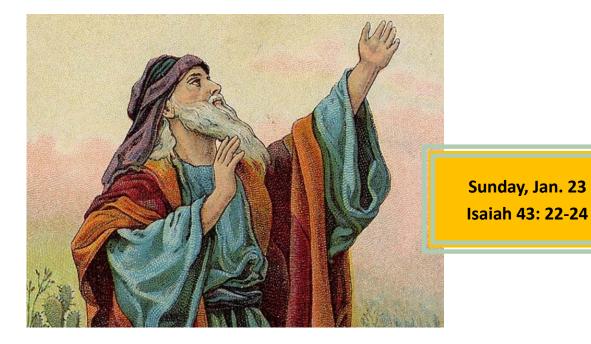


Faith, Hope and Love, and the Greatest of These is Love

A Weekly Newsletter From Your Family at Oakhurst United Methodist Church



OAKHURST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

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Our Mission is to make disciples, who make disciples, who transform the World.

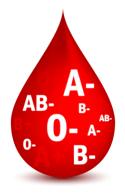
FIRST TIME GUESTS:

Text <u>Hello</u> to 727-732-3550 to receive info from Oakhurst UMC.

NOT RECEIVING OUR CHURCH E-MAILS: TEAR AND DROP IN OFFERING

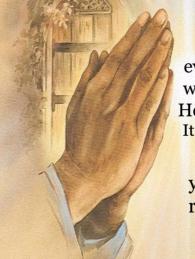
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Give Blood. Save a Life.

Oakhurst is looking to host a Blood Drive late February early March. At least 10 people are needed to have the Blood Mobile come to us. If you are interested in donating, please call the Church Office to sign-up. Thank You!



The first ever cordless phone was created by God. He named it "prayer" It never loses its signal

and you never have to recharge it. Use it anywhere.





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January	Happy Birthday January Babies	
January 1 Happy New Year		
January 2	Communion Sunday	
January 3	Rehearsals for 2022 Musical	Cancelled
January 6	Epiphany	
January 12	Start of Tai Chi Classes	Postponed to Feb.
January 13-15	UMW Thrift Sale	Postponed to Mar.
January 15	Third Saturday Food Drive	
January 16	Coffee with the Pastor	
January 16	Pastor Nathan's Birthday	
January 17	Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Church Office Closed
January 21	Richard and Beverly Yerby's 50th Wedding Anniversary	
January 21 @ 3pm	Service of Remembrance for June Roberts	at Oakhurst UMC
January 23	Cuban Sandwich Fund Raiser	
January 23 @ 3pm	Ecumenical Prayer Service St. Justin Martyr Church	
January 24 @ 6:30pm	Alpha Begins Today	
January 30	Children's Home Sunday	
January 30 @ 11am	Snowbird Brunch	
Every Wednesday @ 9am	Coffee in the Community w/ Pastor Nathan	at Southie Coffee

Dates/Events are Subject to Change without Notice

Save the Date		
March 10 @ 11:30am	Baby Basics First Annual Luncheon	Bayou Club in Bardmoor

Check or Cash preferred when paying for your Cuban Sandwiches on Sunday. Thank you!

If you would like to add your meeting/event to the calendar, contact the Church Office. I am very pleased to announce that Oakhurst UMC has paid ALL the Florida Conference Apportionment funds requested for 2021! The graph shows the Apportionment Payment History of our church over the last 11 years. The increased payment trend over the past years is evident and the goal of paying ALL the apportionment funds has been met for the <u>second year in a row.</u>

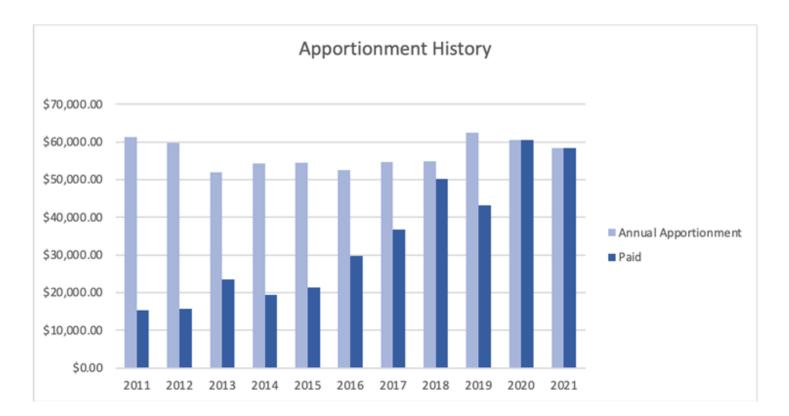
Praise God and thank you for all the individual pledges and gifts that enables us to celebrate our commitment as a connectional church of the United Methodist Church. There are missions and ministries throughout the world, the Florida Annual Conference and the Gulf Central District that would not be possible without the apportionment funding provided from each local church.

Our Oakhurst UMC apportionment goal for 2022 = \$52,961 and we have received (33) membership estimate of giving pledges that will fund \$18,560 (35.05%) of the \$52,961 required. Even if you did not pledge, you can assist with this apportionment funding in 2022 by marking your offering envelope each week/month to contribute to Apportionments!

Any questions about the (13) Apportionment funds required to be paid, please contact me.

What is the 2022 goal? 100% paid! Happy New Year! God Bless!

Rick Jacobson, Interpreter of Connectional Giving







of Pinellas County

Because every baby deserves the basics

at Oakhurst United Methodist Church





HAPPY NEW YEAR from Baby Basics!

No New Year's Resolutions for us, just a promise to provide our 40 families with free diapers with a helping hand and a smile!

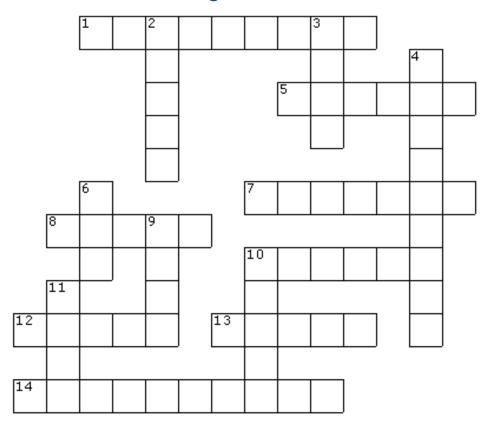
We are all working hard towards our Fashion Show & Luncheon on March 10th to raise funds so we can keep doing what we're doing. For tickets and/or information, contact:

- Ginny Leeds at 727-798-5484
- Nancy Fruit at 321-258-0790



Surprise your Sweetheart and buy her a ticket to our Luncheon! Look for our table in the Fellowship Hall after the 10:00 am service.

Blessings and Woes



ACROSS

- 1 Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be ____
- 5 Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be
- 7 Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the ____ of heaven
- 8 Woe to you who laugh now, for you will ____ and weep
- 10 Woe to you who are well fed now, for you will go ____
- 12 Blessed are you who weep now,

for you will ____ 13 Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the

14 Blessed are those who are _____because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven

DOWN

- 2 Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown ____
- 3 Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of _____ against you because of me
- 4 Woe to you

- when all men speak _____, For so did their fathers to the false prophets.
- 6 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of ____
- 9 But woe to you who are ____, for you have already received your comfort.
- 10 Blessed are the pure in ____, for they will see God
- 11 Blessed are you when men ____ you, when they exclude you and insult you and reject your name as evil, because of the

Son of Man

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Join Us For Sunday Worship

8:30 am—Contemporary Service

Music, Videos and Band

The Foundry

10:00 am—Traditional Service

Hymnals, Choir, Pianist/Organist

The Sanctuary

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