



Suddenly, Jesus himself came along and joined them and began walking beside them. (Luke 24:15 – NIV)

EMMAUS COMMUNITY FOURTH DAY GATHERING

7:00PM, TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2020

ALL ARE WELCOME

December 31, 2019

Do you know your NEW OFFICERS for the Born Again Emmaus Community?

Mary Kruse	Lay Director
Hal Hornburg	Asst. Lay Director
Tim Hickman	Secretary
Denise Vadnais	Treasurer
Steve Stricklin	Community Trainer / LD Men's Walk #61
Ginny Stricklin	Walk Coordinator / Team Selection Committee Chair
	Walk #62 Board Rep.
Dennis Kruse	Member
Carol Wilson	Reunion Group Liaison
Freddie Loeber	Member
Karen Loeber	Member
John Politi	Upper Room Liaison / Librarian
Kelly Young	Member
Darryl Reid	Member
Michelle Reid	Newsletter Editor
Maurine Maloy	Audit Committee
Stephen Sanders	Spiritual Director
Mary D D'Alessio	Assistant Spiritual Director

Ex Officio Members

Tom Patterson	Kairos Liaison
Terri Politi	Registrar
Curtis Lang	Website
TurkTurquette	BR Men's Walk #61
Nikki Decker	LD Women's Walk #62

COMMUNITY LAY DIRECTOR

Happy New Year, my wonderful family in Christ! I pray that you kept the main thing the main thing over the Holidays! It is a new year and a great time to re-center ourselves. I don't like resolutions – I always let myself down on those, but I do like to start the year in contemplation. How can I make this year better? How can I be better? How can I worship better? How can I show God to others better?

My daughter chooses a new word of the year each January (I probably told you this already...) I picked up the habit a couple of years ago. I'm not certain on my word for 2020, but God has been putting "Shalom" in front of me quite a bit, so that might be it... Ask me at the Gathering. I should have decided by then...

I hope to see you at the Gathering! It is a great time of fellowship, worship, and inspiration! Come join us! Until then...

MEN'S WALK #61 (Apr 23-26, 2020)

Time to get your Pilgrim Apps in. Meetings start with Team Orientation on January 31, 2020. February 1st is the first team meeting. Contact me or your team lead with any questions. Sign-up Genius is open for agape and prayer slots ([MEN'S AGAPE & PRAYER VIGIL](#)). We are looking for a Reunion Group to provide all breakfast items for the February 1 and April 4.

Contact John Decker if you have questions at 830.431.3631 or johndecker2002@hotmail.com. Be PRAYERFUL for the pilgrims, team, and families.

NOTE: ALL Pilgrim applications should be mailed to Terri Politi at:
30801 Wood Bine Way
Fair Oaks Ranch, TX 78015

Questions email Steve Stricklin at ld.walk61@gmail.com or call 210.379.3349

UPCOMING EVENTS

Gathering - 2nd Tuesday of every month

Jan 14, 2020

Feb 11, 2020

Men's Walk 61 Team Meetings:

Jan 31 Team Orientation

Feb 1 1st Team Meeting

Feb 29 2nd Team Meeting

Mar 21 3rd Team Meeting

Apr 4 4th Team Meeting

WANT TO BE A PART OF THE GATHERING?

SPEAKERS:

January – Hal Hornburg

The speaker guidelines are to answer the questions: 1) What did the walk mean to you and 2) What are you doing about it today. Speakers are asked to please limit their talk to 10-12 minutes. We know the Emmaus community would love to hear your story. If interested, please contact Kelly Young at 210-415-6547 or email at kelly.young915@gmail.com, or sign up at [SPEAKERS](#)

PROVIDING COMMUNION ELEMENTS - please email Mary Kruse at (mpkkruse@aol.com). We need someone for each Gathering in 2020. Sign-up at [COMMUNION](#)

WEBSITE and FACEBOOK PAGE

Check out our website at www.bornagainemmaus.org for information, Walk applications, Prayer Vigils, and more. Our Facebook page is Born Again Emmaus Community. Join today.

WOMEN'S WALK #62

Save the date: September 26-29, 2019

Need information on Women's Walk #62? Contact Nikki Decker at nikki_decker@hotmail.com

KAIROS

All systems are go and we are excited for the start of Kairos 41 on Jan 8th thru the 12th at the Torres Prison Unit in Hondo. God has assembled His team to serve His purpose. He will be glorified and the Kingdom will grow in His name. Thank you Jesus! The journey thus far has not been without loss. The enemy has attacked and we have lost several team members to various personal reasons. Please pray for those that have dropped off, pray for those still serving and most importantly please pray for the 42 inmates that are participating in God's transformational plan for their lives. On a personal note, please pray for our Emmaus/Kairos brother Brett Allen. Brett dropped off just before Christmas due to liver transplant surgery. Please lift Brett and his wife Tammy in prayer. For more information about Kairos Prison Ministry, Tom Patterson can be reached at tom@tpatterson.org or 210.573.5909. De Colores

REUNION GROUPS

Reunion Groups are a vital part of your Emmaus experience. These small groups meet on a regular basis to keep each other accountable in their daily walk with Christ. Are you in a REUNION GROUP? If not, please [CLICK HERE](#) to see the groups we currently have. If you need more help to make contact, etc, please let me know. I want to help you...if you have questions, please contact ...Carol Wilson at gwilson0630@att.net

SHARE YOUR STORY

The Upper Room Emmaus Ministries will be featuring individuals and groups who have, as a result of their Emmaus or Chrysalis experience, a renewed commitment to the Christian faith and are living it out in a ministry through their church or other organization.

If you want to share your story with the International Emmaus Community, type your story using the following guidelines, and email it, along with a picture of you or your group, to evaughan@upperroom.org.

*Walk or Flight info: where, when, community

*The way the event impacted your life

*Your journey on the 4th day

-How you are further opening yourself to God in spiritual practices (Life in Piety)

-What you have been reading/studying that has contributed to your spiritual formation (Growth Through Study)

-What ministries you are involved in and how they are impacting your world (Christian Action)

*Any books or writings you have published

*Your hope for the future

They are starting these features in the first quarter of 2020... what an amazing way to share your story. If a smaller platform feels more comfortable, we would love you to share some of this with our community at a Gathering! (Contact Kelly Young at 210-415-6547 or email at kelly.young915@gmail.com, for more info on those opportunities.)

NOTE: If you do not wish to stay connected to the BORN Again Emmaus Community, simply e-mail: directory-unsubscribe@boerneemmaus.org

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Gathering Location: Spring Creek United Methodist Church, 28970 Old Fredericksburg Rd, Fair Oaks Ranch, TX 78015

Mailing Address: Born Again Emmaus Community P.O. Box 637 Boerne, TX 78006

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