

# PRAYER REQUESTS

Lillian Wanner, Becky DiDay, Ada Mae Blair, Juanita Manley, Nancy McBain, Jeremy McMonigal, Andrew and Teresa Volchko, Julie Dometrovich, Denise Corcoran's family and friends in need, Rich Pacella, Carolyn Doubt (Sandy Kingsley's daughter), Bob Golden, Jeff Price, Ann Taylor, Geno Barilla, Danielle Elchert's mother, Barbara Wink's friend— Kellie Dukovic, Angela Conley – dialysis, Cheryl Snatchko, Jeff Acierno, Joe and Lois Seamen, Ann Wolfe's niece - Vickie, Audry and Mike Crawford, Dr. Comer and family, Meals on Wheels staff, volunteers, clients, NATO Troops and families, our government officials, military, 1st responders, USA, CUMC congregants, pastor, and staff.

## Streaming Services on YouTube & Facebook

Sunday services (10am), and Pastor Dennis' Weekly Wednesday Reflections (2pm), will be streaming on our Facebook page. Go to:

<https://www.facebook.com/CoraopolisUMC/>

Go to YouTube on your phone or computer and search for [Coraopolis United Methodist Church](#).

Be sure to subscribe; it makes it easier to find us each week.

## Online E-giving Link

<https://secure.myvanco.com/L-Z2TN/home>

## Online Giving directly from our Website

<http://www.coraopolisumc.org/give>

Contact the church office,  
if you are interested in a caregiver support group.

Lindsay Scholarship  
The application forms are available in the church office.

## Weekly Schedule

### Sunday, May 14, 2023

10:00 AM Worship Service In Person & Streaming  
12:00 PM Iglesia Invasion Gloriosa Congregation  
7:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous

### Monday, May 15, 2023

12:30 PM Salvation Army  
7:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous

### Tuesday, May 16, 2023

6:00 PM Pittsburgh Youth Chorus  
6:30 PM Boy Scouts

### Wednesday, May 17, 2023

10:30 AM Bible Study  
12:30 PM Salvation Army  
2:00 PM Pastor's Reflections on Facebook & YouTube  
6:00 PM Girl Scouts  
7:00 PM Alcoholics Anonymous  
7:00 PM Chancel Choir  
8:30 PM R.E.H. Rehearsal

### Thursday, May 18, 2023

6:00 PM Girl Scouts 60174

### Friday, May 19, 2023

12:30 PM Salvation Army  
7:00 PM Iglesia Invasion Gloriosa Congregation

### Saturday, May 20, 2023

6 -1 PM Boy Scout Derby Race  
10:30 AM Brazilian SDA Congregation

### Sunday, May 21, 2023

10:00 AM Worship Service In Person & Streaming  
12:00 PM Iglesia Invasion Gloriosa Congregation  
7:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous

On Pentecost Sunday, May 28th, the birthday of the church,  
we welcome any who want to join our church membership.

Please let the Pastor know if you are interested.

Sunday, May 14, 2023

Sixth Sunday of Easter

  
Love. Grow. Serve.

## Coraopolis United Methodist Church



*Welcome*

### *Here's what you need to follow along*

- ◆ Hymns & readings are from the Hymnal & Bible in the pew
- ◆ When you see words in **bold**, all are invited to say together
- ◆ An \* means to stand as you are able
- ◆ At closing, you are invited to remain seated for the postlude

## WE GATHER

### PRELUDE

### GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL PRAISE      *God Is Our Rock*      Pepper Choplin

### CALL TO WORSHIP

ONE: This is the day the Lord has made!

ALL: **We will rejoice, and be glad in it!**

ONE: The Lord is our strength and our song;  
he has become our victory!

ALL: **You are our God, and we will exalt you.**

ONE: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good!

ALL: **His faithful love endures forever!**

### \*OPENING PRAYER

Let us pray:

**Sovereign God; You have created, and are creating anew. We live in uncertainty, until you draw us into the embrace of your immense love. Allow us to taste, if only for a moment, the richness of the feast you prepare for us. Grant to us peace, that we may overcome our doubts and fears, and may experience the resurrection anew. Thus may we live everyday as your Easter people, and offer our worship and praise. In the name of the Christ we pray. Amen.**

## WE HEAR AND RESPOND TO THE WORD

\*OPENING HYMN      *Thine Be the Glory*      #308

SCRIPTURE LESSON      1 Peter 3:13-22

PSALTER:      Psalm 66      #790

SCRIPTURE LESSON:      Matthew 7:7

The word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM      *New Born Again*      Larry Shackley

SERMON      *Go On, Ask Me Why...*

### PASTORAL PRAYER

### GIVING OF TITHES, OFFERINGS, AND GIFTS

#### OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY      *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*      #95

## WE GO OUT TO SERVE

\*CLOSING HYMN      *O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee*      #430

### \*PASTORAL BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

*Please remain seated during postlude*

### LEADERS IN TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

Rev. Dennis Lawton: Pastor  
Bryan Sable: Music Director  
Jan Hoener: Lay Reader  
Music by: Chancel Choir

## WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY



**Who: Everyone**

**What: Acts 1:6-14, John 17:1-11,**

**1 Peter 4:12-14, 5:6-11, Psalm 68:1-10, 32-35**

**When: 10:30 AM**

**Where: Great Room**

**Why: Come and join our conversation on everyday life.**



### Your Church Staff Is Here to Serve You!

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*Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ*

**"Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors"**

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