# **Announcements**

# **UMCOR Urgent Relief for Flood Victims**



Almost simultaneously news from Hurricane Helene and major flooding in Kathmandu Valley in Nepal covered all social media and TV outlets. Inland city of Asheville in Western North Carolina was nearly washed out by floods. Significant numbers of deaths in the Southeast of the US and Nepal together with

physical destruction of much of the infrastructure and personal homes means recovery will take years. Harris member Carole Suzui left this week, sent by the Red Cross to NC. Let us support her with our thoughts and prayers. UMCOR has begun a relief effort in the Helene damaged area and will be sending financial help to UMN in Nepal. We can add our support through UMCOR. Please write your checks out to Harris UMC and on the topic line indicate UMCOR Floods. Giving is also possible online through the Harris website: <a href="https://harrisumc.churchcenter.com/giving/to/umcor-floods">https://harrisumc.churchcenter.com/giving/to/umcor-floods</a> Your generous support is needed by those in need caused by these natural disasters.

Next Sunday is **21st Sunday After Pentecost**. The scripture is Luke 10:25-37. You are invited to meditate on this reading during the week. Rev. Dr. Frances Wiebenga will be preaching.

# **Animal Blessing Today**

Proverbs 12:10a "The righteous know the needs of their animals". You are invited to an Animal Blessing on Oct. 6th @ 5:00pm in the courtyard. All are welcome to bring their beloved pets to be blessed. Please make sure that your loved ones are either in carriers or on a leash. Rev. Fran will deliver the message "Remembering Saint Francis of Assisi" based on Psalm 148; Genesis 1:1-2:4.

### Bazaar Showers and Baked Goods

SHOWERS: **Oct. 6 and 13** in the Courtyard before worship. Please donate cartons of soda and water, white flour, white sugar, butter, eggs, Ziplock bags, brown paper lunch bags, napkins and chop sticks. You may also write a check payable to **Harris UMC and marked "Bazaar".** Thank you for giving.

BAKED GOODS: Get out your favorite recipes for any baked goods and treats! Kindly donate them to the Baked Goods section. Please package/label/price your goodies and drop them off to Mel B. by noon on Fri, Nov. 1 or by 8:15 am on Bazaar day, Nov. 2nd. Contact Mel B. at 808-536-9602 if you have any questions. Mahalo nui loa!

## Send Announcements to Mahe for the October 13th Service

Erin will be out of the office from Oct. 7th-11th. Please send any announcements for the bulletin to Mahe at multimedia@harrisumc.org. Mahalo!

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Oct	Presale Pies Oct 13th at 12pm in the kitchen. Order with Lorraine Kadooka directly or email admin@harrisumc.org.	APPLE	\$18	\$8
		PUMPKIN	\$16	\$7
		PECAN	\$20	\$10

## **PLEASE Wear Your Name Tags!**

This will help newcomers to our island and first time worshippers the opportunity to become acquainted with our ohana. Name tags can be found in the accordion folder as you enter the sanctuary and are listed according to your last name. If you need a new or replacement name tag, please call the church office to request one. Mahalo!

#### Honolulu Pride Parade

Saturday, October 19! Please go to <a href="http://tinyurl.com/2024HNLInterfaithPride">http://tinyurl.com/2024HNLInterfaithPride</a> to ride on the trolley in the parade or email Nicole at woonicole@yahoo.com, and she'll add you to the list. The trolley will leave from Harris UMC at 2:00 p.m. Park your cars at Harris. The trolley will go to Magic Island, go on the parade route, return to Magic Island and end at Harris. The parade begins at 4 p.m. at Magic Island. The road will close at 3 p.m. T-SHIRTS—Harris t-shirts are available for \$13. Men and women sizes available on Sunday, October 13. Contact Karen Ginoza.

# Kauluwela Elementary School Halloween Spooktacular

BOO! Kauluwela Elementary School Halloween Spooktacular will be **Oct. 30** and Harris UMC will host a booth. You can participate by donating bags of Halloween Candy. Please place them in the box as you enter the sanctuary. The final donation day will be Oct. 27. We will be purchasing small Halloween themed booklets, erasers etc. so if you would like to make a monetary donation, please write a check to Harris UMC and in the **memo: Kauluwela Halloween Spooktacular.** Mahalo for your generosity! Contact Diane Matsuura for any questions.

# **Meetings & Events**

10/6 @ 5:00 pm, Animal Blessing, Courtyard

10/8 @ 5:00 pm Preschool Board Meeting, Room 10

10/8 @ 6:30 pm Leadership Selection, ZOOM

10/10 @ 6:30 pm Worship Meeting, ZOOM

10/17 @ 9:30 am Royukai Senior Fellowship, HPD Senior Scam Awareness, Komuro

10/17 @ 6:30 pm SFM, ZOOM

10/19 @ 2:00 pm Honolulu Pride Parade Trolley, Parking Lot