

Welcome to

First United Methodist Church Fox Hill

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

Sunday, February 8, 2026



“Light for All to See”
Matthew 5:13-20

Announcements

Welcome Scouts and Scouters!

Welcome to all our scouts and scouters today! We currently host Troop 151, Pack 151, and Crew 1151. In addition, we are blessed by the presence of scouts from other troops, packs, and ships!

Thank You, All!!

Thank you, all for making our livestream possible the last two weeks – from the choir to the bells, from the praise band to the AV team, from those who plan and those who show up, thank you!

Rainbow Puppets

Thanks to all who helped Thursday night be special for our guests and friends, and especially thanks to the Rainbow Puppets for blessing us.

Soul Sisters

Our “Soul Sisters” Bible Study is worshiping and growing through our current study, Life. Word. Faith.—and it has something to say to you! Join us Wednesday mornings at 9:30 to discover what God is revealing together.

Women’s Fellowship of Circumstances

The Women’s Fellowship of Circumstances will meet at **Mama Rosa’s**, on **Wednesday, February 18**, 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, February 16**, whether or not you will be joining us! Looking forward to seeing you! Bonnie Harper

January Food Pantry Distribution

We served **82 households (284 people)** this month, including **129 children, 94 adults, and 61 seniors**. We also welcomed **12 new households** and distributed **129 bags of food**.

In the early years of this ministry, we served only a quarter of the number of households we now serve in a single month. Thanks be to God for this growth and the opportunity to meet so many needs.

Many recipients shared their gratitude for the church and our volunteers who served faithfully, even in challenging weather. Thank you to our congregation for your continued support, and to our volunteers for shopping, bagging, and distribution.

Mary & the Food Pantry Team

Fifty Plus

Only TWO seats left on the bus for our Chattanooga, TN trip April 14 – 18.

Be amazed at The Biltmore in Asheville, NC en route, then visit underground Ruby Falls, Lookout Mountain Incline Railway, National Medal of Honor Heritage Center, Tennessee Valley Railway Museum, Lee University presentation of *Hello, Dolly!*, Dolly Parton’s Stampede in Pigeon Forge, and more on this essentially all-inclusive adventure. Get the flyer here, in the Narthex, or on our web page www.firstumcfhill.org, then **call immediately to get these final seats!**

Join us on Sunday afternoon, **June 14**, for a rousing ***Mystery Patriotic Musical*** performed by the **Williamsburg Players**. Afterward we will stop for a meal. Cost is \$19 plus your meal.

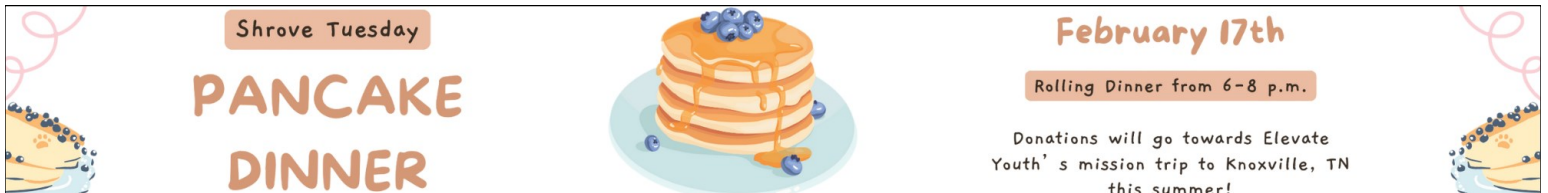
More to come. Watch First Fox Hill publications for more details. For questions or to sign up, contact **Anne or Bill Bryan** (abandbb1@cox.net or 757-851-0748).

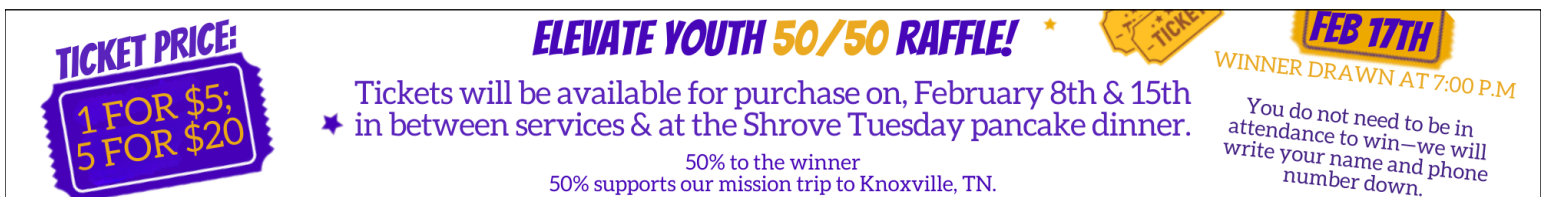
February 8, 2026, 9:00 a.m.
Traditional Worship Service

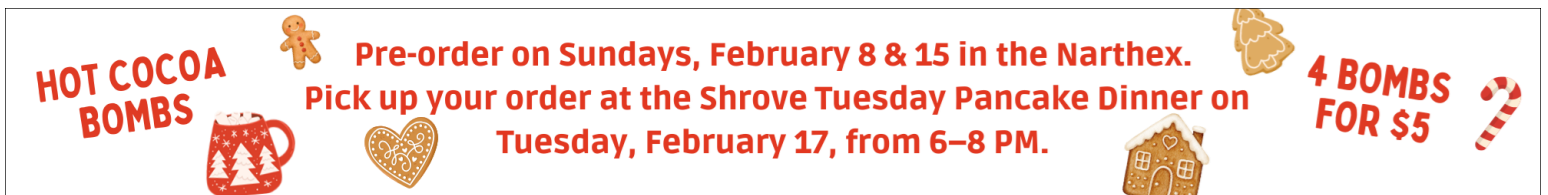
Prelude		
Welcome and Announcements		
Color Guard		
Call to Worship		
Church, let us walk -		
Let us walk in the light of the Lord		
Church, let us live -		
Let us live in the light of the Lord!		
* Hymn	UMH 206	"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"
Children's Time		
Offering Prayer and Offertory	"Carry the Light" Paris	Jane Barbour & Pam Roberts, soloists
* Doxology	UMH 70	"Glory Be to the Father"
* Hymn	UMH 103	"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"
Prayer of Confession		
O God, you place within our hearts a desire to see the future and to move toward it. And yet we sometimes find ourselves slow to respond to your invitations; hesitant to hear your callings; fearful of required changes; stuck in addictive patterns of living. The distance between who we are and who you call us to be is wearying. Give us renewed eagerness to live in hope and to follow in your steps, through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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
Lord's Prayer		
Anthem	"O Holy Jesus" Willcocks	First Fox Hill Family Choir
Scripture	Matthew 5:13-20	
Sermon	"Light for All to See"	Rev. Dr. Brian Sixbey
* Hymn	UMH 173	"Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"
* Benediction		
* Benediction Response	UMH 405	"Seek Ye First"
Postlude		
*Please stand as you are able		

February 8, 2026, 10:30 a.m.
Modern Worship Service

Prelude		
Welcome and Announcements		
Color Guard		
Call to Worship		
Church, let us walk -		
Let us walk in the light of the Lord		
Church, let us live -		
Let us live in the light of the Lord!		
* Worship Songs	"Liberator" Annalise Bush Corey Voss Jason Daughdrill John Strandell Lee Bataller	
	"Rest on Us" Brandon Lake Elyssa Smith Harvest Bashta Jonathan Jay Rebekah White Tony Brown	
	"God with Us" Jason Ingram Leslie Jordan	
Offering Prayer and Offering		
Scripture	Matthew 5:13-20	
Sermon	"Light for All to See"	Rev. Dr. Brian Sixbey
Reflection	"Who You Say I Am" Ben Fielding Reuben Morgan	Worship Team
Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer		
* Benediction		
Postlude	*Please stand as you are able	

A banner for a pancake dinner. On the left, a stack of pancakes with blueberries and syrup. In the center, the text "Shrove Tuesday" in a small box, followed by "PANCAKE DINNER" in large, bold, orange letters. On the right, the date "February 17th" in a small box, followed by "Rolling Dinner from 6-8 p.m." in a small box. Below that, it says "Donations will go towards Elevate Youth's mission trip to Knoxville, TN this summer!" in a small box. The background is white with pink and blue decorative swirls.

A banner for the Elevate Youth 50/50 Raffle. On the left, a purple ticket stub with the text "TICKET PRICE: 1 FOR \$5; 5 FOR \$20". In the center, the text "ELEVATE YOUTH 50/50 RAFFLE!" in large, bold, purple and yellow letters. Below that, it says "Tickets will be available for purchase on, February 8th & 15th in between services & at the Shrove Tuesday pancake dinner." in purple. Below that, it says "50% to the winner 50% supports our mission trip to Knoxville, TN." in purple. On the right, a yellow ticket stub with the text "FEB 17TH" and "WINNER DRAWN AT 7:00 P.M." in yellow. Below that, it says "You do not need to be in attendance to win—we will write your name and phone number down." in yellow. The background is white with yellow and purple decorative swirls.

A banner for Hot Cocoa Bombs. On the left, the text "HOT COCOA BOMBS" in large, bold, red letters. In the center, the text "Pre-order on Sundays, February 8 & 15 in the Narthex. Pick up your order at the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner on Tuesday, February 17, from 6-8 PM." in red. On the right, the text "4 BOMBS FOR \$5" in large, bold, red letters. The background is white with red and brown decorative swirls.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, February 8

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service: [Livestream](#)
 10:30 a.m. [Searchers](#) Class: FH Stage Zoom Passcode: 000846
 10:30 a.m. Faithlink Class: Classroom
 10:30 a.m. Rise Children's Ministry: Ed Wing
 10:30 a.m. Modern Worship Service [Livestream](#)
 4:00 p.m. Women in the Word: ESR
 5:30 p.m. Confirmation Info Meeting: FH
 6:00 p.m. Elevate Youth Night
 6:00 p.m. Junior Youth: Ed Wing

Monday, February 9 Church Office Closed at 1:15 p.m.

10:00 a.m. Yoga: FH Stage
 1:00 p.m. "The Book" Club: Tri-X Room
 6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting: ESR
 7:30 p.m. Church Council Meeting: Tri-X Room

Tuesday, February 10

10:00 a.m. Shawl Makers: ESR
 6:30 p.m. Cub Scout Pack 151 Meeting: FH
 7:00 p.m. BSA Troop 151 Meeting: FH

Wednesday, February 11

9:30 a.m. Soul Sisters: Faithlink Room
 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting: Tri-X Room
 3:00 p.m. Love Unites: ESR
 5:45 p.m. Wesley Bells Rehearsal: Sanctuary
 6:00 p.m. Buckroe New Hope AA Group: FH Kitchen
 7:00 p.m. 1st Fox Hill Family Choir Practice: Sanctuary

Thursday, February 12

5:00 p.m. TABS: Tri-X Room
 6:00 p.m. Karate for Christ: FH Stage

Friday, February 13

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

Saturday, February 14 Happy Valentine's Day

9:00 a.m. Buckroe Men's AA Group: FH Kitchen
 9:00 a.m. Saturday Morning Sisters in Christ: Faithlink Room
 6:00 p.m. The Collective: Tabletop
 7:00 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal



Pray Continually
1 Thessalonians 5:17



Patrick Parker
 Brian Eubank, Sr.

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

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Attendance 02/01/2026

In person:	0
9:00 a.m. Service	0
10:30 a.m. Service	0
Internet Live Streaming	111
9:00 a.m. Service	85
10:30 a.m. Service	26

Tithes & Offerings

Total One Fund:	\$ 1499.07
Year to Date:	\$ 25,860.79

Pastor's Discretionary Fund

Last Week:	\$ 0.00
Year to Date:	\$ 202.00

Worship Assistants for February 8, 2026

Feb. Ushers	9:00 a.m.: George Honeycutt (Capt.), Woody Wilson, Dave Rogers, Hunter Francis, Mike Adams 10:30 a.m.: Dave Sharp (Capt.), Daniel Clark, Elevate Youth
Liturgist	9:00 a.m.: Jean Bernstrom 10:30 a.m.: Ethan Fatkin
Ambassadors	9:00 a.m.: 2/8 Joann Smith & Anne Bryan 2/15 LaRose Richardson & Maude Casey 10:30 a.m.: 2/8 * 2/15 Mike & Judy Adams
Night Watchmen	2/8 Hunter Francis, 2/15 Dave Rogers, 2/22 Calvin Leary

Next Sunday,
Feb. 15

Rev. Becky Holland
 Preaching

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