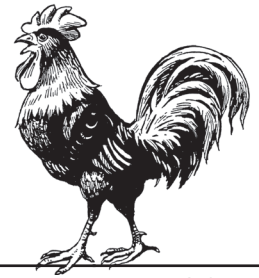


# EMMAUS

A Christian Community



Central Mississippi Emmaus-Chrysalis-Kairos Newsletter

Fall 2015

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## Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus

*Camp Wesley Pines, Gallman, Miss.*

Walk 141, *Sonny Steel*..... October 15-18  
 Walk 142, *Kristie Speights*..... October 22-25

## We Are All Trustees

The finance committee at the church where we worship is conducting a small group study, "Freed Up Financial Living" by Dick Towner, John Negovetch and Shannon Plate.

The first session has been very interesting. We were reminded of some core truths. 1) God created everything (Gen 1:1). 2) God owns everything (Psalm 24:1). 3) We are merely trustees---not owners---of anything. (I Cor 4:2).

Then it was pointed out that trustees have no rights ---- only responsibilities. Trustees manage something that belongs to someone else. Hence, in terms of eternity, everything we possess belongs to God. In His goodness He permits us to utilize His "stuff" while on this earthly journey

Hence Central Mississippi Walk To Emmaus Community does not belong to us. Your Board of Directors would qualify as your community trustees. We are charged with the responsibility of managing the Central Community three day weekends. This board belongs to you – the members of Central Mississippi Emmaus Community. We strive to remain faithful to our covenant with the Upper Room in showing Jesus to every pilgrim that is appointed to attend these events. We are praying that each one will return to their local churches with a commitment to local church leadership at a higher level and a closer and stronger relationship with The Creator.

We covet your prayers and support and service for all events and activities upcoming. We likewise covet your prayers and support for each board member individually that the responsibility each was selected for might be fulfilled to the max. To each of you – your board – wishes God's blessing profusely! Please know that we love each one of you.

De Colores,

Bo Gabbert  
Board Chair



### Reminder: Fourth Day Gathering

Thursday, October 29, 7 p.m.

FLORA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

142 Carter Street, Flora

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

Visit our website at [www.centralmsemmaus.com](http://www.centralmsemmaus.com)

# Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus #141

..... **October 15-18** .....

## Pilgrims

Name	Sponsor
Cameron Allred, Wesson .....	Johnny & Dee Green
Matthew Bellknapp, Georgetown .....	Wayne & Susie Sojourner
Jonathan Bycofski.....	Shelia Bycofski
Charlie Callahan, Raymond.....	Tann Hollingsworth
Derrick Carroll, Quitman .....	Wayne & Susie Sojourner
Jordan Caviness, Augusta, GA .....	Eric & Tammy Kump
Dylan Cottrell, Raymond.....	Sonny Steel
Leo Dixon, Jackson .....	Carol Neal
Jimmy Fowler, Madison .....	Bob & Boopie Winstead
Corey Garmon, Richland .....	Debra Garmon
Wesley Holmes, Crystal Springs.....	Quay Holmes
Michael Lusk, Jr., Wesson .....	Michael Lusk, Sr.
Stan McAlpin, Vicksburg.....	Jean McAlpin
Joie Miller, Hazlehurst.....	Jim Henley
Collin Owens, Pearl .....	Michael Bishop
Jeff Richardson, Madison .....	B & GG Ferguson
Jeremy Smith, Florence.....	Michael Bishop
Allen Tisdale, Pearl .....	Kevin Chunn

## Community Schedule

Sponsors' Hour: 7:15 p.m. Thursday, October 15.  
 Candlelight Service: Service for the Community  
 begins at 7 p.m., Saturday, October 17.  
 Closing: 4 p.m., Sunday, October 18.

## Team

Lay Director ..... Sonny Steel  
 Spiritual Director..... Tommy Stephenson  
 Asst. Spiritual Directors..... Rodney Jones  
 Casey Sorrels, Carl Smith, Glenn Pope  
 Assistant Lay Directors ..... Bo Gabbert  
 Braxton Whitehead, Johnny Jordan  
 Music..... KW Douglas, Robert Harris  
 Board Representative ..... Ric Grant

## Table Leaders & Assistant Table Leaders

Martin Butler ..... Fred Garrott  
 Brent Wilson ..... Caleb Lehman  
 John Gorrell ..... John Rose  
 John Smith ..... Stephen Smith  
 Matthew Barnhart..... Charlie Pigg  
 Gary Rogers..... Bobby Blake

## Committees

Committee Coordinator ..... Karen Fehn  
 Agape ..... Earle Burkley  
 Ron Bailey, Leslie Thompson, Becky Hughes  
 Food ..... James Domino  
 Mike Barrett, Donna Roberts  
 Worship..... Tena Wilson  
 Joel Waters, Ashley Robertson, Tony Engles  
 Prayer Room..... Carol Neal  
 Sheila Bycofski, Jean McAlpin  
 Conference Room..... Mike Davis & Bill McArthur  
 Literature & Supplies..... Bill Edwards  
 Registration & Booklet ..... Nancy Randall  
 Floater ..... Hugh Stubbs  
 Prayer Chain ..... Laurie Hawkins

## Talks

Priority..... Braxton Whitehead  
 Prevenient Grace ..... Glenn Pope  
 Priesthood Of All Believers ..... Gary Rogers  
 Justifying Grace ..... Casey Sorrels  
 Life of Piety ..... John Gorrell  
 Grow Through Study ..... Fred Garrott  
 Means of Grace..... Tommy Stephenson  
 Christian Action ..... Brent Wilson  
 Obstacle to Grace ..... Rodney Jones  
 Discipleship ..... Stephen Smith  
 Changing Our World..... John Smith  
 Sanctifying Grace..... Carl Smith  
 Body of Christ..... Matthew Barnhart  
 Perseverance ..... Sonny Steel  
 Fourth Day ..... Bo Gabbert

# Central Mississippi Walk to Emmaus #142

..... **October 22-25** .....

## Pilgrims

Name	Sponsor
Pam Baldwin, Vicksburg.....	Nancy Puckett & Rene Fields
Jena Boyd, Vicksburg.....	Rene Goss
Bailey Brown, Flora.....	Pam Runnels
Sherry Brown, Wesson.....	Shirley Wall
Nicole Callahan, Raymond.....	Shannon Hollingsworth
Jan Cohn, Crystal Springs.....	Judson & Shelly Jackson
Ramona Coleman, Yazoo City.....	Pam Runnels
Becca Cooper, Florence.....	Debbie Boykin
Anne Taylor Duease, Starkville.....	Richard & Kim Duease
Kaitlin Fuller, Belzoni.....	Bobbie & Bo Childs
Jamie Herman, Rolling Fork.....	Shelly Craddock
Felicia Johnson, Florence.....	Carol & Sylvester Mims
Jamie Mahalite, Rolling Fork.....	Renee Goss
Tracy Metcalf, Jackson.....	Jill Bowdon
Caroline Nations, Crystal Springs..	David & Jadeen Barnhart
Alysia Newman, Byram.....	Babs Wood
Kim Newsom, Brandon.....	Tammy Childress
Lauren Odom, Brandon.....	Diane Barnes
Heather Owens, Pearl.....	Tonya Bishop
Kim Peden, Clinton.....	Sharon Hughes
Eva Pickle, Rolling Fork.....	Brad Craddock
Amanda Pittman, Clinton.....	Walt Williams
Cynthia Pope, Crystal Springs.....	John Green
Jennifer Templeton, Hazlehurst.....	Karla Sanders
Celia Tisdale, Pearl.....	Julie Dyer
Kim Wallace, Roxie.....	Carolyn Whitehead & Kaye Scott
Millicent Warren, Terry.....	James & Kristy Tacker

## Community Schedule

Sponsors' Hour: 7:15 p.m. Thursday, October 22.  
 Candlelight Service: Service for the Community  
 begins at 7 p.m., Saturday, October 24.  
 Closing: 4 p.m., Sunday, October 25.

## Team

Lay Director ..... Kristie Speights  
 Spiritual Director..... James Milner  
 Asst. Spiritual Directors..... Billy Barnes  
 Henry Heitmann, Carolyn Webster, Ben Williams  
 Assistant Lay Directors..... Tamie Henry  
 Rachel Michele, Julia Simmons  
 Music..... B Ferguson, Susie Kimbrough  
 Board Representative ..... Leila Malatesta

## Table Leaders & Assistant Table Leaders

Shelly Jackson..... Kendall Ellis  
 Ali Dinkins ..... Paige White  
 Kim Duease ..... Wendy Palato  
 Cherry Duckworth ..... Lin Bobbitt  
 Ruth Granger ..... Shannon Hollingsworth  
 Jill Bowdon..... Cissy Scanlon

## Committees

Committee Coordinator ..... Stephanie Hodnett  
 Agape ..... Carmen Keys  
 Nicole Stevens, Julie Dyer  
 Food ..... Renee Goss  
 Cameron Diket, Kristi Seeley, Leigh Dye  
 Worship..... Diane Barnes  
 Jennifer Hudson, David Carroll, Tann Hollingsworth  
 Prayer Room..... Cassie Carroll  
 Carolyn Wade, Lila Wansley  
 Conference Room ..... Ted Duckworth, Leigh Ann Thomas  
 Literature & Supplies ..... Margaret Fleming  
 Registration & Booklet ..... Ed Simmons  
 Floaters..... Steven Speights, John Dinkins  
 Prayer Chain ..... Laurie Hawkins

## Talks

Priority..... Rachel Michele  
 Prevenient Grace ..... Ben Williams  
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 Perseverance ..... Kristie Speights  
 Fourth Day ..... Julia Simmons

# Upcoming Walks

Walk 141, Sonny Steel.....	October 15-18
Walk 142, Kristie Speights.....	October 22-25
Walk 143, Braxton Whitehead.....	February 18-21
Walk 144, Rachel Michel.....	February 25-28
Walk 145, Todd Livingston.....	April 14-17
Walk 146, Lisa Poe.....	April 21-24
Walk 147, Stephanie Hodnett.....	July 14-17
Walk 148, Jerry Robertson.....	October 20-23
Walk 149, Mary Baker.....	October 27-30

# Overnight Meetings

February 5-6.....	Walks 143 & 144
April 8-9.....	Walks 145 & 146
June 17-18.....	Walk 147
October 7-8.....	Walks 148 & 149

# Pilgrim & Caterpillar Apps

Please help us with pilgrim and caterpillar applications. Applications will not be considered to be complete unless:

- (1) There is a signed application from the pilgrim or caterpillar.
- (2) There is a completed sponsor sheet from the sponsor for that pilgrim or caterpillar.
- (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 &  
Central Mississippi Chrysalis Boards of Directors*

# Childcare Reservations

If childcare is needed for The Gathering at Flora Methodist Church, please call Tammy Childress at 601-201-2015 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 or Chrysalis team. Please print an application and send the completed Emmaus forms to Paula Stubbs and the completed Chrysalis forms to Amanda Lacoste at lacostedesigns@hotmail.com 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

*Metro Jackson* - The Metro Jackson Reunion Group will

meet on the first 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.

**Clear Branch** - The Clear Branch Reunion Group meets on the second Sunday of each month at the Clear Branch Baptist Church.

**Bolton, Clinton, Raymond** - Bolton, Clinton & Raymond Ultreya Group meets on the first Thursday of each at 6 p.m. at the Clinton United Methodist Church. For additional information contact Antoinette Raggio at ajraggio@gmail.com.

**Flora** - The Flora Reunion group now meets on the first Tuesday of February, April, July, and October at 7 pm at the home of Rudy & Mary Holcomb. For additional information, contact Leila Malatesta at floraemmausgroup@gmail.com.

**Vicksburg** - 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.

# Kairos Prayer Chain

The greatest Agape that we can give to anyone is the gift of Prayer. The Central Mississippi Correctional Facility Men's Kairos Inside #32 asks for your support in the gift of prayer October 29 - November 1, 2015. Prayer Agape can be done directly on the internet. Prayer slots of 30 minutes are available for your selection for the dates listed. You can follow the simple instructions below to register. When you make your selection, you will receive an email immediately stating your Prayer Time selection and the Kairos Team will be notified of your support.

How to register for the PRAYER CHAIN on the Internet

1. Go to the website <http://www.3dayol.org/Vigil/GetVigil.phtml?pvid=11409&commid=1036>
  2. Scroll down to the time you want to select to pray for Kairos #32 and click on Sign -up
  3. Fill in the required information
  4. Then select – Submit Form
- You might get this error message: Error [Audit\_3dayol]: MySQL server has gone away
- But you will be signed up. Don't worry you are registered to pray.
5. You are Done !!!

Thanks for praying for Men's Kairos Inside #32

If you need assistance contact Bobby Blake Kairos #32 Agape Coordinator at [blake3033@gmail.com](mailto:blake3033@gmail.com)

# Kairos Torch

Dear Christian Family,

My name is Danny Brunt. For a number of years now my wife Marilyn and I have been involved with Kairos Torch Prison Ministry.

Torch is a mentoring ministry dedicated to serve youthful offenders. We want these youth to know that there is a Christian Community that cares about them and their needs.

KAIROS TORCH begins with weekend retreats intended to help strengthen the family unit and encourage small support groups. The weekends held each year provide a secure place for young people to share their struggles. We then meet with the young people twice a month for mentoring. This is the main focus of the ministry, not just the weekend. KAIROS means ...GOD'S SPECIAL TIME...and in the lives of these youthful offenders we know it will be a special time for them.

I want to invite you to an introductory session for KAIROS TORCH to be held on Saturday morning October 17, 2015, 9:00 AM, at Anderson United Methodist Church in Jackson, MS. This 3 hour "Torch 101" will introduce prospective volunteers to the ministry and encourage all to get involved as we begin this program at Central Mississippi Correctional Facility in Pearl, MS. Male volunteers must be a minimum of 24 years of age while female volunteers must be a minimum of 28.

Gay Taft, a Torch National Trainer from the Orlando area, will conduct this training for us.

Anderson United Methodist Church is located at 6205 Hanging Moss Road in Jackson, MS 39206 just off I-220.

We look forward to seeing you there!

God bless,

Danny Brunt

Kairos Torch of MS

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