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A New Guide to Worship

Some of you may have noticed during the fall walks that the Worship Guide has changed. The new Worship Guide is in its third edition, which produced changes in the dialogue and page numbers from the first and second editions. At the last board meeting, the board agreed to purchase 300 new 3rd edition Worship Guides to pass out to the community at future gatherings and events. If anyone would like to make a donation to help overcome some of the expense for these new Worship Guides, a basket will be available at Gatherings in which you can place a donation if you desire. If you would like to mail your donation, please send it to our treasurer, Evelyn Hubbard at:

Evelyn Hubbard
PO Box 1704
Sylvania, Georgia 30467

I would also encourage the community to go to www.upperroom.org and look at the Upper Room's Emmaus website. The website features an Emmaus store which sells Emmaus clothing and other Emmaus materials. They also have a list that suggests books you can purchase that may help with different interests of Emmaus. Pamphlets are available that you can use to pass out to people in an effort to help explain what Emmaus is really about if someone asks. If you have any questions, or if you need help ordering some of the material, please contact me, Charlton Rogers at thomasrogers@ft.newyorklife.com or at 912-687-1182.

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Journey Update

This is a reminder that Journey will take flight this February. The Journey is for young people age 18-24. Please begin to pray about who YOU would like to sponsor on the Journey! You can find caterpillar applications at www.dayspringwalk.org. Additionally, be in prayer about ways in which you can support these young men and women as they spend time with Christ. Conference room and baked agape is much needed for these flights.

Girl's Journey: Feb. 11-14, 2010
Lay Director - Lucy Barlow



Prayer Concerns

Prayer is the most powerful force we have as Christians. It is our way to connect with God directly to seek guidance, or to request help or change. Our community stands ready to intercede in prayer for its'members and loved ones. If you would like to request prayer, please email katekeith@nctv.com or call 912.856.3426. Feel free to leave a message if you need. Given our community is so large, please provide your walk number and table so that it can be included in the request.

Encouragement has a way of injecting hope into dark and trying situations. It is often comforting to know that others are praying on your behalf even in the moments you find it difficult to pray for yourself. If you are open to receiving encouragements, please also add your email and/or US Post address. We want to support you as you walk through your Fourth Days. Let us know if we can be of service.

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*Got Feedback??*

Is there something that you

Boy's Journey: Feb. 18-21, 2010  
Lay Director - Jason Hinely

## Why We Do What We Do

**The Emmaus Model of the Upper Room states that each piece of the Walk to Emmaus has meaning and purpose in the weekend's structure and theology.**



Did you know that the Walk to Emmaus is Trinitarian in framework? "The focus of the first day is *God and the grace God offers*. Day two focuses on *Jesus Christ and our life as a response to grace*. Day three is about the *Holy Spirit and the pilgrims' call to be part of the Christian community in action*. It is to encourage the *body of Christ to take action in the world in the power of the Holy Spirit, thus ending with the FOURTH DAY.*"

~Handbook on Emmaus

## New Board Members Installed!

The following members will serve on the Dayspring Emmaus Board of Directors from 2010 through 2012. Look to hear from them in the next *Chatter Matters!*

John Barton  
Donna Brigman  
Jane Cason  
Beverly Macgregor  
Bill Mathis, Jr.  
Jimmy Cason, as Community Spiritual Director

would like to see featured in the *Chatter Matters*? Is there something that could be done better or differently? Feel free to email your thoughts and suggestions to [katekeith@nctv.com](mailto:katekeith@nctv.com)

## Needed: Volunteers to Host Gatherings

You might notice "TBA" is the location of gatherings listed in the Upcoming Events Calendar below. If your church is willing to volunteer to host a gathering during those months, please contact Diane Freeman at [dfreeman@screven.k12.ga.us](mailto:dfreeman@screven.k12.ga.us)

## 2010 Upcoming Community Events

In these days, it is of primary importance that we bind together with Christ and in love to work through life. Therefore, we have included all of the 2010 calendar of events so that you can go ahead and "pencil us in" to your personal calendars! We like to see your smiling faces! Please don't be overwhelmed. Consider this an early invitation to come to all the Dayspring Emmaus activities that you can. We look forward to seeing you!

**December 5, 2009 6:30pm Emmaus Christmas Gathering**  
(First United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

January 9, 2010 8:00am Whole Team Meeting for Walks #70 & #71  
(Statesboro First United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

January 23, 2010 8:00am Conference Room Only Meeting for Walks #70 & #71  
(Statesboro First United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

January 23, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(Statesboro Primitive Baptist Church, Statesboro)

**Note: All Journey Activities are Held at Tattnall Campgrounds**  
February 11, 2010 7:00pm Girls' Journey Send-Off  
Followed by Sponsor's Hour

February 13, 2010 8:00pm Community Gathering  
9:00pm Candlelight Ceremony

February 14, 2010 4:00pm Closing of the Girls' Journey

February 18, 2010 7:00pm Boys' Journey Send-Off  
Followed by Sponsor's Hour

February 20, 2010 8:00am Conference Room Only Meeting for Walks #70 & #71  
(Statesboro First United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

February 20, 2010 8:00pm Community Gathering  
9:00pm Candlelight Ceremony

February 21, 2010 4:00pm Closing of the Boys' Journey

February 27, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(Swainsboro First United Methodist Church, Swainsboro)

March 6, 2010 8:00am Whole Team Meeting for Walk #70 & #71  
(Tattnall Campgrounds)

**Note: All Walk Activities are Held at Tattnall Campgrounds**

March 11, 2010 6:45pm Men's Walk #70 Send-Off  
Followed by Sponsor's Hour

March 13, 2010 8:00pm Community Gathering  
9:00pm Candlelight Ceremony

March 14, 2010 4:00pm Closing of Men's Walk #70

March 18, 2010 6:45pm Women's Walk #71 Send-Off  
Followed by Sponsor's Hour

March 20, 2010 8:00pm Community Gathering  
9:00pm Candlelight

March 21, 2010 4:00pm Closing of Women's Walk #71

**FRIDAY, March 26, 2010 7:30pm PIO PARTY Gathering  
(Tattnall Campgrounds)**

April 6, 2010 6:30pm Sustaining the Spirit  
(First United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

April 24, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(Harmony United Methodist Church, Glennville)

**May 1, 2010 Servant Applications are Due for the Fall Walks**

May 22, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(New Hope United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

June 26, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(Millen United Methodist Church, Millen)

**July 1, 2010 Pilgrim Applications are Due for Fall Walks**

July 24, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering

(TBA)

August 28, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(TBA)

September 3-5, 2010 LABOR DAY WEEKEND Emmaus/Chrysalis by the Sea  
(St.Simons Island, GA)

**Note: All Walk Activities are Held at Tattnall Campgrounds**

September 9, 2010 6:45pm Send-off for Men's Walk #72  
Followed by Sponsor's Hour

September 11, 2010 8:00pm Community Gathering  
9:00pm Candlelight Ceremony

September 12, 2010 4:00pm Closing of Men's Walk #72

September 16, 2010 6:45pm Send-off for Women's Walk #73  
Followed by Sponsor's Hour

September 18, 2010 8:00pm Community Gathering  
9:00pm Candlelight Service

September 19, 2010 4:00pm Closing of Women's Walk #73

**FRIDAY, September 24, 2010 7:30pm PIO PARTY Gathering  
(Tattnall Campgrounds)**

October 5, 2010 6:30pm Sustaining the Spirit  
(First United Methodist Church, Statesboro)

October 23, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Gathering  
(TBA)

**November 1, 2010 Servant Applications are Due for the Spring Walks**

December 4, 2010 6:30pm Emmaus Christmas Gathering  
(TBA)

**January 1, 2011 Pilgrim Applications are Due for Spring Walks**

We are making our best attempt to reconnect with lost community members. **We are in need of YOUR help!** Please talk with your Dayspring neighbors and friends to be sure they are receiving community correspondences. If they are not, please contact [katekeith@nctv.com](mailto:katekeith@nctv.com) or 912.856.3426 to relay their new contact information so they can be added.

I hope this finds you faithful, well, and happy.

Kate Keith, Communications  
Dayspring Walk to Emmaus #10  
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