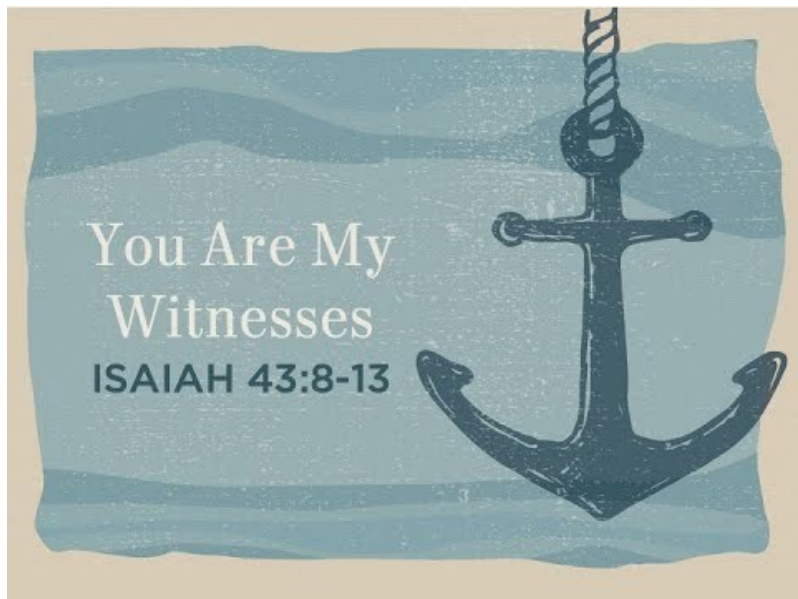


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**Faith, Hope and Love, and the Greatest of These is Love**

**A Weekly Newsletter From Your Family at Oakhurst United Methodist Church**



**Sunday, Jan. 9**  
**Isaiah 43: 8-13**

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**Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

**JANUARY 17, 2022**

Name	Birth Date
Marcine DuBois	01/03
Susan Johnson	01/04
Jon Trezona	01/06
Robert Smith	01/06
Gary Clairry	01/07
Phil Turner	01/07
Ed Cunningham	01/08
Beverly Yerby	01/09
Tammy Pluskat	01/10
Rick Scott	01/11
Nancy Hamilton	01/13
Trudi Massaro	01/16
Pastor Nathan Carlson	01/16
Nancy Ferris	01/17
Joe Adamovitz	01/18
Sarah Schmitt	01/18
Scarlett Schmitt	01/18
Simone Stubbs	01/21
Peter Hofstra	01/22
Gwendolyn Mayfield	01/26
Sharon Root	01/28
Gary Curtis	01/31
Donald Sweat	01/31



**Richard and Beverly Yerby**

**January 21, 1972—**

**January 21, 2022**

**Congrats on 50 Years of  
Marriage!**

**Sunday, January 23**

**Cuban Sandwich Fund  
Raiser**







IN LOVING MEMORY

JUNE ROBERTS

DECEMBER 10, 1932—JANUARY 2, 2022



Sixty children from Walsingham Elementary and LIFT academy had a more joyous Christmas because of the kindness of so many of you. Each student received toys, books, a shoe card and a grocery card.

There are thank you notes from the families in the Church Office.

Thank you to Debbie Shepherd, Lety Cruz and Stephanie Fergenbaum for the initial set-up of the lists and sign-up genius.

Thank you to Ray and Lin Johnson and Gary Clairry for being delivery elves year-after-year. Thank you to Justin for moving the gifts around and other random chores. This was one of the smoothest years ever.

*You're the Best!*

Bless You!! Jean Campbell



Our missions team would like to thank Oakhurst for your continued support for our Cuba sister church. Funds that were sent to them in December allowed the church to feed 400 people for a Christmas Eve dinner. Pastora called Christmas Eve to thank us and sent these pictures! Gary and Annette Clairry

**From Pastor and Pastora Eglis:**  
**Ready for Christmas dinner 400 brothers will celebrate the birth of Jesus. Thank you brothers for so much kindness.**





### What is Alpha?

Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the basics of the Christian faith. Typically run over eleven weeks, each session looks at a different question that people can have about faith and is designed to create conversation. It's just an open, informal and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together. And it's free.

No two Alphas look the same, but generally, they have three key things in common: food, a talk, and good conversation:

1. Food: Food has a way of bringing people together. It's no different at Alpha. Most sessions start with food because it's a great way to build community and get to know each other.
2. Talk: The talks are videos designed to engage guests and inspire conversation.
3. Discussion: Probably the most important part of any Alpha: the chance to share thoughts and ideas on the topic, and simply discuss it in a small group. There's no obligation to say anything and there's nothing you can't say (seriously). It's an opportunity to hear from others and contribute your own perspective in an honest, friendly and open environment.

The journey begins January 24, 2022 at 6:30 PM in the Foundry!

A large graphic featuring a teal circle with a white flame-like shape inside. The words "TURN IT UP!" are written in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters across the circle.

# TURN IT UP!

## ASSEMBLY 2022

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Come to Orlando to care for your spirit, worship with your sisters and celebrate the positive impact women create in the world.



### WHY YOU SHOULD REGISTER

In 2022 we will reflect on today's challenges and together find comfort and strength to move forward, building new ways for faith-filled women to make a difference in our communities and the world. We will recommit to our purpose, but also more. For such a time as this we will **TURN IT UP!**

At ASSEMBLY 2022 we will **TURN IT UP!** for spiritual healing and renewal. We will **TURN IT UP!** for rebirth in a new time. We will **TURN IT UP!** for women leaders. We will **TURN IT UP!** for justice for women, children and youth. And it all begins with you. Will you **TURN IT UP?**

### PRICE

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- Soul-stirring worship infused with music and performing arts
- Impactful workshops and riveting Town Hall meetings with important leaders
- Action opportunities and an Experience Hall with interactive experiences

### SAVE FOR ASSEMBLY

**Start now!** Calculate the costs as broken out below for your location, then divide by 12 for a monthly savings amount. Now it doesn't seem so daunting. The unforgettable experience of Assembly will make it worth every dollar.

**Early Registration fee: \$330** (available Sep 1 – Nov 30, 2021, which includes lunch on Friday and Saturday)

**Hotel expenses: \$158 – \$203** per night for up to four people ( double / double room )

- Travel expenses
- Meal expenses:
  - Friday and Saturday — breakfast and dinner
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## WEEKLY PUZZLE

Fill in grids so that each column, row and diagonal add up to the given sum.

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### What's Happening at Oakhurst UMC/Community:

- \* Jan 15—Third Saturday Food Drive
- \* Jan 16—Coffee with the Pastor
- \* Jan 16—Pastor Nathan's Birthday
- \* Jan 17—Church Offices Closed for MLK Jr. Day
- \* Jan 23—Cuban Sandwich Fund Raiser
- \* Jan 24—Alpha begins today.

Wednesdays at 9:00 am—Coffee in the Community with Pastor Nathan at Southie Coffee

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