

# First United Methodist Church Fox Hill

Sunday, June 14, 2026



*A vibrant church, making Christian disciples & enriching lives through outreach.*

## “Staying in the Light” 1 John 2:1-17

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# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

June 14, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts!  
**My soul longs, indeed it faints for the courts of the LORD;**  
My heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.  
**Happy are those who live in your house, ever singing your praise.**

\*Hymn UMH 561 “Jesus, United by Thy Grace” (vss. 1-5)

Children’s Time

Offering Prayer and Offertory

\*Doxology Laud and honor to the Father;  
Laud and honor to the Son;  
Laud and honor to the Spirit;  
Ever Three and and ever One:  
One in love and One in splendor,  
While unending ages run. Amen.

\*Hymn UMH 369 “Blessed Assurance”

Prayer of Confession

**O God of glory and mercy, you reveal yourself to us in Jesus. And yet at times our eyes do not see him; our minds do not know him; our hearts do not love him; our voices do not praise him. Be thou our vision, O Lord: expand our perception, increase our comprehension, strengthen our passion, and transform us through acts of worship and service. In the name of the One whose light shines in the darkness, even Jesus Christ our Lord, 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**

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Becky Holland

Anthem “Soon and Very Soon”  
Crouch/Schrader First Fox Hill Family Choir

Scripture 1 John 2:1-17

Sermon “Staying in the Light” Rev. Dr. Brian Sixbey

\*Hymn UMH 514 “Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

\*Benediction

\*Benediction Response UMH 561 “Jesus, United by Thy Grace” (vs. 6)

Postlude



*Pray*  
Continually  
1 Thessalonians 5:17

Kathy Kromoff  
Michael Adams  
Brian Eubank, Sr.



We continue to pray for our homebound, those with chronic conditions, and for those unspoken prayers.

# MODERN WORSHIP SERVICE

June 14, 2026, 10:30 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Graduate Recognition

Call to Worship

How lovely is your dwelling place, O LORD of hosts!

**My soul longs, indeed it faints for the courts of the LORD;**

My heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.

**Happy are those who live in your house, ever singing your praise.**

\*Worship Songs

“This is Amazing Grace”

Jeremy Riddle | Josh Farro | Phil Wickham

“Rest On Us”

Brandon Lake | Elyssa Smith | Harvest Bashta | Jonathan Jay | Rebekah White | Tony Brown

“Build My Life”

Brett Younker | Karl Martin | Kirby Kaple | Matt Redman | Pat Barrett

Offering Prayer and Offertory

Scripture

1 John 2:1-17

Sermon

“Staying in the Light”

Rev. Dr. Brian Sixbey

Reflection

“Gratitude”

Worship Team

Benjamin Hastings | Brandon Lake | Dante Bose

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Becky Holland

The Lord’s Prayer

\*Benediction

Postlude

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Rainbow Puppets!

Tomorrow at 6:30, we will welcome the Rainbow Puppets for their first summer show. Please invite all you think would like to see it, and if you have time, come early to set up, welcome our guests, make popcorn, and be a blessing to your neighbors.

### Love Is the Answer!

We will be spending the next several weeks exploring the book of 1 John. Please take some time reading through the book – it is short – so that it can come alive for you.

### Calendar Updates

As summer nears, graduation looms ahead, and new schedules come about, please remember to let the church office know if your group is changing schedules, or if you are launching a new ministry. Also, as you take vacation and venture to new places, if you visit another church, please bring a bulletin back with you so we can benefit from your experiences.

### Women’s Fellowship of Circumstances

The Women’s Fellowship of Circumstances will meet at LongHorn, on Wednesday, June 17, 12:00 noon. Come join us for fellowship, food, and fun! Give me a call, 757-344-4228, or email me (AUNTBONZO49@yahoo.com) by Monday, June 15, whether or not you will be joining us! Looking forward to seeing you! Bonnie Harper

### Fifty Plus

Our 2025-26 season is wrapping up! We will **meet at church at 12:30 pm, Sunday afternoon, June 14** for our outing to see the Tony award winning patriotic musical **1776** performed by the **Williamsburg Players** in celebration of our nation's 250th birthday!

The end of one season means **planning time for the 2026 – 27 season** will be here soon. In late July or early August, we will probably do another potluck picnic in the park. **What would you like to do or see; where would you like to go for a day outing or a multi-day trip?** Let us know as soon as possible so we can look into it. Watch the First Fox Hill publications for the latest news and **contact Anne or Bill Bryan with your ideas – in person, at [abandbb1@cox.net](mailto:abandbb1@cox.net), or by phone to 757-851-0748.**

## Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, June 14

- 9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service/[Livestream](#)
- 10:15 a.m. Searchers Class: FH Stage Zoom Passcode:000846
- 10:15 a.m. Faithlink Class: Classroom
- 10:15 a.m. Rise Children's Ministry: Ed Wing
- 10:30 a.m. Modern Worship Service/[Livestream](#)
- 12:30 p.m. Fifty Plus Williamsburg Player
- 5:00 p.m. Elevate Youth: Mission Team Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Elevate Youth Night
- 6:00 p.m. Junior Youth: Ed Wing

### Monday, June 15 Anchor Newsletter Deadline

- 10:00 a.m. Yoga Group: FH Stage
- 1:00 p.m. "The Book" Club: Tri-X Room
- 6:30 p.m. Rainbow Puppets Production: Footsteps in History
- 7:00 P.M. The Collective: Youth Council

### Tuesday, June 16

- 10:00 a.m. Shawl Makers: ESR
- 7:00 p.m. BSA Troop 151 Meeting: FH
- 7:00 P.M. PPSRC: Tri-X Room

### Wednesday, June 17 Annual Conference

- 12:00 p.m. Fellowship of Circumstance for Women: LongHorn
- 3:00 p.m. Love Unites: ESR
- 5:30 p.m. Howe Farms HOA Meeting: ESR
- 6:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group: FH Kitchen

### Thursday, June 18 Annual Conference

- 11:00 a.m. Hour of Prayer: Tri-X Room
- 5:00 p.m. TABS: Tri-X Room
- 6:00 p.m. Karate for Christ: FH Stage
- 6:30 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 1038 Meeting: Ed Wing

### Friday, June 19 Annual Conference

- 6:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group: FH Kitchen

### Saturday, June 20 Annual Conference

- 9:00 a.m. Buckroe Men's AA Group: FH Kitchen
- 9:00 a.m. Saturday Morning Sisters in Christ: Faithlink Room
- 7:00 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal

### Attendance:

**June 7, 2026**

In person:	<b><u>118</u></b>
9:00 a.m. Service	88
10:30 a.m. Service	29
Internet Live Streaming:	<b><u>19</u></b>
9:00 a.m. Service	15
10:30 a.m. Service	4

### Tithes & Offerings:

Total One Fund:	\$ 14,271.82
Year to Date:	\$ 192,523.22

### Pastor's Discretionary Fund

Last Week:	\$ 137.00
Year to Date:	\$ 1,295.00

### Roof Fund

Last Week:	\$ 572.00
Year to Date:	\$ 3,896.00



### Worship Assistants for June 14, 2026

<b>June Ushers</b>	9:00 a.m.: Calvin Leary (Capt.), Susan Morehouse, Jean Pickin, Mike May, Mark Robinson 10:30 a.m.: Dave Sharp (Capt.), Daniel Clark, Elevate Youth
<b>Liturgist</b>	9:00 a.m.: Jeanne Chapman 10:30 a.m.: Ethan Fatkin
<b>Ambassadors</b>	9:00 a.m.: 6/14 Joann Smith & Anne Bryan 6/21 LaRose Richardson & Maude Casey 10:30 a.m.: 6/14 Mike & Judy Adams, 6/21 *
<b>Night Watchmen</b>	6/14 Fred Foster, 6/21 Jesse Barbour, 6/28 Ron Mayo

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Next Sunday

June 21, 2026  
"Stay True to the Light"  
1 John 3:1-10



# GRADUATION SUNDAY

GRADUATES OF 2025

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FERDINAND CLEMENT

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Graduating from Phoebus High School  
Will attend Virginia State University this fall  
Majoring in Psychology

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MARIE CLEMENT

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Graduating from the University of Virginia  
Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering  
Plans to pursue a career in Civil Engineering



# GRADUATION SUNDAY

STUDENTS REACHING NEW  
MILESTONES



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DONALD COE

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Graduating from 8th Grade at  
Jones Magnet Middle School  
Will attend Kecoughtan High  
School this fall



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ETHAN FATKIN

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Graduating from 8th Grade  
at Ann H. Kilgore Gifted Center  
Will attend Kecoughtan High School  
this fall



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GAVIN FATKIN

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Graduating from 5th Grade  
at Ann H. Kilgore Gifted Center  
Will continue at Kilgore in the fall

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A RECEPTION FOLLOWING  
THE 10:30 SERVICE TO HONOR OUR STUDENTS