



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, APRIL 10, 2018

ALL ARE WELCOME

April 2, 2018

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

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| Community Lay Director | Denise Vadnais |
| Asst. Community Lay Director | Mary Kruse |
| Secretary | Dennis Kruse |
| Treasurer | Richard Sausman |
| Community Spiritual Director | Steven Sanders |
| Board Trainer | Steve Stricklin |
| Walk Coordinator | Susan Burkholder |
| Communion Coordinator | Michelle Doucette |
| Music Coordinator | TJ Burkholder |
| Prayer Vigil Coordinator | Denise Vadnais |
| Reunion Group Liaison | Sue Turquette |
| Reunion Group Liaison | Carol Wilson |
| Speaker Coordinator | Kelly Young |
| Wall Agape | Freddie Loeber |
| Wall Agape | Karen Loeber |
| Webmaster/Newsletter | Ginny Stricklin |
| TBD Position | Hal Hornburg |
| Chrysalis Rep | Michele Doucette |
| Kairos Rep | Tom Patterson |
| Men's Walk 57 Lay Director | Kelly Young |
| Men's Walk 57 Board Rep | Hal Hornburg |
| Women's Walk 58 Lay Director | Maurine Maloy |
| Women's Walk 58 Board Rep | Mary Kruse |

COMMUNITY BOARD GREETINGS...

Walk 57 commissioning will take place at this month's Gathering. I urge you to make every effort to be there to support the Walk team members. **There are still many Agape needs and Prayer Vigil slots that need to be filled.** Step up, answer the call, sign up and fill the needs of your/our community. Today is the day, Christ is counting on you. **See you at the Gathering.**

GO TO <http://www.bornagainemmaus.org> to sign up for any of the needs listed above.

MEN'S WALK #57

The Men's Walk to Emmaus will be on April 26th – 29th, 2018. We are still taking applications – mail them out TODAY. Applications can be downloaded from the website? Contact info, Kelly Young: 210.415.6547 or kelly.young915@gmail.com

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

WOMEN'S WALK #58

The following words were spoken at the close of the Easter Service my family attended yesterday . . . "Alleluia! Christ is risen. Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia! *You are the body of Christ raised up for the world. Go in peace. Share the good news. Thanks be to God!*"

These words remind me of the reason we are all involved with the Walk to Emmaus – we are the body of Christ encouraged to serve our Risen Lord by serving others – building one another up as we put together the Team Members for Walk #58. The Leadership Team of Walk #58 submitted the Team Applications received to the Team Selection Committee this past Saturday and we are awaiting Board Approval at the next Board Meeting on April 10th. Team members will be notified shortly after that meeting.

We continue to pray for and solicit your prayers as we continue to prepare God's chosen Team for Walk #58 slated for September 27-30, 2018 as team meetings begin on May 18th (just a few weeks away).

The next step is for us to take that challenge to share the Good News and encouragement with the Pilgrims God is going to send our way. Pilgrim applications are being accepted – if you have someone in your life that might be interested in attending this Walk – please start those conversations now. **(CONTINUED on next page...)**

UPCOMING EVENTS

Gathering - 2nd Tuesday of every month

Speakers are...

Apr 10 – Dory Martinez, Walk 57 Team Commissioning

May 8 – Kelly Young, Walk 57 LD

Women's Walk Important Dates

Still Accepting Team Application due

Women's Walk Meetings

May 18 Intro, Meeting 1

May 19 Meeting 2

Jun 28 Meeting 3

Aug 18 Meeting 4

Sep 8 Meeting 5

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 #58 (continued)

Pilgrim applications can be found on the Born Again website along with additional information.

NOTE: ALL Pilgrim applications should be mailed *(along with payment of \$238.00)* to

Terri Politi

30801 Wood Bine Way

Fair Oaks Ranch, TX 78015

Any questions contact Maurine Maloy at mmaloy@mac.com or 210.748.4828

SPEAKERS NEED FOR THE GATHERING

I am looking for individuals who would consider doing a 12-15 minute talk in 2018. If you are interested please contact Kelly **ASAP**. Contact info is kelly.young915@gmail.com or 210.415.6457

REUNION GROUPS

It's April already, and the men are finishing preparations for Walk 57. The website information on Men's Groups is complete and up-to-date at www.bornagainemmaus.org. (More groups are taking new members.) Sponsors, this information will help you find a group for your Pilgrim when his walk is finished. You know how important this step is to keep the fire burning and stay accountable to God...Be diligent, sponsors, and finish your job. The information on the women's groups is currently up-to-date.

Sue Turquette at sturquette@gvtc.com or Carol Wilson at gwilson0630@att.net

KAIROS

He has risen, and God bless. Final preparations for Kairos 38 begin on April 11th with the Closing Ceremony on April 15th. Our Born Again Emmaus community has at least 12 members on the team for this event. If you are one of the lucky guests to be on the list for the Closing Ceremony, we look forward to seeing you. Continue to pray for God's will to be done in the lives of all those involved and especially for the 42 incarcerated participants to feel the amazing love and forgiveness offered through Christ. For more information about Kairos Prison Ministry contact Tom Patterson at 210.573.5909 or tom@tpatterson.org

CHRYSALIS

Our Fourth Day Community in partnership with other Fourth Day Communities in the Greater San Antonio area (GSA), holds two Chrysalis Flights each summer. Please help spread this info to anyone who might work with or have children entering high school & on through their senior year, as the following dates are as follows:

***Updated:** Girls' Flight #402 - July 5-7, 2018 - Sarah Reiter, LD-University UMC

****URGENT: Boys' Flight #403 - may not happen, in need of a Lay Director, contact laine.fichter@yahoo.com if you feel called!!**

2-3 people represent our Born Again Emmaus Community 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 for more information at

Michelle.Doucette618@gmail.com

EVERYTHING YOU EVER WANTED TO UNDERSTAND ABOUT EMMAUS:

May 26

8:30AM-11:30AM, Light Breakfast Items will be provided.

Location TBD

(I know that is Memorial Day Weekend. We offer this twice per year...so don't stress if you want to attend and cannot do so this day.) As a community, we are required by the Upper Room to provide formalized training to future Walk Leadership. This training is OPEN to ANYONE wanting to learn more about the "inner workings" of the Walk to Emmaus. This training is ENCOURAGED for those who have "CHECKED THE BOX" wanting to be a LAY DIRECTOR IN THE FUTURE. You can never hear this information too many times ☺

Future Lay Directors are **REQUIRED** to attend this training at least **TWICE**. One of these must be while they are in an ALD or Support Lead role; and, the second must be within the 12 months preceding accepting team applications for the Walk they will lead. Reservations are **REQUIRED**. **PLEASE RSVP** to Susan at bsusan@gvtc.com or 210.240.3015 prior to May 1st.

NOTE: E-mail: directory-unsubscribe@boerneemmaus.org, if you no longer want to receive information from the BORN Again Emmaus Community.

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

NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED FOR CHILDCARE