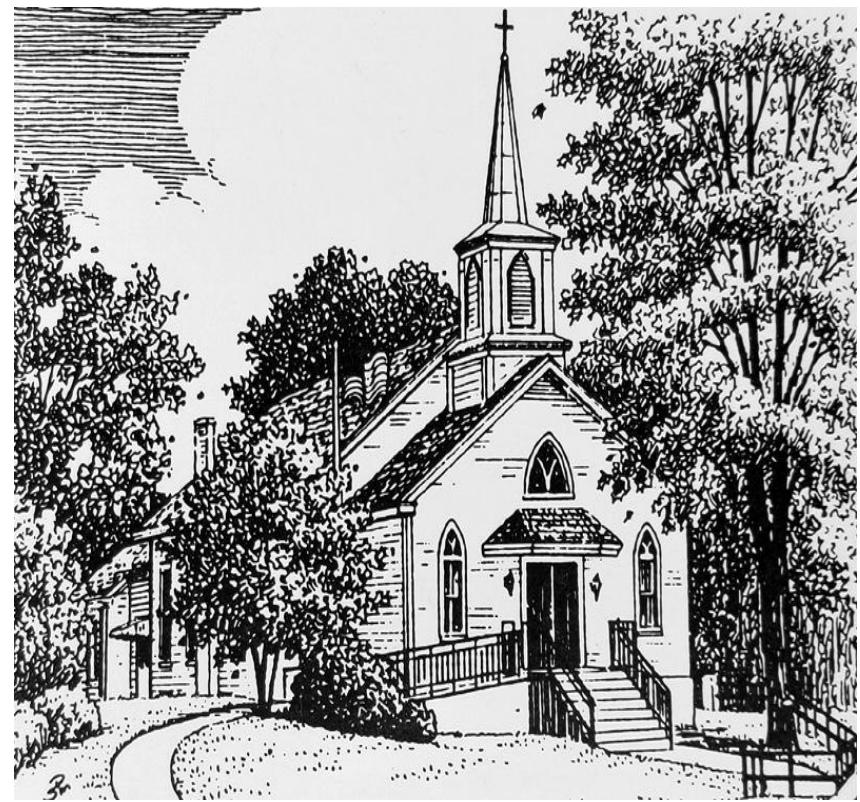
Community

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.

Colemanville United Methodist Church

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