

# The Rooster's Crow

The Georgetown Texas Emmaus Newsletter

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### About Our Music Leader





Janet Pyle is the Music Leader for the Georgetown Fourth Day Group. Each month she contacts various Emmaus musicians from a membership list. Once she knows which musicians will be available for gathering that month, she selects music, asking for solos and leads. Once finalized, the music list and music goes out to the musicians and our Fourth Day leaders. The musicians can then download the music for the service.

Janet is always open for suggestions, so please email her any song

selections you may have to janetlynn29@hotmail.com.

"For as long as I can remember, music has always been an important part of my life. Singing every song we knew on long trips in the car or singing around my grand-mother's piano during family gatherings — there always seemed to be music in my life. I was part of my church's Cherub Choir as a young child, graduating through each level of choirs until high school when I became part of the first handbell choir in the Chicago area. The choir actually traveled along with our directors, Mr. and Mrs. Harling, to numerous churches throughout the area. We performed for churches - for at that time churches were considering this new worship phenomenon - handbells.

I also was part of my Junior High and High School Glee Clubs which has given me many, many fond memories. And along with my older sister and brother, we were given weekly piano lessons. The weekly trek to piano lessons took us to our teacher's dairy farm in Illinois. So while my brother and sister were given their lesson, I was experiencing Dairy Operations 101. Again, many fond memories. My mother paid for our lessons by taking in sewing projects. And piano practicing was not just encouraged, it was expected.

During high school I took organ lessons from our church organist. Mrs. Lindberg took me to church music workshops, encouraged me to play preludes and postludes during our church services. This was training ground to becoming a church musician."

Janet has been a church musician and church music director for several Methodist churches over the course of 30 plus years. Janet also teaches piano, giving private lessons and instilling the love of music in her students.

NOVEMBER
GATHERING
SUNDAY, 11/18
5:30 PM @ SJUMC

DECEMBER
GATHERING
SUNDAY, 12/16
5:30 PM @ FUMC



## Members Serving

Woody Thompson, Sr is sponsoring Rev. Ron Bellomy on walk 388 John Aleman, Charlie Mettler, Tom Oldham Chris Reyes, Ken Sommerville, and Woody Thompson, Jr are serving as team members on walk 388

If you are serving on a team or sponsoring a pilgrim please send me your name (and pilgrim's name) so that we can announce it to the community.

# Prayer Requests

Whitney

Bob

Pilgrims, Sponsors and Team Members for upcoming walks

If anyone has prayer requests that they would like announced in upcoming newsletters, please send them to

ksommerville@yahoo.com any time before the last Friday of the month and they will be published here.

Names will appear on this list for 1 month and then be removed.

Please resubmit if prayers are still needed.



## Upcoming Walks in 2012

#### Women's Walks:

389 - 03/07/13 - Glen Lake

390 - 04/18/13 - Latham Springs

391 - 05/16/13 - Lake Brownwood

393 - 10/10/13 - Greene Family Camp

8 Pilgrims - has not reached the minimum

1 Pilgrim - has not reached the minimum

4 Pilgrims - has not reached the minimum

#### Men's Walks

387 - 01/31/13 - Lake Brownwood

388 - 02/21/13 - Greene Family Camp

392 - 09/05/13 - Latham Springs

394 - 10/24/13 - Glen Lake

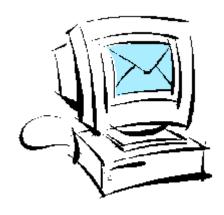
10 Pilgrims - has not reached the minimum

4 Pilgrims - has not reached the minimum

#### Kairos Weekends:

TBD





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## Emmaus 2012 gathering dates

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Gathering Date	Gathering Location
January 15	St John's UMC
February 19	First UMC
March 18	St John's UMC
April 15	First UMC
May 20	St John's UMC
June 17	First UMC
July 15	St John's UMC
August 19	First UMC
September 16	St John's UMC
October 21	First UMC
November 18**	St John's UMC
December 16	First UMC

We will meet on the third Sunday of the month.

Worship begins at 5:30pm.

# Your Leadership Team for 2012

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We hope that you find this newsletter helpful and that it helps you stay involved in your 4th Day Walk.

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