



The Rooster's Crow

DECEMBER 2013

Ready or not, it's December 1st and the year is disappearing.

The constant cycles of life play out as Fall turns to Winter and with it the Church starts a new season of hope as we enter Advent and Christmas. In 2013 I come to this season in the awareness of my mortality, my resilience, my conscious choice, and the conviction that I am not alone, the Good Shepherd leads me. As I approach this time, I know that if I will be intentional about remembering and rehearsing the Advent/Christmas stories, this will be Holy time with the Spirit! (We and God make for fertile ground!) Spiritual practices are forms of prayer, of **listening to God**. **I know what I'm planning and committing to from FUMC devotional to special services will be fertile ground to plow with God.**

As the community spiritual director I ask each of you, where are you in your journey? What are you hoping for in this Advent and Christmas Season? Have you considered special spiritual practices like going to Candlelight services, Cantatas, the Bethlehem Village, devotional or prayer activities? Maybe midweek Communion services? Sounds great to me! What sounds good to nurture your relationship with God? To give God and the old stories a fresh hearing?

I urge you, seek awareness of the present moment and chose to mark the Seasons of Advent and Christmas. Chose to be open to the Holy Spirit throughout the holidays, every day. Listen and hear what God is saying to you...And to all of us together.

Advent & Christmas Blessings,



Ann Hagmann

Prayer Requests



Bobby & Anne Castle
June Gardner - continue healing
Everyone traveling
Unspoken needs
Our Country

If you have any prayer needs please let me know and I will add it to the list so we can be praying for you. You can email it to mercygirl20032004@yahoo.com or call me at 512-639-2352



Upcoming Walks

WOMEN

3/20/14—Gl en Lake
4/24/14—Latham Springs
5/15/14—Lake Brownwood
10/9/14— Greene Famil y Camp

MEN

1/23/14—Lake Brownwood
2/20/14—Gr eene Famil y Camp
9/4/14—Latham Springs
10/23/14—Gl en Lake



12/8//2013 - Taize Service @ First Presbyterian Church @ 7:30 pm

12/15/2013 - FUMC Choir Cantata @ 4 pm

**12/15/2013 - Emmaus Gathering @ 5:30pm @ FUMC Fellowship Hall w/
potluck**

12/24/2013 - Christmas Eve Services All Around Georgetown

12/25/2013 - Christmas Day!! Happy Birthday Jesus!!!

12/31/2013 - New Year Eve

REUNION GROUPS

If you are not active in a reunion group--how about looking here?

WOMEN REUNION GROUPS

DAY	Time	Location	Name	Contact	Phone	Status
Monday	7:00 AM	Varies	Morning Glories	Tina Lawhon	512-863-3759	Full
	4:00 PM	Wellspring UMC	Wellspring Women	Judith Carver	512-863-7667	Open
(2nd & 4th)	5:30 PM	Lindell's Home	Pass It On	Linda Lindell	512-863-8161	Full
Every Other	7:30 PM	Cianfrani's		Ellen Reyes	512-635-0464	Open
Tuesday	9:30 AM	FUMC Rm 301	Joyful Noise	Terry France	512-309-1934	Open
	4:00 PM	Juanita Mason's	SonSet	Juanita Mason	512-863-3522	Open
	4:00 PM	Sun City Homes	Joyous Angels	Liz Offord	512-864-0918	Open
Wednesday	9:30 AM	Member's Homes	Morning Chicks	Peggy Blair	512-863-7778	Open
	4:30 PM	FUMC Rm 304	Grace Galore	Nancy Marsh	512-863-9181	Open
Thursday	6:45 AM	FUMC	Rainbow Connection	Jeannine Fairburn	512-863-5962	Open
	3:00 PM	Wesleyan Estrella	Glory Gals	Virginia Davis	512-863-7869	Open
	6:15 PM	Wesleyan Estrella	Legacies Sisters	Amber Nickerson	512-636-6386	Full
	7:00 PM	Knorre's Home	Lifeline	Barbara Knorre	512-863-9708	Open
Saturday	8:00 AM	City Market-Sun City	Saturday Sisters	Polly Nelon	512-930-5091	Full



MEN REUNION GROUPS

Day	Time	Location	Name	Contact	Phone	Status
Monday	7:00 AM	FUMC Parlor	Hombres de Colores			Open
(2nd & 4th)	3:15 PM	FUMC Parlor	Bill's Group	Karl Poorter	512-864-0155	Open
Tuesday	6:00 PM	Horizon House	Journeyman	Clint Fraser	512-863-9242	Open
Wednesday	7:00 AM	Daylight Donuts	The Pilgrims			Open
	6:15 PM	FUMC Library	Fourth Day Guys	Stephen Benold	512-863-8467	Open
Friday	6:30 AM	Taco Cabana	Sunrise Guys	Jim Wilson	512-863-6244	Open
	10:00 AM	St. John's Library	Fishermen	Don Nedrud	512-869-2852	Open
Saturday	7:00 AM	Whataburger	Los Cincos Gallos	Bill Jones	512-863-3628	Full
(2nd & 4th)	6:00 PM	Mariachis de Jalisco	Eye of the Storm	Ken Sommerville	512-810-3848	Open



Emmaus Links

Check these Emmaus links out:

Georgetown Emmaus: www.georgetownemmaus.org

Georgetown Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/GeorgetownEmmaus

Round Rock Emmaus: www.roundrockemmaus.org

Central Texas Emmaus: www.ctcemmaus.org

Kairos: www.kpmifoundation.org

Epiphany: www.epiphanyministry.com

Chrysalis: www.chrysalis.upperroom.org

Upper Room: www.upperroom.org



Gathering Dates

December 15, 2013

First UMC

January 19, 2014

St. John's UMC

February 16, 2014

First UMC

March 16, 2014

St. John's UMC

April 20, 2014

First UMC

May 18, 2014

St. John's UMC

June 15, 2014

First UMC

July 20, 2014

St. John's UMC

Our Leadership for 2013

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	St. John:	
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