

FOX CHAPEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Highlights



Hilltop Community Children's Center Fundraiser

Hilltop Community Children's Center, one of FCPC's Mission Partners, has been providing safe, educational childcare for the families in the neighborhoods south of downtown Pittsburgh for over 35 years.

The childcare center is the only large safe place for many lower-income working families to know their child will be in good hands with healthy food while they are working hard to support their families.

Dr. Amy Nevin, a member of our congregation, has been on their board for years, and has provided educational programming for parents there as well.

The center's mission includes being an integral part of the families support system, allowing parents to work or further their education in order to improve their children's lives and circumstance. They partner with Head Start, PreK Counts, the federal food program (CACFP), and various other foundations and organizations, to provide the best care, food and educational programs for children from birth to five years old.



Their current goal is to open a new infant room and a new mixed age toddler room to support the need in the community.

The center is currently fundraising for this goal, and for their annual operating fund which goes toward building repair and maintenance, salaries, program supplies and more.



Please consider donating today! Scan the QR code to learn more and to donate.

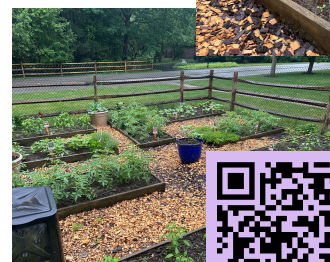
Questions? Ask Amy Ohms, Executive Director, at agnevinmd@gmail.com

FCPC Hunger Garden - Family Summer Service Project

On May 17, nearly 40 children came together to help plant our Hunger Garden, and now the garden is beginning to grow! We encourage everyone to stop by after church on Sundays to check on the progress. Your child may remember exactly what they planted and would love the chance to show off their hard work to family and friends.

To help keep the garden thriving throughout the summer, please consider signing up to tend the garden for one week. Teaming up with another family can make it even more enjoyable and is a great way to spend time together while serving our community. This is intended to be a fun, stress-free project that the whole family can participate in.

Whether you're watering, weeding, or simply enjoying time outdoors, every helping hand makes a difference. Thank you for helping us care for this special ministry!



Sign up your family for a week of tending the garden by scanning the QR code or visiting www.fcpc.us/children-and-family-ministry.

Questions? Contact Cristie Good at 412-251-6576 or cristiegood@gmail.com.



VBS Donations

Vacation Bible School is just around the corner, and we're excited to welcome our children for a week of Faith, Fellowship, and Fun! In order for our students to be energized and hydrated, we are collecting donations of snacks and bottled water. We would appreciate the consideration, and if you would like to contribute, please take a look at our VBS wishlist using the link provided and consider giving. The items can be auto delivered to the church.

Your generosity helps make VBS a wonderful experience for our children and is greatly appreciated. Thank *ewe* very much!!

Is your child interested in attending this year's VBS? Registration is still open! Flip to page 3 for more information.



Job Opportunities & Committee Chair Openings

Now Hiring: Full-Time Caretaker

We are seeking a dependable, hardworking full-time Caretaker to help maintain our facilities and support the ministry of the church. The schedule is Monday–Thursday from 12:00pm–8:00pm and Sunday from 7:00am–3:00pm. This position offers church-paid medical coverage and generous paid time off. Responsibilities include custodial care, room setup, basic facility maintenance, and seasonal tasks such as snow removal. Prior experience is helpful but not required.

To learn more, visit fcpc.us/job-opportunities or send an email to alex@fcpc.us. Apply through Indeed at <https://www.indeed.com/cmp/Fox-Chapel-Presbyterian-Church/jobs>



Memorial Garden Committee Chair Needed

After years of faithful service, Bob Leininger will be stepping down as chair of the Memorial Garden Committee. We are grateful for his leadership and dedication in helping care for this special place of remembrance and reflection.

The committee is seeking a new chairperson to help coordinate its work and guide future planning for the Memorial Garden. If you have an interest in this ministry or would like to learn more about what is involved, please contact the church office or send an email to alex@fcpc.us

FCPC Preschool is Hiring!

Are you interested in making a difference in the lives of young children? Join our creative, dynamic team of childhood educators. FCPC Preschool teachers help lead developmentally appropriate lessons and activities that encourage a love of learning and healthy physical, social and emotional development for children.



Pre-K, Monday-Friday, 25+ hours/week

- TThF 8:30-12:30, MW 8:30-2:30/3:00
- Summers off
- Paid time off
- Paid holidays
- Lesson plan time
- Tuition remission for preschool-aged children

Requirements:

- High school diploma or equivalent
- Enjoy working with young children
- Ability to work independently and as a member of a team
- Ability to work creatively and flexibly

If this sounds like you or someone you know, please send resumes to Karin Miller at karin@fcpc.us with "Teacher Application" as your subject line. Or visit fcpc.us/preschooljobs.

Children & Family Ministries (Infant-5th Grade)

Sunday Morning Volunteers Needed (Still)!

The Sunday morning Kids' Church is in continued need of adult volunteers. Without enough volunteers each week, during each service, we will be forced to cancel due to the legality of an adult to student ratio. Signups are available for the entirety of 2026. Please consider volunteering an hour of your time!

We can't keep this essential program going without your help. As a volunteer, it's super easy and lots of fun—we handle all the planning. All that's needed is for you to join us during Kids' Church to help with a game or activity. Sign up today and let's make a difference together!

Scan the QR code or visit <https://tinyurl.com/FCPCkidschurch> to sign up.



Sign Up!!

Sunday Kids' Church

Kids' Church will be held in the Youth Lounge for the Summer.

Each week children are invited to listen to an interactive telling of a Bible story taught by our Preschool's Barbara Patterson.

Children are then able to engage in activities, games, and crafts that enhance the stories' lessons.

A Nursery staffed with our Preschool's Jennifer Anderson (and team) is open during services for children ages 0-3

Questions? Contact Sam Harding.
sam@fcpc.us | 412-726-0322

FOX CHAPEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH vacation Bible school

EMERALD CROSSING
An Irish Adventure Through Psalm 23

SCAN TO REGISTER

\$50/STUDENT **JULY 13TH-17TH**
AGES 5-12 **1 PM - 4 PM**

FAMILY GAME NIGHT

August 19th
5PM - 8PM
Fellowship Hall

Board Games & Sports Games
Pizza Provided!
Drop in whenever you want!
Playground will be open!

FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

DEACON HUNGER GARDEN

Sign up for a week to tend the church hunger garden!

No previous gardening experience is required. All instructions for tending will be provided.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT CRISTIE GOOD
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Children's Ministry Contacts

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Children's Program Coordinators

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Claudia Charley | claudia@fcpc.us

Youth Ministry (Grades 6-12)

JUNE SCHEDULE

May 31st - Youth Group - 2:00-3:30 PM

June 7th - Kick off to Summer Bash!

June 13th - Animal Shelter Volunteer Day

June 20th - KENNYWOOD!

KENNYWOOD

\$45

Saturday, June 20th

10:30 AM

Transportation
Provided



SAVE THE DATES

YOUTH GROUP SUMMEREVENTS

SAT JULY 11	PIZZA & MOVIE NIGHT PRINCE OF EGYPT 5PM
SAT AUG 15	PARTY IN THE PARK O'Hara Community Park 10am - 1pm

OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS GOING INTO 6TH GRADE - 12TH GRADE

Youth Ministry Contacts

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Youth Program Coordinators

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Meg Wertz | meg@fcpc.us
Dan Wertz | dan@fcpc.us

FCPC Preschool

Preschool 2026-2027 Space Available

Come see what all the excitement is about in our Tuesday/Thursday Twos classes— where we nurture tender hearts, curious minds, and strong bodies.

Register your child at www.fcpc.us/preschool or call 412-406-6617.



The school year may be over...
But Summer Kids' Church has just begun!
Sunday Mornings
9:30 & 11:00 Services
Kids Kingdom
Designated Programming for Kids 3-10
& Staffed Nursery Care for 0-3

Preschool Contacts

Karin Miller

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Preschool Office Staff

Stephanie Walters & Jason Vetitoe
preschooladmin@fcpc.us | 412-963-8243 ex. 60

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS!



Maria

Maria Graham

Joined through Letter of Transfer on 5/17/26

Maria Graham lives in Saxonburg with Rob, her husband of 51 years. They spend the winter months in Delray Beach, FL, where they enjoy playing golf, and where Maria leads a women's Bible Study on Zoom for the Delray Beach Presbyterian Church. She is a retired librarian, and, not surprisingly, belongs to two book groups. She is happy to join the FCPC family and loves attending services with her 8- and 4-year-old grandsons.

Debbie Hanlon

Joined through Reaffirmation of Faith on 5/17/26

Debbie Hanlon grew up in Latrobe, Pa. and moved to Pittsburgh to go to nursing school. She is now a retired RN and former Social Worker, as well. She lives in O'Hara Township with her husband, Jim, who is also retired. She has 3 grown children and 8 grandchildren, and one 20 year old cat named Bronco. She keeps very busy with the grandkids, volunteering, taking classes at FCAAE and the library. She likes to knit, crochet, read (a lot), and tend to her garden. This year she has taken up water color painting and loves it. She also enjoys talking to people and getting to know them.



Debbie

Vicki Evans Pieranunzi

Joined through Letter of Transfer on 5/17/26

Vicki Evans Pieranunzi grew up in New Kensington in the First United Methodist Church. She retired from NK-ARNOLD School District after teaching for 30 years. She and her husband, Ray, recently moved to Indiana Township to be closer to her two grandsons, JJ and Vinny.



Vicki

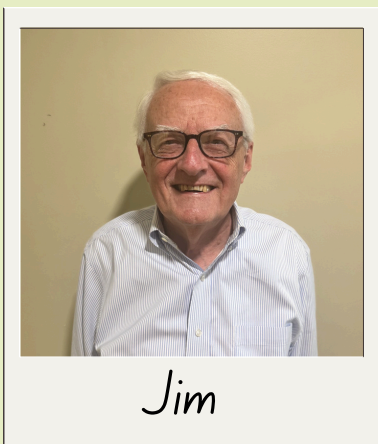


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Jim Schleifer

Joined through Letter of Transfer on 5/17/26

Jim Schleifer is Professor Emeritus of History and former Dean of the Library at the College of New Rochelle, near NYC. Thirteen years ago, to be near family, Jim and Alison, his wife of 61 years, moved to Pittsburgh from New Haven CT. Alison has been at the Willows, Presbyterian Senior Care, since October 2022. Until joining FCPC, they were members at East Liberty Presbyterian Church.



Jim



Jocelyn

Jocelyn Thompson

Joined through Reaffirmation of Faith on 5/17/26

Jocelyn Thompson grew up in Sewickley and was a member of Sewickley Presbyterian Church. She graduated from the University of Colorado, and worked at The Pittsburgh Foundation. Jocelyn has 2 daughters and 5 grandchildren.

Jenna Tupponce

Joined through Profession of Faith on 5/17/26

Jenna Tupponce, daughter of Jaye and David Tupponce, grew up at Fox Chapel Presbyterian Church and has been shaped by the faith, friendships, and community she found here. She currently serves on staff helping with youth group, sharing her gifts and enthusiasm with the next generation. Jenna has a passion for science and loves spending time outdoors. She is looking forward to marrying her fiancé, Anthon, this September.



Jenna

WE, WHO ARE MANY, ARE ONE BODY IN CHRIST, AND INDIVIDUALLY WE ARE MEMBERS OF ONE ANOTHER (ROMANS 12:5)



Thank You to Sam Stucky, Interim Worship Band Leader

As many of you know, this week marks the conclusion of Sam's time with us as our Interim Worship Band Leader. For the past year and a half, Sam has stepped into this vital role with immense grace and devotion. Sam's dedication, flexibility, and joyful spirit have been a true gift to our department of music ministry and our entire church family.

While we will greatly miss Sam's leadership on Sunday mornings, we are profoundly grateful for the ministry, time, and heart shared with us. Please join us following the 9:30am service in the Fellowship Hall this Sunday for a special reception hosted by the Fellowship Committee, where we can express our collective gratitude and wish Sam every blessing in this next chapter!

Prayer Requests of the Congregation

We hold these friends in prayer:

- Corinne Baker
- Peter Reding
- Jim Bischoff
- Cynthia Winter
- Izzy Khylllep
- John Young, brother of Emy Boag
- Bill & Emy Boag
- Ada Grashow, grand niece of Bob Heister
- Alison Bischoff
- Marcia Mayhew
- Salli Letteri, friend of Lorraine & Jack Tabish
- Gil Damico, friend of Avon Null
- Jonny Wallisch

We celebrate with:

- Christine and Vijay Gulati for the wedding of their daughter, Chloe Gulati and Samson Hamburger, on June 13th.

We pray for Local Congregations:

- Trinity United Church of Christ, impacted by a devastating fire to their house of worship
- Shadyside Presbyterian Church
- Sharon Community Presbyterian Church
- Sixth Presbyterian Church

We pray for peace, aid, and consolation for all who suffer, including:

- For people affected by immigration policy.
- For safety to those traveling.
- For all facing economic uncertainty and food insecurity.
- For addicts in our community to heal and recover.
- The people of Iran, Israel, Gaza, Ukraine, Haiti, Sudan, Venezuela, and places in conflict, violence, and hunger.
- Refugees throughout the world.
- For our republic.

We pray for those who grieve:

- For the Rosswog family, on the death of Jim's grandmother, Joanne Rosswog, who passed away June 9, 2026.
- For the Chiles and Power families on the death of Liz Chiles, who passed away May 30, 2026.
- For the family of Joan Milsom, who passed away on May 13, 2026.
- For Kathy and Jim Smith, on the death of Kathy's father, Ronald Carlson, who passed away on May 9, 2026.

*Prayer requests will be publicly listed for one month. Please re-submit your request if you would like to renew after a month.
Requests made before end of day Wednesday will be published in the Sunday prayer list.*

Birthdays

JUNE 14 Brett Barbour, Betsy Hawley, Alan Hoover, Linda Thier

JUNE 15 George Dull, Will Johnjulio, Peter Lake,

JUNE 16 Ellis Clark, Greg Overbeck, Dick Ray, Claire Simon, Jeff Todd

JUNE 17 Chip Burke, Cassie Denny, Nancy Gines, Sharon Jaynes

JUNE 18 Julie Lagnese, Sloan Rost

JUNE 19 Marcia Mayhew, Clara Stein

JUNE 20 Abel Brady-Porter, Micah Cagley, Pennie Gazarov, Maranda Marcussen,
Will Stewart



This Week at FCPC

SUN JUNE 14

- 8:15 AM** Cup & Loaf Service (Chapel)
- 9:30 AM** Contemporary Worship (Fellowship Hall), Kids' Church (Youth Lounge), & Nursery Care (Kids Kingdom)
- 11 AM** Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary), Kids' Church (Youth Lounge), & Nursery Care (Kids Kingdom)

MON JUNE 15

- 7 PM** Deacon Meeting (Chapel)

TUE JUNE 16

- 8 AM** Men's Prayer Breakfast (Lounge)
- 9 AM - 1 PM** Harvest Fair Donation Drop Off (Springhouse Lane Entrance)
- 5:45 PM** Meditation Prayer Group (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:30 PM** Finance Committee (Chapel)

WED JUNE 17

- 9:30 AM** Staff Devotions & Meeting (Library)
- 9:30 AM** Living in Liberty (Kitchen)
- 6:30 PM** Preschool Committee (Library)

THU JUNE 18

- 9 AM - 1 PM** Harvest Fair Donation Drop Off (Springhouse Lane Entrance)

FRI JUNE 19

Building Closed - Juneteenth holiday

SAT JUNE 20

- 9 AM - 1 PM** Harvest Fair Donation Drop Off (Springhouse Lane Entrance)
- 10:30 AM** Youth Kennywood Trip (Off Site)

SUN JUNE 21

- 8:15 AM** Cup & Loaf Service (Chapel)
- 9:30 AM** Contemporary Worship (Fellowship Hall), Kids' Church (Youth Lounge), & Nursery Care (Kids Kingdom)
- 11 AM** Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary), Kids' Church (Youth Lounge), & Nursery Care (Kids Kingdom)

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Giving

Online Giving

- Now using giving platform, PushPay.
- + Scan the QR code to give
 - + Text the word GIVE to 833-830-6600



As a PCUSA church, we welcome all persons who trust in God's grace in Jesus Christ and desire to become part of the fellowship and ministry of his Church. The Gospel leads our members to extend the fellowship of Christ to all persons. (Book of Order, G-1.0302)



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