



**The Rooster's Crow**

**May 2010**

**The Georgetown Texas Emmaus Newsletter**

## **May 18th Gathering**

On Sunday May 16th we will meet at Wellspring UMC on Williams Drive past Sun City. We have our celebration at 5:30 pm in the sanctuary. Then, please join us for our potluck supper.

Look for new friends at each Gathering and welcome them. Several persons are new to our Georgetown Group, some because of moving here and some who recently went on a Walk. Remember that we were all new once,

## **Other info**

Men's Walk 354 At Glen Lake-May 6-9 Pilgrim: Ken Armstong - sponsor Don Wilkins

Save the date: October 2...Conference Gathering at Mansfield FUMC. Bishop Lowry will speak at the opening session.

## **LAY DIRECTOR NEWS** by *Jim Wildharber*

At a recent meeting of the leadership of our Emmaus Community we discussed starting the nominating process from replacing the elected officers whose term of office expire the end of this year. In addition, other volunteer leadership positions will have openings that need to be filled. So, in the spirit of continuing the strong Emmaus Community we have in the Georgetown area I am urging all of our members to start thinking how and where they could contribute. You may be receiving a call.

One key volunteer position that will be opening up is "Newsletter Editor and Publisher". Bill Marsh has faithfully filled this position for several years. Bill has expressed the desire to retire from it at the end of the year. We all need to thank Bill for the excellent job he has done. Bill has improved and fine tuned the "Roosters Crow" monthly newsletter, monthly distribution, and Georgetown Community Roster to the point the work effort to maintain it has been significantly reduced.

In the fall Rooster's Crow a complete list of opportunities to serve will be listed. Please consider prayerfully where you can contribute to our Emmaus Community.

## **Agape**

June Gardner advises that we need more agape for the coming Walks. All contributions are appreciated! We're planning an agape workshop day soon with an ice cream social, too.

## Walk Expense

The Central Texas Emmaus Board has been investigating possible sites within the Temple Region at which future Walks might be conducted. There are at least two viable possibilities from a logistical and facility perspective. However, both locations have a cost which significantly exceeds the income produced by the current \$175 fee for Walk participation. In an effort to conduct future Walks within the region without negative financial impact to the Conference the Board wants input from the Fourth Day Groups and individuals in the Temple Region about the possibility of covering these higher costs with an increased fee for Walks held in the region. Please disseminate this information and discuss the following proposal at your Fourth Day Group Gatherings. Return information on your discussion and agreement or disagreement with the proposal to Rich Thompson for the Board's information.

"Would Pilgrims, sponsors, and team members be willing to pay an additional \$75 (total Walk fee of \$250) in order to have Walks conducted in either the Round Rock or Burnet area in order to have the Walk sites closer to home?"

We agreed to think about this and vote at the May Gathering.

## Emmaus Walks from the CTC Emmaus website

354	May 6-9	Men	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat center, Glen Rose
355	Jul 14-17 Wed – Sat	Women	Polytechnic United Methodist Church, Fort Worth
356	Jul 21-24 Wed – Sat	Men	Polytechnic United Methodist Church, Fort Worth
----	Aug 19-21	Young Men	First United Methodist, Early Journey (post High School age)
357	Sep 9-12	Women	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla Our District is leading this one
358	Sep 23-26	Men	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
359	Oct 7-10	Men	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center, Glen Rose
360	Oct 21-24	Women	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center, Glen Rose

## Your Leadership Team

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## Reunion Group Information

Day	Time	Location	Name	Contact	Status	
<b>Women</b>						
<b>Monday</b>	7:00 am	Location Varies	Morning Glories	Tina Lawhon	863-3759	Full
	4:00 pm	Wellspring UMC	Wellspring Women	Judith Carver	863-7667	Open
<b>Tuesday</b>	9:30 am	FUMC Rm 301	Joyful Noise	Sena Leese	863-5491	Open
	4:00 pm	Juanita Mason's	SonSet	Juanita Mason	863-3522	Open
	4:00 pm	Sun City Homes	Joyous Angels	Liz Offord	864-0918	Open
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:30 am	Member's homes	Morning Chicks	Peggy Blair	863-7778	Open
	4:30 pm	FUMC Room 304	Grace Galore	Nancy Marsh	863-9181	Open
<b>Thursday</b>	6:45 am	FUMC	Rainbow Connection	Jeannine Fairburn	863-5962	Open
	3:00 pm	Wesleyan Estrella	Glory Gals	Virginia Davis	863-7869	Open
	5:30 pm	Linda Lindell's Home	Pass It On	Linda Lindell	863-8161	Full
	6:15 pm	Wesleyan Estrella	Legacies Sisters	Amber Nickerson	636-6386	Full
	7:00 pm	Knorre's Home	Lifeline	Barbara Knorre	863-9708	Open
<b>Saturday</b>	8:00 am	City Market in Sun City	Saturday Sisters	Polly Nelon	930-5091	Open
<b>Men</b>						
<b>Monday</b> (2&4)	7:00 am	FUMC Parlor	Hombres de Colores	Wayne Merritt	512-259-1884	Open
	3:15 pm	FUMC Parlor	Bill's Group	Karl Poorter	864-0155	Open
<b>Tuesday</b>	6:00 pm	Horizon House	Journeymen	Clint Fraser	863-9242	Open
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:00 am	Daylight Donuts	The Pilgrims	?		Open
	6:15 pm	FUMC Library	Fourth Day Guys	Stephen Benold		Open
<b>Thursday</b>						
<b>Friday</b>	6:30 am	Taco Cabana	Sunrise Guys	Jim Wilson	863-6244	Open
	10:00 am	St. John's Library	Fishermen	Don Nedrud	869-2852	Open
<b>Saturday</b>	7:00 am	Whataburger	Los Cincos Gallos	Bill Jones	863-3628	Full

We hope that this newsletter is helpful to you and that you will participate in an Emmaus activity. If you no longer wish to receive this newsletter, please contact Bill Marsh: [bmarshtx@earthlink.net](mailto:bmarshtx@earthlink.net) or 2002 E 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Georgetown, TX 78626. Thanks!