

Near the Cross Emmaus



November, 2021 Newsletter

“Willie Frazier, Noah’s of Ark, Walk to Emmaus 118, Table of Mark.” 

I pray that your 4th day is going well. I was blessed to see some of my Emmaus family at the Oct. 2nd Gathering. If you didn't make it, you missed a great 4th day talk given by Susan Miles. Just this morning I was reminded of her talk when I was reading about King Jehoshaphat in 2 Chronicles chapter 20 when he was praying to the Lord about all the nations that were coming to battle Judah. In his prayer he said, "We do not know what to do, but our eyes are on you". If you were not there at the gathering, this is not to tease you, but to let everyone know how awesome our God is. God is in control and we all have a purpose. When we put our trust in him, submit, and follow him, He will take care of us. On your 4th day, no matter what the devil throws at you, just keep your eyes on Jesus.

It is that time of the year when the Emmaus community has the opportunity to elect board members. This year we have 5 candidates who have accepted the nomination to serve on the board. They are Chad Duckworth, Jim Dunton, Grant McDaniel, Patty Minga, and Eddie Rose. The Board will have 5 vacancies at the end of 2021 so we have the perfect number of candidates. Therefore, all candidates will be elected by acclamation. It is my privilege to welcome our newest board members. I am so thankful for their willingness to serve the Emmaus community.

The board has been busy calling people to see if they would be able to be board members. If you did not receive a call, don't take it personally. There could be a lot of reasons why, maybe no contact info, or bad contact info. The main reason is that they didn't know you wanted to serve on the Emmaus Board. What I'm wanting to say is don't assume anything. If you would like to serve on the board or work a walk please let someone on the board know and fill out a work application. I know that a lot of you have filled out work apps in the past and it gets old, but please be patient with us. We are working hard to create a reliable database. If you are reading this, we probably have your correct data, its all the other community members that we need to get correct contact info for.

We will be having spring walks! April 21-24 for men and April 28-May 1 for women. Mark your calendars and get your sponsor's applications filled out. We need pilgrims, so let us start talking to our friends and loved ones. If you can work or help with one of the walks don't forget to fill out a work application.

Also, the first Saturday of November is the 6th and we have a gathering at Jonesboro FUMC. Hope to see you all there and don't forget to bring a friend.

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Willie Frazier



**Save the Date for
2022 Spring Walks**

**April 21-24:
Men's Walk**



**April 28-May 1:
Women's Walk**

**Say YAY for the
November Gathering!**

Saturday, November 06, 2021

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First United Methodist, Jonesboro

801 South Main, St.

Bring your own lunch

4th Day Speaker and Holy Communion

15 Years of Near the Cross

This year marks the 15th anniversary of our Emmaus Community. In celebration of this milestone, the Board is asking all members to make a \$15.00 donation. All donations will go toward scholarships and the upkeep of Mt. Zion

Make checks payable to Near the Cross

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Welcome 2021-2022

New Board Members

Chad Duckworth
Jim Dutton
Grant McDaniel
Patty Minga
Eddie Rose

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