

First United Methodist Church Fox Hill

Maundy Thursday, April 2, 2026, 7:00 p.m.



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

“His Hour Had Come” 1 Corinthians 11:23-26, John 13:1-35

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Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship

Let us be still. Let us be silent.

Let us prepare ourselves for this evening.

Come, behold the works of the Lord:

He makes wars cease to the end of the earth;

he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear;

he burns the shields with fire.

“Be still, and know that I am God!

I am exalted among the nations. I am exalted in the earth.”

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*Hymn	UMH 292	“What Wondrous Love”
Psalms 22	UMH 752, resp. 1	“O Sacred Head Now Wounded”
Pastoral Prayer		Rev. Dr. Brian Sixbey
Offering Prayer and Offering		
	<i>Our offering tonight will be shared between HELP and the Food Bank</i>	
*Response	UMH 71	“Glory be to the Father”
Anthem	“Worthy is the Lamb” Zschech	**Combined Choirs
Scripture	1 Corinthians 11:23-26, John 13:1-35	Pastor Leah McGlynn
Sermon	“His Hour Had Come”	Rev. Becky Holland
*Hymn	UMH 432	“Jesu, Jesu”

*Please stand as you are able.

**Combined Choirs of First Fox Hill, Phoebus and Wesley United Methodist Churches.

Communion

Rev. Kerry Greenhill

Invitation

Passing the Peace

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Great Thanksgiving

Communion

(During communion, the prayer bench will be open for private prayer and anointing, and Pastor Leah will be offering foot washing for those who wish to participate)

Prayer After Communion

*Hymn

UMH 432

“Nothing but the Blood”

*Benediction

*Stripping the Sanctuary

(Please depart in silence)

The ancient practice of stripping the Lord’s Table and sanctuary following communion is a vivid and dramatic way of showing the desolation and abandonment of the long night in Gethsemane and what followed. Designated persons pick up the cloths on the Lord’s Table and the pulpit and other hangings, banners, candlesticks and decorations and quietly carry them from the sanctuary.

We are grateful for the presence of our members and guests; for Pastor Leah McGlynn and Rev. Kerry Greenhill; for the combined choirs of First Fox Hill, Phoebus, and Wesley United Methodist Churches; and for the members of Phoebus and Wesley UMC. It is a true blessing to worship our Lord together.

*Please stand as you are able.



April 3 Good Friday

TENEBRAE
SERVICE 7PM

April 4 Community Easter Egg Hunt

STARTS AT
3:00 PM

April 5 Easter Sunday

SERVICES AT
9:00 & 10:30AM
