



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 10, 2017

ALL ARE WELCOME

"Christ Is Counting On You"

January 3, 2017

UPCOMING EVENTS

Gathering - 2nd Tuesday of every month

Gathering – Jan 10, 2017
Gathering – Feb 14, 2017
Gathering – Mar 14, 2017
Gathering – Apr 11, 2017

Men's Team Meetings:

Social - Feb 3, 2017
1st Team Mtg. – Feb 4, 2017
2nd Team Mtg – Feb 25, 2017
3rd Team Mtg. – Mar 25, 2017
4th Team Mtg – April 8, 2017
Team Commissioning – Apr 11

COMMUNION

A loaf of bread and small grape juice is needed.

Contact Michelle Doucette by phone at 210.885.7908 or email at michelle.doucette618@gmail.com

GATHERING LOCATION

We meet at **Spring Creek United Methodist Church** in Fair Oaks Ranch. It is located at **28970 Old Fredericksburg Road**, which is parallel to I-10 and which connects Dietz Elkhorn and Fair Oaks Parkway. The Sanctuary is back from the road.

COMMUNITY LAY DIRECTOR

Steve Stricklin

Just like that...POOF, and 2017 is here. New beginnings for our continuous lives and our busyness are never ending. Men's Walk #55 is only a few short months away. By now you should have prayerfully considered your sponsorship and are working on preparations. Lean totally on the faithfulness of our Father to guide us in everything.

We are earnestly seeking individuals to be speakers for our monthly Gatherings; only you can talk about your life after your Emmaus walk. Contact Kelly Young now. See information below.

Arise and shine for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you. *ISAIAH 60:1*
Make 2017 the year you get more involved. Want to start with something easy? Contact Michelle Doucette and volunteer to bring the communion elements Her contact info is 210.885.7908 or email at michelle.doucette618@gmail.com

See you at the Gathering on January 10, 2017 at 7pm. DeColores

SPEAKERS WANTED FOR 2017 GATHERINGS

Kelly Young

I am looking for individuals who would consider doing a 12-15 minute talk in 2017. If you are interested please contact me ASAP. Email: kelly.young57@yahoo.com or 210.415.6457

Guidelines for Talks at BORN Again Emmaus Community Gathering

Sharing the ways that God is working in our lives keeps the Emmaus community alive and aware of opportunities and experiences. These guidelines are intended to help the speakers in preparing their talks.

1 – The talk should be about your life after your Emmaus walk. Focus on how the walk has affected your Christian walk and how it pertains to your experiences in your church, family, work environment, reunion group, team member participation, or community.

2 – This is a time for personal testimony. Remembering that we have committed to be Christ in the world for others..."Christ is counting on you"... "I am counting on Christ") where have you failed and where have you succeeded?

3 – God has blessed each of us with individual talents to be used towards God's glory. Into what ministry has God called you?

4 – The talk should be about 3 to 5 minutes.

5 – There are a few things not to do: Do not recount your walk. Do not relive your life. Do not give a sermon. Do not interject political views.

6 – When you are finished with your talk, simply say "De Colores." We look forward to hearing how God is working in your life, and the encouragement it provides each of us.

MEN'S WALK #55 Pilgrim Applications Hal Hornburg, Lay Director

Pilgrim applications for Men's Walk #55 (April 27th – 30th, 2017) can be downloaded from the website and are now being accepted. NOTE: Checks are to be made out to BORN Again Emmaus and mailed to Walk Registrar at 30801 Woodbine Way, Fair Oaks Ranch TX 78015 Contact info: 210.722.9005 or halhornburg@mac.com

MEN'S WALK #55 Agape Needs

John Turquette, ALD2

General and Food Agape needs have been posted on our website (www.bornagainemmaus.org) Please check it out and let's get those areas filled sooner than later. God Bless.

REUNION GROUPS

Missy Polasek & Sue Turquette

Do you need a reunion group? A list of the current reunion groups is on the website. SPONSORS: If it is possible for you to take your ex-Pilgrim to your group to see how it functions, please do so and then offer to start a group for him/her and other unaffiliated sisters and brothers. We really need more groups (for our guys and gals) in the San Antonio area. De Colores! For help email Missy at missypolasek@yahoo.com or Sue at sturquette@gvtc.com

MUSICIANS WANTED FOR 2017 GATHERINGS

TJ Burkholder

We are in search of musicians/groups to lead worship at the Emmaus Gatherings. If you would like to lead worship - or if you know of someone else, please feel free to forward this to them or provide me their contact information. It is best if the worship leader has been on a Walk to Emmaus; but certainly NOT required. Contact TJ at 210.710.3661 or panther1@gvtc.com

PRAYER VIGILS

Denise Vadnais

Go to our website to check for upcoming walks, the information is conveniently located on the home page. If you would like to receive e-mails for upcoming Prayer Vigil sign-ups, please e-mail me at mdvadnais@gmail.com

KAIROS

Tom Patterson

Kairos 36 is scheduled for May 17th to 21st. Brett Allen from the Born Again Emmaus Community is the weekend leader and is in need of volunteers. Please give prayerful consideration to joining the team. It will be a blessing you will never forget! The first team meeting is January 21st 8am to 3pm at 1902 Vance Jackson Road San Antonio, TX 78213. We are still in need of 30 or more volunteers! It could be the MOST spiritual experience of your life! Please contact me if you have questions at 210.573.5909 or tom@tpatterson.org DeColores,

Chrysalis

Michelle Doucette

Our Fourth Day Group holds two Chrysalis Flights each summer. We do this in partnership with other Fourth Day Groups in the Greater San Antonio area (or GSA). In the summer of 2016, we had 42 butterflies on the Girls Chrysalis (15 different Churches represented) and 17 butterflies on the boys Chrysalis. Both Flights were a huge success in growing our students into a deeper relationship with Christ. 2-3 people represent our BORN AGAIN GROUP at the GSA Chrysalis partnership. We are looking for people to serve in those roles; to attend GSA board meetings for the year. If you have a passion for youth deepening their Walk with Christ, this role or a flight team role may be where God is calling you to serve. Contact Michelle Doucette for more information at Michelle.Doucette618@gmail.com

WEBSITE and FACEBOOK PAGE

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

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

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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