FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH FOX HILL

# Welcome

March 19, 2023



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# March 19, 2023, 9:00 a.m. Traditional Service

Prelude "And Can It Be" - Traditional Wesley Bells Ensemble

Welcome and Announcements

\* Call to Worship

Faith is not easy.

But it is simple.

No matter how far you have walked away from God,

It is only one step back. Amen.

\* Hymn UMH 381 "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

Children's Time Jean Bernstrom

Offering Prayer and Offertory

\* Doxology UMH 70 "Glory Be to the Father"

\* Hymn UMH 314 "In the Garden"

**Prayer of Confession** 

Lord, we your wayward children find ourselves struggling with explaining why we choose you and your teachings to those who don't believe or are doubting their faith. We rack our brains to come up with the words to describe our faith. We put ourselves in your hands to guide us to this end. Give us the words to reach your unsteady children. 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 & Lord's Prayer Reflection Pastor Tommy

Anthem "Shepherd Me, O God" 1st Fox Hill Family Choir

Haugen

Scripture Psalm 23 (UMH 137, Response 1) Mark Biondolillo, Cantor

Sermon "One Little Word" Ron Mayo

\* Hymn UMH 338 "Where He Leads Me" (vss. 1-3)

\* Benediction Ron Mayo

\* Benediction Response UMH 338 "Where He Leads Me" (vs. 4)

Postlude

\*Please stand as you are able



- Ken and Linda Maddrey: Judy Grigg
- Traci Terry and Family

- Beverly Stanworth and Family
- Bonnie Herncall and Family

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



George and I would like to thank everyone for all your thoughts and prayers, phone calls and beautiful cards. We are so blessed to have such a caring church family.

Love to all,

Carroll and George Honeycutt

# **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

We extend our condolences to Beverly Stanworth and family in the death of her? beloved son, Roland Stanworth II, on Thursday March 9, 2023.

A service to celebrate Roland's life will be held on Saturday, March 25 at 2pm, at First UMC Fox Hill. All are invited to a time of food, sharing, and fellowship in the fellowship hall following the service, sponsored by Martha's Ministry.

#### March 19, 2023, 10:30 a.m. Modern Service

#### Prelude

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\* Songs "Only King Forever"

Elevation Worship

"Raise a Hallelujah" Bethel Music

"King of my Heart"

Steffany Gretzinger

Offering Prayer and Offering

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer Reflection Pastor Tommy

Children's Time Jean Bernstrom

Scripture Psalm 23 (UMH 137, Response 1)

Sermon "One Little Word" Ron Mayo

Reflection "One Thing Remains" Worship Team

Jesus Culture

\* Benediction Ron Mayo

Postlude

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## From Pastor Brian:

#### Confirmation

Confirmation is happening Sunday evenings 6:30-7:15. Come one, come all! Tonight Larissa will be teaching.

#### **Children's Easter Request**

As we're approaching Easter, we've been thinking about having the children (ages 5-12) be involved in the Easter service! We would love to have the children join the worship team for a special song for the occasion. Our plan would be to have a few short practices over the next few weeks to get everyone ready (times and dates to be determined). If you would be interested in having your children involved, please contact Larissa Luma at larissa@firstumcfoxhill.org

#### **Elevate Youth Driver**

Church Family! Our youth group has slowly--but surely--been growing! But with that, we've faced some challenges and the biggest one right now is transportation. Between getting some of the youth to church for our regular meetings on Thursday and Sundays, and to our occasional off-site events, we need some drivers. If you would be willing to transport youth whether that be regularly or occasionally, please reach out to me at <a href="mailto:larissa@firstumcfoxhill.org">larissa@firstumcfoxhill.org</a> so we can work out what that looks like for you and our youth. Thank you so much for considering helping our little ministry! - Larissa Luma

Easter Lily Order Form
Cost: \$20.00 Each
Deadline: Wednesday, March 20, 202



Amount Paid

Deadline: Wednesday, March 29, 2023				
In Honor Of:				
In Memory Of:				
Given By:				
Number of Lilies Ordered				



Please print legibly. Attach payment and place in offering plate or turn into church office.

#### **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

#### Sunday, March 19

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service: In-Person & <u>Livestream</u>9:30 a.m. Intergenerational Small Group: Ed Wing 2nd Floor

10:15 a.m. Faithlink Class: Classroom

10:15 a.m. <u>Searchers</u> Class: FH Stage & Zoom; Passcode: 000846 10:30 a.m. Modern Worship Service: In-Person & Livestream

5:00 p.m. Elevate Youth Fellowship: Ed Wing 6:30 p.m. Confirmation Class: Faithlink

#### Monday, March 20 Church Office Closed

10:00 a.m. Holy Yoga: FH Stage

10:00 a.m. Tri-X Monday School: Tri-X Room1:00 p.m. Monday Bible Study Group: Tri-X Room

6:30 p.m. UMM Meeting: FH

#### Tuesday, March 21

8:00 a.m. Facilities Team Work

9:00 a.m. Women in the Word: Faithlink Room

10:00 a.m. Shawl Makers: ESR11:00 a.m. Bagging for Food Pantry

6:30 p.m. Cub Scout Pack 151 Meeting: FH 7:00 p.m. BSA Troop 151 Meeting: FH

7:00 p.m. PPSRC: Tri-X

#### Wednesday, March 22

9:30 a.m. Soul Sisters: Faithlink Room

12:00 p.m. Food Pantry

4:00 p.m. Love United: Faithlink Room5: 45 p.m. Wesley Bells Rehearsal: Sanctuary

7:00 p.m. 1st Fox Hill Family Choir Practice: Choir Room 7:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group: FH Kitchen

#### Thursday, March 23

10:00 a.m. Holy Yoga: FH Kitchen

11:00 a.m. Pastor Tommy's Reunion Group

4:30 p.m. TABS: Tri-X Room

6:00 p.m. Karate For Christ: FH-Stage

7:00 p.m. Elevate Youth Bible Study: Ed Wing 2nd Floor

7:00 p.m. Ambassador Meeting: Choir Room

#### Friday, March 24

5:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group Anniversary Dinner: FH 6:30 p.m. Girl Scout Brownies (Troop 1038) Meeting: ED Wing

#### Saturday, March 25

8:30 a.m. Sea Scouts: Tri-X

9:00 a.m. Buckroe Men's AA Group: FH Kitchen 9:00 a.m. Lenten Prayer Vigils: Sanctuary

2:00 p.m. Stanworth Celebration of Life and Reception

7:00 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal: Vocalists

# Mext Week March 26, 2023 Psalm 130 "Praise in the Darkness"

Lenten Prayer Vigils
Feb 25- Apr 1, 2023
Saturdays at 9 a.m.

#### Musical Guest

### Mark Kroos

Double-Neck Guitar Virtuoso in Concert April 16, 2:30PM.

Mark will also be with us for both services that morning. You won't want to miss this concert!



#### Last Week's Attendance 3/12/2023

<u>In person</u>	<u>124</u>
9:00 a.m. Service	90
10:30 a.m. Service:	34
Sunday School:	62
Internet Live Streaming	<u>41</u>
9:00 a.m.: Only Available on YouTube	8
10:30 a.m.:	33

#### **Last Week's Tithes & Offerings**

Total One Fund: \$ 7,342.68

Year to Date: \$ 102,174.57

**Pastor's Discretionary Fund** 

Last Week: \$ 110.00
Year to Date: \$ 567.00

Worship Assistants for March 19, 2023			
Service Time	9:00 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	
<b>March Ushers</b>	George Honeycutt (Capt.), Woody Wilson, Dave Rogers,	Dave Sharp (Capt.), Evelyn Graybeal, Julianna McDonald,	
	Hunter Francis, Scott Williams	Mason Gilbert, Elijah Nadeau	
Liturgist	Judy Grigg	Andi Meyer-Orozco	
Projection	Mary Parker	Ajaylen Wright	
Sound & Lights	Jim Bly	Joey & Andi Meyer-Orozco	
Camera/Video	John Payne/ Callum McDonald	Mike Williams/Callum McDonald	
Livestream	Mary Parker	Jim Branstetter	
Ambassadors	3/19 LaRose Richardson & Lisa Hite	3/19 Lynn Landrum	
	3/26 Nancy Geith & Joann Smith	3/26 Judy Grigg	
Night Watchmen	n 3/19 Bob Casey, 3/26 Jimmy Roberson, 4/2 Hunter Francis		