



# Annual Report | 2022



**Branches**  
Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers



# Our History



Branches Florida City, circa 2000



The Trish and Dan Bell Family Branches Center - Florida City Campus which opened in the Fall of 2014



The new playground, eagerly awaited by the Florida City students, was constructed in May of 2015. The Shade System was added in early 2018

Branches, formerly Miami Urban Ministries, was established in 1973 as the urban and social justice agency of what is now the South East District of the United Methodist Church. Up until 1999, Branches focused on grassroots organizing, advocacy and working with community members who were disadvantaged and/or experiencing social injustice. During this time, Branches focused resources in the areas of social crisis, immigration, housing, hospice care and hurricane relief, among others.

In 2000 when Mr. Brent McLaughlin moved from being a volunteer to President & CEO, Branches embarked on developing and implementing programs that addressed the root causes of poverty and immediate and critical needs. Headquartered in a small office in Coconut Grove, Branches focused on its economic development programs by launching the ASSETS Small Business Development program and Thanksgiving meal deliveries. Branches was then introduced to a wonderful children's program being run out of the Florida City United Methodist Mission by Mrs. Kim Torres. Mrs. Torres came to Florida City as a missionary after Hurricane Andrew, now over 28 years ago, and was providing afterschool and youth development services. Mr. McLaughlin was so impressed with her program that he offered to take it in under Branches and help secure more funding to support it.

In 2004, Branches was awarded its first contract from The Children's Trust to serve 100 students at Branches Florida City. A couple years later, Branches South Miami also began serving children and youth. In 2009, Branches was selected to house and operate

the United Way Center for Financial Stability at its new HQ location in North Miami, also known as Branches Lakeview, to provide high quality financial coaching services. In 2013, Branches Lakeview expanded to also serve children and youth from that surrounding neighborhood.

Today in 2023, Branches serves over 15,000 individuals per year, in particular 500+ students and their families every day at all 3 of its locations. Thanks to its many partners, Branches is able to provide truly life-changing opportunities to hardworking families and their children to help break the cycle of intergenerational poverty. Here's to many more years of changing lives!

**To learn more about Branches' History, please visit [branchesfl.org/50th-anniversary](https://branchesfl.org/50th-anniversary)**



Students completing their homework, circa 2009

# At the Heart of our Mission



## Dear Friends of Branches,

Branches is a place where children, youth and families are valued and are given the opportunity to discover their gifts and talents and realize their God-given potential.

We are grateful for another year of service and are excited to report that in 2022 Branches hit numerous milestones, all of which reflect the enduring impact we have on people's lives. Thanks to YOUR support we have been able to achieve the following :

- Branches Florida City celebrated 28 years of continuous service.
- We provided 48 Climb thru College scholarships to Branches students valued at \$102,584.
- We served 463 students each day at our 3 Branches sites, plus 48 college students.
- We served 15,852 individuals through financial wellness services, providing 2,259 participants with one-on-one personal financial coaching sessions.
- Our Micro-Business Team provided over 900 business trainings and coaching sessions to 109 small businesses.
- With the help of our partners, the VITA Tax Prep coalition, Miami Tax Pros, prepared over 6,800 free filings, securing over \$11 million in refunds.
- Branches and 1,000+ volunteers delivered over 5,300 hot Thanksgiving meals and educational resources, and so much more...

We could not begin to have such an incredible impact without the support and partnership of hundreds of donors including individuals, churches, businesses, and private foundations, especially including Trish & Dan Bell, United Way of Miami-Dade, The Children's Trust, and Volunteer Florida. Thanks to each of you for partnering with Branches as together we create life-changing opportunities for children and families.

Grateful for your partnership,

**Rodney H. Bell**  
*Board Chair*

**Brent McLaughlin**  
*President & CEO*





# Branches

Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers

## Community Impact | 2022

Providing life-changing opportunities to families and their children so they may break the cycle of generational poverty.



1,089

VOLUNTEERS



5,756

HOURS SERVED



\$172,392

VOLUNTEERS' VALUE



### GROW & CLIMB PROGRAMS

Build loving, personal relationships with our students and their families. We prepare our children and youth for lifelong success through the enrichment of their minds, bodies and hearts.

254

Grow (elementary)  
students learning and  
thriving

209

Climb (middle & high  
school) students  
realizing their potential

48

Students currently  
attending post-  
secondary school



345

Summer Shade Day  
Camp participants



110,836

Snacks and Meals  
provided to our students.



993

Toys purchased by parents  
in our Under the Tree  
Shops.



\$102,584

In Branches Scholarships  
awarded to our college  
students.

88% of Miami-Dade students graduate from High School.  
100% of Branches students graduate from High School.

48% of low-income students pursue a post-secondary education.  
90% of Branches students pursue a post-secondary education.

13% of low-income students complete a college education within 6 years.  
50% of Branches students complete a college education within 6 years.



86%

Student retention  
rate year over  
year.



# Branches

Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers

## Community Impact | 2022

Providing life-changing opportunities to families and their children so they may break the cycle of generational poverty.



### ACHIEVE PROGRAMS

Target the well-being of the entire community through services fostering financial wellness and long-term success in life.

Branches also houses and operates the United Way Center for Financial Stability of North Dade & South Dade.

15,852

Participants served through financial wellness services.

2,259

Participants received one-on-one financial coaching sessions.



### VITA FREE TAX PREP

6,837

Taxpayers provided with free VITA tax prep services through Branches-led coalition Miami Tax Pros.



### MICRO BUSINESS PROGRAM

109

Participants received one-on-one technical assistance and business coaching sessions.



### BASIC NEEDS

\$114,773

Disbursed to help families overcome rent, utilities, food, transportation and medical emergencies.



### FINANCIAL EDUCATION

445

Children and Youth received financial education.

\$11,154,787

Tax refunds secured for the community.

935

Business owners attended 19 business training events.

5,367

Thanksgiving meals delivered and served.

68

Participants received financial coaching focused on asset-building to develop a plan to purchase or refinance a vehicle.

- Branches' financial coaching participants saved an average of \$3,882 each year.
- Participants reduced their debt by an average of \$2,413 in one year.
- Participants working with a Financial Coach and using credit building FinTech products have raised their credit score by an average of 37 points.
- Of the 1,620 families that received tax prep services through Branches VITA sites, 42% saved a portion of their refund to invest in their financial goals.
- 736 Miami-Dade Community ID's provided to residents in Miami-Dade County.





Branches' Student Geraldo Marcelin speaking at the 2022 Black Tie & Blue Jeans Gala , serving as a Graduate Resident Coordinator at LSU in 2021 , and pictured at Branches Florida City celebrating graduations in 2018.

## A Grow & Climb Program Success Story:

Geraldo Marcelin has been attending Branches Florida City since middle school. While most of Branches' students grow up at Branches and start attending in Kindergarten, Geraldo's family was introduced a bit later than many yet are incredibly thankful to have found such an amazing support system for their family. Geraldo's brother also attends Branches and is currently in high school, while his younger brother serves at Branches Florida City as an AmeriCorps member and is attending Miami-Dade College. Last but not least, Geraldo's youngest brother actually attends Belen Jesuit and is on a scholarship to play football for the school.

Branches has supported Geraldo and his family for many years but most importantly, Branches helped Geraldo realize his dream of going to college. Born to Haitian immigrant parents who did not fully understand the American college application process, Geraldo received the guidance he needed, including SAT test prep, visiting colleges, applying to colleges, applying for FAFSA, gathering

all required paperwork and more. We were incredibly proud of Geraldo when he graduated from FIU in 2020 with a Bachelor's Degree in Sociology with a Minor in Religious Studies. And soon, in May of 2023, Geraldo will be graduating from LSU with Master's Degree in Higher Education Administration. Geraldo has said many times that without Branches, he would not have been given many of the opportunities presented to him. He always felt supported by his Branches Family but also, Branches helped him understand responsibility and accountability which has helped him achieve success and reach his goals.

Most recently, Geraldo spoke at the Branches College Student Holiday Party in December of 2022 and encouraged everyone to stay focused and motivated, sharing several personal stories. Also, just last week, in March of 2023, he served as a Counselor for Branches youth at the Annual Oasis Spring Break Camp held at Warren W. Willis United Methodist Camp in Leesburg, FL. Geraldo, Congratulations on all your accomplishments so far and we can't wait to see what you do next!





Branches' Micro-Business Program participant Felton Brown with his wife Joi as well as President & CEO Brent McLaughlin, Joi and Felton enjoying a Branches event, and attending the Branches Laptop Distribution & Training.

## An Achieve Program Success Story:

Felton Brown is a disabled entrepreneur who owns a freight company called Alpha International Transport LLC, which he established in 2021.

Felton was referred to Branches' Micro-Business Program by the Miami-Dade Chamber of Commerce. He was seeking support with business planning and tax preparation, and after enrolling in the Branches program, Felton began developing a strategic business plan for Alpha International Transport. Part of this plan was to acquire all the proper licenses and certificates required to conduct business. Branches played a big role in helping him navigate that process, which is often daunting and challenging.

Felton was able to secure the necessary permits and licenses to launch his business. He has since seen tremendous success and growth. His business has gone from a one-man operation to a four-person team. He has also expanded his services to include international shipping.

Felton's success is an inspiration to disabled entrepreneurs everywhere and a testament to the power of hard work, perseverance, and the right support system. Branches also encouraged Felton to apply for the 8A Certification, a robust nine-year program created to help firms owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals. Businesses that participate in the Branches Micro-Business program receive training and technical assistance designed to strengthen their ability to compete effectively in the American economy. Felton has applied for the 8A Certification program and looks forward to hopefully participating.

In 2022, Felton won the Miami-Dade County and FIU Local BizUp Program's Business Pitch Competition and was awarded a \$100,000 grant to help cover the cost of space, vehicles, and staffing! Branches is so proud of how far Felton has come and we look forward to continuing to support him as he grows his company Alpha International Transport.





Clockwise: Philanthropic Chairs Dan & Trish Bell with Dr. Eduardo J. Padrón - President & CEO Brent McLaughlin and Gala Chairs Victoria & Jason Randolph - Jim & Karen Haj, Judge Bronwyn Miller, Dan & Trish Bell, Marile & Jorge Luis Lopez Esq. - The Templeton Family.

## Branches' 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Black Tie & Blue Jeans Virtual Gala and Auction

On Saturday, April 30th, Branches celebrated its 19th Annual Black Tie & Blue Jeans Gala and Auction at the J.W. Marriott Marquis Miami. This year's Gala theme was GAME ON! where attendees had the opportunity to play various games like Mario Kart, corn hole, foosball, dominoes and more with their guests as well as Branches youth. It was a fantastic night of fun and games!

The Gala was made possible thanks to Philanthropic Chairs Trish and Dan Bell, Gala Chairs Victoria and Jason Randolph, and Master of Ceremonies, Louis Aguirre, from WPLG-Local 10 News. Trish and Dan Bell also provided a generous \$ for \$ Matching Grant for all gifts made to the evening's appeal. The Gala program featured games, performances by Branches children and youth, plus a Live Auction. The event also honored Dr. Eduardo J. Padrón with the prestigious 2022 Trish and Dan Bell Community Empowerment Award for his

incredible service to young people throughout our community. Over 500 guests including local philanthropists and corporate partners attended the Gala and raised a record \$550,000 for Branches' programs which provide life-changing opportunities for families to help them break the cycle of generational poverty. Sponsors of the event included Philanthropic Chairs Trish & Dan Bell, Shining Star Sponsor The Himan Brown Charitable Trust, as well as Platinum Sponsors CVS Health and Aetna Better Health of Florida, Kathy & Scott Howard and Truist.

Gold Sponsors included Jesse & Filipe Viera da Rocha, JPMorgan Chase & Co., Nancy T. Hector, Rodney H. Bell, St. John's on the Lake, The Huizenga Family Foundation, The Tonkinson Foundation and Victoria & Jason Randolph. Thank you to all our supporters for making this event another success!

Please visit  
[branchesfl.org/Gala](https://branchesfl.org/Gala)  
 and watch our fun Gala Recap Video!



# Our Events



## Branches' MLK Day of Service

In partnership with AmeriCorps, Branches once again honored Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on Monday, January 17th through a day of community service at all three of our sites, Branches Florida City, Branches South Miami and Branches Lakeview in North Miami.

Branches Florida City celebrated its 12th Annual "Florida City, Love Yourself" MLK Day of Service as dozens of volunteers, staff, AmeriCorps members, several youth and the Branches Florida City team came together to beautify the Florida City community. The team re-mulched the Branches property, scrubbed tables and chairs, and provided painting, landscaping and repairs for a Branches family's home. Branches South Miami brought together several volunteers to build a beautiful "Pizza Garden". Volunteers planted peppers, tomatoes and basil, and the Branches staff are very excited about tending the garden with their students to one day hopefully soon be making pizzas together with the ingredients from their own backyard. Branches Lakeview in North Miami hosted its 4th Annual "United We Stand" MLK Day of Service as several staff and AmeriCorps members beautified the Lakeview Elementary School across the street from Branches through painting, mulching and more.

Thanks to all the volunteers who served especially from First UMC of Miami, Mandarin UMC, and Repair the World, and a special thank you goes out to Molina Healthcare for sponsoring the day!

---

## Branches' Back to School Bash

Over 150 guests attended Branches' 6th Annual Back to School Bash on Wednesday, August 10th, at the University of Miami's Newman Alumni Center. Guests mixed and mingled as they enjoyed drinks, delicious appetizers and desserts which were all donated by our incredible restaurant partners. Later that evening, guests were asked to help stuff new backpacks with school supplies for our students, which they did with much enthusiasm as they danced to music by DJ Mayner. Guests also wrote a special note of encouragement for a Branches student which was placed into each backpack. We appreciate everyone who came out to this fun event and supported our children and youth!

The Bash was made possible thanks to our "Best in Class" Sponsors Aetna Better Health of Florida, Boeing, The Templeton Family and many other sponsors and in-kind donors. Branches also presented its 2022 Herbert C. Parlato Volunteer Award to the Palmer Trinity School for their many years of support.



Please visit  
[branchesfl.org/Back2SchoolBash](https://branchesfl.org/Back2SchoolBash)  
and watch our fun Bash Recap Video!



# Our Events



## Branches' Thanksgiving Meal Delivery

Thanks to the efforts of our amazing sponsors, donors and volunteers, Branches provided over 5,300 meals and educational resources to individuals in need this past Thanksgiving! Over 1,000 volunteers helped cook, package and deliver meals on Thanksgiving morning throughout Miami-Dade and Broward Counties from our seven different sites: Branches Florida City, Coral Gables Congregational Church, First United Methodist Church (UMC) of Coral Gables, First UMC of Miami, Branches Lakeview, Plantation UMC and Miramar UMC.

A Huge Thank You to our Premier Thanksgiving Day Sponsors: Aetna CVS Health, Alan Goldfarb P.A., Unity on the Bay, Ashcroft Capital, The Batchelor Foundation, Catalyst Pharmaceuticals, The Kirk Foundation, Molina Healthcare, Publix Charities, The Templeton Family Foundation, UPS and VITAS Healthcare, and many other sponsors as well. Thank you also to our in-kind donors such as Palmer Trinity Private School, Palmetto Bay Academy, Shops at Merrick Park, First UMC of Miami, Peace UMC, Poinciana UMC, Redlands UMC, GOYA Foods of Florida, United Way Miami, and many others for their dedicated support. Thank you to all who helped make Thanksgiving another huge success!

Please visit  
[branchesfl.org/2022thanksgiving-meal-delivery](https://branchesfl.org/2022thanksgiving-meal-delivery)  
and watch our Thanksgiving Recap video!

## Branches' Under the Tree Toy Shops

Once again, a week before Christmas, Branches hosted its Under the Tree Toy Shops! Eight years ago, we decided to open up on-site Toy Shops to allow our students' parents to select new toys for their children and purchase them at drastically reduced prices, 90% off! Parents enjoy holiday music and treats as they shop for their children and then each present is wrapped for them by Branches' volunteers and staff. The Toy Shops empower our parents instilling pride and joy to be able to give gifts they purchase themselves and give to their kids on Christmas morning.

Each of Branches' 3 locations hosted a day long Toy Shop this past December and thanks to the generosity of our donors, Branches collected over 1,000 toys and dozens of gift cards. We also provided a new Branches sweatshirt and a gift card to all our youth. In addition, we gifted each of our 48 college students with a party at GameTime, a long-sleeved Branches shirt plus a gift card. All left over toys were divided up among the sites for the year-round Branches Bucks Rewards Stores for our students. Thank you to our premier sponsors Aetna CVS Health, The Batchelor Foundation, Sidley and The Templeton Foundation, and many others for another amazing holiday!

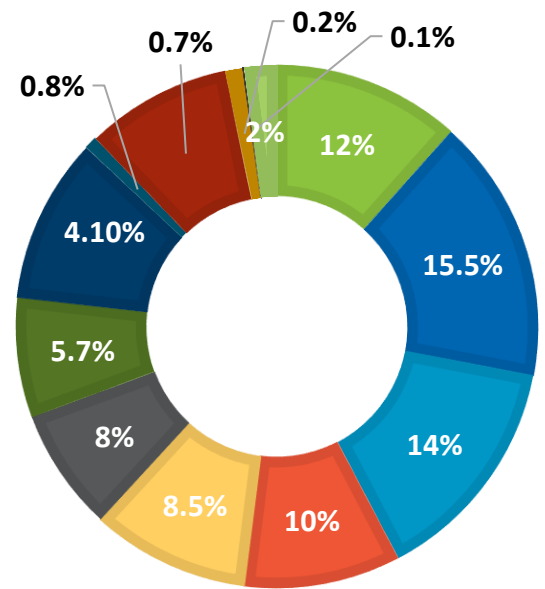


Please visit  
[branchesfl.org/2022toyshops](https://branchesfl.org/2022toyshops)  
and watch our Toy Shops Recap Video!



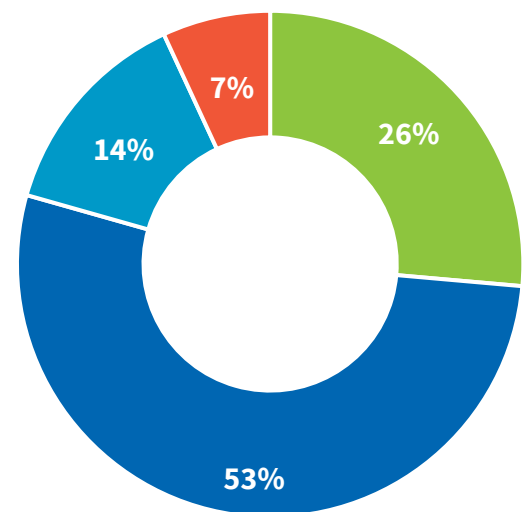
## Revenue Breakdown

REVENUE CATEGORY	FYE 2022	% OF TOTAL
United Way of Miami	\$568,801	11.6%
The Children's Trust	\$807,317	16.4%
Foundations	\$705,524	14.3%
Individual Donations	\$477,940	9.7%
Special Events	\$484,354	9.8%
Government Agency Grants	\$373,087	7.6%
Volunteer Florida	\$365,659	7.4%
Corporate	\$501,755	10.2%
Rental Income	\$40,300	0.8%
Faith-Based Contributions	\$440,594	9.0%
Program Revenue	\$51,764	1.1%
Interest Income	\$4,887	0.1%
In-Kind Contributions	\$100,000	2.0%
<b>TOTAL REVENUE:</b>	<b>\$4,921,982</b>	<b>100%</b>



## Expenses Breakdown

EXPENSE CATEGORY	FYE 2022	% OF TOTAL
Student & Family Services	\$2,562,171	52.99%
Financial Wellness Services	\$1,276,345	26.40%
Fundraising	\$663,113	13.71%
Management & General	\$333,456	6.90%
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES:</b>	<b>\$4,835,085</b>	<b>100%</b>





# Branches' Board of Directors | 2022



**Brent McLaughlin**  
President & CEO

Branches, Inc.



**Rodney H. Bell**  
Board Chair

Holland & Knight LLP  
*Retired Partner*

**Ed Deppman**  
Treasurer

Gerson Preston  
Robinson & Co., P.A.  
*Retired Manager*

**James E. Morgan, III**  
Vice Chair

Squire Patton  
Boggs (US), LLP  
*Retired Partner*

**Laurie Zapletal**  
Secretary

First Horizons Bank  
*Vice President*

**Richard Alfonso**  
Member

US Century Bank  
*SVP, Business Development Officer*

**Amaka Amalu**  
Member

WSP USA  
*VP, Managing Director/ Sr. Mechanical Engineer*

**Greg Ault**  
Member

AECOM  
*Vice President*

**Kristopher Aungst**  
Member

Paragon Law  
*Managing Partner*

**Jeannette Coto Dou**  
Member

Celebrity Cruises; Royal  
Caribbean Group  
*VP, Onboard Revenue; Hotel Operations*

**Tina Furniss-Roe, Ph.D.**  
Member

Entrepreneur

**Mary Ann Cruz**  
Member

Amerant Bank  
*CRA Officer*

**Jack Edwards**  
Member

Ashoka —Innovators  
for the Public  
*Senior Advisor*

**Desiree Fernandez**  
Member

Florida Guardian ad  
Litem  
*Senior Attorney*

**Alex Fraser**  
Member

Smart Merchant  
Processing  
*President*

**Jay Hall**  
Member

Truist  
*Assistant Vice President/ Business Service Officer*

**Scott Howard**  
Member

Denver Nuggets  
*Director of College Scouting*

**Timothy Iszler**  
Member

Crowe LLP  
*Partner*

**Carl Lee**  
Member

Aetna  
*Manager of Community Development*

**Dr. Stanley S. Lynch, Jr.**  
MD, MS, FAAP  
Member

UnitedHealthcare  
Community & State Plan  
of Florida  
*Chief Medical Officer*

**Maria Molina**  
Member

Coastal Construction  
*VP of People & Culture*

**Richard Morgan**  
Member

Banyan Community  
Health Center, Inc.  
*General Counsel & Chief Risk Officer*

**Florencia Olivera**  
Member

Florida Power & Light  
*Communication Manager*

**Robert Onsgard**  
Member

Florida Power & Light  
*Retired*

**Jason Randolph**  
Member

One Lifestyle  
Management/Service  
One Miami  
*President*

**Nidia B. Ruiz**  
Member

First Horizon  
*SVP, CRA Manager*

**Hanai Sablich**  
Member

Regions Bank  
*VP/Community Development Manager*

**Marian M. Smith**  
Member

Career Source South  
Florida  
*Retired Assistant Director, Administration*

**Jeanette Stone**  
Member

Baptist Health – South  
Miami Hospital  
*VP of Operations*

**Jennifer Villarreal**  
Member

UPS  
*Human Capital Project Manager*

**Rev. Dr. Audrey Warren**  
Member

First United  
Methodist Church of  
Miami  
*Pastor*

**Rev. Dr. Cynthia D. Weems**  
Member

South East District,  
United Methodist Church  
*Superintendent*



# Branches

Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers

## Donors & Stakeholders

July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022

### \$100,000 AND ABOVE

**Trish & Dan Bell**  
**City National Bank of Florida**  
**Florida Annual Conference UMC**  
**Himan Brown Charitable Trust**  
**Internal Revenue Service**  
**Miami - Dade County PHCD**  
**The Batchelor Foundation, Inc.**  
**The Children's Trust**  
**The Frederick A. DeLuca Foundation**  
**The Templeton Family Foundation**  
**United Way Miami**  
**Volunteer Florida**

### BETWEEN \$30,000 AND \$99,999

Alabanza Evangelical Baptist Church  
Anonymous  
Capital One Services, LLC  
Linda Corey  
Emergency Food & Shelter Program (EFSP)  
Helen's Hope Foundation  
Bob Kelly  
Miami-Dade County - OMB Grants  
Coordination  
Peacock Foundation, Inc.  
Prosperity NOW  
The Kirk Foundation  
The Miami Foundation  
Truist Financial Corporation  
Wells Fargo Foundation

### BETWEEN \$10,000 AND \$29,999

Aetna Better Health of Florida  
Agape  
Amerant Bank  
Aramark  
Bank of America Charitable Foundation  
BankUnited  
Rodney Bell  
Crowe Foundation  
Florida Power & Light  
Florida United Methodist Foundation, Inc.  
Kim & Stan Van Gundy  
Nancy T. Hector  
Kathy & Scott Howard  
HSBC Bank USA, N.A.  
Huizenga Family Foundation  
JP Morgan Chase Bank

Kelly Foundation  
Law Offices of Alan Goldfarb, PA  
Molina Healthcare of Florida, Inc.  
National Association for Latino Community  
Asset Builders (NALCAB)  
Ocean Reef Community Foundation  
Victoria & Jason Randolph  
Regions Financial Corporation  
South Miami Hospital  
St. John's On The Lake  
TD Charitable Foundation  
The Darrell R. Windle Charitable Fund  
The Dunsbaugh-Dalton Foundation  
The Ortega Family Foundation  
The Tonkinson Foundation  
The UPS Foundation  
The Wilder Foundation  
Villa Family Foundation  
VIP Jet Tours Corp - DBA GOPEGASUS  
Jocelyn Watkins  
William & Lynda Steere Foundation

### BETWEEN \$5,000 AND \$9,999

Amicon Management and Real Estate  
Services, LLC  
Ashcroft Capital  
Banyan Health Systems  
Catalyst Pharmaceuticals  
Coral Gables Community Foundation  
Mrs. Jeannette Coto-Dou  
Barbara Ann Perez & Ed Deppman  
Tomy & Jack Edwards  
First Horizon  
Goya Foods of Florida  
Greater Miami Youth for Christ, Inc.  
Key Biscayne Community Foundation  
Kathleen & Robert Kowalski  
Matthew Daniel Foundation  
Karen & Brent McLaughlin  
Missy & James Elmore Morgan III  
National Christian Foundation South Florida  
Property Markets Group  
Publix Super Markets Charities  
Publix Super Markets, Inc.  
Pablo Rodriguez  
South State Bank, National Association  
Terra Group  
The Boeing Company  
The PNC Financial Services Group  
Eddie Miller & Marco Tine  
UnitedHealthcare  
US Century Bank

### BETWEEN \$1,000 AND \$4,999

Kim & Daniel Armstrong  
Cindy & Greg Ault  
Molly & Charles Baumberger  
BB Americas Bank  
Bill Beckham  
Gabriele & Reinhard Benditte  
Bilzin Sumberg  
Branches UMC  
Mr. William R. Burdette  
Calderon Family Landscaping Corp.  
Kathryn Carroll  
Celebrity Cruises  
Consulado General De Mexico  
Becky & Ron Cordes  
Crowe, LLP  
Mr. Kary Cummins  
CVS Health  
Nadine Davey-Rogers  
Gladys & William Duquette  
First UMC Coral Gables  
First United Methodist Church Miami  
Florida Property Management Solutions  
Alex Fraser  
Tina & Robert Furniss-Roe  
GEICO  
Larry Geller  
Martha Rogers Haas  
Kate Inman & Daniel Haines  
Carol & Joseph M Hawks  
Steve & Robin Houlberg  
Impact Deposits Corp  
Elizabeth & Timothy J. Iszler  
Jones Lang LaSalle (JLL)  
Laurie & Fabian Kahn  
Katherine Fernandez-Rundle & David Efron  
Shannon Kearns  
Marianne & Peter Kircher  
Sharyn & Robert Ladner  
Diane & Terry Lee  
Marile & Jorge Luis Lopez  
Manya & Bob Lowman  
LUXE Properties  
Miami Dolphins Foundation  
Sandy Milledge  
Patti & Rick Morgan  
Network for Good  
Walter Reed Olszack  
Debbie & Robert Onsgard  
Pacific National Bank  
Paragon Law LLC  
Isabelle & Russell Pike

*Continued*



### **BETWEEN \$1,000 AND \$4,999**

Port of Miami  
Pamela Poulos  
Relation Insurance Services  
Residences at SoMi Park  
Darrell Windle & Dave Samber  
Frances & Eugenio Sevilla-Sausa  
Fern Sewell-Rush  
Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc.  
David John Smith  
Marian M Smith  
St. Luke's United Methodist Church  
Sunset TRP Inc. DBA Whispering Manes  
Therapeutic Riding Center  
Annie & Tom Tannehill  
TeamFootWorks  
Tara Templeton  
Turner Templeton  
Sissy & Troy Templeton  
The Redland Company  
The Villamil Family Endowment Fund  
Kim & Raymundo Torres  
Touching Miami With Love Ministries  
WSP USA Administration Inc.  
Laurie A. Zapletal

### **BETWEEN \$500 AND \$999**

Lee Lennon & Luis Amaral de Freitas  
AmazonSmile Foundation  
Ms. Sandra C. Amezcua  
Beatriz Anazco  
Janine Barzyk  
Richard M. Barzyk  
Anastasia & Thomas Briggie  
Wynn & Michael Byrne  
Cao Chocolates  
Mark and Shari Coe  
Coral Gables Congregational United Church  
of Christ  
Ms. Sage Sade Fanfan  
Ned Ferrarone  
Foundation for New Education Initiatives, Inc.  
FUMC United Methodist Women  
Peggy Gaines  
Anita Galbraith  
Mark Hamende  
Janice L. & Ronald E. Hill  
Mr. Linda & William Ho  
Katherine Ibarra  
Brett Barfield & Lex Israel  
Amal Solh Kabbani  
Mr. Dave Lawrence  
Georgette & Randall Litten  
Rosa Lopez  
Rita & Ron Magill  
Eden Marte  
Brent McLaughlin  
Mercedes-Benz of Cutler Bay  
Miss Connie Migeot  
Morris and Anita Broad Philanthropic Fund  
Dr. Eduardo Padron  
Peterson's Harley-Davidson  
Dr. Sally B. Philips

Providence UMC  
Judy & Jonah Pruitt III  
James Robinson  
Larry W. Ross  
Nidia Ruiz  
Mrs. Lydia C. Sacasa  
Silver Palm UM Women  
Daniel Singer  
Barbara Soliday  
Split Level Construction Inc.  
Ann Stith  
Sushi Maki  
David Manelski and Vivien Tsang  
Unity on the Bay  
Rev. Audrey Warren

### **BETWEEN \$200 AND \$499**

Lennon & Luis Amaral de Freitas  
Carol & Kendall Allen  
Ambetter from Sunshine Health  
AmeriHealth Caritas Florida  
Jennifer & John Archer  
Denise & Joslin Athis  
Ann Aviles  
Karla & Peter Bachmann  
Eileen Ball Ball Mehta  
Mr. Michael Barzyk  
Joseph W. Briggie  
Comcast NBCUniversal  
Cornerstone Church  
Christine Coronado  
Margaret Cross  
Noel & James Daluise  
Brian and Emma Donnelly  
Mary E. Donworth  
Mr. Wesley D'Silva  
Deirdre & Christian Dunham  
Marlin Ebbert  
Kathy & Scott Fitzgerald  
Marylen Gaab  
Barbara Kay & Richard Garrison  
Tessie Barrinat & Alan I. Goldfarb  
Ms. Claudia A. Grillo  
Stefan & Dominique Gruber  
Ms. Susan Lynne Hart  
Robert I Hatfield  
Paula & Arthur Herriott  
Raquel & Darryl Hickey  
Vanessa Hoza  
Mrs. Carmen Victoria Irizarry  
Alina Jimenez  
Miriam & Helmut Jockel  
Sherry & Harry Jordan  
Kendall UMC  
Mr. Nick Khan  
Mr. Jeffrey T King  
Joanne & Raul Lopez  
Debra Magenheimer  
James Mahone  
Mandarin UMC  
Nathan Mandler  
Melody & Omar Martin  
Benigno Mendez

Bronwyn Miller  
Scott Newman  
OJF Services  
Florenca & Fernando Olivera  
Luis Pagan  
Florribelle Pantry  
Lisa & Jeffrey Parker  
Sarah Pattison  
Ruth & Roger Paz  
Janelle Perez  
Ms. Gail Pinon  
Mrs. Eva A Prada  
Johanna M. Ralsten-Cox  
Ms. Yamilet Ramos  
Returned Peace Corps Volunteers of South  
Florida  
Ivet & Armando Rios  
Nancy & Richard Roberts  
Manny Rodriguez  
Erick & Lenya Rojo  
Mr. David Rosa Jr.  
John Routh  
Ryanne & Octavio Santurio  
Susan & Robert Shelley III  
The Children's Voice Chorus  
Lurenda Turner & Jose Trujillo  
TurnKey Asset Management  
Glicer & Greg Umbaugh  
University of Miami  
Ms. Alida Velez  
Jeannie Vilato  
Christina & TJ Villamil  
Nancy & Robert D. Watts  
Cynthia Weems  
Mr. Donald Williams  
Sandra Lee Zankl

### **UP TO \$199**

Sandra Lee Zankl  
Adiane Albalo  
Mr. Jorge Luis Aldecoa  
James Allen  
Alpha Delta Kappa FL Lambda Chapter  
Mr. Jesse Alvarez  
Nydia Alvarez  
Amaka Amalu-Anderson  
Kristy Amaro  
Melvin Amaya  
Kevin Andrews  
Mrs. Anita, Jim, and Angela  
Aquarius Press  
Luis & Marcia Arroba  
Leslie & Mikey Atelus  
Emily & Kristopher E. Aungst  
Isabel Avello  
Brandon Bains  
Paul Barry  
Rev. Betty Batey  
Vicshonda & Keithler Bellany  
Debbie Benitez  
Charles Benitez  
Franca Berti  
Charlotte Bierstee

*Continued*

## UP TO \$199

Erbi Blanco-True  
Thais & Lucas Bonates  
Pedro Bonilla  
Joseph Brewer  
Tim & Edith Bricker  
Brian W. Broad  
Carol Brock  
Sheri Burns  
Linda Burton  
Jeanne & Leland Burton  
Aldo Busot  
Denise Campbell  
Mrs. Georgette Roberto Canton  
Carol City UMC  
Ms. Elena V Carpenter-Smith  
Vince & Laura Carrodeguas  
Sandra Castro  
Leah Quinn Cates  
Yaneyry Cedenio  
Sandria Chambers-Foster  
Charities Aid Foundation America  
Karla Charles  
Ms. Marilyn Charles  
Carol & John Chenet  
Brandon Cole  
Ms. Vanessa Colon  
Bianca Esther Contreras  
Mr. Jorge Andres Cortes  
Tracey Coyne  
Allison Cristaudo  
Cecilia Cruz  
Ms. Lisette Cuadra  
Holly Dammann  
Jacqueline Dammann  
Jocelyn & Earl Davey  
Patricia De Anda  
Carlos & Mariela de Armendi  
Corina Dekker  
Isayda del Pino Gonzalez  
Lenin Deno  
Michael Desaulniers  
Lois & Edward Dixon  
Eduardo Dominguez  
Sachelle Durand  
Samantha Durand  
Ms. Yvonne Edwards  
Michele Edwards-Collie  
Nancy & Donald Elisburg  
Damaris Elizalde  
Ms. Frances Q. Ellison  
Mr. Joshua David Espinosa  
Mrs. Bessy Katrina Espinosa  
Espinosa Consulting  
F.E.A.R.S. Advantage  
Angela Fairchild  
Katherine & Bennett Feldman  
Isabel Fernandez  
Jesse & Corina Fernandez  
Ismael Ferniza  
Laura C. FinkLucretia & Bryan Fink  
Annabelle Flecha  
Mrs. Alexandra Flecha Viera

Sally Ann & Edward H. Herb Ford  
Michael C. Foster  
Michael Foster  
Michelle Franceschi  
Yesenia Franqui  
Elena Freyre  
Maria Galvez  
Rosa Galvez  
Nataly Garcia  
Antonio Garcia  
Roberto Garcia  
Mrs. Alexandra Gil-Rodriguez  
Jonathan Gomez  
Ms. Chantal Gonzalez  
Ms. Ann Hall Goodrich  
Mr. Douglas John Greist  
Ms. Elizabeth Groh  
Lisa & Richard Grupenhoff  
Damiam Gutierrez  
Rhonda Ballard Hardin  
Pratt and Toni Hardley  
Michael & Heather Harris  
Karen & Jonathan Hegler  
Starah Heriveaux  
Mr. Matthew Hill  
Dennis Hoffer  
Donna Simms & John Scott Hoffman  
Kelly King Horne  
Amanda Ashby Huggins  
Ann & Herbert Hughes  
Mr. Paul Hunt  
Mrs. April Jackson  
Maria Jaramillo  
Nathalie Jean  
Renee Johnson  
Ms. Linda Johnson  
Carmen Johnson  
Susan Spruce & Annette Jones  
JustGive - Great Nonprofits  
Lev Kapitanski  
Ms. Miriam L. King  
Ms. Deborah S. Klem  
Robert & Antoinette Krupa  
Thomas Krupa  
Mrs. Christina Krutchick  
Robert & Keith Landon III  
Shirley Lanxon  
Ms. Angelica Ledesma  
Teresa LeFlore  
Mr. Andrew Lemke  
Kathy Leone  
Maria Elena Levrant  
Marjorie Lima  
Ms. Andrea Lopez  
Lisa Lubick-Daniel  
Cathyana Marcel  
Grace E Martin  
Brenda Martinez  
Mastercard  
Mrs. Nancy Masztal  
Adriana N. Matos Flecha  
Kaylin McCarthy  
M Yasmina McCarty

Jill & William McCauley  
Patricia & Dennis McDougale  
Leslie & Scott McKinley  
Maria Mederos  
Ms. Clodwige Theresia Meginord  
Memorial United Methodist Church  
Janu Mendel  
Pearl Meyer  
Bobbi Meyers  
Microwave Networks Inc.  
Harold Dave Miller  
Nelida & Felix Morales  
Mrs. Debie Munecas  
Mayte Munoz  
Milagros Munoz  
Judith Pauline Neil  
Pastor Kipp Alan Nelson  
Valerie & Albert Nelson  
Joyce & Richard Newman  
Mrs. Sue Nichols  
Robin Norell  
Victoria & James Novack  
Pat and Terry Olesen  
Stacy Oliver  
Laura & Byran Olnick  
Sandra Oltz  
Justin Onorato  
Adriana Ortiz  
Aimee Paraso  
Ivone Pedron-Gonzalez  
Catherine Pelham  
Hannah Pernia  
Kathiusia Peroto  
Ms Simone E. Phillips  
Marc Pierre  
Alice Pirchesky  
Melissa Pisco  
Lori & John Pomeray  
Karen Poshard  
Ms. Rebekah Poston  
Lillian & Robert Prentice  
Nicole Price  
Daniel Printz  
Barbara D. Reese  
Susan Reisner  
Doreen Reitnauer  
Mr. Alan J Richards  
James Robinson  
Carolyn Ruth Robinson  
Luiz Rodrigues  
Mrs. Rebeca M Romero  
Stephanie Rovelo  
Alina Roy  
Bruce Rubin  
Rosy Ruiz  
Naldo Saby  
Karla Salcedo  
Diana Salinas  
Fernando & Mariola Sanchez  
Michael Sanchez  
Cornelia & Oswald Sands  
Esther & Isolina C. Santiago  
Anthony & Lesly Santiago

*Continued*



### UP TO \$199

Nancy & Thomas Sawallis  
Dr Patricia & Ernesto Scerpella  
Annetta Schildbach  
Donald Schmidt  
Jim & Barbie Schneider  
Joe & Rose Schneider  
Tracy Schweder  
Patricia Seitz  
Ms. Lisa Shourds  
Sigma Beta Tau Chapter - University of Miami  
School of Nursing and Health Studies  
Mrs. Diane Smith  
Lourdes Solera  
Jonathan Solesbury  
Miralys Solsona  
Julimar Soto  
Victoria Stevens  
Tom Stewart  
Ms. Brenda L. Suda

Karen & Wayne Sutton  
Alex T.  
Lisa Tannebaum  
Timothy Templeton  
Betsy Thompson  
David and Deborah Toombs  
Caleb Torres  
Mark Trowbridge  
John Tullis  
Cathey Turner  
Karen & Thomas Uhle  
Mr. Sergio Valdes  
Ana Valletto  
Cynthia & William Van Gundy  
Dr. Steven Vanni  
Jazmin Velasquez  
Ana Andujar Velez  
Jody & Tom Verrengia  
Marlon Villagra  
Miss Mellanie Villarreal

Jekson Villatoro  
Jonathan Walker  
Mary Susan & Philip Ward  
Dr. Maxine Weinstein  
Lise-Marie Wertanzl  
Mitchell Widom  
Heidi Wigand  
Jim Williams  
Mrs. Joyce Windhorst  
Desiree Fernandez & Spencer Winlaw  
Bob J Wurm  
Mrs. Gianeli Zacarias  
Lauri Zahumensky  
George Zamora

**Thank you so much to all our donors,  
funders and partners for your kind  
and generous support of Branches!  
We appreciate you and are beyond  
grateful for your partnership.**

**With Hope and Gratitude,  
The entire Branches Family**



**Branches**  
Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers

# Our Locations



## BRANCHES LAKEVIEW & MAIN OFFICE

Trish and Dan Bell Family Branches Center –  
Lakeview Campus

11500 NW 12th Avenue, Miami, FL 33168

**Phone: (305) 442-8306**



## BRANCHES FLORIDA CITY

Trish and Dan Bell Family Branches Center –  
Florida City Campus

129 SW 5th Avenue, Florida City, FL 33034

**(786) 650-2007**



## BRANCHES SOUTH MIAMI

at Elks Lodge South Miami

6304 SW 78<sup>th</sup> Street, South Miami, FL 33143

**(305) 742-8217**



**United Way Center for  
Financial Stability**

## UNITED WAY CENTER FOR FINANCIAL STABILITY

North Dade –  
11500 NW 12th Ave  
Miami, FL 33168  
**(305) 688-3551**

South Dade –  
129 SW 5th Ave  
Florida City, FL 33034  
**(786) 650-2006**

Branchesfl.org | [info@branchesfl.org](mailto:info@branchesfl.org) | @BranchesFL



**Branches**  
Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers





11500 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL 33168 | [branchesfl.org](https://branchesfl.org)  
Branchesfl.org | [info@branchesfl.org](mailto:info@branchesfl.org) | @BranchesFL



**Branches**  
Trish & Dan Bell Family  
Empowerment Centers