

# ***F.H. & L.***

**Faith, Hope and Love, and the Greatest of These is Love**

**A Mini-Newsletter From Your Family at Oakhurst United Methodist Church**

## *A Mother's Day Prayer*

*Dear Lord,*

*Please watch over  
and support all mothers  
on earth and in heaven . . .*

*and help them to know how much  
they are loved and appreciated  
on Mother's Day and every day.*



## **OAKHURST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

13400 Park Blvd., Seminole, FL 33776  
[www.oakhurstumc.com](http://www.oakhurstumc.com)

727-391-4769  
Find us on Facebook

Office Hours: Monday—Friday  
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

LOVING GOD, LOVING OTHERS, LOVING LIFE

**Our Mission is to make disciples, nurture disciples,  
and spread the Kingdom of Christ.**

Rev. Dr. Tim Ehrlich, Co-Pastor  
[tehrlich@aol.com](mailto:tehrlich@aol.com)

Rev. Nathan Carlson, Co-Pastor  
[ncarlson@oakhurstumc.com](mailto:ncarlson@oakhurstumc.com)

## **Mothers Are People**

Shared by: Ginny Leeds

**Mother are people who cook things**

**Like breakfast or lunch or a snack**

**Dexterous people who hook things**

**Which button or zip up the back.**

**Mothers are people who blow things**

**Balloons and kisses and noses,**

**Green-thumbish people who grow things**

**Like ivy and puppies and roses.**

**Mothers are people who send things**

**Like letters and strawberry tarts,**

**Magical people who mend things**

**Like blue jeans and elbows and hearts.**

**Mothers are people who find things**

**Like mittens and homework and germs,**

**Fussbudget people who mind things,**

**Like cusswords and snowballs and worms.**

**Mothers are people who sweep things**

**Like porches and cobwebs and rugs,**

**Soft hearted people who keep things**

**Like artwork, report cards and hugs.**

**Mothers are people who nurse things**

**A boy or a girl or a spouse,**

**All in all there are worse things**

**Than a mother to have in your house.**



**Celebrating All Who Mother!**

### **Methodist roots of Mother's Day**

Did you know it was Methodist women who started Mother's Day? The mother-daughter team of Ann and Anna Jarvis worked to establish a national Mother's Day to honor mothers and help suffering mothers and children. "They were not thinking about greeting cards and flowers," said United Methodist Women General Secretary Harriett Jane Olson in the video "The Founding Mothers of Mother's Day," produced by United Methodist Communications. Watch the video at [umc.org/content/methodist-history-the-founding-mothers-of-mothers-day](http://umc.org/content/methodist-history-the-founding-mothers-of-mothers-day), and learn more about and find resources for this day to celebrate all who mother at [unitedmethodistwomen.org/mothersday](http://unitedmethodistwomen.org/mothersday).

## UMW Yard Sale at Oakhurst

**Saturday, May 15**

**9:00 a.m.— Noon**



PAC is in need of Peanut Butter. If you can help, please bring jars to the Church Office.

Thank you for your continued support.

### A Message from Seminole United Methodist Church

**From: Admin Pastor <Pastor@seminoleumc.org>**

**Received: Monday, April 12, 2021 11:12 AM**

**Subject: Conversations with Alex Shanks**

**Good Morning my colleagues in ministry, I am hopeful this email finds you well.**

**Given the postponement of the General Conference, and the impending split, Seminole Parishioners are asking questions about the denomination future.**

**Due to this, we are hosting "A conversation with Alex Shanks" on June 5th @ 12 p.m. Please accept this as an invitation for you and your members to join us.**

**If you desire to be apart, please acknowledge and provide a count, so that we can adhere to CDC guidelines for capacity.**

**Yours in ministry, Avis**

## DRIVE- THROUGH FOOD DRIVE

**Saturday, May 15**

**9:00 AM to 12:00 PM**

**at**

**Oakhurst United Methodist  
Church**

**13400 Park Blvd**

**Seminole, FL 33776**

If you drive through and pop  
your trunk we will pull out  
your donations.

In support of the local food  
pantries.

Thank You!

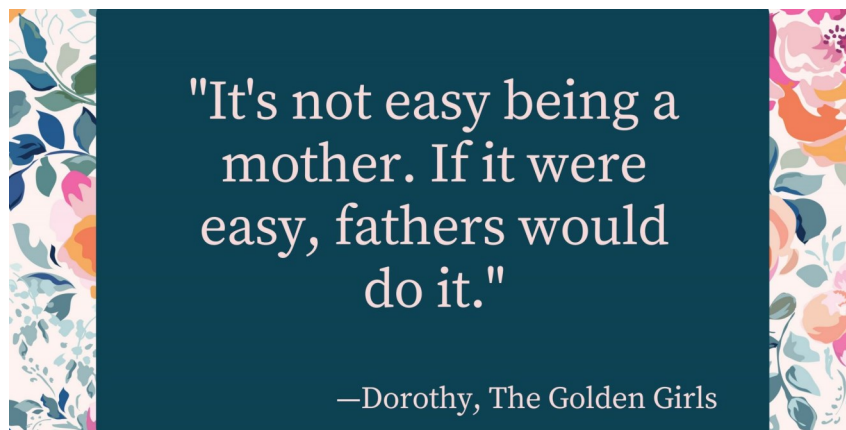
WEEKLY PUZZLE

# Mother's Day

N	U	I	S	G	U	H	E	C	I	V	D	A	F
W	G	M	F	K	I	S	S	E	S	L	P	O	R
I	S	O	A	A	S	S	E	N	F	S	R	E	S
E	R	T	T	E	N	U	R	T	U	R	I	N	G
T	E	H	H	N	C	O	O	K	I	N	G	A	Y
S	W	E	E	E	F	E	F	O	G	P	T	E	A
R	O	R	R	T	D	G	U	I	A	A	S	E	D
E	L	G	F	S	E	R	V	T	P	I	W	S	N
T	F	K	R	I	I	I	I	C	N	G	E	T	U
H	T	T	N	L	N	E	I	V	A	E	E	F	S
G	C	I	O	G	N	S	H	E	I	R	T	I	I
U	I	I	U	T	S	O	N	S	S	N	I	G	G
A	S	V	H	N	W	I	F	E	K	S	G	N	N
D	S	I	F	E	E	D	I	N	G	W	S	G	G

COOKING  
GIVING  
KISSES  
NURTURING  
SWEET  
MOTHER  
WIFE  
LISTEN  
DRIVING  
FATHER  
SUNDAY  
FEEDING  
DAUGHTERS  
HUGS  
SONS  
FLOWERS  
ADVICE  
PATIENT  
CARING  
GIFTS

Play this puzzle online at : <https://thewordsearch.com/puzzle/398/>







**Thank you to our bulletin sponsors.**

		<p align="center"><b>LET US PLACE YOUR AD HERE.</b></p>	
 <p><b>SLAUGHTER PLUMBING</b> 24 Hour Emergency Service RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL 727-596-5663 12920 Walsingham Rd. • Largo, FL 33774</p>	<p align="center"><b>Realty Concepts</b> of Pinellas <i>"The name friends pass along"</i> <b>Lucy SCHEURINGER</b> (727) 804-5104 <a href="http://www.lucysellshomes.com">www.lucysellshomes.com</a></p>	<p align="center"><b>WE'RE HIRING</b> AD SALES EXECUTIVES</p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Full Time Position with Benefits</li> <li>• Sales Experience Preferred</li> <li>• Paid Training</li> <li>• Overnight Travel Required</li> <li>• Expense Reimbursement</li> </ul> <p align="right">CONTACT US AT <a href="mailto:careers@4LPi.com">careers@4LPi.com</a> <a href="http://www.4LPi.com/careers">www.4LPi.com/careers</a></p>	
<p align="center"><b>HELP PROTECT YOUR FAMILY</b> CALL NOW! 1-888-386-7928</p>  	<p align="center"><b>PROTECTING SENIORS NATIONWIDE</b> MEDICAL ALERT SYSTEM <b>\$29.95/MO</b> BILLED QUARTERLY CALL NOW! 1.877.801.7772 <a href="http://www.24-7MEDALARM.COM">www.24-7MEDALARM.COM</a></p>		
<p align="center"><b>CLEARWATER PLUMBING</b> SINCE 1951 727-446-8355 <b>\$10.00 OFF</b> ANY SERVICE Find us on Facebook <a href="http://clearwaterplumbingonline.com">clearwaterplumbingonline.com</a></p>		<p align="center"><b>THIS SPACE IS AVAILABLE</b></p> <p align="center"><b>SPREAD THE WORD</b> A Thriving, Vibrant Community Matters</p>  <p align="center"><b>SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS</b></p>	
<p align="center"><b>AVAILABLE FOR A LIMITED TIME</b></p> <p align="center"><b>ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS HERE</b></p> <p align="center">Contact <b>Greg Maurer</b> to place an ad today! <a href="mailto:gmaurer@4LPi.com">gmaurer@4LPi.com</a> or (941) 243-3206</p>		<div data-bbox="592 1543 1047 1690">  <p align="center"><b>Jim HOBSON</b> AUTO REPAIR Certified Master Automotive Tech. • 40 Years Experience 727-851-9838 9660 Seminole Blvd. STE. B Seminole, Florida 33772</p> </div> <div data-bbox="592 1690 1047 1827">  <p align="center"><i>Rowland Family Dentistry</i> JUDY G. ROWLAND, D.D.S. DAVID L. ROWLAND, D.D.S. 201 107th Ave. • Treasure Island, FL 33706 (727) 360-1244 <a href="http://www.RowlandFamilyDentistry.com">www.RowlandFamilyDentistry.com</a></p> </div>	
<p align="center"><b>SUPPORT THE ADVERTISERS THAT SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY</b></p> 			