

GEORGETOWN FOURTH DAY EMMAUS COMMUNITY GATHERING

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2017 5:30 p.m.

First United Methodist Church 410 E. University

Fourth Day Speaker: Carolyn Henry

Join us for Fellowship and a Potluck Supper

From our Spiritual Director, Rev. Dr. Ann Hagmann: Dear Emmaus Journeyers, as the gentle rain falls, I realize we are going into the Fall...it is October...how time flies! The relief from the heat is welcomed, but somehow turning to Autumn is always on some level a turn towards the melancholy, as nature around us reflects the change in seasons. Fall literally and metaphorically speaking implies a decline, a drop, and can represent any aspect of our life from our aging to our sinning. I find myself dealing with a broken iliac crest – far from what I intended this Fall but the path I will take. And with grace I hope! For I am confident that God is with us; we are not alone. And I'm reminded that God's messengers God's angels are all around us too. From the song *Angels Among Us – I believe there are angels among us. Sent down to us from somewhere up above. They come to you and me in our darkest hours . To show us how to live; to teach us how to give; to guide us with a light of love.* Mary Jane and gang, carry that light of Christ's love to the pilgrims on Walk 427! Christ is counting on you and so are we! And co-travelers this Fall, may we be as angels to one another and to those we encounter for Christ is counting on us, and we are counting on Christ! Ann Hagmann, Spiritual Director

From our Lay Director, Crystal Jackson: Wow! What a great turnout at the Gathering on the 17th of September! Thank you, Elaine Jackson, for the Fourth Day Talk. We had team commissioning of Women's Walk #427 and there were 12 team members there plus Christ and that's the perfect 13! Walk 427 is October 12-15, and Candlelight is October 14th at Greene Family Camp. I hope ya'll can come and represent Georgetown Emmaus Community. Please keep Mary Jane *(who is the Lay Director)* and the team of 42 Pilgrims in your prayers. Next Gathering is October 15, at 5:30 p.m., at First United Methodist Church.

From our Board Rep, Anne Castle: Please pray for Women's Walk 427 and plan to come to Candlelight on Saturday night, Oct. 14, at Greene Family Camp. Men's Walk 429 will be February 8-11, 2018, and needs Pilgrims. <u>Please keep them in your prayers!</u>

Newest members of our Emmaus Community:

Congratulations to Sarah, Ronan, and Adley!!!



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UPCOMING WALKS:

WOMEN:

Walk #427October 12-15, 2017Greene Family Camp, Bruceville

CANDLELIGHT FOR WALK 427 WILL BE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14!!! Many of our Community members are on the team!!! Make plans to attend this wonderful spiritual event and re-live your own experience as a Pilgrim during Candlelight!!!

Walk #430	Feb. 22-25, 2018	Heart of Texas Baptist Camp, Brownwood
Walk #431	March 1-4, 2018	Glen Lake Camp and Retreat Center, Glen Rose
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 #428	Oct. 19-22, 20, 2017	Glen Lake Camp and Retreat Center, Glen Rose
Walk #429	Feb. 8-11, 2018	Greene Family Camp, Bruceville
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

OUR WONDERFUL LEADERSHIP TEAM:

Lay Director in Training: Crystal Jackson jacksoncrystal78@gmail.com Lay Director Trainer/Assistant: Terry France francetl.france@gmail.com Spiritual Director: Rev. Dr. Ann Hagmann revdrann@hotmail.com Music Director: Janet Pyle janetlynn29@hotmail.com Treasurer: Jackie Hammar **Board Representative: Anne Castle** acastle880@aol.com Agape: Terry France and Polly Nelon pollylovespaws@gmail.com **Communion Steward: Elaine Jackson & Terry France** erbjac@yahoo.com Team Selection: Anne Castle/Polly Nelon Webmaster: Ken Sommerville ksommerville@yahoo.com First UMC Hospitality: Terry France St. John Hospitality: Barbara Knorre Ken Sommerville 512-810-3848 A/V: Sarah Shackelford soonerprincess78@yahoo.com Newsletter: Polly Nelon, Editor; Mark McCartney, Distributor

UPCOMING FOURTH DAY SPEAKERS:

November 19: Julie Pickel

December17: Special Christmas Service

REUNION GROUPS:

COMBINED MEN/WOMEN'S GROUPS:

THURSDAY "Guys and Gals"	6:30 P.M.	OPEN
Tim Nickerson	nickerson.dianne@gmail.com	

WOMEN'S REUNION GROUPS:

<u>MONDAY</u> "Pass it On" 5:15 P.M. (1 st and 3 rd Monday) Linda Lindell 512-863-8161 <u>Lindell108@gmail.com</u>	FULL
MONDAY"The GoFourthers"5:00 P.M.St. John UMC Horizon HouCarolyn Henry512-217-0879hnrylucas@aol.com	ise OPEN
<u>WEDNESDAY</u> "Grace Galore" 4:00 P.M. FUMC Library Nancy Marsh 512-864-6501 <u>nmarshtx@earthlink.net</u>	OPEN
THURSDAY"Rainbow Connection"7:00 a.m.FUMC LibraryJeannine Fairburn512-863-5962jw5689f@suddenlink.net	OPEN
THURSDAY"Lifetime Reunion Group"9:00 A.M. McDonald's (WilliamsBarbara Knorre512-863-9708bknorre@suddenlink.net	S Dr.) OPEN
<u>SATURDAY</u> "Saturday Sisters" 8:00 A.M. City Market, Sun City Mary Ann Reed 512-289-7222 <u>marsc430@yahoo.com</u>	FULL

MEN'S REUNION GROUPS:

<u>MONDAY</u>	"Homb	res DeColores"	7:00 A.M.	Weslayan Assisted Living	OPEN
Terry	y Reed	512-484-3953	treed930	@yahoo.com	

<u>SATURDAY</u> *"Eye of the Storm"* 7:30 A.M. Mariachis De Jalisco, Williams Dr.