



WALK TO EMMAUS

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A MESSAGE FROM WALK #200 LAY DIRECTOR

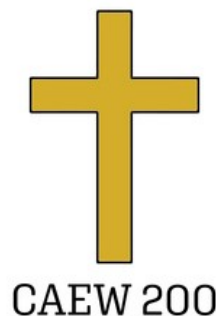
On March 6-9, 2019, CAEW Walk 200 will take place, this is a milestone event and I am delighted to serve as Lay Director on this walk.

My original walk was CAEW 53, Table of Martha That walk took place in November 2001. It has been a wonderful journey and I wouldn't trade my Emmaus experience for anything, there has been joyful and spiritual times coming back to serve.

I would encourage any one that has been on an Emmaus walk to come back and serve because it rounds out the Emmaus experience. One of the things that has impressed me over the years is how we have so many people that have persevered over the years by investing themselves in the Walk to Emmaus.

I am thankful for the opportunity to serve as the Lay Director on this milestone walk. Look forward to seeing you at Camp Alamisco.

Declores
Mary Evans



Women's Walk #200

Mary Evans
Elmore Cluster

Times To Remember

Wednesday 7pm Send-Off

Friday 7pm Candlelight

Saturday 7am Serenade

Saturday 4pm Closing



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A MESSAGE FROM WALK #200 SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR

Central Alabama Walk To Emmaus # 200 ? What a momentous occasion! Just think of all the pilgrims who have attended Emmaus in this community. Think of all those who have seen the face of Christ at Candlelight. Think about the lives that have been impacted by your Agape gifts of love. Think about your refreshments, and parties which has fed those pilgrims. Think about how many signed up on the Prayer Vigil for each of those walks. Think about those who drive for hours to create those special moments. Think about all those who quietly and anonymously have served to bless others. Think about how many pilgrims return to their home churches, ready to serve God!

I am still relatively new to this community but not new to Emmaus. My original Walk was in 1995 at Blue Lake near Andalusia, AL just before I left Alabama to attend college and seminary to prepare to become a pastor. I was able to work a couple of walks, serving in the kitchen, while attending seminary in Kentucky. Our walks there were held on the campus of Asbury Seminary, and next door was a United Methodist church where we held our trainings, and fed the conference room and support teams during the walk. After seminary, I was appointed to a United Methodist church in South Alabama, near the Florida state line, where many of my members were part of an Emmaus Community called the Big Bend Emmaus Community near Tallahassee, FL. I remember working my first walk as a member of the clergy. It was special for me to observe how God touches lives through a walk. I worked several walks at that community, and my wife Jo Ann attended her walk there.

A few years later, we helped to start a new Emmaus community a little closer to our area. With some additions and modifications we helped to renovate an old Camp Meeting facility into a place where Emmaus Walks could be held, and the Bethlehem Emmaus Community was created. They are currently up to Walk 39 at that facility. Then, just a couple of years ago, I was asked to return and work a walk at Blue Lake where my original walk was held over 20 years ago.

This week I am working my third walk at Central Alabama Walk to Emmaus where I am serving as the Spiritual Director my second time here. I have discovered that each Emmaus community I serve in has great Christians involved in it who love the Lord Jesus. Each community has subtle differences but they all provide excellent opportunities for persons to grow in their faith. I look forward to Walk 200 being the best one yet. But isn't that what we claim for each and every walk? May it be so.

De Colores,
Gary Stringfellow

2019 Walk Dates

Girl's Chrysalis Flight #72
Halley Power
East Alabama Cluster
March 14-17

Men's Walk #201
Danny Sanford
Millbrook Cluster
August 7-10

Girl's Chrysalis Flight #73
September 19-22
Lake Martin Cluster

Women's Walk #202
Bonnie Coker
October 2-5
East Alabama

Men's Walk #203
Steve Sartain
October 23-26
Selma Cluster

Boy's Chrysalis Flight #73
Tim Grooms
November 7-10
Chambers/Lee County Cluster

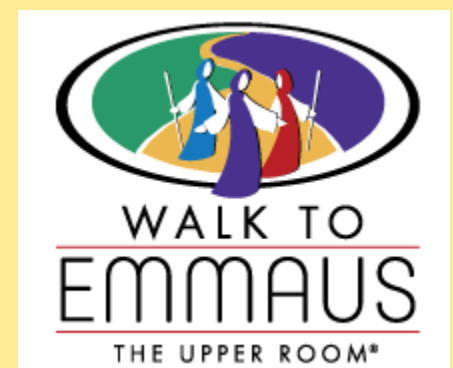


Sign Up For Emmaus Prayer Vigils

To sign up for a prayer vigil for Emmaus Walks
go to our webpage at

www.caew.org

And click on the PRAYER VIGIL link on the
home page to be directed to the
Sign Up Genius link.



Pilgrims of Women's Walk #200

FIRST	LAST	CITY	ST	CHURCH	SPONSOR
Joanne	Barker	Tuskegee	AL	Union Christian Disciples of Christ	Sandra Many
Haldine	Baxter	Opelika	AL	Auburn Community Church	Joy Samford
Sarah	Buchanan	Auburn	AL	Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist	Ronald Lynch
Debra	Calhoun	Montgomery	AL	Restoration Baptist	Clarence Stewart
Crystal	Cleckler	Clanton	AL	Clanton First United Methodist	Glo Cuthbert
Courtney	Cox	Montgomery	AL	Frazer United Methodist	Nan Lloyd
Joan	Darlington	Montgomery	AL	Vaughn Forest Baptist	Norma Billings
Jackie	Dean	Equality	AL	Equality United Methodist	Betty Haynes
Danielle	Ellison	Montevallo	AL	Amazing Grace Pentecostal	Tom Cuthbert
Jennifer	Enos	Wetumpka	AL	Shoal Creek Baptist	Mike Enos
Leese	Ford	Marion Jct.	AL	Blue Jean Church	Catherine Gilmer
Amanda	Hallmark	Dadeville	AL	Lebanon Baptist Church	Mary Mowery
Jan	Hearon	Auburn	AL	Church of the Highlands	Buffie Tuck
Stephanie	Holbrook	Selma	AL	Meadowview Church	Megan Harrison
Rachael	Jones	Dadeville	AL	First Baptist Dadeville	Jeanna Ragsdale/Vicki Wilcox
Sarah	Jones	Camp Hill	AL	First Baptist Reeltown	Bonnie Coker
Emily	Jordan	Auburn	AL	Church of the Highlands	Lyn & Jon Brown
Molli	Kirkland	Wetumpka	AL	Mulder United Methodist	Mark Kirkland
Stacey	Martin	Dadeville	AL	Beulah Baptist	Pamela Curles
Christie	Marvel	Alex City	AL	Alex City United Methodist	Mason Marvel
Karah	Nix	Auburn	AL	Church of the Highlands	Buffie Tuck
Donna	Padgett	Dadeville	AL	FBC Dadeville	Vicki Wilcox/Jeanna Ragsdale
Carolyn	Pate	Montgomery	AL	Eastmont Baptist	Cathy Stevens
Dianne	Pickle	Alexandria	MN	Methodist	Micki Thornhill
Kristen	Powell	Alex City	AL	First United Methodist of Alex City	April & Stephen Chambers
Cynthia	Rouse	Montgomery	AL	Spirit of Excellence Church	Kisha Caffey
Kay	Shaw	Hope Hull	AL	Hope Hull United Methodist	Amy and Foster Pugh
Sylvia	Sizemore	Auburn	AL	Union Christian Disciples of Christ	Sandra Many
Gloria	Stoudemire	Prattville	AL	Locust Bluff United Methodist	Linda Pearson
Terry	Sullivan	Ozark	AL	Mt. Zion Baptist	Donna Smith
Lori	Surfield	Auburn	AL	Union Christian Disciples of Christ	Terri McDonald
Susan	Taunton	Tallassee	AL	Century Christian Church	Nan Lloyd
Meka	Taylor	Montgomery	AL	Restoration Baptist	Clarence Stewart
Nonie	Thompson	Notasulga	AL	Salem Macon Baptist	John Thompson
Tammy	Warrington	Auburn	AL	Church of the Highlands	Doug Warrington
Carrie	Williams	Opelika	AL	Parkway Baptist	Jennifer Spencer

Conference Room - Women's Walk #200

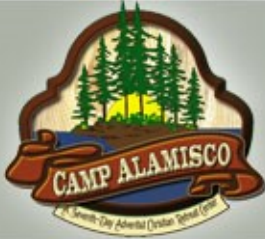
Lay Director	Mary Evans
Spiritual Director	Gary Stringfellow
Assistant Spiritual Directors	Barry Holmes Gene Ann Jimmerson Blue Varderman
Assistant Lay Directors	Margie Garrity Emily Gentry Missy Johnson Helen Lane
Table Leaders	Karen Higgins Kris Johnson Terri McDonald Mary Wood Perry Betsy Terry Micki Thornhill
Assistant Table Leaders	Stephanie Christenson Katie Herston Terri Knight Connie Morrow Kathy Pittman Karron Singleton
Music	Angi Rhymes Chrystal Strickland Marian Woodman
Media	Mo Mosley
Board Rep	Marcia Macias

Work Areas— Women's Walk #200

Support Area	Chair / Co-Chair
72 Hour Prayer Vigil	Stephanie Christensen/Willeen McCaa
Agape	?????/Lynn Martin
Bed Tags	Jamie Brown
Book Bags	Rita Carswell/Linda Pearson
Book Covers	Linda Pearson/Rita Carswell
Book Table	Jeanna Ragsdale/Beth Pierce
Candlelight	John Waldrip/Virginia Waldrip
Entertainment	Terri Sasser
Food Prep	Donna Clements
Friday Night Party	Rita Carswell/Mike Thigpen
Greeters	Stephen Chambers/Tom Cuthbert
Housing & Registration	Shirley Esco/Alice Veros
Logistics	Martin Christensen/Stephen Chambers
Meal Service	Kelli Thigpen/Alice Veros
Photography	Joscie Cutchens
Refreshments	Brock Holt
Serenade	Kay Walters/Pat Walters
Speaker's Prayer Chapel	Steve Cox
Sponsors Hour	Virginia Waldrip
Worship	



Welcome Women of CAEW Walk # 199



In Case Of Emergency
Camp Alamisco
256-825-9482

LOST YOUR BADGE?
 Contact Ronald Lynch at
ronald_c_lynchjr@yahoo.com
 Replacement cost is \$2



TEAM SELECTION

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WORK AREA SIGN IN SHEETS
 from each walk should be sent to
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ritacarswell14@yahoo.com

NEWSLETTER EDITOR

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 334-202-9636

***Please send articles, updates, cluster & reunion group photos and information to share with the Emmas community.

Emmas Work Area	2019 Community Board Representative
72 Hour Prayer Vigil	Pat Walters
Agape	Sheila Wallace
Book Table	Donna Clements
Candle Light	Eric Canada
Food Preparation	Donna Clements
Friday Night Party	Lorri Schoonover
Greeters	Dwayne Johnson
Housing and Registration	Marilyn Heard
Logistics	Eddie Adams
Meal Service	Donna Harrison
Music & Media	Allen Brewer
Photography	Allen Brewer
Refreshments	Karen Higgins
Serenade	Danny Green
Speaker's Prayer Chapel	Keith Robinson
Sponsor's Hour	Pat Walters
Supplies	Lorri Schoonover
Team Selection	Donna Harrison
Training Support Team	Allen Brewer
Training Conference Room / LD	Allen Brewer
Worship	Margie Garrity
Registrar - Men's	Sharon Truman
Registrar - Women's	Lynn "Mo" Moseley
Community Website Coordinator	Allen Brewer
Community Email Coordinator	Jamie Brown
Name Badge Coordinator	Ronald Lynch
Community Newsletter	Kris Johnson
Community Lay Director	Eric Canada
Community ALD	Allen Brewer
Community Treasurer	Rita Carswell
Community Secretary	Margie Garrity
Communications Coordinator	Linda Hines Hornsby
Community Spiritual Director	Rev. Mike Wells
Community Asst. Spiritual Director	
Chrysalis Committee Chairperson	Halley Power

Address, contact phone, or email changes?

Help keep your information updated, click the "update subscription preferences" link at the bottom of your Community Email

If you don't have email or computer access, call anyone in the Community to assist you with any update to your current address, phone or other information.

2019 CENTRAL ALABAMA EMMAUS COMMUNITY CLUSTER INFORMATION

Clanton Emmaus Cluster

Contact - Stanley Batchelor - Email: stanleybat@gmail.com - 334-467-4037

Cluster meetings are the 1st Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. at Verbena United Methodist Church with refreshments following.

East Alabama Cluster

Contact - Claire Goldman - Email: claire.goldman@rrlandscapes.com - 334-524-6244

Please text Claire if needed, instead of calling.

Covered dish dinners are on the 1st Tuesday after each walk at 6:00 p.m. at Auburn UMC Epworth Youth Center.

Elmore County Emmaus Cluster

Contact - Martin Christensen - Email: elmorecountyemmauscluster@gmail.com - 334-425-3710

Covered dish dinner and meeting on the Monday after each walk or flight at Cain's Chapel. Fellowship at 6:00 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Lake Martin Area Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Bonnie Coker – email: cokerbonnie04@gmail.com - 256-496-3054

Meets on the Monday following a walk at 6:30 pm and have a covered dish dinner. Rotate between Hillabee Baptist, Dadeville FUMC, Trinity UMC, Flint Hill UMC, Alex City Methodist, First Baptist Dadeville, and Camp Alamisco.

Millbrook-Prattville Walking Miracles Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Mary Evans – email: gmaevans43@gmail.com - 334-462-6455

Meets at 12:30 p.m. on the 4th Sunday of each month for a covered dish meal at Millbrook FUMC in the Missions House.

Montgomery Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Karron Singleton – email: g0zkar04@gmail.com - 334-233-0103

Covered dish dinners are held at Aldersgate UMC on the Tuesday following each walk at 6:30 p.m. When the walks are back to back, the dinner will be held the Tuesday after the second walk.

Selma Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Donna Harrison – email: donnarae56@yahoo.com - 334-349-1367

Covered dish dinners held the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Church Street UMC in the fellowship hall.

Chambers-Lee County Emmaus Cluster (formally Valley Cluster)

Contact – Donna Harper – email: dohar1956@hotmail.com - 334-757-0068

Covered dish dinners are held at various church locations at 7:00 p.m. (ET) on the Tuesday following each walk. If walks are back to back, the two walks are combined in one dinner after the second walk.

Community Prayer Requests

<http://www.caew.org>

Click on 'About Us' and select 'Send Prayer Request'

CAMP ALAMISCO LODGING INFORMATION

Lodge/Cabins: available on a first come first serve basis. They have bunk beds and community showers/bathrooms. Per bunk, they rent for \$25/night, or \$75 for the weekend. Three meals are included per day. You must provide all of your own linens.

Campsites: 3 spots available, where you can bring your own motor home. The campsite rates are \$30/night or \$90 for the weekend, and includes three meals for two people.

Alamisco Inn: which features three "suites" upstairs, that includes TWO queen beds, ONE set of bunk beds, and ONE pull out sectional "single bed" sleeper. It also has its own kitchenette.

Suite #1 (Accommodates 6 People) is \$100/night or \$300 for the weekend.

Suite #2 (Accommodates 4 People) is \$67/night or \$200 for the weekend.

Suite #3 (Accommodates 6 People) is \$100/night or \$300 for the weekend.

***All Suites - All Linens are provided.*

Downstairs rooms (One double bed) are \$45/night or \$135/weekend.

(Linens are provided.)

***All Alamisco Inn Suites include three meals for 4 people included in the cost of the suite.*

For those at camp not staying in lodgings: Meals - Breakfast \$5.00, Lunch \$5.00, Dinner \$8.00.

WHO CAN ATTEND THE EMMAUS THREE-DAY EVENTS?

It is the policy of The Central Alabama Emmaus Community as well as The Upper Room - Emmaus Ministries, that ONLY persons that have completed a 3-Day Weekend (Emmaus, Chrysalis, Cursillo, Tres Dias, etc.) may participate in and attend:

Send Off, Candlelight, Serenade, and Closing

Additionally, children should not be brought to the events. Families ARE encouraged to attend the follow up dinners held in each cluster after each walk. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation with this.

HOW CAN I SERVE?

Ask your sponsor to bring you back to camp! Ask those in your Cluster to explain how to serve! Look up work areas on the website below to see what you might be interested in and contact that Board Rep.