

NOVEMBER 2024



WALK TO
EMMAUS
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November 2024 Chatter Matters

THE WALK TO EMMAUS VISION:

Renewing Christian Disciples,
Strengthening Local Churches

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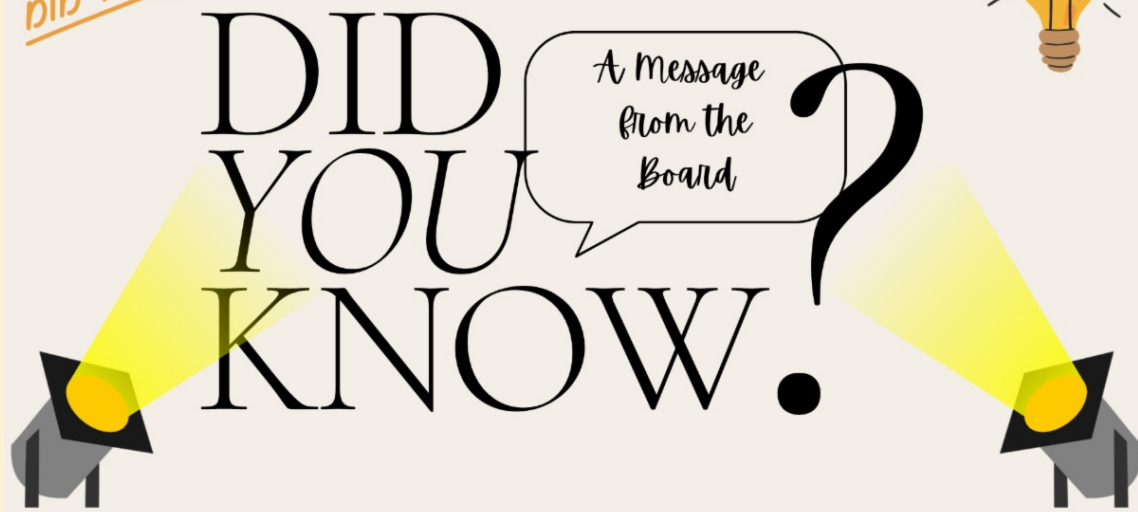
JOIN US FOR A

COMMUNITY GATHERING



**NO November
or December
gatherings.**

DID YOU KNOW?
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Information from the Board

DID YOU KNOW?

That we no longer need a pastor signature
on Servant applications!

We only need these for pilgrim applications!

SOUTHEAST GEORGIA JOURNEY

GIRLS JOURNEY

February 7-9, 2024

Lay Leader: Lindsay Purvis

BOYS JOURNEY

February 14-16, 2024

Lay Leader: Lanier Colson



DAYSRING WALK TO EMMAUS

MEN'S WALK #122

Lay Director:

Brian Deal

March 13-16, 2025

WOMEN'S WALK #123

Lay Director:

Sharon Durrence

March 20-23, 2025



**Servant
Applications
Due Dec 1st**



IMPORTANT

Chatter Matters

The Chatter Matters is a monthly newsletter produced by the Dayspring community. It will contain the latest information on our community, Emmaus Walk, Journey, and Chrysalis news, testimonials, notes from the Board of Directors, monthly events, and other updates. To save funds, we send the bulk of the newsletters electronically using email. In this case, BE SURE TO add dayspringwalktoemmaus@gmail.com to your list of personal contacts. This should prevent the newsletters from going to your spam or junk folder.

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Good sponsorship is vital to the integrity of Emmaus. Many communities take sponsorship for granted; they assume that everyone knows the how and why of sponsorship. Yet sponsorship is the most important job in Emmaus. It is more than just “signing up people”. The quality of sponsorship influences the pilgrim, the health of the Emmaus Movement, and the church affected by the movement.

First, good sponsorship is your first act of agape before a Walk ever begins; the experience of the Walk for a pilgrim really starts with how we handle sponsorship.

Second, good sponsorship undergirds the whole weekend with sacrificial love on behalf of each pilgrim. Sponsors use discernment in recruiting pilgrims, embody the personal commitment of the community to each pilgrim, and provide personal acts of agape during the three days for the pilgrims. These acts of agape include the sponsor’s personal preparations for the weekend, presence at Send off, Candlelight and Closing, follow-up after the weekend, and prayer during the entire process.

Third, good sponsorship is the foundation for a healthy, effective Emmaus movement that is fulfilling its true purpose – the development of Christian leaders and the renewal of the church in ministry. The strength of any Emmaus community is a direct result of its recruiting practices. If the community is committed to recruiting strong church leaders for the purpose of strengthening the local church, then the community will be a strong, vital force in the renewal movement. If, on the other hand, the Walk to Emmaus is looked upon as a hospital where every human ill can be cured, it will have a weakening effect on the entire community.

For more information on sponsorship, please visit the link below:

[Sponsorship Information](#)

Pilgrim Applications

Due Feb 1st

2024 Calendar of Events

	Date	Time	Event/Location
NOV	Nov 7	6:30 PM	Board Meeting
			NO Gathering
DEC 24	Dec 1		Emmaus/Journey Servant Applications Due
	Dec 5	6:30 PM	Board Meeting (New Bd Members Welcome)
			NO Gathering
JAN 25	Jan 9	6:30 PM	Board Meeting
	Jan 11	8:30 AM	Spring Walks Full Team Meeting
	Jan 25		Gathering: Statesboro Primitive Baptist
F e b	Feb 1		Emmaus Pilgrim Applications Due - Spring Walk
	Feb 6	6:30 PM	Board Meeting
	Feb 7-9		Journey Girls Walk
	Feb 9	8:00 PM	Candlelight
	Feb 14-16		Journey Boys Walk
	Feb 16	6:30 PM 8:00 PM	Gathering: Rehobeth Missionary Baptist Church Candlelight
M a r c h	Mar 6	6:30 PM	Board Meeting
	Mar 8	8:00 AM	Spring Walk Setup Day @ Campground
	Mar 13-16		Men's Spring Walk #122
	Mar 13	6:45 PM	Send-Off
	Mar 15	8:00 PM	Candlelight
	Mar 16	4:00 PM	Closing
	Mar 20-23		Women's Spring Walk #123
	Mar 20	6:45 PM	Send-Off
	Mar 22	8:00 PM	Candlelight
	Mar 23	4:00 PM	Closing
Mar 28	7:00 PM	PIO Party @ Tatnall Campground	
APR	Apr 3	6:30 PM	Board Meeting
	Apr 26	6:00 PM	Gathering: TBA

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