
THE FOURTH DAY



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From The Community Spiritual Director

My name is Jim Dannelly, Blue Lake Walk To Emmaus #1, Table of John.

A Prayer For A Servant's Heart

Several times in the column I have referred to the daily devotional guide that I use each day. It is entitled: "Prayer For Ministers and Other Servants." It was published a number of years ago by The Upper Room. If you are not familiar with it I would encourage you to find the latest edition. It is a wonderful guide that focuses daily on reading scripture, prayer and other spiritual reading exercises.

Each week's readings begin with a prayer. The prayer for the fifth week of Lent which I have read each day this week comes from The United Methodist Book of Worship. I have come this week to think of it as "A Prayer For A Servant's Heart."

"O God our Father, renew our spirits and draw our hearts to thyself, that our work may not be to us a burden but a delight; and give us such love to thee as may sweeten all our obedience. Help us that we may serve thee with the cheerfulness and gladness of children, delighting ourselves in thee and rejoicing in all that is to the honor of thy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The petitions made in this prayer are requests for the ingredients that make up the spirit of the heart of a servant of our Lord:

- A constantly renewed spirit that is daily drawn close to the Lord.
- Service done not as a burden but a delight.
- A spirit in which obedience is made sweet by deep love for the Lord.
- A spirit that delights in the Lord and takes pleasure in only that which honors Him.

It is such a servant's heart that each of us who work in Emmaus should seek daily. It is only through such a heart that the Lord can do His work of grace and agape love.

DeColores!

From The Community Lay Director

My name is Jerry Goodwin, Blue Lake Walk to Emmaus #20, Table of Thomas.

Just when you think that Emmaus can't get any better, it goes and does it. That's how I feel about Walk 55. And I'm really not just talking about the conference room (although it was certainly a great walk for the pilgrims.) I was just blown away by the spirit of cooperation and charity of the background team.

When Camp Alamisco told me that the kitchen and dining room would not be available for the walk, I thought that it was going to be a very hard walk to work in the background. But just the opposite was the case. Now there was more work but it was very pleasant work. Everybody just pitched in and did whatever was necessary to get the job done. Kind of reminded me of Acts 2: 44-47 where you find the definition of a Church.

"All the believers were together and had everything in common. Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved."

Emmaus is not a church but it sometimes is a model of what the church ought to be. Working a recent Chrysalis flight, the spiritual director was amazed that the lay people took care of setting things up. He wasn't used to that. But isn't that what Emmaus is all about? Learning that the laity should be taking on more of the responsibilities in the church — freeing the clergy to spend more time ministering, teaching, and preaching.

I thank all who were part of walk 55 for the way they worked together and made a somewhat difficult situation into a really nice variation that seemed like we had always done it that way. By the way, it looks like we may have some of the same challenges for walk 56. So, if you want to be blessed, come and help.

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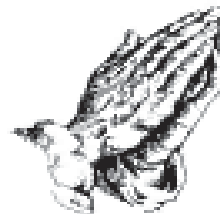
Candidates for Walk #57

Invited Pilgrims	Church	Sponsor
Lucile Armstrong	Wesley Memorial UMC, Opelika	Jeanine Hamby
Victoria Baxley	Frazer Memorial UMC, MGM	Betsy Youngblood
Tracy Belcher	Auburn UMC	Jennifer Chambliss
Janie Boles	First Baptist Church, Opelika	Angie Jacobs
Debbie Boone	Wesley Memorial UMC, Opelika	Mike Pearson
Linda Brewer	Auburn UMC	Donna Wells
Cleone Brock	Auburn UMC	Jennifer Chambliss
Kathryn Budzik	First UMC, Prattville	Gail Baughman
Mary Kay Burdette	First UMC, Opelika	Steve Litsey
Clara Carr	Fellowship of Faith Christian	Esther Williams
Judy Costar	First Baptist Church, FL	Jennifer Powell
Nikki Duren	Mt. Pisgah UMC, Clanton	Terri & Greg Nobles
Carolyn Fox	First Baptist Church, MGM	Diane Smith
Lynn Franklin	Auburn UMC	Martha Jean Starr
Wendy Fuller	Trinity UMC, Opelika	Anna Pearce
Danielle Goff	Pierce Chapel, Beauregard	Esther Williams
Susan Goff	Frazer Memorial UMC, MGM	Patty Woodring
Dabsey Gray	Auburn UMC	Katie Basden
Christy Hicks	Christian Life Church, MGM	Mary Killingsworth
Gail Hoke	Church Street UMC, Selma	Julie Ford
Shirley Howell	Carriage Hills Church of Christ	Brenda See
Sharon Irish	Beulah Baptist Church	Debbie Smalley
Debbie Kelly	Antioch Baptist, Camp Hill	Carl Kelly
Juanita Kindred	Providence Baptist, Society Hill	Howard Porter
Laura Lancaster	Langdale UMC, Valley	Shelia Lane
Melanie LeMay	First UMC, Opeika	Lynn Bailey
Shirley Martin	Liberty UMC, Ashland	Jamie Barkley
Dana McKeown	New Life Praise & Worship	Mary Killingsworth
Nelda Miller	Frazer Memorial UMC, MGM	Harold Faulkner
Christy Newton	First UMC, Millbrook	Tom Hollingshead
Erika North	Wesley Memorial UMC, Opelika	Billy North
Judy Osborne	Frazer Memorial UMC, MGM	Ronald Osborne
Carol Owen	Auburn UMC	Debbie Smalley
Jan Parker	First Baptist Church, Selma	Dana Stewart
La Neta Peters	Millbrook UMC	Elaine Messick
Melinda Phillips	First Baptist Church, Opelika	Bess Eakes
Kara Sartain	Auburn UMC	Melanie Fields
Patricia Stevenson	Auburn UMC	Debbie Smalley
Bobbie Thompson	Liberty UMC, Ashland	Jamie Barkley
Christy Truitt	Auburn UMC	Brian Truitt
Lynn Williams	Auburn UMC	Jerry Williams
Angie Winter	Christ Community Church	Andy Huggins

Central Alabama Emmaus Walk #57

Team Roster

- † **Lay Director:** Brenda Aughtman
- † **Spiritual Director:** Dric Williford
- † **Asst. Lay Directors:** Nan Cantrell, Dorann Frazer, Christi Hall Sarah Mingledorff
- † **Asst. Spiritual Directors:** Charles Cummings, Otto Hammonds, Hannah Garrett-Johnson, Mike Pearson
- † **Table Leaders:** Bess Eakes, Judy Lovelady, Pattie Robertson, Becky Robinson, Terri Sasser, Debbie Smalley, Sarah Spear
- † **Asst. Table Leaders:** Katie Basden, Hope Butler, Brenda Englebert, Pat Giddens, Ellyn Hix, Mimi Stacy, Sherry Taylor
- † **MUSIC:** Tim Chambliss, Kraig Smith, Angie Jacobs
- † **Board Representative:** Sue Utsey
- † **72-Hour Prayer Vigil:** Harold & Eleanor Bordages
- † **Agape:** Sue Ellis Pavelec
- † **Banners:**
- † **Bed Tags:** Mo Moseley
- † **Book Covers:** Kelly Aulner and Darlene Gill
- † **Book Table:** Ida Bell
- † **Candlelight:** Terry and Betsy Windle
- † **Food Preparation:** Tad and Diane Smith
- † **Food Service:**
- † **Greeters:** Gary and Jackie Waters
- † **Housing & Registration:**
- † **Logistics:**
- † **Photography:** Doug Priester
- † **Prayer Vigil:** Kinsey and Joy Green
- † **Refreshments:** Melanie Fields*, Angie White, Betty McWhorter
- † **Serenade:** Chris and Kay Hargrave
- † **Servant's Pool:** Lamar Frazer
- † **Speaker Prayer Chapel:** Bo Cavin
- † **Sponsor's Hour:** Chris and Karla Hines
- † **Worship/Closing:** Judy Guin and Trish Block



“Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun.”

Psalm 37: 5-6

Upcoming Team Meetings:

Walk 56 & 57- Joint meeting

Auburn United Methodist
8:30 a.m. April 12 -
(Wayne Hall & Brenda Aughtman, L.D.s)
Conference Room training - Noon to 2 p.m. for Walk 57

Walk 57-

St James United Methodist, Montgomery 8:30 a.m. April 26
(Brenda Aughtman, L.D.)

Walk 58-

Aldersgate UMC in Montgomery 8:30 a.m. May 10 & 17
Sarah Mingledorff, L.D.
Conference Room Training- May 9

BOARD MEMBERS AND AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY

David Smalley	(334-821-4437)	Food Preparation
Jim Sasser	(334-273-9442)	Food Service
Jerry Goodwin	(334-857-3638)	Logistics: Music
JoAnn Waters	(334-281-5697)	Book Table
Brenda Aughtman	(334-704-0344)	Candlelight
Ron Baughman	(334-358-0893)	Worship; Banners; Closing
Nan Cantrell	(334-756-7288)	Agape
Deborah McCord	(334-821-1301)	Refreshments
Michael Beale	(334-262-2748)	Photography
John Sherrer	(334-872-9792)	Serenade; Sponsor's Hour
Sue Utsey	(334-875-3523)	Housing & Registration
Lamar Frazer	(334-874-4705)	Servant's Pool
Glenn Pugh	(334-288-5376)	Greeters
Jerry Keel	(334-272-7763)	72 Hour Prayer Vigil
	(334-741-1020)	Speaker's Prayer Chapel

BUBBA-BUBBA-BUBBA

Dear Bubba,
I would like to work on more Walks, but the cost of staying and eating for those three days is causing a real hardship.

Signed, A. Servant

Dear A. Servant:

There has been a fund set up, independent of the Central Alabama Emmas funds, for the purpose of funding workers in hardship situations who are willing to donate their time for service at the Walks. For information, contact Christi Hall (334) 741-1020. We want everyone to be able to participate in service.

DeColores!
Bubba



SYMPATHY

.....to the wife, Sheila (CA25) and family of Howard Aldredge (CA 21) who lost his battle with cancer. He was a member of First UMC Millbrook

PRAYER

...for the family of Betty Andrews who died this week. Her husband, Reverend Earl Andrews, is an associate pastor at Frazer UMC in Montgomery. Betty and Earl were instrumental in starting the Central Alabama Emmas Community.

Newsletter Update:

As previously stated, we are mailing out over 2100 copies of this newsletter. In order to be good stewards of your money, the decision has been made to mail copies only to those of you for whom we do not have current e-mail addresses. We have been trying this on a limited basis and it works very well.

If you have not already received your newsletter by e-mail, then our community address book may have incorrect information. Please contact us at info@caew.org to change and update your information. If snail mail is still your only means of communication with the outside world, we will continue the mailing. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

CLUSTER INFORMATION

Auburn Emmaus Cluster

Contact Sheila Mansfield (334) 887-7400. Follow up meetings are Thursday night following each Walk at 6 p.m. for a covered dish supper at Auburn UMC in the Epworth Center.



Chilton County Emmaus Cluster

Meet the 1st Tuesday of the month after each Walk. 6:30 p.m. Mt. Pisgah Church. Contact Willetta Mulhorn (205) 755-5534. wil_roy@yahoo.com.

Millbrook Miracles Emmaus Cluster

Contact Charlie and Donna Ray (334) 285-6273. Meet the fourth Sunday of each month after the 11:00 service at Millbrook First UMC. There will be a covered dish luncheon. Visitors are always welcome.

Montgomery DeColores Emmaus Cluster

Meeting dates for 2003: April 1; May 6 and May 27 at Frazer UMC; 6:30 p.m. Bring a covered dish. Contact Jim Snyder (Lay Director) 334-272-3548 (email: tarain2@aol.com) or Ken Himes, 334-271-7090 (email: kgku@aol.com) for further information. A bus leaves Friday night of each Walk to go to Candlelight at 5:15 p.m. in front of Frazer UMC. No reservations. Call Charles Holston for further information (334) 279-6519

Phenix City Emmaus Cluster

Contact Mike McKnight at (334) 298-3186. Meetings are every 2nd Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Epworth UMC in Phenix City.

Prattville Walkers Emmaus Cluster

Contact Reverend Gail Baughman (334) 358-4893. Meetings are the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at First UMC in Prattville.

Selma Emmaus Cluster

Contact Veronica Chesnut (334) 872-9094. Gatherings and follow-ups meet the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Church Street UMC in the Fellowship Hall. Bring light refreshments.

Valley Emmaus Cluster

April 29 6:30 p.m. Happy Valley - refreshments only. May 13-6:30 @ Langdale- refreshments only. Contact Becky Robinson for information. 334-756-0025 or 334-756-4122.

CENTRAL ALABAMA CHRYSALIS COMMUNITY

*Flights are held at
Whitewater Methodist Camp
on US Highway 82, just
north of Prattville.*



Flight #33 Girls	June 13-15	LD Patty Macready
Flight #34 Boys	July 11-13	LD Steve Hartzog
Flight #35 Girls	Nov 2-9	LD Shannon McBride

Central Alabama Walk to Emmaus

Schedule of Events

Wednesday	7 P.M.	Send Off
Friday	7 P.M.	Candlelight
Saturday	7 A.M.	Serenade
Saturday	4 P.M.	Closing

AGAPE NEEDS: 72 EACH ITEM

2003 Walk #s and Dates:

Location: Camp Alamisco, Dadeville Alabama

Walk 56 Men	Apr 16 – 19	LD Wayne Hall
Walk 57 Ladies	Apr 30 – May 3	LD Brenda Aughtman
Walk 58 Ladies	May 21 – 24	LD Sarah Mingledorff
Walk 59 Men	Aug 27 – 30	LD Ron Baughman
Walk 60 Ladies	Sep 3 – 6	LD Christi Hall
Walk 61 Men	Oct 15 – 18	LD Gary Cochran
Walk 62 Ladies	Oct 22 – 25	LD Nan Cantrell
Walk 63 Men	Nov 19 – 22	LD Terry Brooks



Remember

With the events of the past few days in Iraq, it would be easy to breathe a sigh of relief, and go on with our lives, giving little thought to the danger still present there. However, we all know, just as we have been warned, that the war to free the Iraqi people is not over.

Let us continue to remember our political and military leaders each day as we pray. Let us also be steadfast in our prayer for the safety of our soldiers, all over the globe, and especially in the Middle East. May we not forget the loved ones of those brave men and women in harm's way.

Our prayers should also go up for the Iraqi people—for God's protection and guidance for them during this time of upheaval in their country. They have endured so much for so long!

Most of all we need to pray that the Lord will be glorified as this conflict is resolved. Let us pray for the souls of all who are involved in, or touched by the fighting. May they all have the opportunity to turn to Jesus.

To God be the glory!

Frazer Memorial United Methodist Church - Emmaus

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CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED





Candidates for Walk #56

Invited Pilgrims	Church	Sponsor
Alan Brewer	St.James UMC - MGM	Randy Helms
GeneBrown	Frazer UMC	Carrol & Sadie Jeffcoat
JeremyCarter	Fairfax First Baptist	Jamie Newton
Chris Champion	No. Atlanta Church of Christ	Chris Hines
Jason Cooper	Holy Cross Episcopal	Joe Eakes
Stan Dowdy	Auburn UMC	Howard Porter
Gene Duffey	Wilsonville Baptist Church	Melvin Smith
Carl Ethridge	Notasulga UMC	David Waldrop
Ken Fortier	St.James UMC - MGM	Sam Wainwright
Boyd Fuller	Pine Flat Baptist - Selma	Bruce Fuller
Fred Gamble	St.James UMC - MGM	Mike Henig
Dick Graves	Auburn First Baptist	Oyette Chambliss
Richard Harvey	St.James UMC - MGM	Sam Wainwright
Daniel Hicks	Prattville Community	Sam Palomaria
Carey Jinwright	Cubahatchee Baptist	Jim Reinhardt
James Johnson	Langdale UMC	Marshall Lane
Steve Kopp	Church St. UMC - Selma	Randy Lovelady
Joe Mann	Prattville 1st UMC	Rhonda Mann
Tom May	Harps Crossing Baptist	Wayne May
Andy McKeown	New Life Praise - Greenville	Marvin Killingsworth
Dave Milton	Dadeville First Methodist	Guy Perry
James Moseley	St.Lukes UMC - MGM	Michael Beale
Lee Murphy	Auburn UMC	Nancy Murphy
Jim Nelson	Cooper Memorial - Selma	Kent Taylor
Beau Newman	Trinity UMC - Opelika	Paul Sanders
Bill Oliver	Lanett Methodist	Jay Jacobs
Gary Owens	Frazer UMC	Mike Whitt
Shannon Partin	Spring Valley Baptist	James Pace
Barry Parker	1st Baptist	Todd Stewart
Mike Reinhardt	Frazer UMC	Jim Reinhardt
Doug Smith	Lakeview Baptist	Steve McDonald
Guy Starr	Maudrin 1st Baptist-Simpsville	Buck Starr
Jerry Lee Stopp	St.Lukes UMC - MGM	Leslie Stopp
Roger Townley	Frazer UMC	Shannon Waldrup
Chad Wachter	Auburn UMC	Tim Chambliss
Daryl Whitaker	Cooper Memorial - Selma	Kent Taylor
David Wilkerson	Ocmulgee Baptist	Mark Harris
Leland Williams	Union Christian	Steve McDonald
Charles Wise	Frazer UMC	Jim Sasser
George Wood	1st Presbyterian Ch-Selma	Charles Frazer

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- † **Spiritual Director:** Dan Morris
- † **Asst. Lay Directors:** Ron Baughman, Gary Cochran, Joe Eakes, Jim Sasser
- † **Asst. Spiritual Directors:** Chris Eckert, Alan Cassidy, Bud Brainerd
- † **Table Leaders:** Howard Porter, Steve Hartzog, David Waldrop, Kent Taylor, Buck Starr, Dowe Aughtman, Scott Carmichael
- † **Asst. Table Leaders:** Mike Henig, Roger Lien, David Smalley, Terry Windle, Randy Lovelady, Pat Chesnut, Greg Langston
- † **Music:** Tim Jackson, Tre Munger, Chris Hines, Rick Kuhn
- † **Board Representative:** Lamar Frazer
- † **72-Hour Prayer Vigil:** Vickie Dearing
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- † **Banners:** Jimmy Turner
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- † **Food Preparation:** Blake Bentley
- † **Food Service:** Gail Lovelady, Dorann Frazer
- † **Greeters:** Jo Davis
- † **Housing & Registration:** Gail Hawkins, Sue Utsey
- † **Logistics:** Trey Mills
- † **Photography:**
- † **Refreshments:**
- † **Serenade:** Joy Beers
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- † **Speaker Prayer Chapel:** Donna Goodwin
- † **Sponsor's Hour:** Ken & Keita Himes
- † **Worship/Closing:** Shelley Munger

*“As for you, lift up
your staff and stretch
out your hand
Over the sea and divide
it, and the sons of
Israel shall go through
the midst of the sea
on dry land.”*

Exodus 14:16

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CANON OF THE EMMAUS TEAM

I am a member of an Emmaus team; therefore,
I am only one part of a complete being.

I am an imperfect earthen vessel, and I am here in a
servant's role.

I will serve in humility and gratitude for the opportunity
to be here,
and will remember that the Holy Spirit calls for my love,
patience, kindness, gentleness and self-control in all
things.

I will pray for submission to the Spirit this weekend
and for strength and commitment to be God's person
rather than my own person during these three days.

I will remember that I am here only as an instrument
through which God can work to renew His church.

I am here only by God's grace;
I am here only so that He might do His
mighty acts through me- not because of me.

I will lift up other members of the team and candidates
in prayer and ask our Lord to strengthen them
and reveal Himself to them in wondrous ways.

I will not overstate or overemphasize my role
during these three days by any word or deed.

I will not glorify myself;
I will not glorify any other member of this team,
nor allow another to glorify me.

I will use "I" as little as possible during these three days,

and will remember that all others are the main reason
for my presence and my prayers.

I will remember at all times that I am less important
than any other person on this weekend.

In all things, I will accept and be obedient to
the authority and discipline under which I serve.

I have no authority; I have no responsibility except to be
obedient
to the Church and totally responsive to the ministry of the
Holy Spirit.

Whatever passions and excitement seize me, I will express
through joyful praise to the Father, my Lord Jesus Christ
and the Holy Spirit.

I will give God all the glory for anything and everything that
occurs on this weekend.

I will raise my voice only in praise of Him and will bow my
head
in reverence and submission to Him.

I am only a servant; but God can use me more powerfully
in this role than in any other that I might choose.

I am an imperfect earthen vessel, and am blessed to be here
as a servant.

I am a member of an Emmaus Team;
in all things this weekend
I shall pray, "Not I, but Christ."