

**LAKESIDE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
LAKESIDE LANTERN
SHARING THE GRACE OF GOD IN OUR 60TH YEAR**

FEBRUARY



YOU'RE INVITED!

Lakeside's 60th Anniversary Dinner on Saturday, February 9, 2019, to celebrate Lakeside's 60th anniversary. Gathering 5:30, buffet dinner 6:00 PM. No charge but reservations are necessary. Tickets will be available. Contact Ruthie Rawson to RSVP.



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February 20, 2019

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9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
LUNCH INCLUDED



CONFERENCE HOST

Gary Barg
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METHODIST MEN'S SUNDAY: On February 17th the men will be leading our worship service. We invite ALL MEN to participate in our chorus that will sing during the service. We will meet in the library at 9:30 A.M. After the service, we will be hosting a BRUNCH to raise money for youth scholarships for summer youth camps, and other activities. Donations toward these projects will be gratefully appreciated.--UMM

UMM MEN

Men's Breakfast Group, will meet on Saturday, February 2nd at 8 AM in Fellowship Hall.

Did You Know?

Prior to 2008, there was a "Mission Jar" on the table in the Narthex. It just said "Please give to Missions". In August of 2008, the Church Council decided to put a name on the Mission and the "Mission Jar Focus" was born. We choose four Missions each year.

In the last 11 years, the Mission Jar has given to:

- Barton Elementary Sneaker Ministry
- Barton Elementary "Accidental Clothing"
- School Supplies for 5 local schools
- C.R.O.S. Ministries
- Servants of the Great I Am
- Adopt-A-Family
- UMCOR
- Forgotten Soldiers Outreach
- First Care Family Resources
- Guatemalan-Maya After School Program
- Stop Hunger Now Project
- Arms of Hope
- Grandma's Place
- Matthew 25 Ministries
- Stephanie's Sober House
- Operation Recovery
- Life's Changes

Lakeside has donated many "items" to these ministries and they have given an additional \$26,345.61. Lakeside, you are AWESOME!!

Mission Jar Focus

Our January—March Mission Jar Focus will be Arms of Hope Community, Inc. We aim to rebuild hope where it's been damaged or lost. We work with those in need, those who are underprivileged, and those who are underserved to rebuild and restructure. Our focus lies on community efforts, including small-scale construction projects, shelter, food aid, community awareness, and educational opportunities.

Where there are people in need, we'll be there lending a practical helping hand, a smile, and providing those in need with tools necessary to empower them to become the hands and feet of the church.

Thanks for supporting Lakeside's Mission Jar.
Lakeside Finance Committee

ARMS OF HOPE COMMUNITY INC.

Arms of Hope, a Soup Kitchen, committed to feeding people in need no matter their circumstances or who they are. Our focus and wish is to provide help to anyone in need. We offer healthy hot appetizing meals at absolutely no charge to all who walk in hungry. We also provide fresh clean produce and canned goods from our pantry.

We are dedicated to this cause and are happy to be a part of the community. The need is evident as the number of people looking for a glimmer of hope, a reliable resource, a hot meal and just some words of encouragement, increases week after week. This has also raised our need for your support.

Are you looking for a way to pay it forward? Or do you just want to get involved? We would love for you to join our cause and could truly use your help. Please consider making a donation, contributing food or volunteering. Or even better, do it all!

Stop by Monday – Saturday, from 11:00 am – 4:00 p.m. or call (561) 328-7165 or email pallivingston@yahoo.com

Kool Aid	Hand Towels	Toothpaste
Sugar	Rice	Hand Lotion
Peanut Butter	Cans of Soup	Deodorant
Jelly	Tuna Fish	Combs
Toilet Paper	Any Canned Meats	Handiwipes/Wet Wipes
Paper Towels	Hygiene Products:	Kleenex
Forks	(Small or travel-size)	Mouthwash
Napkins	Toothbrush	Socks
		Disposable Razors

FEBRUARY-MONTH OF LOVE

The Thread of Love By

I did not know when I looked
Upon His handiwork
That anything could spoil and mar
Or danger there could lurk

When first my tiny feet did stray,
As curious I became
I did not know the “threads that held”
And “love” were all the same

I only knew that when I felt
That I was almost lost
A hand reached down and gathered
mine
And didn't count the cost

When temptation came my way
And tossed me to and fro
It was not I that overcame
And triumphed o'er my foe

When persecution darked my sky
And no light could I see,
Suddenly the glow of love
Revealed the path to me

When I was ill and could not pray
And Satan seemed to reign
The love of God surrounded me
And took away my pain

In times of greatest happiness
When my cup did overflow
In times of greatest sorrow
When life seemed but a blow

At times when all my efforts
Were pooled to meet some test
Those threads of love entwined me
And then I did my best

You too may be in trouble
And sinking in despair
You think no one could understand
And wouldn't even care

Remember friend—for each of us
If we but look above
To guide, to strengthen, and sustain
Are tiny threads of LOVE



Mission Study - Saturday, February 23 - Community UMC, Belle Glade -
 Topic: "Embracing Wholeness: An Earth Perspective for Covenantal Living"
 9:30 AM - Continental Breakfast and Registration
 10:00 AM - Mission Study morning session/workshops -
 Noon - Lunch and conversation - lunch will be provided
 12:45 - 2:00 PM - Afternoon session/workshop/covenant signing

At this Mission Study we will share our ideas of how to live faithfully - learning from each other the importance of worship, acts of justice and mercy, being in solidarity with others, and seeking happiness. We will use a variety of reflective experiences - writing, drawing, remembering and sharing - as we explore our sacred personal and corporate responsibilities to those around us. We expect some lively discussions on current issues also.

If we have 5 members of our unit attend this study we will receive credit for a mission study this year. Let Nancy Gettys (561-622-8309) know if you are

CARING FOR OTHERS

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.

BOOKWORMS CIRCLE meets the first Monday, September thru May at 7 pm in Fellowship Hall. Meetings usually include a book report, devotions, brief business meeting & refreshments. Contact Chmn Shirley Turner (586-8223).

SUSANNA WESLEY CIRCLE meets the first Wednesday, September thru April at 10 am in the Fellowship Hall. Meetings usually include a "response" moment, devotions, brief business meeting & refreshments. Contact Chmn Peggy Morphesis (267-3588).

UMW FEBRUARY

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February 6- Susanna Wesley Circle 10 AM in Library.

February 4- Bookworms Circle 7 PM- Fellowship Hall

February 18 - Mission Team Meeting - 7 PM- Library



KEENAGER'S REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Everyone age 55+ is invited to our next "Keenager" meeting. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 11:30am on Wednesday, February 13, 2019. (Please wear Red &/or Pink!) Join us for a covered dish pot-luck luncheon.

To insure that we have a variety of foods at our Pot Luck luncheons, the officers are implementing a new format. We are suggesting the following guidelines:

Last names A-G: Please bring a main dish

Last names H-M: Please bring a dessert

Last names N-Z: Please bring a vegetable or salad

The names will be rotated each month so everyone will have a chance to prepare and share their favorite dish.

Please bring enough to feed 10-12 people, a serving utensil for your dish, a plate, a beverage cup, and your own table service. (We don't wash dishes at our meetings!!)

Watch your bulletin for the program information.

February Hostesses are Beverly and KayLynn Knapp, Anne McCartney, Bill Taylor, and Anne Fralick.

At the December meeting, it was decided to participate in 2 Service Projects this year:

1-Collecting old bedding & towels for dog/cat rescue shelters.

Old blankets, comforters, sheets, towels, bath rugs, wash cloths, etc. are needed for the pets' sleeping areas. Please wash your donations and give to Teresa Wilhelm. *Everyone in the church is encouraged to purge their closets and help with this project!*

2-Supplies for Grandma's Place.

Please wait to bring your items for the "Grandma's Place" Service Project until the **April** meeting. A list of suggestions is provided on the next page.

Keenagers' Service Project for 2019

- Cases of bottled water
- Towels, child size (white)
- Paper cups, small size
- Paper towels
- Toilet paper
- Ziploc bags, all size
- Clorox wipes
- Dishwashing gel
- Gatorade powder
- Dial liquid soap
- Body lotion
- Kleenex
- Girls hair products & Hair brushes
- Aveeno cream, body lotion, soothing bath treatment
- Underwear girls/boys, sizes 2,4,6 8,10,12,14
- Wash-cloth (white)
- Plastic wrap, commercial use
- Laundry detergent (powder)
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Socks girls/boys, sizes for 2-10 year olds
- Diapers, all sizes and pull-ups sizes large
- Neosporin
- Wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Garbage bags, 30 lbs. and 13lbs.
- Plastic storage containers, sizes 70 Qt./66L & 64 Qt./61L
- Diaper rash cream, such as Balmex or Desitin

Sunday School & Nursery

Our lessons are revolving around "God's Gifts to Us." Starting with Creation, the children will learn about the many things that God gives us.

To transfer this to everyday life, the children will learn how they, even though small, can give to others. We will be assembling Care Boxes for some of Lakeside's Shut-Ins. If you would like to help the children, here is a list of items they are seeking:

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| Emory boards | Inspirational books & book marks |
| Sun Catchers | Sugar free breath mints |
| Word Search puzzles | Pocket size tissue packs |
| Brush and comb sets | Small stuffed animals |
| Crossword puzzles | Cosmetic Wipes |
| Sudoku puzzles | Lightly scented lotion |
| Mechanical pencils | Large Print puzzle books |

Please give your items to Christina Harden, Destiny Harden, or Teresa Wilhelm. Thanks.

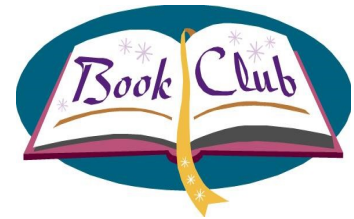
FEBRUARY AT A GLANCE

01- AA Meeting
 02- Men's Breakfast Group
 03- 4th Sunday after Epiphany
 Holy Communion
 Souper Bowl Sunday
 04- Bookworms
 05- Sanctuary Committee
 Boy Scouts
 06- Susanna Wesley Circle
 07- Choir Rehearsal
 08- AA Meeting
 Anniversary Dinner Set Up
 09- 60th Anniversary Dinner
 10- 5th Sunday after the Epiphany
 Boy Scouts
 11-
 12- Boy Scouts
 13- Keenagers
 Leadership Council
 14- Choir Rehearsal
 15- Food Pantry
 AA Meeting

16- Hardter Memorial
 Sharon Bouyoucas
 Memorial
 17- 6th Sunday after the Epiphany
 UMM Sunday
 Breakfast to follow
 18- President's Day
 Church Office Closed
 Book Club
 UMW Mission Team
 19- DOWLL
 Boy Scouts
 20-
 21- Choir Rehearsal
 22- AA Meeting
 23- Matthew Meals
 24- 7th Sunday after the Epiphany
 Blanket Sunday
 25- Lake Osborne Estates
 26- Boy Scouts
 27-
 28- Choir Rehearsal



Lakeside Chancel Choir will meet on Thursdays at 7 PM. Please contact Wendell if you wish to join them.



Book Club will meet on Monday, February 18th at 12 PM in the Library. Contact Sharon Bouyoucas at 968-1892.



Lighthouse Academy is renting our classrooms. The students are using our Fellowship Hall for their lunch room from 11:30 AM - 1 PM. Please be mindful of the time that you enter so as to not disturb them. Also, be mindful of your driving in the parking lot so we can all be safe. Thank you.

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

On Tuesday, February 19, 2019, at 5:00 pm, the Lakeside Ladies are going for dinner at Mel's Way Bistro. It is located at 3536 Via Poinciana Drive; Lake Worth, Florida 33467. (West on Lake Worth Road, cross Jog, turn right at the light on Via Poinciana Drive, go back near the pool area)

Because it is Prime Rib Night, **reservations must be made at least a week in advance!**

Gleaning

A picture of the first Gleaning group of the year in February.

The February Gleaning Dates:

Saturday	02/02/2019	Belle Glade
Saturday	02/02/2019	Boynton Beach/Delray Beach
Saturday	02/09/2019	Belle Glade
Saturday	02/09/2019	Boynton Beach/Delray Beach
Saturday	02/16/2019	Belle Glade/Clewiston
Saturday	02/16/2019	Palm City
Saturday	02/23/2019	Palm City
Saturday	02/23/2019	Boynton Beach/Delray Beach
Saturday	02/23/2019	Belle Glade/Clewiston

Gleaning

Please contact Keith at

kcutshall@crosmministries.org

for more information, or Robynne Ryals at our church.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

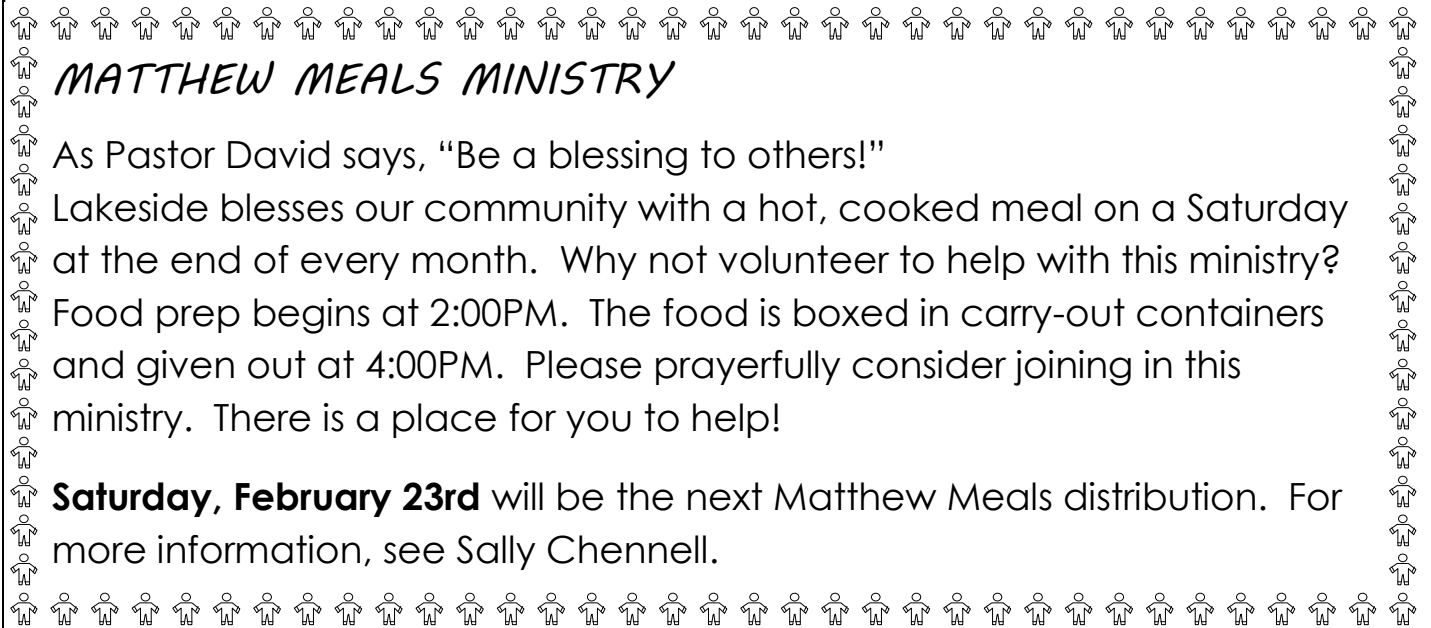
- 2 Marie Stebbins
- 3 Wanda Laubscher
- 4 Megan Call
John Simms IV
Daniel Walsh
Colburn (Mac) McKinnon
- 12 Peggy Morphesis
David Branson
Ruby Gilmore
- 14 Happy Valentine's Day!
- 15 Frank Call III
- 18 William Kruger
- 21 Janae Harden
- 22 Nicole Blanton
- 27 Tom Harden
Frank Call Jr.
- 28 Eleanor Dosh

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

Happy Birthday!



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



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, February 23rd will be the next Matthew Meals distribution. For more information, see Sally Chennell.

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

We often hear the comment, "I would like to donate to the Food Pantry, but I don't know what they need!" Here is a list of items that are always needed:

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|---------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| Baby Food | Baby Diapers | Baby Wipes |
| Peanut Butter | Jelly | Big Boxes of Cereal |
| Canned Pasta | Rice | Spaghetti |
| Canned Soup | Canned Fruit | CLEAN plastic grocery bags |

Remember "Buy One, Get One" offers are a great way to help without spending a lot of cash!

Put your donations on the stage nearest the Food Pantry closet.

Thank you so very much for your help!

FOOD PANTRY MINISTRY

Volunteers are needed to assist with this ministry on the 3rd Friday of this 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, February 15th.** Distribution of food: 10:00 AM-12:00



Lakeside United Methodist Mission Statement

Sharing the grace of God through: Worship, Sacraments, Fellowship,
Prayer, Study, Service, Witness, and Love.

Vision Statement

Be a welcoming church reaching people with God's love within our
community and beyond.

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.

CHURCH ADDRESS- Please make the change on your address books, computers, etc.

Lakeside United Methodist Church

1901 12th Ave. S., Lake Worth, FL 33461

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.

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**We have a Place for
You!**

Sunday Small Groups 8:45 AM

Sunday Worship 10:00 AM

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The Altar Flower Calendar for 2019 is in the Narthex on the bulletin board. Sign up for the Sunday of your choice. It is the perfect way to honor a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion!

The cost is \$40 per Sunday.

The flower arrangements certainly make our church service more lovely each Sunday and it brightens someone's day when they receive the flowers after the service.

Book Club Selections for 2019

<u>Date</u>	<u>Title/Author</u>	<u>Presenter</u>
January 21	<u>The Alice Network</u> by Kate Quinn	Karyn
February 18	<u>Oh Pioneers!</u> by Willa Cather	Cecilia
March 18	<u>A Gentleman in Moscow</u> by Amor Towles	Betty
April 15	<u>To be announced at a later date</u>	Clare
May 20	<u>Before We Were Yours</u> by Lisa Wingate	Anne
June 17	<u>A Warrior of the People</u> by Joe Starita	Janet
July 15	The <u>Masterpiece</u> by Fionna Davis	Dette
August 19	<u>Astrophysics for People in a Hurry</u> by Neil De Grass Tyson	Helen
September 16	<u>Operation Underpants</u> by Marks Biggs	Judy
October 21	<u>Cameno Island</u> by John Grisham	Joyce
November 18	planning	

All Women are invited to join the Book Club on the third Monday of the month at 12 pm.