# EMMAUS

A Christian Community



Central Mississippi Emmaus-Chrysalis-Kairos Newsletter

Winter 2014

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#### **Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus**

Camp Wesley Pines, Gallman, Miss.
Walk 129, Nick Errington ..... February 20-23
Walk 130, Teresa Viramontez .. Feb 27-Mar 2

# Fruit of the Spirit

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law."

Galatians 5:22-23

Preparations have been ongoing for Walks #129 and #130 for several months now. God has placed the Team members right where He wants them. Prayers are already being lifted for the Pilgrims who will be attending.

Just like the three legs of the stool that we hear about in the talks given during the weekend, we need three things to come together for a successful walk: team members, pilgrims, and SPONSORS. Without a team, there would be no Walk. Without pilgrims there would be no need for a team. But it is YOU, the sponsor, that brings the pilgrim to Camp Wesley Pines for the team to work by and through the leading of the Holy Spirit. When team, pilgrims, and sponsors converge at the camp, the Holy Spirit takes over.

My plea this year is for us to pray for our sponsors just as diligently as we pray for the team and pilgrims. Being a sponsor is a loving sacrifice of both time and money. Do you remember your own sponsor? Someone lovingly did it for YOU. And oh, the fruits that have been produced by this beautiful ministry of CMWE.

If you have not sponsored a pilgrim for a while, please take time to pray that God puts the very person in your path that HE would choose for the next Walk. Today more than ever we must lift up our leaders in the church who are hungry for a deeper relationship with Him.

Being a sponsor means being the hands and feet of Christ as we not only make preparations for our pilgrim, but we also attend to any needs of the pilgrim's family while they are participating in the Walk

I personally have family members that I have hounded and badgered for years to go on the Walk, but when I started asking God who HE wanted there, then potential pilgrims started crossing my path quite often.

Jesus himself was not taken seriously by those in His own family and in His own community. But that did not deter Him from doing His Father's work.

I thank God for each member of this community. Every one of you has a unique and special gift, and when the Holy Spirit fills the camp, the fruits of the Spirit are overflowing. I look forward to praying for you this year, along with YOUR pilgrim.

Your Sister in Christ,

Tammy Childress Board Chair

> **Reminder:** Fourth Day Gathering Thursday, March 6, 7 p.m. MADISON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 100 Post Oak Road, Madison

Bring a snack to share with our newest members of the Community. Board meeting at 4:00.

Visit our website at www.centralmsemmaus.com

# Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus #129 .....February 20 - 23.....

# **Pilgrims**

Name	Sponsor
Chad Beech, Vicksburg	Shondail Frederick
Michael Bishop, Semimary	Billy Barnes
Davis Carothers, Terry	Michael Barrett
Floyd T. Childs, Jr., Silver City	Lisa Childs
Michael Claudel, Georgetown	Wayne & Susie Sojourner
Robert Clay, Rolling Fork	Brad Craddock
Eddie Daves, Cleveland	Gerald Finley
Josh Dennington, Terry	Nick Errington
John Elliott, Sr., Flowood	John & Shannon Elliott
Jay Fielder, Madison	Candice Fielder
Lamar Frederick, Vicksburg	Shondail Frederick
Maurice Gordon, Clinton	Marcello Gordon
Frank Goss, Brandon	Jessica Shook
B.J. Hawkins, Anguilla	Laurie Hawkins
Chris Higgs, Meadville	Pat & Beth Larkin
Fred Hutto, Bryam	Ben Sojourner
Chris Johnson, Crystal Springs	Nick Errington
Joshua Kemp, Clinton	Rusty Runnels
Marty Mays, Madison	Wendy Palato
Robert McGinn, Jr., Jackson	Robyn Jones
Steve Palato, Crystal Springs	Wendy Palato
Keith Polk, Brandon	Wayne & Susie Sojourner
Donald E. Rutland, Harrisville	•
Tim Sisk, Meadville	
Tommy Skinner, Georgetown	*
Randy Stead, Roxie	
William Trotter, Greenville	Wade McCollum
Wil Webb, Flora	
Matt White, Rolling Fork	
Larry Worrell, Utica	Stacie Worrell

## **Community Schedule**

Sponsors' Hour: 7:15 p.m. Thursday, February 20. Candlelight Service: Service for the Community begins at 7 p.m., Saturday, February 22. Closing: 4 p.m., Sunday, February 23.

#### **Team**

Lay Director	Nick Errington
Spiritual Director	Jimmy Errington
Asst. Spiritual Director	rsBilly Barnes
Rodney Jone	s, Jonathan Sherwin, Terry Fant
Assistant Lay Director	s David McNamara
	Judson Jackson, Ben Sojourner
Music	Jerry Stevens, Hunter Runnels
Board Representative.	John Rose

# Table Leaders & Assistant Table Leaders

Wayne Sojourner	Scott Kindrix
Malcolm Taylor	
Braxton Whitehead	
Bruce West	Keith Whitehead
Tim Vaughan	Paul King
Glenn Driskel	_

#### **Committees**

(	Committee CoordinatorRenee Erri	ington
A	AgapeSue Jo	hnson
	Shayne Jones, Katelynn Cr	
F	FoodJennifer S	anders
	Brad Craddick, Mike Daughrill, Ja	n King
V	WorshipWendy	Palato
	Kristi Sherwin, Lee Bazkeen, Adam	ı Mack
F	Prayer RoomSusie Soj	ourner
	John Green, Andi	Davis
(	Conference RoomShelly Jackson, Eddie Jo	hnson
Ι	Literature & SuppliesKristi	Jones
F	Registration & BookletRobyn	Jones
F	FloaterJames I	omino
F	Prayer ChainMary Baker & Mary Bro	ownlee

#### **Talks**

Priority	Judson Jackson
Prevenient Grace	
Priesthood Of All Believers	Bruce West
Justifying Grace	Terry Fant
Life of Piety	Glenn Driskel
Grow Through Study	Wayne Sojouorner
Means of Grace	Jimmy Errington
Christian Action	Malcolm Taylor
Obstacles to Grace	Jonathan Sherwin
Discipleship	Braxton Whitehead
Changing Our World	
Sanctifying Grace	Billy Barnes
Body of Christ	Paul King
Perseverence	Nick Errington
Fourth Day	David McNamara

# Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus #130 Feb. 27 - Mar. 2

## **Pilgrims**

Name	Sponsor
Tonya Bishop, Semimary	Diane Barnes
Anita H. Burnell, Florence	Mark Burnell
Kay Daves, Cleveland	Jackie Jackie
Sharon Enlow-Robinson, Magee	Jennifer Hart
Martha Hand, Terry	Joey & Brandi Gremillion
Tracey Haymon, Jackson	Teresa Viramontez
Mary Alice Higgs, Meadville	Pat & Beth Larkin
Jamie Johnson, Crystal Springs.	Chris Johnson
BJ Jones, Pearl	Gail Anderson
JoAnn Lovett, Raymond	Larry Ross
Frelisha McCraw, Pearl	Teresa & Chris Viramontez
Lesli Pickell, Florence	Kristi Sherwin
Amanda Porter, Canton	Carolyn & Sylvester Mims
Brenda Porter, Brandon	Walter Murriell
Jerry Ann Rutland, Harrisville	Jimmy & Renee Errington
Sarah Smith, Brandon	Jessica Shook
Samantha Tadlock, Forest	Chad Tadlock
Angelia Tannehill, Brandon	Les Tannehill
Rhonda Tomlin, Jackson	Teresa & Chris Viramontez
Valerie Ward, Mt. Olive	Stephanie McCormick
Jennifer Wimberly, Natchez	Stephanie Daly

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#### **Team**

Lay Director	Teresa Viramontez
Spiritual Director	Rodney Jones
Asst. Spiritual Directors	Keith Zimmerman
Robbie Britt, John Gre	en, Carolyn Webster
Assistant Lay Directors	Brandi Gremillion
Rachel M	ichel, Lisa Pinkerton
MusicTammy Child	ress, Sheila Bycofski
Board Representative	Teresa Teasley

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Tracy Swafford	Kim Lowe
Tonja Butler	Barbara Jackson
Emilee Cutrer	Linda Edwards
Carol Neal	Linda Yam
Mendez Vaughn	Jennifer Hart
Sandi Rand	

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Conference Room Peggy Taylor, MaryAnn Stiff
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Perseverance	Teresa Viramontez
Fourth Day	

# **Upcoming Walks & Flights**

Walk 129, Nick Errington	February 20-23
Walk 130, Teresa Viramontez	Feb. 27 - Mar. 2
Walk 131, David McNamara	April 10-13
Walk 132, Lisa Pinkerton	April 24-27
Flight 35, Cissy Scanlon	June 25-29
Flight 36, Jeff Killion	July 10-13

# **Pilgrim Applications**

Please help us with pilgrim applications. Pilgrim applications will not be considered to be complete unless:

- (1) There is a signed application from the pilgrim.
- (2) There is a completed sponsor sheet from the sponsor for that pilgrim.
- (3) There is a deposit of \$25. If at all possible please send these all in at the same time to ensure that our lists are up to date and accurate.

Thanks! Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus Board of Directors

# Vicksburg Emmaus Reunion Group

The Vicksburg Emmaus Reunion Group meets the first Tuesday of each month at the Bovina Baptist Church. Meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. For more information contact Pam Ertle at 601-415-5405 or pam\_ertle@bellsouth.net.

# **Childcare Reservations**

If childcare is needed for The Gathering at Madison UMC, please call Paula Stubbs at 601-856-7299 with number of children so that nursery can be properly staffed.

# **Team Applications**

You must have an application on file to be considered for an Emmaus team. Please print an application and send to Paula Stubbs or go to www.centralmsemmaus.com go to Community Forms and submit online.

We hope that you will honor the suggestion to work only one walk per year. We want everyone to have the blessing of serving on a team. And as you all know, being a part of a team is a time, a financial, and a prayerful commitment.

# **Reunion Groups**

The Metro Jackson Reunion Group has been formed and will meet on the 1st Monday of each month at the Belwether Office at 6:00pm. All are welcome and encouraged to attend and be of part of this new and growing group.

A new reunion group has been formed in Florence. The Clear Branch Reunion Group meets on the second Sunday of each month at the Clear Branch Baptist Church.

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