



# WALK TO EMMAUS

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## the 4th day newsletter

March 15, 2022

### A MESSAGE FROM WALK #211 LAY DIRECTOR

I was first notified that I was in line to be Lay Director about 2 years ago. Most, probably would have been nervous, but my first emotion was I can't believe my time in the conference room is coming to an end. Well the start of Walk 211 draws nearer, I have had time to reflect on how much I personally have changed for the better since my original walk 138/139. This Vacation Bible School for adults, was the farthest place that I wanted to be when I was asked to go. After countless times of being asked, I finally gave in and said yes. I'm not sure if I just ran out of excuses or it was just my time. Well during that first night, just after sendoff, the tornado hit and ended up canceling the walk. We were told we could get bumped to the next walk in August, if we wanted to. Little to my sponsors knowing, I was already looking forward to it, which I think shocked us both a little. On walk 139, I saw the face of Jesus just about everywhere, in every one that served, eagle flying by during morning worship. The smiles of the meal servers. I'm telling you, God worked on me that 72 hours, THAT WHOLE 72 HOURS. He broke me down and filled me back up with the Spirit. And that is my prayer for these pilgrims on Walk 211. For them to experience our Savior in a whole new way. To shed any junk they are harboring. And most importantly learn not to pick it back up.

Our team has been getting updates almost daily on pilgrims signing up. The numbers are growing faster than recent gas prices. As of earlier this week, registration had to cut off extra pilgrims because we are full. I was told this is the first completely full men's walk since 2019. All glory be to God.

I prayed for this walk as soon as it was scheduled and tons since. One of my only reservations was that I did not have the extra time that it calls for. I also prayed for time and for God to guide me through this time, and make it easy as possible for me. God answered. From the beginning, people were volunteering to be the hands and feet and helped me in every step of this journey. I am so thankful for their generosity and willingness. In other areas I knew that God had already lined things up for this walk. I was told, "get used to being told no, not because they want to, but it is super hard getting that many people to be able to take off of work." Not in this case. I started out with getting my Spiritual Director a call. Got an immediate Yes. I was like sweet. I thanked the Lord. Now I will call my list of ALDs. I called 4 and got 4. I remember thinking, "Hey this ain't so bad after all". I thanked the Lord. Same way with the rest of the Conference room team. It really just fell into place. He answered my prayers for sure. It is evident that he has already shown up in the preparation for this walk. I know he is going to do mighty and powerful works at camp on Walk 211.

DeColores,  
Tripp Bowie



### Men's Walk #211

Lay Director:  
Tripp Bowie

Background Team:  
Selma

### Times To Remember

**Wednesday 7pm Send-Off**  
**Friday 7pm Candlelight**  
**Saturday 7am Serenade**  
**Saturday 4pm Closing**



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## A MESSAGE FROM WALK #211 SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR

March is the month of new beginnings. It's the month when what looked like dead trees give new birth to green leaves, and flowers start to pop their heads above the ground bursting with new growth.

My prayer for Walk 211 is that's exactly what will happen in the hearts of the men on this walk. That their spiritual lives will become renewed and they will leave this walk bursting with the *Good News* of Jesus Christ. I am confident this will happen if we pray. Please join with me as we lift all the Pilgrims and Conference Room Team up that we will all leave Walk 211 different than when we came. May our families and friends see each of us like the people did in Acts 4: 13, "They recognized them as men who had been with Jesus."

Mike Wells  
Spiritual Director  
Walk 211

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### JOIN US WORKING IN THE BACKGROUND!

Emmaus walks don't just happen, volunteers behind the scenes make it all come together. If you have been away for awhile or are just off your own walk, and don't know how to get started, we would love to help you out! Go to our website and click on one of the Emmaus Board Reps (click 'About Us'/then Board Reps) to get the line of communication going.

You can also ask for help on our Central Alabama Chrysalis/Emmaus Facebook page. Many places to serve, one that will fit you perfectly!

Or email me, I would love to get you plugged in.  
Kris Johnson - johnson.kristijo@gmail.com

### Sign Up For Emmaus Prayer Vigils

The Sign-Up Genius link can be found  
on our webpage at  
[www.caew.org](http://www.caew.org)

As well as on our Facebook page at

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## 2022 Walk Dates

Boy's Chrysalis Flight #77  
Allen Brewer  
June 8-11  
New Water Farms

Girl's Chrysalis Flight #78  
Susan Fountain  
June 15-18  
New Water Farms

Men's Walk #209  
Ronald Lynch  
Elmore Cluster  
August 24-27

Men's Walk #212  
Ashley Belcher  
Chambers/Lee Co Cluster  
November 9-12

For additional Emmaus and Chrysalis information and updates, periodically refer to our website at

[www.caew.org](http://www.caew.org)

*Remember, God equips & gives you the means & strength you need to serve, and bring others to Christ.*



## Pilgrims of Central Alabama Emmaus Men's Walk #211

FIRST	LAST	CITY	ST	CHURCH	SPONSOR
Kent	Albertson	Lanett	AL	Spring Road Christian	Rita Carswell
Country	Barnett	LaFayette	AL	FBC Opelika	Gretchen/Thad McKenzie
Kenny	Cannon	Flomaton	AL	First Assembly of God	Doug Welch
David	Carlee	Alex City	AL	Flint Hill UMC	John Hill
Ben	Coleman	Auburn	AL	Auburn Community Church	Greg Crance
Thurman	Combs	Wetumpka	AL	Crosspoint Christian	Henry Hollingshead
Mike	Curry	Jacksons Gap	AL	Flint Hill UMC	John Hill
Dean	Doudna	Opelika	AL	Lake Community Church	Terri/Steve McDonald
Robin	East	Dadeville	AL	Beulah Baptist Church	Lanier Burton
Scott	Fisher	Opelika	AL		Brock Holt
Drew	Gilmore	Prattville	AL	Calvary Cchurch	Teresa Nettles
Harold	Grooms	Deatsville	AL	Cains Chapel UMC	Brock Holt
Jimmy	Haddox	Dadeville	AL	FBC Dadeville	Steve Cox
Jamie	Hairel	Ft. Payne	AL	FBC Ft. Payne	Bud Smith
Terry	Hanners	Opelika	AL	Church of the Highlands	Rishi Rajan
Ray	Hornsby	Auburn	AL	Auburn Community Church	Terri/Steve McDonald
Wesley	Jones	New Site	AL	New Salem Baptist	April/Stephen Chambers
Phelix	Lockhart	Opelika	AL	Pleasant View Baptist	Valarie/Edward Thomas
Kevin	McNiese	Selma	AL	Crosspoint Christian	Henry Hollingshead
Ben	Miles	Salem	AL	Mt. Zion UMC	Brooke Miles
Ryan	Montgomery	Tallassee	AL	Saugahatchee AOG	Kevin McCarty
Jacob	Oakley	Wetumpka	AL	Mulder UMC	Brandon Smith
Bryan	Ortega	Birmingham	AL	Church of the Highlands	Michael Manning
Ronnie	Palmer	Alex City	AL	Alex City Methodist Church	Ronald Lynch
Will	Pearce	Selma	AL	Cornerstone Presbyterian	Randy Lovelady
Donnie	Pemberton	Alex City	AL	Church of the Highlands	Rena/Jason Pemberton
Rick	Rhodes	Alex City	AL	Flint Hill UMC	Jalene Rhodes
Scott	Shoemaker	Dadeville	AL	New Rocky Mount Bapt.	Steve Cox
Daylan	Smith	Prattville	AL	Prattmont Baptist	Jayra Smith
Joey	Smith	Selma	AL	Crosspoint Christian	Henry Hollingshead
Nelson	Smith	Dadeville	AL	Saugahatchee AOG	Cathy Montgomery
Brandon	Thomas	Whitehall	AL	Calvary Cchurch	Teresa Nettles
Don	Thrash	Auburn	AL	FBC Opelika	Sam Maloney
Keith	Vines	Valley Grande	AL	Crosspoint Christian	Melinda Fancher
Shannon	Vines	Selma	AL	Crosspoint Christian	Pee Wee Godwin
Andrew	Williams	Eclectic	AL	FBC Eclectic	Connie Lampman
David	Younce	LaFayette	AL	FBC Opelika	Gretchen/Thad McKenzie



## Conference Room - Men'sWalk #211

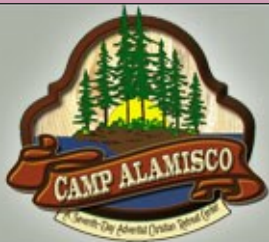
Lay Director	Tripp Bowie
Spiritual Director	Mike Wells
Assistant Spiritual Directors	Michael Beale Gene Bridgman Tim Davis Steve Kopp
Assistant Lay Directors	Jamie Andrews Danny Green Jess Henderson Shey Knight
Table Leaders	Steve Cox PeeWee Godwin Bill Hall Martin Johnson Mark Lampman Tommy Wallace
Assistant Table Leaders	Riley Belcher Stephen Chambers Travis Jarome Ulice Macias Brandon Smith Ski Zaniewski
Music	Mark Kirkland
Media	Tommy Holt
Board Rep	Eric Canada

## Work Areas— Men'sWalk #211

Support Area	Chair / Co-Chair
Agape	Debby Travis/Donna Harrison
Bed Tags	Connie Lampman/Alice Veros
Book Covers	Kathy Skinner
Book Table	Linda & Truman Hines-Hornsby
Candlelight	John Waldrip/Virginia Waldrip
Entertainment	
Food Prep	Donna Clements
Friday Night Party	Alice Veros/Dottie Carnes
Greeters	Mike Keyes/Fred Worsham
Housing & Registration	Bonnie Coker/Betsy Terry
Logistics	Terry Smith/Jeff Kirby
Meal Service	Micki Thornhill/Sharon Truman
Photography	Sheila Wallace
Refreshments	Sheila Wallace/Stephanie Godwin
Serenade	Dottie Carnes/Pam Curles
Speaker's Prayer Chapel	Dennis Teel/Marsha Teel
Sponsors Hour	Jim Turner/Irene Turner
Worship	Wanda Ryals/Kathy Pittman
72 Hour Prayer Vigil	Monica Nelson/Terri Knight



**Welcome Women of CAEW Walk #210**



**In Case Of Emergency**  
**Camp Alamisco**  
**256-825-9482**

**LOST YOUR BADGE?**  
**Contact Ronald Lynch at**  
**lynchronald8@gmail.com**  
**Badge replacement cost is \$2.**



**TEAM SELECTION**  
**Karen Higgins - Chairperson**  
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**WORK AREA SIGN IN SHEETS**  
**following each walk are sent to:**  
**Rita Carswell**  
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**NEWSLETTER EDITOR**  
**Kris Johnson**  
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**\*\*\*Please send articles, updates, cluster & reunion group photos and information to share with the Emmaus community.**

<b>EMMAUS WORK AREA</b>	<b>2022 COMMUNITY BOARD REP</b>
72 Hour Prayer Vigil	Jamie Brown
Agape	Missy Johnson
Book Table	Mike Garrity
Candle Light	Kris Johnson
Food Preparation	Donna Clements
Refreshments & Friday Night Party	Helena Britton
Greeters	Danny Green
Housing and Registration	Betsy Terry
Logistics	Martin Johnson
Meal Service	Karen Higgins
Music & Media	Lorrie Schoonover
Photography	Jamilia Patterson
Serenade	Jamila Patterson
Speaker's Prayer Chapel	Ashley Belcher
Sponsor's Hour	Pat Walters
Supplies	Lorri Schoonover
Team Selection	Karen Higgins
Training - Support Team	Allen Brewer
Training - Conference Room & Lay Director	Allen Brewer/Rita Carswell
Worship	Wanda Ryals
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	Rita Carswell
Community ALD	Donna Clements
Immediate Past LD/Board Advisor	Allen Brewer
Community Treasurer	Rita Carswell
Community Secretary	Betsy Terry
Communications Coordinator	Linda Hines Hornsby
Community Spiritual Director	Rev. Tim Davis
Community Asst. Spiritual Directors	Rev. John Hill
Chrysalis Committee Chairperson/Lay Director	Lorri Schoonover
Chrysalis Committee ALD	Ashley Belcher

**Address, contact phone, or email changes?**

Help keep your information updated, click the 'Update Subscription Preferences' link at the bottom of your Community Email.

Or contact a Board Rep listed on our web page at [www.caew.org](http://www.caew.org) to assist you in updating your current address, phone or email information.

# 2022 CENTRAL ALABAMA EMMAUS COMMUNITY – CLUSTER INFORMATION

Updated 3/15/22

## \*Clanton Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Stanley Batchelor – email: [stanleybat@gmail.com](mailto:stanleybat@gmail.com) - 334-467-4037

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

## \*East Alabama Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Emily Gentry – email: [emilygentry@yahoo.com](mailto:emilygentry@yahoo.com)—334-329-9691

Covered dish dinners are on the 1st Tuesday after each walk at Auburn UMC Epworth Youth Center.

## \*Elmore County Emmaus Cluster

Contact - Marl Lampman - Email: [lampmanm11@gmail.com](mailto:lampmanm11@gmail.com) - 334-261-9906

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

## \*Lake Martin Area Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Steve Cox - email: [lakemartincluster@gmail.com](mailto:lakemartincluster@gmail.com) - 334-319-2987

Meets on the Monday following a walk at 6:15 PM with a covered dish dinner. Rotate between Flint Hill UMC, Alex City Methodist, First Baptist Dadeville and Camp Alamisco.

## \*Millbrook-Prattville Walking Miracles Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Glenn Kinard – email: [glennkinal@aol.com](mailto:glennkinal@aol.com) – 334-467-9851

Meets at 12:30 p.m. on the 3rd Sunday, January through October, for a covered dish meal at Millbrook FUMC in the Missions House.

## \*Montgomery Emmaus Cluster

Contact – Kimberly Frederick – email: [willnkim4@gmail.com](mailto:willnkim4@gmail.com) - 334-324-4572

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 – Helena Britton – email: [helena.britton@yahoo.com](mailto:helena.britton@yahoo.com) - 334-412-1339

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

Contact – Jackie Andrews – email: [andrews3367@charter.net](mailto:andrews3367@charter.net) - 706-590-3405

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 .

# 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.

\* Downstairs Rooms - 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.