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# Coastal Bend Emmaus, Chrysalis, Damascus Communities

# Women's Walk to Emmaus # 1138

March 18-21, 2004

"The one who plants and the one who waters have a common purpose,... For we are God's servants, working together; you are God's field, God's building.

I Cor.3 5-9

God has touched every preparation. Just like a quilt made of many colors and pieces of fabric, this team has pieced together a multitude of talents and gifts. We appreciate your gifts of agape and prayers.

Grace and Peace, Karen Elliff, Lay Director

We still have openings for pilgrims.

If you would like to sponsor a pilgrim, send pilgrim application and fee to:

Karen Elliff, P.O. Box 592, George West, TX 78022.

# **PILGRIMS**

Elisha Allen
Jeanette Archer
Kat Boldin
Cindy Fair
Agnes Fankhauser
Tonya Glover
Nora Grebe
Laura Hallowell
Betty Holt
Linda Hood
Cookie Looney
Robyn Polansky

Susan Ramey
Mari Rivera-Roman
Shauna Robinson
Donna Rodenberg
Mary Beth Smith
Valerie Smith
Beverly Tackett
Becky Thomas
Hazel Tomkins
Cathy Vitek
Rhonda Wood

# <u>TEAM</u>

Lay Director: Karen Elliff
Spiritual Director: Janne Clinton
Clergy: Donna Classen, Steve Clinton,
Linda Elford, Mel Hazlewood,
Asst. LD's: Debbie Boss, Zula Langley,

Marilynn Yankee **Board Rep:** Barbara Moretich

Music: Donna Atkins, Linda Barcus, Tom Dowdy,

Table Leaders: Sandra Bristol, Judy Elliff, Brenda Hanus, Cathy Hopkins,

Martha Houston, Gay Mayo, Emery Wright

Asst TL's: Molly Floerke, Nancy Gilliam, Christy Hoffman, Mary Jackson,

Mary Ellen Page, Kim Riggens, Glynis Strause

**Angel's:** Sallie Ferrell, Pam Cantu, Sherry Chipman, Bev Cunningham, Bunny D'Amico, Linda Heartig, Carol Keener, Karen Martin, Julie Maupin, Malynda McNeil, Nora Reynolds, Betty Thomas,

Alice Tumlinson



## Prayer Chapel

Friday, March 19		
Priorities	Marilynn Yankee	8:50 am
Prevenient Grace	Mel Hazlewood	10:15 am
Priesthood of all Believers	Donna Atkins	1:10 pm
Justifying Grace	Steve Clinton	2:35 pm
Life in Piety	Glynis Strause	6:25 pm
Saturday, March 20		
Growth Thru Study	Nancy Gilliam	8:10 am
Means of Grace	Janne Clinton	9:50 am
Christian Action	Mary Jackson	3:00 pm
Obstacles of Grace	Linda Elford	4:30 pm
Discipleship	Kim Riggens	6:50 pm
Sunday, March 21		
Changing Our World	Christy Hoffman	8:25 am
Sanctifying Grace	Donna Classen	9:15 am
Body of Christ	Molly Floerke	10:35 am
Perseverance	Karen Elliff	11:35 am
Fourth Day	Zula Langley	1:15 pm

#### Community Schedule

Saturday - March 20 - 8:00pm Candle light and Communion Sunday - March 21 - 3:00pm Closing Service



# Women's Journey to Damascus #26

April 1-4, 2004

I don't know why I am constantly surprised by how good God is ... all the time! And yet, I remain awed by the outpouring of love and grace this Chrysalis, Damascus, Emmaus community (surely the Body of Christ) has shown the team as we draw on our Fourth Days – our good works – building God's Kingdom in our part of the world. God is preparing well this team, as we blend our unique gifts of the Holy Spirit, so that we will collectively love His precious pilgrims "right where they are." Serving humbly, passionately and joyfully, all for His greater glory, this team has become the living Scripture Christ instructs us all to be in Matthew 5:16. And so we will boldly "let our lights so shine before all, that they may see our good works and glorify our Father in Heaven!" Please, join us Palm Sunday weekend by lifting the pilgrims and team in prayer, through your agape gifts and with your presence at Candlelight. And "let your light so shine before all ..." In His Grip (with you) ... Susan S. Patterson, LD

## P[ILGRIMS

Adeline Alabata Dana Alvarado Caroline Bertuzzi Julie Brown Olivia Burks Sandra Capelo Ria Castro Cynthia Delao Kim Dubuque Linda Gallagher Nelda Garza Evelvn Gonzalez Linda Hazelwood Ann Hennis Debbie Jorden Diane Justusson Sharon Kollaja Cyndy Legamaro Kage Leudtke Christy Magourik Shirley McCaughey Colleen McIntyre

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#### **TEAM**

**Lay Director**: Susan Schanen Patterson **Spiritual Director**: Father Tom Goodwin

Asst. L.D.'s: Valerie Pompa, Christina Purnell & Tracey Simpson

Asst.S.D,'s: Sister Angela Murdaugh, Rev. Billy Storms & Rev. Ralph Willis

Board Rep.: Vicki Synovitz

Observing LDs: Julie Johnston, Martha Wilde & Katelijne Acker

Music: Elsie Gaertner, Jeanie Benson White, Ruth Camp & Loretta Pressly

Table Leaders: Beverly Cunningham, Cheryl Deal, Waynette Jarrell,

Judy Luna, Bonnie Martin, Judi Storms & Sue Tomlinson

Assistant Table Leaders: Elegence Ambrose, Carreno

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Nancy Schanen

Angels: Shonnie Conley, Carolyn Schanen, Desda Tansey, Kathryn Bailey, Anna Barrera, Gina Benavides, Shirley Bradley, Debbi Burnett, Vickie Conley, Rickie Crochet, Doris Garza, Gracie Garcia, Mary Ann Gonzales, Nere Gonzalez, Angie Hickman, Marti Huerta,

Gwen Kelly, Ryan Luna, Marcy Schnelle, Shellie Trefflich, Debbie Tucker & Theresa Williams

Prayer Chapel Coordinators: Julie & Patrick Nye



### **Schedule of Events**

Thursday, April 1, 2004 6:15 pm Sponsor Service

Saturday, April 3, 2004 8:00 pm Candlelight & Agape Meal Love & Unity Talk

Palm Sunday, April 4, 2004 2:00 pm Closing Service

#### **Prayer Chapel**

# Friday, April 2, 2004

8:45 am Priorities Elsie Gaertner
10:45 am Grace Sister Angela Murdaugh
1:10 pm Priesthood of All Believers Valerie Pompa
2:35 pm Faith Rev. Ralph Willis
7:10 pm Life in Piety Christina Purnell

#### Saturday, April 3, 2004

8:20 am Growth Through Study
9:40 am Sacraments Father Tom Goodwin
2:35 pm Christian Action Laureen Pedrotti
3:55 pm Obstacles to Grace Rev. Billy Storms
6:25 pm Discipleship Stacie Milark

#### Palm Sunday, April 4, 2004

9:15 am Changing Our World Desda Tansey
10:15 am Body of Christ Leah Godfrey
11:25 am Perseverance/Fourth Day Susan Patterson

# Walk To Siloam

The Coastal Bend community is sponsoring a special walk called the "Walk To Siloam". This Emmaus styled walk is for homeless men. 24 pilgrims will be selected by and from 5 different Missions already determined in the Corpus Christi area.

The "Walk to Siloam" will be held from May 6th to May 9th at the Zephyr Baptist Encampment on Lake Mathis. Craig Adams has been chosen to serve as the Lay Director, and the Spiritual Director is John Blacklock. The Scripture that has been chosen for the walk is John 9:25, "I once was blind, but now I see".

Candlelight will be at the 8:00 time on Saturday evening at Zephyr. We hope and encourage the Coastal Bend Emmaus, Damascus & Chrysalis Community to pray for, attend candlelight.

Since this walk is for the homeless—Sponsors are needed to pay the \$120.00 pilgrim fee. The walk is in need of Agape as well as Sponsors. Please prayerfully consider what the Lord would ask of you concerning this event.

For more information, please contact either, Craig Adams at 549-0145, Dan Pierce at 653-5001, or Gary Hudson at 653-5236



# Community Agape Letters are going to these communities. Please keep them in your prayers.



April	Grand Rapids Catholic Cursillo	Spanish Men's and Women's	Trufant, Michigan
April 1-4	Bay Area Emmaus	Women's Walk #20	Houston, Texas
	Oceanside Emmaus	Men's Walk # 33	Coconut Creek, Florida
April 15-18	Ottawa Cursillo Movement	Men's Cursillo	Ottawa Ontario Canada
	Mouvement des Cursillos Secteur de l'Outaouais	6 Men's #341	Aylmer, Quebec, Canada
	Central Texas Conference Emmaus	Men's Walk # 254	Fort Worth, Texas
	North Texas Tres Dias	Men's #23	Dallas Texas
	Eastern Panhandle of West Virginia Emmaus	Women's #83	Martinsvurg, West Virginia
April 22-25	Kwazulu Natal Emmaus	Men's Walk #55	Pietermaritzburg, South Africa
	Kalamazoo Area Emmaus	Men's Spring Walk	Western Michigan Conference
	New Horizon Emmaus	Women	Amherst, Texas
	Llano Estacado Emmaus	Men's Walk # 53	Lubbock, Texas
	Oceanside Emmaus	Women's Walk # 34	Coconut Creek, Florida
	North Texas Tres Dias	Women's #23	Dallas Texas
	Midwest Crossroads Emmaus	Men's Walk #19	Northwest Indiana / Illinois
	Fredericksburg Emmaus	Women's Walk #1147	Fredericksburg, Texas
	Central Illinios Emmaus	Men's #172	Bondville, Illinois
April 23-26	Central Queensland Emmaus	Men's Walk #31	Emerald, Australia
April 29-May 2	Kalamazoo Area Emmaus	Women's Spring Walk	Western Michigan Conference
	Kwazulu Natal Emmaus	Ladies Walk #56	Pietermaritzburg, South Africa
	Central Texas Conference Emmaus	Men's Walk # 255	Fort Worth, Texas
	Midwest Crossroads Emmaus	Women's Walk #20	Northwest Indiana / Illinois
April 30-May 3	Central Queensland Emmaus	Women's Walk #32	Emerald, Australia

# UPCOMING



Men's Journey to Damascus # 27 April 29 – May 2, 2004 Fred McCutchon, LD

Women's Emmaus Walk # 1153 May 13 -16, 2004 Julie Johnston, LD

Girl's Chrysalis Flight
June 10—13, 2004
Debbie Burnett & Michael Hoffstadt LD's

Men's Emmaus Walk # 1156 June 17 - 20, 2004 Trey McCampbell, LD

# PLEASE NOTE ...

**ATTN: SPONSORS** 

Emmaus walks are turned over to the Lay Director 4-5 weeks before the walk. If the pilgrim registration paperwork is mailed to San Antonio during that timeframe, the pilgrim may not get on the walk due to the time delay & turnaround. Please contact the LD directly if you are registering a pilgirm 4 to 6 weeks prior to the desired walk.



## **Newsletter Deadlines**

### Submit by the 25th of each month to:

Cindy McMahon 5906 McAlpin Drive Corpus Christi, TX 78413 852-0800 (H), cindymcm7@grandecom.net

# **Additional Information**

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# **Change of Address**

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