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WEST TENNESSEE EMMAUS COMMUNITY

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WORDS FROM THE COMMUNITY LAY DIRECTOR

Happy holidays to all of the West Tennessee Emmaus Community from the Board of Directors. It truly is the season to be thankful. I want to remind you in the coming weeks of the Christmas season to take the time to be the hands and feet of Christ. There are many people or families right here in West Tennessee that are in need due to the economy. A hand or a little help will bless both them and you. God is always great.

Team meetings have started for the Spring Walks. So NOW is the time to look around and see whom in your church you could talk with about EMMAUS. There will only be 35 pilgrims accepted for the upcoming walks. Get the applications in **now** to secure a spot for that special pilgrim.

Agape is needed for the Spring Walks. You should prepare 70 pieces for each Walk. Remember Agape is either from a Reunion Group or anonymous. We do need a contact name where leftover agape can be returned after the Walk.

I want to thank the members of the West Tennessee Emmaus Community for stepping up the donations to a point that it will not be necessary to go up on the fees for the Walks and Chrysalis Flights for next year.

There will not be a gathering in December or January due to all of the Holiday festivities and our West Tennessee Chrysalis Flights. I want to encourage everyone to attend the Send-Off, Candlelight and Closing Ceremonies. Let's all turn out to support these young people.

DeColores,

Watt Wallace



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EMMAUS GATHERINGS

(All Gatherings begin at 6:00)

•December•

No Gathering

•January 15-17•

W. TN Chrysalis Flights

(See 'Chrysalis News' p.1 for details)

•February 19th•

Northside UMC

Music/4th Day Talk – Chrysalis

•March 5th•

Candlelight - Men's Walk # 96

Huntingdon 1stUMC– 8:00 pm

Special Music – Lisa Stanfield

4th Day Talk – Leslie Mansfield

•March 19•

Candlelight - Women's Walk

Huntingdon 1stUMC– 8:00 pm

4th Day talk – Darrell Melton

Special Music – Jim Stackhouse

•April 16•

Brownsville 1stUMC

Special Music – Liz Rankin

4th Day Talk - TBA

•May 21•

Lambuth Memorial UMC

Music/4th Day talk – TBA

•June 18•

Henderson 1stUMC

Music/4th Day talk – TBA

•July 16•

Alamo 1st Christian Church

Music/4th Day talk – TBA

CHRYSALIS NEWS



This year our Chrysalis Flights will be held at Grace UMC and Northside UMC in Jackson. The girls will be at Northside and the Boys will be at Grace. When you have the opportunity, please help us to share our "Thanks" to everyone at 'Grace and Northside' for going 'the extra mile' as they open their doors to our West Tennessee Emmaus/Chrysalis Community. We are **Blessed** to have their support...

Chrysalis Flights #33 G & 33B

SEND-OFF: 8:00 a.m. Saturday, January 15th Northside UMC - Highland Ave.

CANDLELIGHT: 8:00 p.m. Sunday, January 16th Northside UMC

CLOSING: 6:00 p.m.* Monday, January 17th Northside UMC

***Sponsors should arrive early in order to pick-up luggage before the 'Closing Program' begins.**

When you receive this newsletter, there will only be a few weeks before our Chrysalis Flights. During the Christmas Season things sometimes get pushed in the background and/or forgotten all together. Please mark your calendars and plan to support our Chrysalis Caterpillars and Teams by attending each of the functions listed above. Also, ask your reunion group to provide Agape Gifts for the Flights (boys and girls).

AGAPE NEEDED

For Boys and Girls Chrysalis Flights...



PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR OUR CHRYSALIS TEAMS

Boys Flight #33 Lay Director: Tres Goldsby **ALD's:** Brien Kee, Harlin Trefz, Tony Horner **YALD** Josh Legions, **Spiritual Director:** Ron Phillips **Clergy:** Jay Hutchens, Glen Miller, Pepper Pratt **Board Representative:** John Carson **Adult Music Leaders:** Drew Goldsby **Youth Music Leader** Tyler Dunaway **Adult Table Leaders:** Chris Turnage, Wray Pulliam, Will Dougan, Brad Sargent, Dereck Eison, Donnie Cook, Mark Bedwell **Youth Table Leaders:** Austin Taylor, Drew Bedwell, Adam Clarke, Josh Shaw, CJ Jackson, Robbie Pierson, Matthew Wilhaucks **Adult Prayer Chapel:** Barry Phillips **Youth Prayer Chapel:** Luke Brittain **Adult Kitchen Crews:** Johnny Maddox, Sandra Maddox, Harvey Bradshaw, Miranda Goldsby

Girls Flight #33 Lay Director: Elizabeth Johnson **ALD's:** Judy Renshaw, Phyllis Darby, Rhonda Elford **Youth ALD:** Katelyn Harrison **Spiritual Director:** Barry Scott **Music:** Linda Page **Youth Music:** Emily Bushart **Adult Table Leaders:** Sharon Bedwell, Melissa Cook, Debbie Mallard, Debbie Pendergrass, Teresa Taylor, Suzanne Wehner, Laurie Wilson **Youth Table Leaders:** Madeline Adams, Katie Bedwell, Kelsey Darnall, Molly Garner, Kylie Hand, Olivia Ingram, Caty Vanderford **Board Rep:** Carrie Sisson **Prayer Warriors:** Jan Thompson, Bethany Dietz



Welcome New West Tennessee Emmaus Members

Walk #94 Bill Sidwell, Dereck Eison, Eddie Granger, Brent Messer, Gray Deaton, David Hart, Dan Morris, Dane Simmons, Tony Ballard, Vito Spadafino, Bill Milliken, Kirby Matheney, Jeff Holland, Scott Butler, Steve Coffman, Jerry Gay, Scott Love, Mark Crider, Eddie Lawler, Ladd Williams, Barry Ward, Keith Cursey, Tracy Cowan, Clark Converse, Kevin McCarter, Frank Smith, Joshua Curland

Walk #95 Casey Eison, Tameka Granger, Stephanie Houston, Tammy Pritchard, Susan Lee, Krystal Simmons, Remelda Ballard, Varsha McMinn, Darlene Bain, Laura Spadafino, Sheila Holland, Gina Piercey, Megan Carefoot, Jean Coffman, Nancy Gay, Shannon Love, Sidney Allen, Julie Crider, Courtney Cauthen, Cristy Lawler, Lisa Ward, Angie Cursey, Cindy Fisher, Nancy Davenport, Lisa Cowan, Mamie Converse, Julie Nolen, Shannon McCarter, Denise Miller, Cherri Ray

THANK YOU!!!! THANK YOU!!!! THANK YOU!!!!

Woooohoooo!!! Thank You West Tennessee Emmaus Community for demonstrating what it means to be a disciple of Christ. The men of Walk 94 were truly blessed by your unselfish acts of agape. Thank you for allowing God to use you for His glory... **Chris Richards, Lay Director Walk 94**

The entire Emmaus Community was such a blessing for Women's Walk # 95. We felt your love, concern, prayers, and countless gifts of Agape, too numerous to mention. Our walk was blessed from beginning to end. I would like to thank the West Tennessee Community for all your help, and especially your prayers... **Sondra Marbury, Lay Director Walk #95**

March 3-6th Men's Walk #96

March 17-20th Women's Walk #97

Please be in prayer for Emmaus Teams #96 and 97, led by Lay Directors Brent Porter and Millie Richards. They have begun their team meetings.

BUSES NEEDED!!! ...for Chrysalis Flights and Emmaus Walks....If you and your church can help us with this need, please contact Watt Wallace (Emmaus)780-2926 or John Elford (Chrysalis)697-8080.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

DONATIONS (Fill-Out Form) Make Checks Payable to: W. TN Emmaus. Cut and Mail to: Warner Turner at: 31 Michelle LN, Jackson TN 38301

I would like to donate \$ _____ in memory/honor (circle one) of _____.

Signed: _____ Date: ____/____/____

CHANGE!!! If you have a **Change of Name, Address, Church, Phone #, Email Address.....** anything that would hinder the West TN Emmaus community from communicating with you, please notify **Jim Chumney** at: 103 Duncan Drive, Jackson, TN 38305 or 731-668-8429. Jim's Email Address is: ChumneyJE@aol.com

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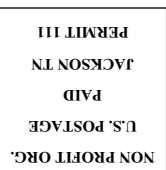
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