



LAMPLighters Illuminations

Volume 2 Season 2019-20



PRESIDENT'S SPOTLIGHT

Such exciting news to share!



Working side by side we are building a better community...

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LATEST AND GREATEST

Read the latest news and how LAMPLighters have impacted Met Min and Joshua House.

[Metropolitan Ministries](#)

[Joshua House](#)

Happy New Year LAMPLIGHTERS

Grab your Rave hairspray, your hair crimper, something rad to wear and the DeLorean because we are headed back to the 1980's!

This year's Lights Fashion Hope event theme is "Don't Stop Believin'" because we will always believe that we can do more for children of Metropolitan Ministries and Joshua House.

On Thursday, April 23rd the Straz will be transformed to the glorious 1980's with a 2020 fashion show sponsored by Dillard's and featuring the children of Met Min and Joshua House, along with local heroes to accompany them down the runway. A huge thank you to Elena Wagner for securing Dillard's as our fashion sponsor this year.

This annual fundraiser is our largest event of the year and we will need quite a few volunteers to help. Look for a future notification with the volunteer SignUpGenius registration. Volunteer times are in short increments, so you will

Rock Stars

We appreciate all of you for your contributions to LAMPLighters, but recently, these ladies took center stage!

[Read More](#)

Lights Fashion Hope

Look here for your opportunity to advance sponsors for our largest event, Lights Fashion Hope.

[LFH Sponsorship Package](#)

still have plenty of time to enjoy the event. We would love to have as much participation as possible since we are planning on having between 400 and 500 attendees. We need all our members to help secure sponsors, silent auction and raffle items.

Now for a little trivia... The number 1 song in 1986 from January 18th to February 8th, the year Lamplighters was founded was "That's What Friends Are For" by Dionne Warwick and Friends.

I need all my LAMPLighter friends to help make this the best Lights Fashion Hope yet!

~ [Kim Kenney](#), LFH Chair

SAVE THE DATE

DON'T STOP BELIEVIN'

PRESENTED BY:

Bailey Family
Innovations

BENEFITTING METROPOLITAN MINISTRIES
& JOSHUA HOUSE

THURSDAY
APRIL 23RD - 6PM-9PM
STRAZ CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

FASHIONS PROVIDED BY

Dillard's
LAMPLighters
Established in 1986

Look for future posts on volunteer and other

LAMPLighter Leadership



LAMPLighter LEADERSHIP

Want to reach your LL Leadership Team? Click their [name](#) to open their email address.

Officers

[Tracy Bales](#)
President

[Charlene Bleakley](#)
Vice President

[Kari Adams](#)
2nd Vice President

[Summer Patterson](#)
Membership

[Tina Piboolnuruk](#)

sponsorship opportunities. For now, see the link above to access our event sponsorship package.

Thank you to our friends at the Bailey Family Foundation for being our presenting sponsor.

ADD THESE IMPORTANT DATES TO YOUR CALENDAR

LAMPLighters General Meetings

February 20, 2020, 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Joshua House
1515 Michelin Court
Lutz, FL 33548
DeDe Grundel, Hostess

March 19, 2020, 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Harwood House
4601 W. North A Street

May 21, 2020, End of the Year Meeting

Installation of Officers
Tampa Yacht Club
5329 Interbay Drive

Events and Socials

New Member Happy Hour
TBD

Donatello's
232 N Dale Mabry
Kari Adams and Summer Patterson, Co-chairs

Lights Fashion Hope

April 23, 2020, 6:00 – 9:00 PM

The Straz Centre
[Kim Kenney](#), Chair

Children's Parties and Service Events

Met Min Valentine's Party

February 13, 2020, 2:45 – 4:45 PM

Metropolitan Ministries
2002 N. Florida Avenue, Tampa, FL 33602
Debbie Yount, Chair

Met Min Easter Party

April 9, 2020, 2:45 – 4:45 PM

Metropolitan Ministries
2002 N. Florida Avenue, Tampa, FL 33602
Laura Maddalon, Chair

Met Min Teen Summer Party

May 15, 2020, 2:45 – 4:45 PM

Metropolitan Ministries
2002 N. Florida Avenue, Tampa, FL 33602
Helen Rateman, Chair

Joshua House Summer Kick-Off Party

June 6, 2020, 10:45 – 1:45 PM

Joshua House

Treasurer

Daniela Quast

Assistant Treasurer

Kirsti Meyers

Recording
Secretary

Linda Mills

Ex Officio

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Lois Yost

Historian

Nancy Leach

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Kathy Roetzheim

Hospitality

Marsha Odor

Corresponding Secretary

Anne Carney

ByLaws

Ashley Gray

FLASHlights

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Kim Kenney

Assistant Public Relations

FUNDRAISERS & MEMBER EVENT CHAIRS

Elena Wagner

Kendra Scott Jewelry Social

**Kari Adams/Summer
Patterson**

New Member Social

Michelle Cappelli

Fall Into Fashion Chair

Debra Palmer

Silver Coffee Chair

Tina Dumar

Silver Coffee Co-Chair

Laura Maddalon

Silver Coffee Assistant Chair

Tracy Bales

1515 Michelin Court, Lutz FL 33548
Chelsea Johnson, Chair

LAMPLighters Board Meetings

February 6, 2020, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
3126 W. Oaklyn Ave.
Christine Manley, Hostess

March 5, 2020, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
7307 Pelican Island Dr.
Anne Carney, Hostess

April 2, 2020, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
3955 Versailles Dr.
Linda Mills, Hostess

May 7, 2020, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
5017 S. Shore Crest Cir.
Renee Furlong, Hostess

Path to Connections

Remember to make certain to like us on Facebook and visit our website often.

All meetings, events, volunteer opportunities, and notifications will be kept up to date on those sites as well as through your email notices.

Anthony's Coal Fire Pizza

Kim Kenney

Lights Fashion Hope
Chair

OUTREACH CHAIRS

Marsha Odor

Jackets for Joshua House

Renee Furlong

Metropolitan Ministries
Tents

Ashley Gray/Daniela Quast

We Care Kits

CHILDREN'S PARTY CHAIRS

Deb Zimkus/Carol Joyce

Met Min Fall Festival

Debbie Yount

Met Min Valentine's Day Party

Laura Maddalon

Met Min Easter Party

Helen Raterman

Met Min Teen Summer Party

Chelsea Johnson

Joshua House Summer Kick-Off
Party