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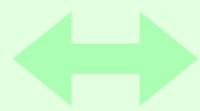
EMMAUS 2018

UPPER ROOM EMMAUS OF GREATER FREDERICKSBURG AREA

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* Gatherings *

APR 14TH MAY 12TH



NEW HOPE UMC ANDREW CHAPEL

If your church can host a gathering, please email the CLD Chris Campbell at chris@ewg.org

- The Board meets at 2:00 pm
- Bring snacks to share duringFellowship time at 3:30 pm
- Gatherings start at 4:00 pm

New Hope UMC 164 New Hope Church Rd. Fredericksburg, Virginia 22405

From I-95: Take Exit 133 towards Falmouth. Cross US 1 & continue onto VA-218 East/Butler Road. Follow 218 East for 4 miles. Turn left just after Charlie's Crab House onto County Road 605/New Hope Church Road. Church will be .8 of a mile on the right.

* Upcoming Walks *

FE-110 (W) Apr 19-22, 2018 Judy Britt FE-111 (M) Nov 1-4, 2018 Tony Innocenti FE-112 (W) Nov 15-18, 2018 Anne Hutcheson



Overall, my favorite part of the Walk to Emmaus has to be
Closing. You get to see the results of the Holy Spirit at work
during the weekend through the efforts of the team, the
community in showing agape love, and the commitment of the sponsors in doing
their part. It is the crescendo at the end of the weekend that witnesses to what God
did over the course of 72 hours.

As a pilgrim – that was not my favorite part – I was not comfortable talking in front of a crowd at that time.

Closing being my favorite isn't meant to take away from the other activities of the weekend – no doubt you may have a favorite part of the Walk to Emmaus that affected you deeply. It might have been a talk you heard, some agape you received or experienced, a burden you left, or a new found realization of the love God has for you.

I started helping out on an Emmaus weekend a few walks after I walked on FE-70 and one thing that struck me – just helping out as a weekend servant, mind you – was that God didn't just forgive my sins as I learned on the Saturday morning of my Walk to Emmaus – but he forgives a lot of sins. Mine and others – actually the sins of the whole world - John 1:29.

Since I am something of an Emmaus junkie, I can pull from lots of experiences that affected me or changed my understanding of God and His love.

So I want to encourage you to find God in all the things that you do – Emmaus-related or not. Be open to God using you in new ways and to give you new revelations on His love and His grace.

De Colores!

Chris Campbell River Club Church FE-70, Table of Peter



In Luke 11 Jesus is in the heart of his teaching. He had just given the disciples the prayer we call the Lord's Prayer. He then goes on to tell his listeners that their eye is a lamp. This lamp lights up their whole body. Jesus challenges his listeners that because of this light coming from them, they can live one of two ways.

It is God's desire that we live, as The Message version of the Bible puts it, "wide-eyed in wonder and belief. When was the last time that we took stock of our faith? Do the things of God that once brought joy and wonder to our faith still do just that? Does our faith make each day exciting and wanting us to declare that this is the day the Lord has made let us rejoice in it? Jesus tells us that if we live wide-eyed in wonder and belief, our body fills with light. Others see the love and light of God shining out through us. People see joy and hope within us.

Jesus also listed a second way that we can live in this passage. He often told the Pharisees that this is the way that they lived. We can also live "squinty-eyed in greed, distrust, and fear." If this is how we chose to live our life becomes a dank cellar. No one is blessed by who we are and who we say. This negativity wears off on others. People don't see God within us.

Jesus goes on to say that we are to keep our eyes open, our lamp burning, so that our lives stay well lit. I invite us as those who are on our 4th day forever to be, as Jesus tells us, well-lit people, making a difference in others around us.

DeColores, Brad Phillips

Prayers

Bob - Pancreatic cancer

Denny – Health issues

Eileen Bowles - SIL w/metastatic breast cancer

First Face to Face Encounter

God: Answer the questions of

my heart. Guide me and direct

me. Make my time yours.

Jackie Conrpon – Hospice

Care

Jason to keep getting better

Jill Dailey Family

Karen Mann's – ordination on

4/15/2018

Kathy Jenkins - healing

Kevin Northridge – Further

recovery from stroke

Lynn Warner Family

Nic Bonacci – two tumors on

left knee

Marriages

Mothers - Sharon, Betty and

Rochelle

Jason to keep getting better

Our Leaders

Our Military

Our Responders

Patty – Prayers that her cancer will be gone after treatment is complete!!

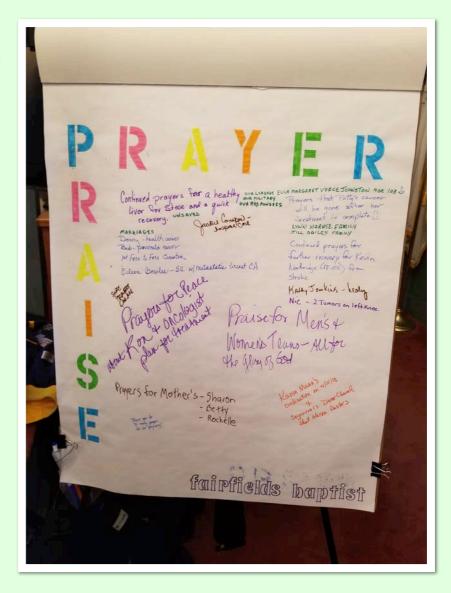
Rev John Alford

Ron – Peace about his oncologist and plan for treatment

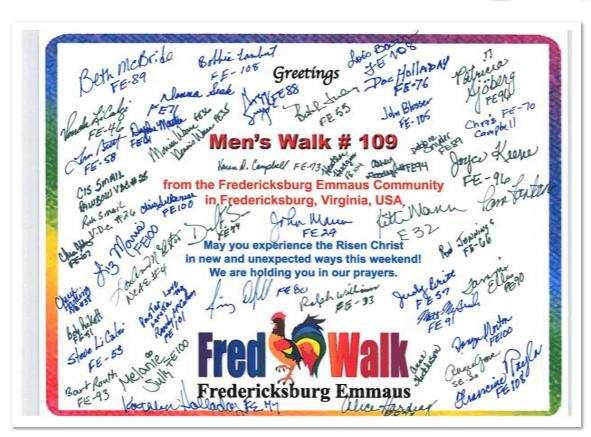
Continue prayers for liver for Steve and a quick recovery.

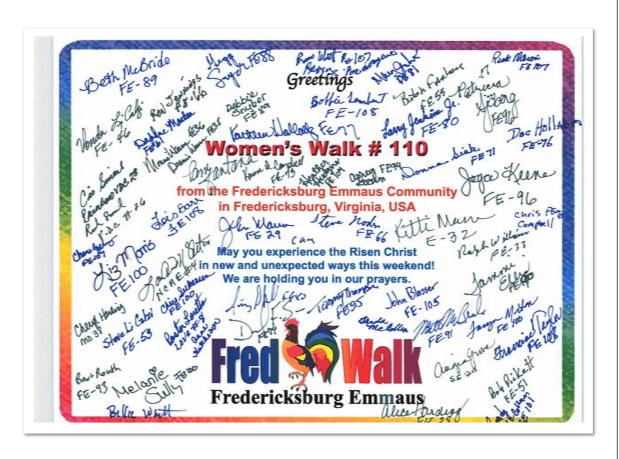
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Thank you for so many prayers for our pregnancy!



Agape





FE-110 Team

Robin BeMiller	Salem UNC	Spiritual Director	
Judy Britt	Chancellor Christian	Weekend Lay Director	
Tom Britt	Chancellor Christian	Lead Spiritual Director	
Jenn Bumbrey	Hillcrest UMC	Table Leader	
Karen Campbell	River Club Church	Assistant Table Leader	
Tammi Ellis	St. Matthias UMC	Music Team Assistant Table Leader Assistant Lay Director Assistant Table Leader urch Assistant Lay Director Assistant Table Leader	
Pam Fantana	Stafford Crossing		
Ava Hanger	Dahlgren UMC		
Heather Hudgins	River Club Church		
Anne Hutcheson	Fairmount Christian Church		
Mary Jenkins	Ebeneezer UMC		
Bob Liepelt	Chancellor Christian	Spiritual Director	
Kitti Mann	Fredericksburg UMC	Table Leader	
Daphne Masten	Fairmount Christian Church	Assistant Table Leader	
Beth McBride	St. Matthias UMC	Music Director	
Liz Morris	St. Matthias UMC	Assistant Lay Director	
Fanya Morton	Fredericksburg UMC	Table Leader	
Chris Silkensen	Fredericksburg UMC	Board Representative	
Betty Jo Sims	Mizpah UMC	Spiritual Director	
Donna Sisk	Grace UMC	Table Leader Music Team Assistant Lay Director Table Leader Assistant Table Leader	
Pat Sjoberg	New Hope UMC		
Debbie Snyder	Blacksburg UMC		
Melanie Sully	Stafford Crossing		
Lynda Swanlund	Fredericksburg UMC		
Felicia Taylor	Mt Olivet Baptist	Spiritual Director	
Monica Warne	Stafford Crossing	AV Tech	
Bonnie Wells	River Club Church	Table Leader	
Mary Lee Hensel	Wilderness Church	Lead Servant	
Carol Burke	Stafford Crossing	Servant Team	
Gloria Ledgister-Rose	Chancellor Christian	Servant Team	
Pattie Lee	Dahlgren UMC	Servant Team	
Tami Myers	Fredericksburg UMC	Servant Team	
Cam Noden	River Club Church	Servant Team Servant Team	
Fran Taylor	Ebenezer UMC		
Lisa Whitley	The Awakening Comm. Church	Servant Team	

Walk Info

Schedule:

Date	Time	Activity at Camp Happyland	
Thur	6:30 - 7:00 pm	Pilgrim check-in followed by Sponsor's Hour	
Sat.	7:30 pm	Candlelight – Community will gather for praise, Communion & fellowship. Please bring flowers for the team to use Sunday!	
Sun.	4:00 pm	Closing Service	

Agape Instructions:

- General Agape should be for all Pilgrims and all Team Members and it should be anonymous.
- Please Pre-Sort Agape into a labeled bag for Pilgrims and Team Members for the three Agape events: Friday afternoon Agape Bag, Friday night Bed Agape and Saturday night Bed Agape.
- If any agape has a cord or chain, (lanyards/crosses), please individually wrap them in small baggies otherwise we may have to untangle each one.
- Pilgrim Sponsors need to get 8-10 Personal Agape letters and separate them from all other Agape.

There will be an Agape Box available at the Gatherings

Placemats:

If you would like to make walk placemats, please email Mary Lee Hensel for the details and to sign you up for a meal's worth of placemats. Placemats can be done by individuals or by reunion groups. For each meal, we need 50 placemats. You can make them on legal (8.5 x 14) or ledger (11 x 17) paper or anywhere in between.

Agape Bags:

Will you help make a pilgrim's walk special? You can buy brightly colored rainbow striped fabric, cording, and bright shoelaces to donate or you can make them yourself, (12" wide and 15" tall, please). Please contact Karen Campbell at 540–658-0468 or campbells_6@yahoo.com

Camp Happyland 21457 Happyland Drive Richardsville, VA 22736

From Central Park in Fredericksburg: Drive 7.5 miles west on Route 3. Turn right (North) on Route 610, Elys Ford Road. Drive 9 miles north on Route 610. Just prior to the green Richardsville sign, turn right (East) on Route 619, Richards Ferry Road. Drive 1.3 miles to Happyland Drive. You will see a large Camp Happyland sign on the right side of the road. Turn right into the Camp and proceed to the parking area. Total distance is approximately 18 miles.

Prayer Requests:

To send a prayer request to our **daily** internet prayer chain, email

Volunteers Debbie Bliss at 1973. bliss. debbie@gmail.com or fredemmausprayers@yahoo.com

To become a **Daily Prayer Warrior**, email Chris Campbell at chris@ewg.org

Volunteer & Board **Chair Positions:**

WLD Committee Chair – Chris Campbell

Team Selection Committee Chair – Pat Lonergan

• Team Registrar – Karen Campbell

Pilgrim Selection Committee Chair – Chris Campbell

• Pilgrim Registrar – Debbie Bliss

Nominating Committee Chair – Vonda LiCalzi

Fourth Day Training Chair - John Mann

Communications Chair – Tom Wells

- Website Chris Campbell
- Database Chris Campbell/Mary Lee Hensel
- Email Chris Campbell
- Newsletter Brooke Ferguson
- Daily Prayer Chain Debbie Bliss
- Social Media Chris Czubowicz

Weekend Supplies Chair – Chris Campbell

- Trailer Chris and Karen Campbell
- Name Badge Gary Adkins
- Fourth Day Packets Joyce Keene

Agape Chair – Vonda LiCalzi

- Agape Bag Coordinator Karen Campbell
- Prayer Vigil Mary Lee Hensel/Chris Campbell
- Snack Agape Open
- Agape Book Mary Lee Hensel
- Community Baker Kitti Mann
- Placemats Mary Lee Hensel

Gatherings Chair – Kitti Mann

- Scheduling Coordinator Tammi Ellis
- Music Coordinator Tom Wells

Group Reunions Chair – Jenn Bumbrey

Manuals Chair - Tom Wells

Board of Directors: Class of 2018

Rosemary Blankenship (SD)

Tammi Fllis

Matt Green

John Mann

Chris Silkensen (Treasurer)

Class of 2019

Chris Campbell (CLD)

Butch Farley

Joyce Keene (Secretary)

Vonda LiCalzi

Randy McCollum (SD)

Class of 2020

Jenn Bumbrey

Pat Lonergan

Kitti Mann (ACLD)

Brad Phillips (CSD)

Tom Wells

Volunteers Needed

Please contact Chris Campbell at chris@ewg.org if you are interested in helping the Emmaus community through any of the various volunteer positions listed.

Are you interested in joining or starting a new reunion group?
Email Jenn Bumbrey at livsnana3111@aol.com



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	THURSDAY
Bethel UMC Men's Group 7:30 am Bethel UMC Woodbridge, Va POC: Brian Lewis 703-590-9343 bb3253@aol.com	Ladies in Waiting Meets every other Monday in Falmouth POC: Vonda LiCalzi 540-446-2682	Lord's Lions & Lambs Group 6:00 pm First Christian Church POC: Mike Remington 540-373-7716 first.christian.church@ verizon.net	His Joyful Croakers 9:00 am Hillcrest UMC POC: June Riel 540-710-5949
St. Matthias Reunion Group 1st Sunday of each month 12:15 - 1:30 pm St. Matthias Social Hall POC: Tammi Ellis	Rainbow Group (Women) First Monday of month 10:00 am Lake of the Woods Location varies POC: Barbara Miller 540-972-7418	Great Is Thy Faithfulness 7:30 pm Prince of Peace UMC Manassas, Va POC: Lloyd Biller 703-590-1512	His Seekers (Women) 7:30 pm Home of Jane Carwell POC: Sandy Crossley 703-221-6977 POC: Jane Carwell 703-969-4019 tjcarwell@yahoo.com



Application Fee \$25 – Due when you submit the completed application. If this fee is not included with the application the application will not be counted as valid until fee is received.

Sponsorship Fee \$200 – Due, (not mailed, but in the Treasurer's hands), no later than one week before the Walk, but preferably earlier. It is not acceptable to bring the Sponsorship Fee on the night the Walk starts.

A check must be written to Camp Happyland the morning of the Walk and is deposited the next day. Therefore, for Emmaus to be good stewards and to be in line with strong business practices, you must send your fees in a minimum of one week before the walk. **Team Fee** - \$200 – Due, (not mailed, but in Treasurer's hands), no later than one week before the Walk, but preferably earlier. It is preferable that this is given to the Board Rep, for your Walk, during teaming.

Mail to: - All payments, applications, fees, correspondence, etc... should be mailed to P.O. Box 42094, Fredericksburg, VA 22404