

Upcoming Events



Barbara Chapman, harp
Monday, January 26, noon

Jazz Hymns with Chris Titko,
piano
Monday, February 16, noon

Hymn Festival with Tom Trenney
Sunday, March 1, 3pm

Orchestral concert of joyous and inspiring All American Music. Music by Leonard Bernstein, Richard Rogers, and Aaron Copland, including the original 13 instrument version of Copland's Appalachian Spring Suite with members of the Virginia Symphony.
Friday, September 11, 7pm

Annie O' Shea, soprano and
Miles Pifer, tenor
Monday, March 23, noon

Forte Handbell Quartet Concert
Sunday, April 12, 4pm

Jeff Phelps, cello
Monday, April 27, noon



*The Monumental Players
Present*

*“Another Cora Christmas”
By David Roane*

December 21, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

Monumental
United Methodist Church

A Note from the Director:

Welcome to Another Cora Christmas. I'd like to start by thanking all those that made this night possible.

Linda Edmonds for coordinating the meal.

Dorothy Williams and Pam Snider for reservations and office support.

Bonnie White for program design and publicity.

Ray Comstock for his technical expertise with lighting, sound, and video.

Chris Titko for his musical talents and support.

Joyce Thacker for all her input and for being just crazy enough.

Tonight's expenses have been underwritten by the Lindauer Fund which was created by a generous bequest from David Lindauer. This gift continues to support music and the arts at Monumental.

And now a little about our play - We have a new character in Cora's world. Cora's neighbor, Paige, had a scheduling conflict tonight, so she sent her husband, Paul. Cora first appeared on our stage in December 2023. Today she is still the same free spirit, following the beat of a drummer only she seems to hear. She still has rather unique culinary and choral talents that amaze all of those around her. Cora can be mischievous, but never mean. She's always on the move, always going somewhere, even when she seems to have misplaced the map. We hope you enjoy another visit with Cora.

“Another Cora Christmas”

by David Roane

Setting: Cora's living room

Cast:

Cora - Joyce Thacker

Paul - Richard Walters

Freddie - John Epperson

Samantha - Wendy Roane

Director - David Roane

All donations received tonight will go to Mercy Chefs for their work in our community and beyond.