

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH FOX HILL

Welcome

March 20, 2022



“Come See a Man”
John 4:4-26, 28-29, 39

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Traditional Service

Welcome and Announcements

Sing God a brand-new song

I will glorify your Name forever.

For great is Your love toward me; You have delivered

My soul from the depths of the grave.

* Hymn	UMH 374	"Standing on the Promises"
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* Affirmation of Faith	UMH 880	Nicene Creed
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Children's Time David Messick

Offering Prayer and Offering

* Doxology	UMH 70	"Glory Be to the Father"
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* Hymn UMH 176 “Majesty, Worship His Majesty”

Prayer of Confession Jane Barbour

When we wake in the morning and a new day strikes us, we face a multitude of responsibilities. The prospect of seeing them can send us cold chills. Satan rejoices at our fear. Lord, we really want to be free to serve you. Forgive us for not seeking your face before all else. The Son will shine and dispel the darkness of our fear and we will be free to meet the challenges. In the Name of Jesus who saves us we pray. Amen.

Words of Assurance

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God! Amen.

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer Jane Barbour

Anthem	"Be Still"
	McDonald

Scripture John 4:4-26, 28-29, 39

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Sermon “Come See a Man” Pastor Tommy

Invitation to Discipleship

* Hymn UMH 301 “Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross”
(vss. 1-3)

* Benediction Pastor Tommy

* Benediction Response	UMH 301 "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" (vs. 4)
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Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

March 20, 2022, 10:30 a.m.

Modern Service

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

* Call to Worship

Sing God a brand-new song

I will praise You, O Lord my God, with all my heart

I will glorify your Name forever.

For great is Your love toward me; You have delivered

My soul from the depths of the grave.

* Songs

"This is Amazing Grace"

Phil Wickham

"Your Love Never Fails"

Jesus Culture

"You Remind Me"

Madison Street Worship

Offering Prayer and Offering

Children's Time

Jean Bernstrom

Scripture

John 4:4-26, 28-29, 39

Sermon

"Come See a Man"

Pastor Tommy

Invitation to Discipleship

Reflection

"Thank You Jesus for the Blood"

Praise Band

Charity Gale

Morning Prayer & Lord's Prayer

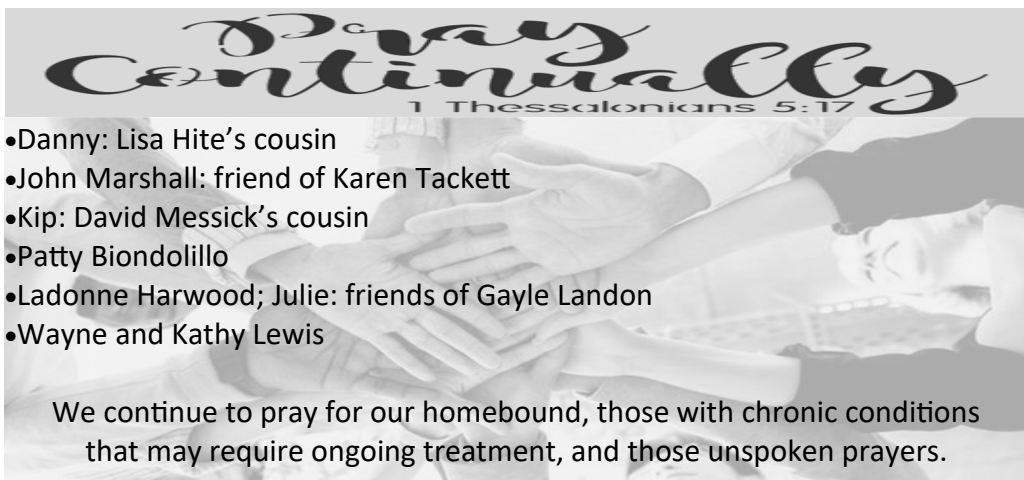
Jane Barbour

* Benediction

Pastor Tommy

**The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion
of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. Amen**

Postlude



Pray Continually
1 Thessalonians 5:17

- Danny: Lisa Hite's cousin
- John Marshall: friend of Karen Tackett
- Kip: David Messick's cousin
- Patty Biondolillo
- Ladonne Harwood; Julie: friends of Gayle Landon
- Wayne and Kathy Lewis

We continue to pray for our homebound, those with chronic conditions that may require ongoing treatment, and those unspoken prayers.

A loss 
IN OUR CHURCH FAMILY

We extend our condolences to Debbie, Elizabeth, and the Apperson family in the death of Sam Apperson, on March 15, 2022.

Pastor's Column

Pastor Brian will be on the spring break trip he and his kids planned 2 years ago, which had to be canceled due to covid, from March 14-24. As they camp and hike around Utah, please be aware that he may well not be able to answer calls or emails for several days. Please contact Pastor Tommy for pastoral care emergencies.



Our singles lunch in February was a rambunctious time conversing with each other at Anna's Pizza (with a little eating on the side). Haha. We had five in attendance. Eating with others sure beats going home alone and eating with the same four walls you've looked at all week and maybe a cat, dog, gerbil or fish to talk to. Our March outing will be at the Baked Bistro (22 Wine Street) at 11:30 AM on March 27th. Please call Judy Grigg at 757-846-6861 by March 24th if you are interested in joining us, so that we can make sure we have a seat for you! Judy has volunteered to take the helm this month as a couple of us are on a medical mission trip. See you later!!!!

MOPS, Mothers of Preschoolers, are looking for volunteers to help with childcare during their monthly meetings. They meet the **first Monday of each month and volunteers would be needed from 6 - 8:30 PM**. I will plan all of the activities and will have materials available, but I need your help in caring for three rooms of 5 - 10 children each. Volunteers are needed for April, May and June, with a break during the summer, and resuming in September through- June 2023. You will not need to commit to every month but every month we will need volunteers. If interested, or want more information, contact Julie Allen, 757-329-1625 or juliananceallen@icloud.com.

Church Family, as you know, the season of Lent has begun and Easter is just around the corner. I would like to plan a fun event for our church and community that would take place on **Easter weekend** (day TBD.) I have a few ideas including a cookout, yard games, a photo booth, and of course, an Easter Egg hunt. If you have any ideas, or think you could be of assistance (or know someone who might be,) we would love to have you join us for our **planning meeting on Tuesday, March 22nd at 7:00 p.m.** If you would like to help or volunteer, but are unable to join the meeting, please reach out to me at larissa@firstumcfoxhill.org or 757-646-5838. -Larissa Luma

I am also looking for a volunteer, with a military ID, to help us get the youth to and from Fort Story, Virginia Beach, for our camping trip, April 7-9? If so please contact me at larissa@firstumcfoxhill.org or 757-646-5838.

-Larissa Luma

The Night Watchmen, a United Methodist Men program, is looking for men to assist with helping to maintain building security. Our participants are aging and would like for more men, particularly younger men, to help out. The commitment is for a one week assignment, a couple of times a year, to check the church building in the late evening to make sure the doors are locked and lights are off. If you need more information or would like to participate please contact Dave Rogers at drogers51@cox.net or 757-848-3006.



fifty-plus

Don't miss out on any of the Fifty Plus outings – check the list below. If you would like to see this list with the full descriptions of these outings they are posted around the church and are in your Midweek emails.

March 25, 2022: Join us on **Friday morning, March 25** when we will travel to the **Military Aviation Museum** in the **Pungo** area of **Virginia Beach**. The outing cost is just \$18 plus your meal. We are adding names to the waiting list.

April 30, 2022: We are looking forward to **Saturday afternoon, April 30**, when we will travel to **Regent University Performing Arts Center** for their rendition of ***Smoke on the Mountain***. The trip is \$19 plus your meal afterwards. We are adding names to the waiting list.

June 5, 2022: You have probably played the game, but “do you really have a Clue?” Find out by joining us on **Sunday afternoon, June 5**, when we return to the **Little Theatre of Virginia Beach** for their performance of **Clue: On Stage**. Cost is \$16 plus your meal afterwards.

July 2022: We may do something in late June like another potluck picnic in the park. Let us know your thoughts promptly for consideration.

To sign-up for any outing contact Anne or Bill Bryan in person, at abandbb1@cox.net, or by phone to 757-851-0748

The Stoughton Norwegian Dancers

The Norwegian Dancers endeavor to entertain, culturally enlighten and instruct audiences with respect to traditional Scandinavian folk dance and authentic Norwegian bunads (costumes). The group is made up of Stoughton High School Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors and every Spring goes on tour, bringing their authentic dance, humor and fun to audiences across the United States.



The Stoughton Dancers, will be returning to First UMC Fox Hill for a presentation on **March 27, 2022 at 1:30 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. For more information on these dancers visit: stoughtonnorwegiandancers.com.

<u>Last Week's Attendance 03/013/2022</u>		<u>Last Week's Tithes & Offerings</u>	
<u>In person</u>		Total One Fund:	<u>\$ 8,337.67</u>
9:00 a.m. Service:	<u>102</u>	Year to Date:	<u>\$ 132,866.61</u>
10:30 a.m. Service:	<u>28</u>	<u>Pastor's Discretionary Fund</u>	
Sunday School:	<u>69</u>	Last Week:	<u>\$ 10.00</u>
<u>Internet Live Streaming</u>		Year to Date:	<u>\$ 767.00</u>
9:00 a.m.: <u>60</u>	10:30 a.m.: <u>47</u>		

Worship Assistants for March 20, 2022

	9:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
March Ushers:	Jimmy Roberson (Capt.), Joyce Winston, A.G. Womble, Rick Nolin, Fred Foster	Dave Sharp (Capt.) Tony Clement
Liturgist:	Judy Grigg	Joey Orozco
Projection:	Lydia Simpson	Mary Parker
Sound & Lights:	Hunter Francis	Rama Clement
Camera/Video Mix:	John Payne	Mike Williams
Livestream/Recordings:	Mary Parker	Jim Branstetter
Night Watchmen:	3/20 Dave Sharp, 3/27 Jimmy Roberson, 4/3 Hunter Francis	

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, March 20

- 9:00 a.m. Traditional Service: In-Person & [Livestream](#)
10:15 a.m. Faithlink Class: Classroom
10:15 a.m. [Searchers](#) Class: FH Stage & Zoom; Passcode: 048189
10:30 a.m. Modern Service: In-Person & [Livestream](#)
11:30 a.m. Intergenerational: Playground
12:30 p.m. Praise Band Worship Team Rehearsal: Sanctuary
4:00 p.m. Anchor in Hope Group: 11 Ivory Gull Crescent
5:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship: FH - Kitchen

Monday, March 21

- 10:00 a.m. Tri-X Monday School: Tri-X
1:00 p.m. Monday Bible Study Group
6:30 p.m. UMM Meeting
8:00 p.m. Zoom MOPS Meeting

Tuesday, March 22

- 9:00 a.m. Women in the Word: Faithlink
10:00 a.m. Shawl Makers: ESR
11:00 a.m. Bagging for Food Pantry
6:00 p.m. Scouts Troop 151 & Pack 151 Meeting: FH
7:00 p.m. Easter Planning Meeting

Wednesday, March 23

- 10:00 a.m. Soul Sisters: Faithlink
12:00 p.m. Food Pantry
12:00 p.m. Fellowship of Circumstance for Men
4:30 p.m. Love Unites: Praying Parents Rm
5:50 p.m. Wesley Bells Rehearsal: Sanctuary
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice: Choir Room
7:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group: Tri-X

Thursday, March 24

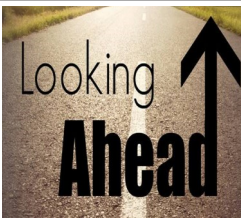
- 11:00 a.m. Pastor Tommy's Reunion Group
7:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study

Friday, March 25

- 8:30 a.m. Fifty Plus Outing: Military Aviation Museum
6:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group: Tri-X
6:00 p.m. BSA Venture Crew 1151 Meeting: FH
6:30 p.m. Girl Brownies 1038: Ed Wing

Saturday, March 26

- 9:30 a.m. Buckroe Men's AA Group: FH Kitchen
10:00 a.m. Lenten Prayer Walks: Faithlink
3:00 p.m. Young Adults: Starbucks: 1068 W Mercury Blvd



Next Week: March 27, 2022
"No Longer Lost"
Luke 15: 1-32

