

January 2020 Chatter Matters

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They asked each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and open the Scriptures to us?"

Luke 24:32 (NIV)

Pilgrims Needed for Both Walks



Christmas is over and we are winding down. Most of the decorations are down or we are thinking about taking them down. We have been busy. Now we look to a new year with anticipation.

BUT, the Walks will be here **SOON ! As of now there openings for BOTH Walks**. If you have been praying about someone, or have asked but not heard from them, now is the time contact them and fill out the application and **turn it in a.s.a.p.**

The team is in place. Please pray that God opens door for the the Walks to be filled! Someone may waiting on you for an invitation for a life changing week end. Please see below the information for application process.

Mission:

Empowering Leaders to be the hands and feet of Christ

Vision:

*Fourth Day Leaders
Embodying Jesus
Christ*

"I continue to dream and pray about a revival of holiness in our day that moves forth in mission and creates authentic community in which each person can be unleashed through the empowerment of the Spirit to fulfill God's creational intentions."

SPRING WALKS UPDATE

Teams are continuing to prepare for the upcoming Walks. Please continue to pray for all aspects of the Walks in your daily prayers.

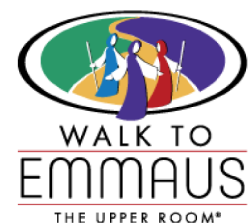
Please prayerfully consider sponsoring someone for these walks.

Men's Walk #108
Lay Director, Corbitt Deloach

March 12-15, 2020

Women's Walk #109

March 19-22, 2020



Applications can be obtained online by going to:

wandalee2005@yahoo.com

www.dayspringwalktoemmaus.com

Send in the completed application to **Wanda Lee**, Registrar at:

or

dayspringregistrar@gmail.com

Phone: 912-531-6780

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



WALK TO
EMMAUS
THE UPPER ROOM*

2020 Gatherings

Monthly Gatherings held at various host churches in our Dayspring Walk to Emmaus area offer the opportunity to stay in touch with fellow Emmaus friends, to worship and praise together, to hear a Fourth Day Talk, and take Holy Communion. Typically Gatherings are held on the 4th Saturday of each month- May and December are exceptions as well as the PIO parties which are held on Friday nights after the Walks. Please go ahead and mark your calendar for 2020 and make it a priority to attend our monthly gatherings. You will be blessed. If your church would like to host a Gathering for the open dates, please contact as soon as you can.

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2020 Scheduled Gatherings

January 25 Statesboro Primitive Baptist Church, Statesboro, GA

February 22 Harmony United Methodist Church

March 27 PIO Party Tattnall Campground

April 25 Oak Grove UMC

May 16 Swainsboro FUMC

June 20 Bellville UMC

July 18 Tattnall Campground

August 22 Nevils UMC

September 25 PIO Party Tattnall Campground

October 24 Reidsville UMC

December 5 TBA

I know the plans I
have for you, declares
the Lord. Plans to
prosper you and not
to harm you. Plans to
give you hope and a
future.
Jeremiah 29:10-14



JOURNEY

TO THE TABLE

THE UPPER ROOM®

JOURNEY
2020 is
coming
soon!!!

***NEW

DATES!!

AGAPE

IS NEEDED FOR THESE WALKS. Please take or send **baked or table** Agape for the young people. Please be in prayer for these weekends that they see the face of Jesus.

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 one weekend ahead of the boys. The Journey flights take place at Tattnall Campground. You can change a young person's life by sponsoring a young adult to go on Journey!!

Girls' Journey Flight #38
Jan 31-Feb 2, 2020
Lay Director: Agnes Brown

Boys' Journey Flight #39
Feb 7-9, 2020
Lay Director: Jack Fitzgibbons

Please go to www.dayspringwalktoemmaus.com
to find an application for Journey. Workers and caterpillars are needed!



Upcoming January Gathering

When - January 25

Time - 6:00

Where - Statesboro Primitive Baptist Church

4 South Zetterower Ave., Statesboro, Georgia

Please *bring* a **covered dish**

to *share*, your **purple Worship Book**, and *wear* your **name badge**. We will enjoy food, fellowship, Worship, music, a Fourth Day Talk, and Holy Communion.

Free child care will be provided.
Hope to see you there!



We Welcome Our New Board Members

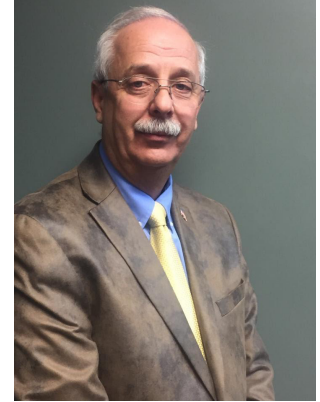
Kitchen Director: John Allen Smith

Reunion Groups: Kip Farthing

Worship: Casey Hendrix

Clergy: David Unkles

John Allen Smith
Kitchen Director
DWTE #94
Table of Mark



1. Tell us a little bit about yourself in 10 words or less.

Blessed way beyond measure and far more than I deserve. Saved by the mercies of my Lord, Jesus Christ.

2. Where is your favorite place to pray and why?

I have no favorite place to pray, but where ever I am, whether walking, driving or just sitting, when I pray, that's my favorite place. 1 Timothy 2:8 I will therefore that men pray everywhere, lifting up Holy hands, without wrath or doubting.

3. In our daily lives, many responsibilities and people demand our time. How do you find the balance between what God wants with what the world wants of you?

The start of the day thanking God for another day. A day to do the will of the Father. Spending time in prayer seems to get the day started off right. The rest of the day falls into place.

Pilgrims Progress

Kelli Torpy
DWTE #95
Table of Sarah



When asked to write this pilgrim's progress, I thought, "What can I write about? I really don't have a great testimony or story that others want to read about." But after spending time praying, this is my story that I have to share...

I have always been in church. I grew up going to a small country church. At least half of the congregation was made up of my family members. God blessed me with great Christian parents and grandparents (on my father's side) that had me in church every Sunday. My grandparents were some of the best Christian examples for me. They were always so loving, giving, and strong in their faith. I can only hope to have as much love and compassion as they did.

I can't tell you the exact day that I was saved because I always knew and believed in God. Sometime during my teenage years, I did have "the talk" with my pastor and formally accepted Jesus in my heart. I was later baptized with my two sisters. At times, I

wished I did have a moving and powerful testimony that others could relate to, but over time, I have realized that God blessed me to not have that type of testimony. I did not have to go through the struggles, hurt, and pain for that type of testimony. And for that, I thank God!

I have always had faith and trusted in God. Even though I have kept faith, sometimes my walk with the Lord was closer than other times. Getting married, having children, and aging have helped me to narrow my focus and strengthen my faith. Going on the Walk to Emmaus also helped me open my eyes, see and understand where my priorities are and where they really need to be, and really truly see and feel God's grace and love for me.

After going on the Walk to Emmaus, I came back and my fire for the Lord was burning brighter and stronger. I wanted others to see and feel the love of God like I did. I have been able to sponsor a couple to go on the Walk and have also been a servant. If you have done those things yet, I really suggest doing them. The friendships and blessings I received as a servant were just as good, if not better, than the ones I received as a pilgrim. I know that none of these things would have happened without my faith and trust in the Lord!

Even though I had a wonderful experience and came back really feeling God's love, the devil will always try to pull you down. There have been many times since my walk that he has brought me down. When that happens, it is important stay faithful in the Lord. 2 Thessalonians 3:3 says, "But the Lord is faithful, and he will strengthen you and protect you from the evil one." Stay faithful in the Lord and know he will always be there to give you the strength and protection that you need to overcome when the devil is trying to pull you down.

God has richly blessed me from my Walk to Emmaus experience. I hope and pray that others working or going on the walk will receive blessings much greater than mine. One thing that I hope you get from my story is to stay faithful. Be that good and faithful servant for Him. Live your life to show your faith and His Agape love!
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What Emmaus Is

The Walk to Emmaus Is:

- A place where a person learns how to become a better servant to fellow believers in Christ (Philippians 2:1-11)
- A place where a person sees the love of Christ in action
- A time of spiritual renewal and re-dedication to Christ as Lord
- An opportunity to grow as a disciple of Christ
- A place to be reminded of one's "first love", Jesus Christ
- A gift of God's love for you
- An opportunity to re-evaluate your priorities in life
- A place to experience God's power and direction in your life
- A time of prayer, fellowship and communion
- An opportunity to meet new brothers and sisters in Christ
- A discipleship group to encourage you after the Walk
- A program to strengthen leaders in the local Church
- A call for unity among believers

What Emmaus Is Not

The Walk to Emmaus is Not:

- A cult
- An exclusive club for 'super Christians'
- A replacement for a person's home Church
- **A place to fix emotional, psychological, social and marital problems**
- A reason for a person to act as if they are better than others

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

January 1		PILGRIM Applications Deadline for Spring Walks
January 2	6:30	Board Meeting
January 25	6:00	GATHERING
Jan 31-Feb 2		Statesboro Primitive Baptist
Feb 7-9		Girl's Journey
February 6	6:30	Boy's Journey
February 22	6:00	Board Meeting
March 5	6:30	GATHERING
March 12	6:45	Harmony UMC
March 14	8:45	Board Meeting
March 15	4:00	Walk #108 Send-off
March 19	6:45	Walk #108 Candlelight
March 21	8:45	Walk #108 Closing ceremony
March 22	4:00	Walk #109 Send-off
March 27	7:00	Walk #109 Candlelight
April 2	6:30	Walk #109 Closing ceremony
April 25	6:00	PIO PARTY/Sustaining the Spirit
May 1		Tattnall Campground
May 7	6:30	Board Meeting
May 16	6:00	GATHERING
June 4	6:30	Oak Grove UMC
June		Willing Servant Applications deadline for Fall Walks
June		Board Meeting
June 20	6:00	GATHERING
July 1		Swainsboro FUMC
July 2	6:30	Board Meeting
July 18	6:00	GATHERING
August		Set up Chrysalis
August 6	6:30	Boy's Chrysalis
August 22	6:00	Girl's Chrysalis
September 3	6:30	GATHERING
Sept. 10-13		Bellville UMC
Sept. 17-20		PILGRIM Application deadline for FALL Walks
September 25	7:00	Board Meeting
October 1	6:30	GATHERING
October 24	6:00	Tattnall Campmeeting, Tattnall
November 5	6:30	Board Meeting
December 5	6:00	GATHERING

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