

LAKESIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
LAKESIDE LANTERN
SHARING THE GRACE OF GOD IN OUR 57TH YEAR

OCTOBER



The Book of Matthew recounts Jesus feeding the 5,000 with five loaves of bread and two fish. What a miraculous event that must have been. And we have an opportunity to follow that great example of ministry and outreach. **Stop Hunger Now** is a nonprofit organization that has partnered with the Florida Conference of the United Methodist Church. All across our conference, congregations are hosting meal packaging events and our event is **Saturday, October 17th at 10 AM.**

Have you ever stopped to think what \$1 will buy today? Not much, if you live in our area of the World. If you went to your favorite local grocery store, could you buy enough ingredients to serve a nutritious meal to your whole family for that \$1? How about \$5.....could you feed your whole family a nutritious meal for \$5? Or could you feed 20 people with that \$5? Well guess what?.... You can and you have the opportunity to help families all over the world eat a nutritious meal for \$.25 a meal !

The Stop Hunger Now process can pack 10,000 meals in just one hour! Each meal is “created” and packed in an assembly line fashion with everyone being trained for their specific task. Yes, 10,000 meals sounds like a lot of work but the whole process moves quickly and you will be amazed at how efficient this system is. And you will be doing a worthwhile ministry and outreach program with very little effort by individuals but a mighty effort by our united congregation. We need “all hands on deck” to accomplish our goal and there is something for you to do regardless of your age or physical conditions.

So back to that \$1...that will provide 4 meals and each meal is enough food for four people...so 16 single meals will come from your \$1. If you can't join us for the event, we would ask that you make a donation.....any amount will help and we pray for blessings on your gift. Please “ earmark” your donations for “Stop Hunger Now” in the memo line of your check or mark as such on offering envelope.

Please join us and bring a friend to help in this worthwhile cause. Refreshments and sandwiches will be served. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Bob Going or Barbara Russum. More Information can also be obtained at www.stophungernow.org

OCTOBER AT A GLANCE

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| 01- Chancel Choir Practice | 15- Praise Gathering/Healing and
Communion |
| 02- | Chancel Choir Practice |
| 03- Men's Breakfast Group
UMW District Annual Meeting | 16- Food Pantry |
| 04- Nineteenth Sunday after
Pentecost
World Communion Sunday | 17- STOP HUNGER NOW EVENT
Charge Conference |
| 05- UMM
Bookworms | 18- Twenty First Sunday after
Pentecost
Laity Sunday |
| 06- Sanctuary Committee
Boy Scouts | 19- Book Club
UMW Mission Team |
| 07- Susanna Wesley Circle
Keenagers Summer Krafting
Kamp | 20- Boy Scouts |
| 08- Praise Gathering
Chancel Choir Practice | 21- Keenagers Summer Kraft Kamp
Bible Study |
| 09- | 22- Praise Gathering
Chancel Choir Practice
Set Up UMW Breakfast |
| 10- UMM Pancake Breakfast | 23- Set Up UMW Breakfast |
| 11- Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
Children's Sabbath
CROS End Hunger Walk | 24- UMW Fall Breakfast |
| 12- Columbus Day | 25- Twenty Second Sunday after
Pentecost
Pastor Appreciation Sunday |
| 13- DOWLL
Boy Scouts | 26- |
| 14- Keenagers Summer Krafting
Kamp
Leadership Council
Bible Study | 27- Boy Scouts |
| | 28- Keenagers Summer Kraft Kamp
Bible Study |
| | 29- Praise Gathering
Chancel Choir Practice |
| | 30- Harvest Festival |
| | 31- Matthew Meals |



Join us on Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m. for a **Praise Gathering** with "The Hope Band".
 Come as you are and enjoy a special time of worship, praise music and fellowship.
 See you there. Peace, Pastor David

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

- 1 - Beverly Engler
- 2—Rebecca Wilhelm Acosta
Judith Frishe
- 3—Justin Chennell
David Shute
- 7 Jennifer Novello Johnson
- 8 Janet Lane
- 12 Colin Spino
- 15—Jane Burchett
Don Morphesis
- 18 Candace McCulley
- 19-Kathy Ball
- 21 Whitney Laubscher
Chennell
- 28—Kathy Howard,
- 29 - Joan Dacres
- 30 Timmie Moretz
- 31 Nanci Branson

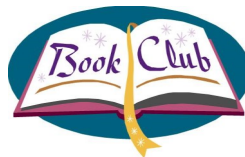
Healing and Communion Service - The next Healing and Communion Service will be Thursday, October 15th at 7 PM. We will be including it with our Praise Gathering, which meets on Thursday nights.

PRAISE WORSHIP FELLOWSHIP

Men's Breakfast Group

Lakeside's men will meet at IHOP (corner of Federal Hwy. and Hypoluxo Rd.) on **Saturday, October 3th** at 8 AM. Come and join us for a great time of fellowship and food.

United Methodist Men will meet on October 5th at 7 PM.



Book Club will meet the third Monday of the month, October 19th at 12 PM in the Library Contact Sharon Bouyoucas (968-1892), if you have any questions.

COMMUNITY

REMINDER:
 The church public office hours are Monday - Friday from 9 AM to 1 PM. Please plan to conduct your business during these hours.



Don't see your October birthday listed? Please let us know.



The Lakeside United Methodist Church Memorials Committee

Gifts made in honor of a loved one are used to enhance the worship service, or are used for beautification of the sanctuary or other church properties. The donor, or the family, may choose to designate the use of the funds. Please consider remembering a loved one in this manner. Contact Tom Harden for more information.

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

After the death of a member of the church family, the Bereavement Committee shows sympathy to, and concern for, the family by providing a simple meal after the funeral service.

The committee volunteers are led by Jean Crawford (561-584-4458) and Betty McMurchy (561-968-9497). If you would like to help this group by providing food, helping with set-up, or assisting with cleaning up, contact the ladies listed above.

While there is no charge for this service, donations to help defray the costs can be made payable to the church, with Caring Committee listed as the notation.

To My Church Family,

I would like to thank all of the people that sent cards, visited, prayed for me, brought food and made phone calls during my recent surgery and on my birthday. They were greatly appreciated! Thank you so much, Lois Mahoney

CARD MINISTRY

We will soon begin signing Christmas cards for our Military. We continue to send out cards to those in our congregation that need uplifting. Be a Blessing to Others! Take a few moments and stop by the "Card Signing Table" to add your name to the list of folks sending greetings to our fellow Lakesiders.



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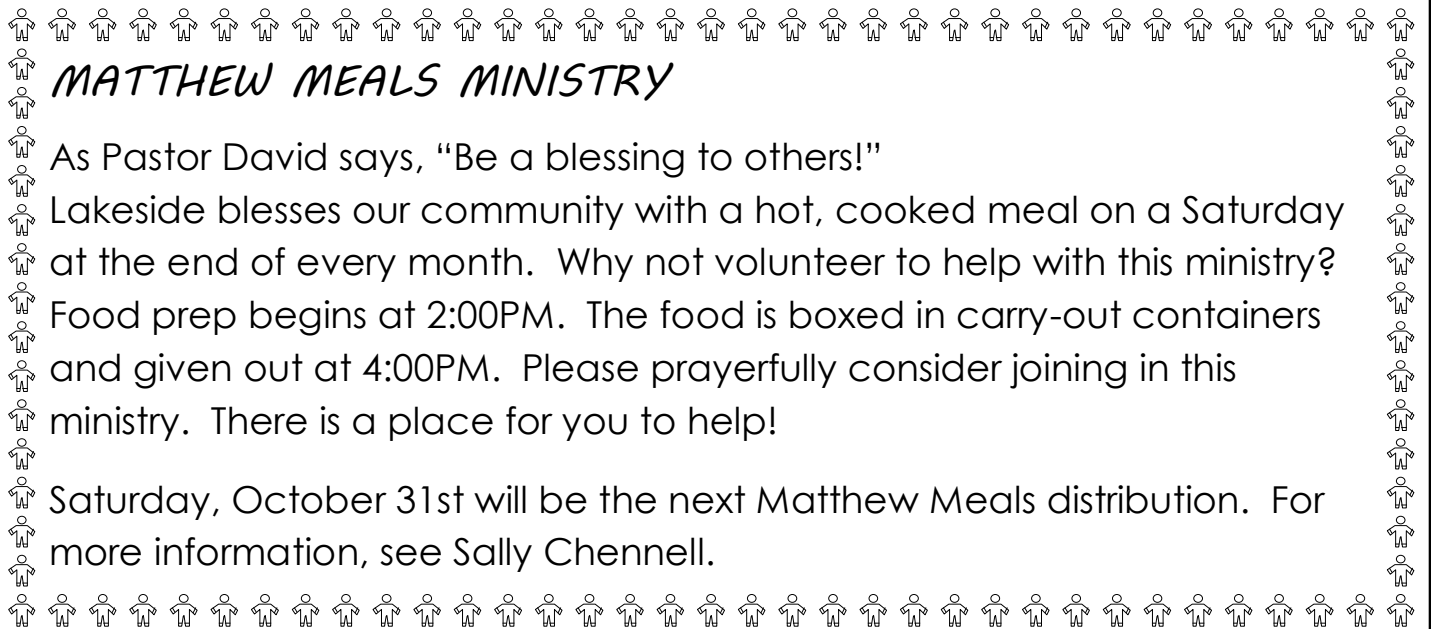
D O W L L (Dining Out With Lakeside Ladies)

Save the date! The 3rd Tuesday is **October 20, 2015**. The ladies are headed to Duffy’s Sports Grill this month. It is located at 4746 N. Congress Ave. (in the shopping center on the SE corner of Hypoluxo and Congress) Watch your paper (or online) for money-saving coupons!

As usual, if you plan to join us, contact Teresa Wilhelm by email, text, or phone, or you may call Carolyn at the church office. Please reserve your place **by 12:00 Noon on Tuesday, 10/20/15**. If you forget to call us, you may still attend the activity, but we cannot promise that you will be sitting with our group.

We’re looking forward to seeing many of our ladies at **DOWLLs** this month! Why not bring a friend?

Teresa Wilhelm; wilhelmwellness@gmail.com; 561-317-2808 cell
Carolyn/Church Office: 561-585-7519



MATTHEW MEALS MINISTRY

As Pastor David says, “Be a blessing to others!”

Lakeside blesses our community with a hot, cooked meal on a Saturday at the end of every month. Why not volunteer to help with this ministry?

Food prep begins at 2:00PM. The food is boxed in carry-out containers and given out at 4:00PM. Please prayerfully consider joining in this ministry. There is a place for you to help!

Saturday, October 31st will be the next Matthew Meals distribution. For more information, see Sally Chennell.

FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY

Volunteers are needed to assist with this ministry on the 3rd Friday of each month. While the pantry hours are 10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon, volunteers are needed 9:30AM –12:30PM. For more information, see Sally Chennell. The next date is Friday, October 16th. Distribution of food: 10:00 AM-12:00 Noon

Mission Jar Focus

Thank you for your generous support of the Mission Jar Focus for the last three months. The local schools are always happy to receive help with School Supplies.
The Lakeside Finance Committee

The Mission Jar Focus for October - December will be CROS Ministries.

Donations to CROS Ministries' Gifts of Hope, touch lives in powerful ways—

Gifts to CROS Ministries

- feed hungry children, families, seniors, individuals;
- provide a safe and educational summer camp for children;
- build community across diverse economic, religious, racial, and age groups;
- support caring staff and volunteers;
- ensure CROS Ministries continues to serve the hungry in our community.

See your bulletin for more information and how to give.

KEENAGERS (THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING)

Mark your calendars! The Keenager's monthly "Pot-Luck & Program" will resume Wednesday, December 8, 2015. The officers are hosting the first meeting.



KEENAGERS SUMMER KRAFT KAMP

Our crafters will meet each Wednesday in October in the Fellowship Hall from 11:00 AM until 2:00 PM. The LAST DAY will be 10/28/2015. You do not have to know how to "craft" to be helpful. Remember . . . ALL items created over the summer will be for sale at the annual UMW Bazaar, November 7, 2015.

(For more information see Shirley Turner, Ruthie Rawson, or Teresa Wilhelm.)



We have had a scheduling problem with the pumpkins. We will keep you informed when we know more.



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

All women are invited to attend our United Methodist Women meetings. You do not have to be a member of Lakeside UMC.

District Annual Meeting –Port St. Lucie UMC. Saturday, October 3. The speakers will be missionaries who are “Building a School in Haiti”.

Bookworms Circle – Monday, October 5, 7 pm in Fellowship Hall. Shirley Turner, Chmn., 586-8223.

Susanna Wesley Circle – Wednesday, October 7, 10 am in Fellowship Hall. Peggy Morphesis, Chmn., 267-3588.

Mission Team Meeting – Monday, October 19, 7 pm in the Library.

Fall Breakfast – Saturday, October 24, 9:30 am in Fellowship Hall. First Care will present information about their services. All ladies, including family & friends, are welcome. Guests are asked to bring a package of diapers or make a financial donation to First Care. Tickets are \$6 and are available from Peggy Morphesis, Shirley Turner, Betty McMurchy & the church office.

Holiday Bazaar – Saturday, November 7, 8 am – 1 pm in Fellowship Hall. Items available for sale will be jewelry (jewelry donations are welcome), handmade crafts, (handmade crafts are welcome) holiday decorations, collectibles, baked goods (homemade baked goods are welcome), Keenager's Summer Kamp “specials”, & the delicious chicken salad luncheon which you can eat in or take out. Tickets for the luncheon will be available soon.

Red Bird Mission– Good job ladies! Since January 2015 we have sent 1519 Boxtops for Education and labels for Educations with a redeeming value of \$151.90.

With Holiday and bazaar baking coming up, keep cutting. Keep looking for General Mills, Pillsbury, Betty Crocker and Campbell Soup products. Deposit labels in the red envelope just to the right as you enter the church. It costs you nothing yet brings joy to many. Submitted by Anne Fralick.

Questions, Comments, Concerns about UMW contact President Nancy Gettys, 301-7655.

FOOD DRIVE for Lakeside and CROS Food Pantries

Do you know what you are having for dinner? Many in our community don't. Help us replenish our Food Pantry and contribute to the CROS Lake Worth food pantry. In October, please consider picking up a few extra items at the grocery store this week and bringing them to the Narthex on Sunday to share with our neighbors.

Suggested items for donation include:

- Peanut butter
- Jelly (plastic jars and bottles, please!)
- Canned meats and tuna
- Canned fruits and vegetables
- Dried beans
- Cereal
- Rice
- Macaroni and cheese

Matthew 25:35 "For I was hungry you gave me something to eat..."

At the heart of silence is prayer.

At the heart of prayer is faith.

At the heart of faith is life.

At the heart of life is service.

Mother Teresa

Lakeside's 2014 Charge Conference– What is a Charge Conference?

The charge conference is the basic governing body of each United Methodist local church and is composed of all members of the church council. All members of the charge conference must be members of the local church. The charge conference must meet at least once per year. The charge conference directs the work of the church and gives general oversight to the church council, reviews and evaluates the mission and ministry of the church, sets salaries for the pastor and staff, elects the members of the church council, and recommends candidates for ordained ministry.

Source: A Dictionary for United Methodists, Alan K. Waltz, Copyright 1991, Abingdon Press. Used by permission.

All members of the church are invited to attend the charge conference, but only council members can vote. The church budget is reviewed and voted on.

Saturday, October 17h at 2:30 PM in the Library will be the Lakeside conference. All reports should be into the church office by October 5th.

Join Us for CROS Ministries' End Hunger Walk!**Sunday, October 11, 2015****Holy Trinity Episcopal Church****211 Trinity Place, West Palm Beach****Registration 2:00 pm. Walk 3:00 pm**

The Walk is 5K (3.1 miles) long. We walk rain or shine. Water stations will be available and fruit is available at the end of the Walk. No roller skates/blades, bikes, scooters or skateboards are allowed. Strollers, wagons and wheelchairs are allowed. We ask you to WALK, PLEDGE, PRAY for the success of this END HUNGER WALK. Our goal is to raise \$100 (or more) for each walker. You do not have to be a "walker to raise money for CROS. Checks or cash donations are welcome. **Checks should be made payable to "CROS Ministries" with "End Hunger Walk" on the memo line.** Contact Audrea Miller (585-1860) or Betty McMurchy (968-9497) to register as a "walker" or to make a donation.

PLEASE DONATE JEWELRY FOR BAZAAR - Do you, or someone you know, have any unwanted jewelry? Please consider donating whatever you can to be sold at our upcoming Holiday Bazaar on Nov. 7th. Please place the jewelry in the large basket that will be in Fellowship Hall every Sunday or give it to Peggy Morphesis or Ellen Keene. You may also give to Carolyn Ludwig in the office. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Special Events Committee will be meeting Saturday mornings to decorate for the Harvest Festival in the Youth Room. YOU are more than WELCOME to join us!

We will be needing volunteers on the night of October 30, we have jobs of all types!

ANYONE AND EVERYONE CAN HELP!

Please let Bonnie know if you are interested in helping in ANY capacity.

Call/Text:662.820.5149 or Email: bonniekeene@gmail.com

We also will be taking donations of candy to reward the participants of Harvest Festival. If you are willing, please bring some candy to the Fellowship hall on any Sunday before October 18th.

THANKS IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR HELP TO MAKE THIS EVENT A SUCCESS!!!

HELPING OUR CHURCH GROW!!!



Harvest Festival

A night of fun for the whole family.



Free Admission

First 5 tickets are FREE, then 15 tickets for \$5

Dinner Available

Hotdog, Chips, Cookie, and Drink

Games and Prizes

Children's Games for All Ages



Friday, October 30, 2015
5 - 7 pm

Bring a seat for Outdoor Movie Showing of
It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown
starting at Dusk

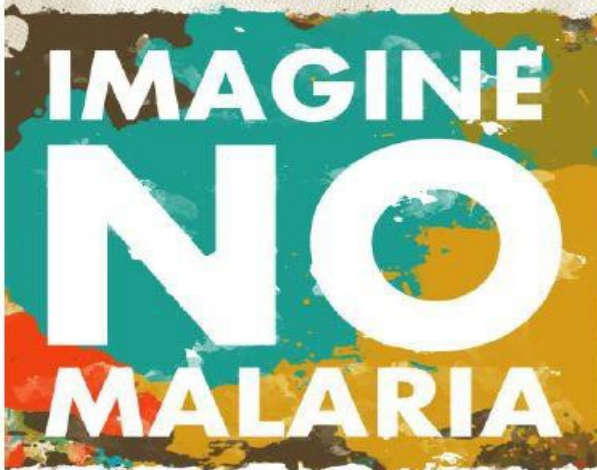


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Making a Difference:

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**PREVENTABLE
TREATABLE &
BEATABLE**

Malaria kills a person every 60 seconds.

WHAT EXACTLY IS MALARIA?

Malaria is caused by a parasite, which is transmitted to humans through the bite of the female anopheles mosquito. This mosquito flies and feeds at night (which is why bed nets are an effective prevention tool).

When an infected mosquito bites a person, the parasite enters the bloodstream and heads for the liver, where it multiplies. It then re-enters the bloodstream, attacking red blood cells. Typically, someone with malaria experiences a high fever, chills, joint pain and headaches. Left untreated, symptoms eventually advance to organ failure. Nearly 90 percent of malaria's victims are children under the age of 5 and pregnant women.

HOW WE ARE BEATING MALARIA



JOIN US IN BEATING MALARIA FOR GOOD

Friday, October 30, 2015 • 5 - 7 pm

Lakeside United Methodist Church

MEALS ON WHEELS

Do you know someone that cannot shop or prepare hot meals for themselves? The **Meals On Wheels** organization has now expanded to our Lake Osborne area! **Meals on Wheels** focuses on caring for individuals whose diminished mobility makes it hard to shop for food and prepare meals. Generally, the program serves adults age 60 and over. The program begins via an application and leads to an assessment of the need for meals.

At the core of the **Meals on Wheels** service is a nutritious meal, companionship and a watchful eye on the health and safety of our seniors. Adequate nutrition is necessary for health, functionality and the ability to remain independent.

Meals on Wheels ensures that seniors have access to adequate nutrition even when family support, mobility and resources are lacking. For many seniors, the trusted **Meals on Wheels** volunteer who shows up every day with a hot meal and a warm smile is the only person they see or speak with all day. The safety check that accompanies each meal delivery ensures that, in the case of an emergency or problem, medics will be called, families will be notified and our seniors will not be forgotten. Depending on individual circumstances, meals are provided on a sliding fee scale.

There are informational flyers on the Narthex table. Take one for yourself or a friend.

COLLECTIBLES

Recycling is the way of the future! The folks at Lakeside UMC want to do their part to help the environment and other groups of people. Here is a list of the things we are asking you to save and take to church:

Box-Tops for Education	Labels for Education	Manufactures' Coupons
Fast Food Coupons	Pop-Top Tabs	Metal Bottle Caps

A Great Big Thank You to all the people who helped with the Grandparents Sunday Pot Luck Luncheon.



Thank you everyone who donated and helped at the UMM Garage Sale. We appreciate your support!

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**We have a Place for
You!**

Sunday Small groups

8:45 AM

Sunday worship

10:00 AM

Choir

Lakeside Chancel Choir

has started practicing
on Thursdays again, at
7 PM in the Library.

Make a joyful noise unto
the Lord! See Wendell
Waltman if you have
questions.

EXCURSION TO THE HOLY LAND

(in Orlando, FL)

Would you be interested in an all-day weekday trip to visit the **Holy Land Experience** Park in Orlando? A trip is in the works for mid- November. We've had 7 people contact the church expressing interest. A minimum of 10 is required for special pricing.

As a group, we will leave the church around 6:00 am, carpool to Orlando, visit the park 10-6, leave the park and go to dinner, then ride back to the church.

While there you will view dramatic productions (Sermon on the Mount, Passion of the Christ, and others); tour the Scriptorium, experience Holy Communion, observe a baptism, view the Jerusalem Model presentation, Walk the Stations of the Cross, Meditate in the gardens, and visit the other attractions.

Cost (depending on the number of people participating) could be \$125-\$130 per person, not including meals.

Contact Carolyn in the office (561-585-7519) if you might be interested in this "Field Trip." If there is enough interest, we will pursue the specific details.

OUTREACH

MISSIONAL VITAL SIGNS – Each week we ask you to fill out a connect card in church. Not only does it help as with our attendance records, but it helps us with an overview of how the church is functioning.