



MARCH GATHERING:

SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 2018

5:30 p.m.

St. Johns United Methodist Church

311 E. University

SPECIAL EASTER SERVICE

Join us for Fellowship and a Potluck Supper

From our Spiritual Director, Rev. Dr. Ann Hagmann

My favorite Lenten devotion this year was by Mary Lou Redding called *Uncomfortable with Grace*. She juxtaposes our Lenten activities of fasting or abstaining from things or of doing positive things for others vs our resting in grace in what Jesus has done for us. Think about it. When we get caught up doing or not doing, things can quickly become focused on us and not on Jesus. For the remainder of Lent this year, I encourage us all to try resting in the grace of God's love for us, as we remember once again the story of God's self-giving. Hope to see you Sunday at our special Lenten service. Ann

OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM FOR 2018:

Spiritual Director: Rev. Dr. Ann Hagmann

Co-Lay Directors: Crystal Jackson & Sarah Pyle-Shackelford

Music Director: Janet Pyle

Audio/Visual: Sarah Pyle-Shackelford

Treasurer: Jackie Hammar Board Rep: Anne Castle

Team Selection: Anne Castle & Polly Nelon Agape Coordinators: Terry France & Polly Nelon

Communion Stewards: Elaine Jackson & Mary Jane Berry

Newsletter: Polly Nelon & Mark McCartney

Webmaster: Ken Sommerville

Hospitality: FUMC: Terry France ST. JOHN'S UMC: Barbara Knorre

UPCOMING WALKS:

WOMEN:

Walk #432	April 19-22, 2018	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla

Walk #434 July 12-15, 2018 TBD

Walk #436 Oct. 11-14, 2018 Greene Family Camp, Bruceville

MEN:

Walk #433	May 3-6, 2018	Heart of Texas Baptist Camp, Brownwood
Walk #435	Sept. 6-9, 2018	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
Walk #437	Oct. 18-21, 2018	Glen Lake Camp and Retreat Center, Brownwood



FOURTH DAY SPEAKERS:

March 18, 2018: Special Easter Service October 21, 2018: Elaine Jackson April 15, 2018: Carolyn Henry November 18, 2018: Julie Pickel

May 20, 2018: Tommy Prud'homme December 16, 2018: Special Christmas

June 17, 2018: Nikki Underwood Service

July 15, 2018: Linda Miles

August 19, 2018: Tina LaCagnina September 16, 2018: OPEN

Interested in serving on a Walk to Emmaus or Chrysalis team? You need to fill out an application and make sure you are in the database. Go to ctcemmaus.org Click on Emmaus team application or Chrysalis team application.

REUNION GROUPS:

COMBINED MEN/WOMEN'S GROUPS:

THURSDAY "Guys and Gals" 6:30 P.M. OPEN

Tim Nickerson <u>nickerson.dianne@gmail.com</u>

WOMEN'S REUNION GROUPS:

MONDAY "Pass it On" 5:15 P.M. (1st and 3rd Monday) FULL Linda Lindell 512-863-8161 Lindell108@gmail.com

MONDAY "The GoFourthers" 5:00 P.M. St. John UMC Horizon House **OPEN** Carolyn Henry 512-217-0879 hnrylucas@aol.com WEDNESDAY "Grace Galore" 4:00 P.M. FUMC Library **OPEN** 512-864-6501 nmarshtx@earthlink.net Nancy Marsh THURSDAY "Rainbow Connection" 7:00 a.m. FUMC Library OPEN Jeannine Fairburn jw5689f@suddenlink.net 512-863-5962 THURSDAY "Lifetime Reunion Group" 9:00 A.M. McDonald's (Williams Dr.) OPEN Barbara Knorre 512-863-9708 bknorre@suddenlink.net SATURDAY "Saturday Sisters" 8:00 A.M. City Market, Sun City **FULL** marsc430@yahoo.com 512-289-7222 Mary Ann Reed

MEN'S REUNION GROUPS:

MONDAY "Hombres DeColores" 7:00 A.M. Weslayan Assisted Living OPEN Terry Reed 512-484-3953 treed930@yahoo.com

SATURDAY "Eye of the Storm" 7:30 A.M. Mariachis De Jalisco, Williams Dr.

Remember That Easter Morning!

Remember:

Jesus bore the stripes of pain and suffering.

He bowed under the weight of the cross.

He shed His blood.

He said, "It is finished!"

He entered the tomb.

He broke the bonds of death.

He rose to live forever!

Remember:

His sacrifice, His pain, and His joy!

For by the power given to Jesus

to overcome death,

He has proven

there is no death

when we put our trust in Him!

Remember!

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