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The Hawai'i Conference is ALL of us!

HAWAII CONFERENCE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST



How do you
and your
congregation:

Connect,
Advocate,
Resource,
Embrace, and
Serve?

Share your **CARES** at the 'Aha and win some **CARES** swag!

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is celebrating their **50th anniversary** this June!
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The theme is "OLA I KA WAI" (WATER IS LIFE).
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because they run out of
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they run out of
relevance."**

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THURS. JUNE 13 – SAT. JUNE 15

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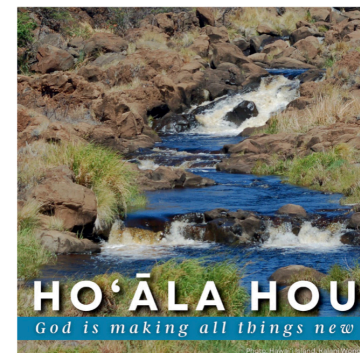
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Praying for & with each church
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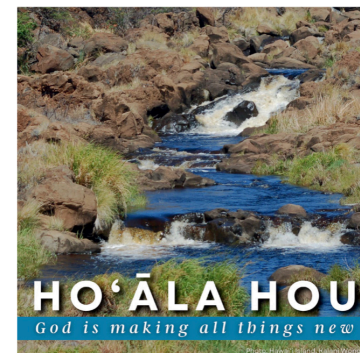
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