

Dayspring Walk to Emmaus CHATTER MATTERS



November 2015

"Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise; be thankful to Him, and bless His name,
For the Lord is good; his mercy is everlasting; and His truth endureth to all generations." Psalm 100:4-5

New Dayspring Board of Directors Members Confirmed

Several new Board members will begin their three year term January 1, 2016. The following were elected at our annual Community business meeting held at the Gathering on Saturday, October 24, 2015 at Brooklet United Methodist Church. Congratulations to the following:

**Freddie Brinson
Miriam Edenfield
Rev. John Forrester**

**Regan Hayes
David Jacobs
Ricky Turner**

The following have completed their terms and will be rotating off the Dayspring Emmaus Board of Directors as of January 1:

**Brent Durrence
Sharon Durrence
Ann Jacobs**

**Rev. Lonnie Johnson
Vicky Riggins
Annette Smith**

We thank these individuals for their dedicated service to our Community for the past three years.

You may see the current Board of Directors by going to www.dayspringwalktoemmaus.com

"I will give thanks to the LORD because of his righteousness and will sing praise to the name of the LORD Most High."
Psalm 7:17

"I urge, then, first of all that requests, prayers, intercessions and thanksgiving be made for everyone--for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness."
 I Timothy 2:1-2
 NIV



UPCOMING GATHERINGS

We will not meet for a Gathering in November, but will meet for the November-December Gathering on **Saturday, December 5 at 6:00 p.m.** at Union United Methodist Church which is located in rural Bulloch County, 10957 Old River Road North, Statesboro, GA. Mark your calendars now.

A New Look with LOGOS

Perhaps you have been really observant and noticed a change in the redesigned logos that have been implemented from UPPERROOM. We are currently using the logos and these will be the look of the future for Emmaus, Journey, and Chrysalis. The Emmaus symbol is the same with the words looking a little different. Chrysalis and Journey symbols have a brand new look. Here they are:



SPRING WALKS 2016



Plans for the Spring Walks are being made. Please remember the upcoming Walks in your daily prayers--sponsorship, Servant Teams, as well as the Pilgrims that God will send.

Men's Walk #94
 Lay Director:

March 10-13, 2016
 Brent Durrence

Women's Walk #95
 Lay Director:

March 17-20, 2016
 Julianne Hearn

Pilgrim Applications deadline is January 1, 2016.

Please get your application online by going to:
www.dayspringwalktoemmaus.com

Please scan and send completed and signed applications to:

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or
dayspringregistrar@gmail.com
or

Mail to: Dayspring Walk to Emmaus
P.O. Box 1312
Statesboro, GA 30459

If you have any questions, please contact our Registrar,
Beth Akins at [\(912\) 682-3340](tel:9126823340).



"Pilgrim's Progress"

by
Diane Freeman
Dayspring Walk to Emmaus #10
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I have had many Fourth Days! Cleve and I are celebrating twenty years of Emmaus involvement. We were Pilgrims in the fall of 1995. This has been a wonderful journey. This community has seen us through some great times and some of life's most difficult times. This community has helped us raise our children, grieve losing our fathers, change jobs, and stay in jobs. Emmaus has created for us a huge network of loving and supportive Christian friends.

I was not a great Pilgrim; in fact, it took working a few Walks to really get what Emmaus had to offer. Emmaus was not the problem, I was the problem! I have served on many Walk teams, sponsored many sweet folks, and I have served on the Board of Directors twice. I have worked a Chrysalis flight and I will work my first Journey this February. I think my favorite work area is Secret Angels. I did not ever aspire to be a Lay Director, but there was a Walk when there was not an experienced Assistant Lay Director available to serve. After saying "No" two different times, I finally decided God might be

calling me to serve in that way. I agreed. Those may have been the three best days of my life! My husband and daughter served on the team which made it very special. Two really close friends were Pilgrims.

What blessings our Lord has in store for us when we will listen to Him and follow his direction in our lives! I love this Community and hope to always be a part of it as I enter other seasons of life!

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Looking Ahead to JOURNEY 2016



JOURNEY is the young adult version of the Walk to Emmaus. This is for ages 19-24 and is geared toward college age young adults. These "caterpillars" take their flights in February of each year. Girls go on a weekend ahead of the boys. The Journey flights take place at Tattnall Campground. Please note that the dates of the usual weekend for the Girls has changed. You can change a young person's life by sponsoring a young adult on Journey!

Girls' Journey Flight #30 **February 4-7, 2016**
Lay Director: Haley Higgs

Boys' Journey Flight #31 **February 18-21, 2016**
Lay Director: Bo Davidson

Please go to www.dayspringwalktoemmaus.com to find an application for Journey.

Workers and caterpillars are needed!

Send completed Journey applications to:

Roxanne Durrence at roxannedurrence@gmail.com

or

Mail to: Roxanne Durrence
P.O. Box 2004
Reidsville, GA 30453

March 17-20

Women's WALK #95

June 9-12

Girls' CHRYSALIS

June 16-19

Boys' CHRYSALIS

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