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October 2012

# The Walk Way

Eastern Shore Emmaus



## OCTOBER DATES TO REMEMBER:

- EASTERN SHORE
  COMMUNITY GATHERING OCTOBER 6, 2012 AT OCCOHANNOCK ON THE BAY
  (CAMP), CAMP LANE, BELLE
  HAVEN, VA. 23306. GATHERING AT 4:00 P.M. FOLLOWED
  BY PRAISE AND WORSHIP AT
  6:30 P.M.!
- EASTERN SHORE CHRYSALIS
  BOARD MEETING OCTOBER 16, 2011, 7:00
  p.m. at Mears Memorial
  UMC, Keller, VA
- Newsletter articles DUE for November's Walk Way— October 20, 2012.
- EASTERN SHORE EMMAUS BOARD MEETING - October 29, 2012, 7:00 p.m. at Woodberry UMC, Gargatha, VA.
- Candle Lighting for Women's Walk - October 20, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. at Camp!
- "Northern Shore" Emmaus Gathering – Third Saturday of the month: <u>Saturday</u>, October 20, 2012, 6:00 p.m. Covered Dish and 7:00 Praise and Worship @ College Parkway Baptist Church, 301 College Parkway, Arnold MD 21012.

# October/Preparing for the Winter

Fall, a time of the year to start preparing for winter. As we go through our earthly lives, we look at this time of the year to prepare for the months ahead. The firewood is cut and stacked to keep warm. The garden vegetables have been canned or frozen for food. We are slowly winding down on the grass cutting and the fall harvest has begun for the farmers. This is all good as long as we are here on earth.

The question is, are we prepared for the final and most important harvest? Are we prepared to meet our Lord and Savior when our final day arrives? Have we prepared our hearts and minds and given them to God so that we will be as ready as the items of fall that we have prepared for the winter. Have we taken the time to prepare others as well as ourselves?

Matthew 9:36-38
But when He saw the multitudes He was moved with compassion for them because they were weary and scattered. Like sheep having no shepherd, Then He said to His disciples "The harvest truly is plentiful but the laborers are few. Therefore, pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.

Have we taken the time to examine where we are in our walk with the Lord? Are we truly prepared if tomorrow was the day that we were to leave this earth and be heading for eternity?

We all will live in eternity the question is do you want golden streets with angels singing or do you want coal shovels, furnaces and no rest? Let us make sure that we are prepared and start the journey for another as we go.

The 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary was a truly blessed event. Over three hundred community members attended and all enjoyed an excellent evening starting with opening prayer, good music, lots of food, two good speakers followed by the best meal that a person can receive.(Holy Communion) I would like to thank St Johns U.M.C. in Atlantic for their hospitality. And special thanks to all that helped plan, assemble, put together clean up and put away chairs tables and banners and stands. It was a group effort and again thanks to all.

The upcoming walks are only a few days away. John and Cheryl along with the rest of the teams have been preparing under the direction of the Holy Spirit. We should all be praying for the teams and the pilgrims as they prepare to grow in their walk

and become stronger in God's word.

Remember that the next gathering will be the first Saturday Oct 6 at the camp for candle lighting. App 7:00 P.M. No covered dish. Rise and shine will be Sunday morning 6:30A.M. Oct. 7 with closing on Sunday at 4:00

For the women's walk candle lighting will be at 7:00 on Saturday Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> Rise and shine will be on Sunday Oct. 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:30 A.M. with closing on Sunday at 4:00.

The next board meeting will be on Monday October 29<sup>th</sup> at Woodbury U.M.C.at 7:00.The November gathering will be at Franktown U.M.C. starting with food and fellowship at 5:30 pm with praise and worship at 6:30.Elections of new board members will also be conducted so please have any nominations in to Janice Marshall ahead of time.



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### A Word from our Spiritual Director



"Oh Lord" great and awesome God who keeps his covenant and mercy with those who love him, and with those who keep his commandments."

I set my face toward the Lord my God to make request by prayer and to pray to the Lord my God, and made confession, and said, "Oh Lord" great and awesome God who keeps his covenant and mercy with those who love him, and with those who keep his commandments." Daniel 9:3-4

Times change, but, our basic needs remain the

same. Some of us start our day asking God to slow our bodies and mind down, to be arrest and stay on our Lord as we pray, perhaps we need to listen more to what the Lord wants to tell us and to be aware of whom we are praying with at the moment.

I find my days go so much better and unclogged allowing me to understand and be aware

of what God wants me to do today and ways I can serve him.

I am thankful of having the opportunity to serve on the Emmaus Board these past 3 years. "My" how time passes. It has been a joy and learning experience while serving the Lord and the Emmaus Community. Spiritual Director, June Charnock





Fly with Christ!

Well, we had another great RUSH. We had 30-40 youth and adults at Assateague. They played volleyball and football and some got wet. We ate hamburgers and hot dogs and then built a campfire and roasted marshmallows. And of course, some had smores. There were youth who brought their guitars and we had singing around the fire. Even though it was an overcast day, the ones that attended had a very good time. The big thing was that it got some more interest about a future flight

and a few applications were handed out. We continue to pray about this flight. I would like to see us have a boys and girls flight but either would be great. At our board meeting, we decided to make a deadline for applications. November 30, 2012 will be the deadline for all applications. After that date, I pray that we will be setting a date for a flight sometime in the first quarter of 2013. Again, we are asking for everyone to look in their church and see who would enjoy a Flight with Christ. Remember, the age range is 15-18 years. Let us let

God use us and show our youth what special things in can do in our life.

Your Brother in Christ,

Gordon Ward Jr.

Chrysalis Lay Director

FYI- We will be changing our mailing address very soon. We will be using the Emmaus mailing address which is P.O. Box 91, Franktown, VA 23354. It will still be sent to Eastern Shore Chrysalis but using that address. Thank you.

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#### Outreach

Brothers and Sisters,

Every time we breathe a thought to God, we are praying.

So let's all think about the walks taking place all over the world, including our own right here on the E.S. Lift those thoughts up to God.

He'll bless them in a mighty way.

#### De Colores,

#### Barbara Taunitasl

October 4 - October 7, 2012 Brisbane South, Queensland Men's Walk #80

Maribyrnong North West, Victoria

Drakensberg Emmaus Women's Walk #69

Golden Isles Emmaus, Inc.

Men's Walk #20

Atlanta South Walk to Emmaus Men's Walk #45

Heart of Georgia Emmaus Men's Walk #178

Northwest Georgia Emmaus Men's Walk #50

Richmond Area Emmaus Community Men's Walk #43

North Indiana Emmaus

Women's Walk #224 \Limestone Ohio Valley Emmaus (LOVE)Women's Walk #25

Mid-Michigan Emmaus Community

Lansing Area Emmaus Men's Walk #84

Heartland of Kansas City Emmaus Men's Walk #38

Show Me The Way Emmaus

Men's Walk #62

Sandhills Emmaus Men's Walk #71

Grace Emmaus Community of the Carolinas

Women's Walk #32

Western New York Emmaus Men's Walk #43

Pioneer Country Emmaus

Men's Walk #42

Nashville Emmaus Community Men's Walk #177

Southwest Texas Conference Board

Women's Walk #1678

Houston North Emmaus Community, Inc.

Cross Country Emmaus

Southwest Texas Conference Board

Women's Walk #1677

Houston - Bay Area Emmaus Men's Walk #63

Denton Area Emmaus

Eastern Shore Emmaus Men's Walk #84

October 11 - October 14, 2012 Brisbane South, Queensland Women's Walk #81

Newcastle Central Coast, New South Wales

Western Sydney, New South Wales Men's Walk #86

Alabama Emmaus Men's Walk #407 Noahs of Ark Emmaus

Women's Walk #165

Women's Walk #219

El Shaddai Emmaus Community of San Bernardino &

Men's Walk #79

Oceanside Emmaus

Tampa Bay Area Emmaus Women's Walk #12

Aldersgate Emmaus Men's Walk #138

Atlanta South Walk to Emmaus Women's Walk #54

Heart of Georgia Emmaus Women's Walk #179

Northwest Georgia Emmaus Women's Walk #52

Golden Isles Emmaus, Inc. Women's Walk #21

North Indiana Emmaus

East Central Indiana Emmaus Men's Walk #32

Richmond Area Emmaus Community Women's Walk #61

Greater Indianapolis Area Emmaus Men's Walk #168

Ashland Area Emmaus

Men's Walk #30

Elizabethtown Emmaus

Mid-Michigan Emmaus Community Women's Walk #64

Minnesota Walk to Emmaus

Heartland of Kansas City Emmaus Women's Walk #38

Show Me The Way Emmaus

Women's Walk #63

Heart of Carolina Emmaus Men's Walk #123

Mountain Top Walk to Emmaus Men's Walk #164

Albemarle Emmaus of NE No Carolina

Women's Walk #98

Northern California/Nevada Emmaus

Mid - Ohio Valley Emmaus Community

Women's Walk #41

Western Reserve Emmaus (Cleveland & NE Ohio)

Men's Walk #43

Greater Findlay Area Emmaus

Reynoldsburg Emmaus Men's Walk #70

Northwest Ohio Emmaus Men's Walk #64

Crossroads Emmaus-Chrysalis of Eastern Pennsyl-

Men's Walk #54

Seaside Emmaus Women's Walk #122

Foothills Emmaus Women's Walk #42

Southwest Texas Conference Board Women's Walk #1679

Southwest Texas Conference Board Women's Walk #1680

Golden Spread Emmaus

Houston - Bay Area Emmaus Women's Walk #64

Dallas Emman Men's Walk #242

Southside Emmaus Women's Walk #84

Puget Sound Emmaus Men's Walk #208

October 18-October 21, 2012

Port Elizabeth Emmaus Men's Walk #53

Western Sydney, New South Wales Women's Walk #87

El Shaddai Emmaus Community of San Bernardino &

Riverside Counties Women's Walk #80

Aldersgate Emmaus Women's Walk #138

Heart of Georgia Emmaus Women's Walk #180

North Georgia Walk to Emmaus Men's Walk #156

Columbus IN Area Emmaus Men's Walk #85

East Central Indiana Emmaus

Women's Walk #32

Greater Indianapolis Area Emmaus Women's Walk #169

Elizabethtown Emmaus Women's Walk #125

Lansing Area Emmaus Women's Walk #85

Minnesota Walk to Emmaus Women's Walk #100

Emmanuel Emmaus Men's Walk #137

Greater Sidney Area Emmaus Women's Walk #58

East Ohio Emmanuel Emmaus

Men's Walk #80

Southwest Texas Conference Board Women's Walk #1682

Southwest Texas Conference Board

Women's Walk #1683

Red River Emmaus Women's Walk #109

Brazos Valley Emmaus Eastern Shore Emmaus Women's Walk #85

Puget Sound Emmaus

Big Horn Basin Emmaus Men's Walk #23

October 25—October 28, 2012 Newcastle Central Coast, New South Wales Women's Walk #76

Port Elizabeth Emmaus

Servant Heart Emmaus Community

North Georgia Walk to Emmaus Women's Walk #188 Cedar Rapids Emmaus

Men's Walk #153 Columbus IN Area Emmaus Women's Walk #86 Michiana Emmaus Community

Men's Walk #41 Ashland Area Emmaus Women's Walk #36

Northeast Louisiana Emmaus Community

Women's Walk #26 Heart of Carolina Emmaus Women's Walk #124

Emmanuel Emmaus Women's Walk #138

Northern California/Nevada Emmaus Women's Walk #60

Wilmington Area Emmaus Women's Walk #89

Western Reserve Emmaus (Cleveland & NE Ohio)

Women's Walk #43 Southern Ohio Emmaus

Men's Walk #53

East Ohio Emmanuel Emmaus Keystone Emmaus & Chrysalis

Women's Walk #39 Emmaus of the Midlands

Women's Walk #40 Great Smoky Mountain Emmaus

Women's Walk #92 Golden Triangle Emmaus

Women's Walk #141 Southwest Texas Conference Board

Women's Walk #1664

Signal Mountain Emmaus Women's Walk #60

Southwest Texas Conference Board Men's Walk #1686

Southwest Texas Conference Board Men's Walk #1685

Big Horn Basin Emmaus Women's Walk #24

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#### **NOVEMBER ELECTIONS!!!**

Attention All Community Members:

We need to begin thinking about this year's upcoming Emmaus and Chrysalis Board elections. It's not too early to consider who we would like to nominate in the fall for our November elections. Prayerfully consider who you would want on the board serving you. Check with them about their willingness to serve. Please submit their nomination as soon as possible. Self nomination are also a perfectly legitimate way to get your name on the ballot. All that is needed is a willingness to serve and attend monthly meetings. Nominations will be taken from the floor at the November gathering, but the person being nominated must be present at that gathering.

We need to elect one clergy person, two lay women, and two lay men for each board. Thank you for your help in this matter.

Please send your

nomination to:

#### Ms. Janice Marshall P.O. Box 102 Greenbackville, VA 23356

\*The nominees' names must be printed in the October and November Newsletters and will be announced at the October and November Gatherings prior to the elections! You may find the nomination form on the Easter Shore Emmaus website (www.esemmaus.org).

Thank you!!!!

#### Pass It On?

We are fast approaching the Fall Walks, ES84 and ES85. God has blessed us yet again by giving us the number of pilgrims we needed to let these walks progress. Thanks to all of you who answered God's call to sponsor someone for these walks! However, if God has not laid the name of a pilgrim on your heart at this time then I am asking you to prayerfully consider passing on His Love in another way.

Have you considered donating to the Scholarship fund? In that way you can help to send several pilgrims on God's amazing journey for them on these walks. Your donation is tax deductible and

confidential! This is just another way to "Pass It On"!

This is a kind, caring, and giving community and God has blessed us in many ways! I am asking that you pray, pray, and pray some more for these upcoming walks and our Emmaus Community as a whole. I also ask that you pray about donating to the Scholarship Fund as another form of agape to future pilgrims God will be sending our way.

Remember your walk and the overwhelming love of God you experienced! Please prayerfully consider helping in this way! Please mail your check to: Scholarship Fund, P. O. Box 91, Franktown, Virginia, 23354 or give your check in person to the Treasurer, Gail Deans. Your donations are confidential.

Thank you for your prayers and your generosity! We have an AWESOME God and I am thankful for the opportunity to serve Him together with you! May God continue to bless all of us and our Eastern Shore Emmaus Community! May we never forget to "Pass It On"! God is calling us! Will you answer?

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Gail Deans, Treasurer



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Thank you for your prayers and your generosity!

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We know that AGAPE comes in all shapes and sizes but we need to remember the Rules of AGAPE !?! Yes, friends there are some guidelines that must be followed for the proper distribution of AGAPE! Use a number 10 envelope. PLEASE use the full name of the pilgrim or teamer

PLEASE mark the envelope so the AGAPE Servants will know when the envelope should be delivered. (Friday Bag (#1), Friday Bed AGAPE (#2), Saturday Bed AGAPE(#3))

PLEASE Alphabetize your envelopes and divide Team from Pilgrim!

## **AGAPE**

• If you send an item that is too large, the pilgrim will receive it in the Fourth Day Bag. If you would like to help move luggage and clean up around camp after the walk (before the Closing), please contact Sam Whipps. This is another form of AGAPE!!!!

Have you signed up to pray during the 72 hour Prayer vigil for the walks? No? Well you can still pray!!! This is AGAPE!! Have you signed up to help out in the kitchen during the walks? Yep, you guessed it - AGAPE !!! (Contact Butch and Mary Paul Harmon, to see if they needs someone to help.)

All the Special Events during the walk - You're getting good at this! AGAPE !!!!

What are the Special Events? Candle lighting, Rise 'n' Shine, and Closing!!!

Special event times? Candle lighting service begins about 7:00 p.m. on Saturday of the walk at the Worship Center.

Rise 'n' Shine is at 6:30 a.m. - you may be at the camp **NO EARLIER** than 6:00 a.m. for this one, and Closing - Praise and worship music starts about 3:15 p.m. with the Pilgrims arriving at 4:00 p.m. Remember all those faces you saw at each one of your Special Events? Make these walks special for the Pilgrims. Love them like Jesus and let them see His face in YOU!!!!

**URGENT SIDE NOTE:** 

~There are many empty spaces on the prayer list for the men's walk! (not sure about the women's list) Call Pat Krukowski to see if you can help!!!

~There are empty spaces for volunteers in the kitchen!!!! Call Mary Paul or Butch Harmon to see if you can help!!!

### ES #84 Pilgrim Roster—"The Armor of God"

Jesse Alvarado Bob Loiselle, Sr.

Leroy Bailey Keith Merritt

Brownie Brown III Roger Morgan

C.L. Brown **Blair Nuckols** 

Allen Caison Bill Reynolds III

Drew Small Rodrigo Correa

Chuck Jump, Jr. Jeremy Smelser

Brian Linton Lee Stevens Tom Thorp

Harold While, Jr.

Lee Whitehead



"Put on the armor of God..."

## **ES #85 Pilgrim Roster - "In His Presence"**

Vanessa Smelser Linda Basara Angela McMonigle

Kristie McMonigle Ellen Stevens Felicia Blake

Jayne Dryden Tamsey Miller Diane Thornton

Kailey Hubbard Nancy Milligan Cheryl Whittaker

Susan Kovacs Mitzi Nuckols Annie Young

Regina Parks Dian Mackey Margaret Ziegler

**Angel Mascarinas** Tess Peterson

Bonnie Maxfield **Eunice Roberts** 



"In the Presence of Jehovah..."



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Prayer is a powerful gift.

### **Rosters and Prayer Chain**

If you have noticed errors in the current *roster*, please contact Mary Grace Woodburn, send an e-mail to: easternshoreemmaus@yahoo.com, or send a note to P.O. Box 91, Franktown, VA 23354. Please send ANY updated information you may have such as addresses, marriages, or deaths. It is important to the community to keep

the information as up to date as possible. Thank you!!!!

If you wish to be included on the list for receiving prayer requests or if you are in need of prayer for yourself or someone you may know, you mail email me at:

esemmausprayer@gmail.com.

All prayer requests will simply be stated as, "Please pray for Adam."

No medical history, no personal information will be shared, God knows who we are praying for and what the need is. So if you are interested in being a prayer warrior, sign up today!

Blessings to each of you, Mary Grace Woodburn Prayer Chain Coordinator