



Llano Estacado Emmaus Community Newsletter

Monthly

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November 2001

Community Meeting

Thursday, November 1
7:00 p.m.

The next Llano Estacado Emmaus Community meeting will be at Indiana Ave. Baptist Church. **Bring your favorite snack to share.** Guests are welcome, and a nursery is provided for children kindergarten and younger. Upcoming Community meetings are:

Nov. 1	Indiana Ave. Baptist	9507 Indiana
Dec. 6	Vandelia Church of Christ	2002 60th
Jan. 3.	Oakwood United Methodist	2215 58th
Feb. 7.	St. Luke's United Methodist	45th & Memphis
March 7	Indiana Ave. Baptist Church	9507 Indiana
April 4	Trinity Church	Loop 289 & University

The Board of Directors would like to thank the Community for the generous giving to the scholarship fund at the October community meeting. We have climbed out of the negative and have a good amount to start the new year. We will not need to take a special offering in November and December for scholarships. Please continue to be generous in your giving to the Community as our operating fund is still a little low. When a need is presented, our Community is so great to respond generously. Thank you all very much!

DeColores!
Paul

Llano Emmaus Community is proud of its web site!! Make sure to check it out for the latest information. It is also a great way to read the newsletter and keep up with important dates. You can also download applications for walks and flights. Go to www.llanoemmaus.org

From the Lay Director

Greater love has no one than this, that he lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13

There are many parts of the Emmaus Walk that require that we give of ourselves for others. One way is to serve on a team. How do I get to serve on a team? The Llano Estacado Community has a team selection committee that works with each walk Lay Director to select people to serve on teams. To be considered to be on a team, you must have a member data sheet filled out and on file with Donna Campbell, who is in charge of data entry for the community. You can serve on a team if you have been a member of the Emmaus Community for at least 12 months since you attended your walk. Are you active in your local church, involved in a regular reunion group, attending monthly community meetings, and have you sponsored a person on a walk? Are you involved in the walks by attending candlelight, furnishing food or pillow agape, being an angel, or volunteering for the prayer chain? These are all factors that are looked at by the committee as they select names to serve on a team. We will have a time at the November Community meeting to fill out member data sheets. If you have any questions about how teams are selected, contact me or any board member. See you soon!

DeColores! Paul

WOMEN'S WALK #67

PILGRIMS

Not posted on the Internet

TEAM

Amy Holt	Amy Smallwood	Barbara Taylor
Beth Statler	Carla Riggins	Carol Comey
Cristi Day	Crystal Roach	Debby Roddy
Denise Rogers	Donna Zahn	Jenni McLelland
Jimmy Nunn	Judy Bolton	Karen Brown
Kay Miller	Kristie Griffin	LeaAnn Lust
Lin Hendricks	Lousie Schock	Marsha Bryant
Marvin Gregory	Steve Rogers	Roberta Patterson
Sue Griffin	Susan Nelson	Suzy Polk
Tera Evans	Tona Shipman	Zona Roulain

May joy and peace surround you, contentment latch your door, and happiness be with you now, and bless you ever more.

May you have the hindsight to know where you have been, the foresight to know where you are going, and the insight to know when you have gone too far.

Bryant Gumbel recently interviewed Billy Graham's daughter.

Gumbel: "Why didn't God stop this or do something about this?"

Billy Graham's daughter: "For years we have told God we didn't want Him in our schools, we didn't want Him in our government, and we didn't want Him in our finances, and God was being a perfect gentleman in doing just what we asked Him to do. We need to make up our minds — do we want God or do we not want Him?! We cannot just ask Him in when disaster strikes."

Bryant Gumbel was silent.

Newsletter Information

Mail newsletter renewals (\$7.00/yr.) or address changes to:

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The deadlines for articles is the 15th of each month. Send to:

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BOARD MEMBERS

Class of 2002	Class of 2003	Class of 2004
Elizabeth Lawler	Sparky Eckles	Teddy Carson
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Community Lay Director	Paul Faulkner
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Cleopas Committee

Joyce Atkinson	Tammy Balch	Jim Becton
Bob Gee	Paul Faulkner	Buddy Baldrige

2001 Walk Dates

Date	Walk	Lay Director	Status
Nov. 8 - 11	Women's #67	Marsha Bryant	Full

2002 Walk Dates

Jan 24-27	Men's #44	Mike Huffaker
Feb 14-17	Women's #68	
Mar 21-24	Women's #69	
Apr 25-28	Men's #45	
June 13-16	Women's #70	
July 18-21	Men's #46	
Aug 1-4	Women's #71	
Sept 19-22	Men's #47	
Oct 17-20	Women's #72	
Nov 7-10	Women's #73	

All Walks and Flights are held at Mercy Center in Slaton, unless other wise indicated.

2001 - 2002 Cleopus Dates

Mar. 2002	Mens' #4	John Anthony	West Norway
Mar. 2002	Womens' #4	Bonnie Baldrige	West Norway

Epiphany Dates

Jan. 3-5	#2	Bruce Slaughter
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Kairos Dates

March 13-17	#11	Royce Wittie	Open
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SPONSERSHIP TRAINING

Sponsorship training is held every month at 6:15. This is immediately before community begins and is held in the same location as community meetings. Training is important in helping you to learn some of the ins and outs of sponsoring a pilgrim. It is important that everyone be clear on their responsibilities as a sponsor in order to help the team and angles do their jobs, as well as your pilgrim get the most from their experience.

If you have any questions, call Elizabeth Lawler, 791-5028.



Chrysalis Connection



Chrysalis News

The Chrysalis Community needs your prayers!

- Pray for our upcoming College Journeys
- Pray for Sponsors (that's right, for Sponsors). There are lots of caterpillars out there just waiting for someone to invite them on a Chrysalis.
- Pray for the Chrysalis Board as we seek ways to encourage and promote sponsorship.
- Pray for wisdom as we seek our next Community Spiritual Director.

CHRYSALIS BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2001 - 2002

Clergy:	Steve Campbell	Buddy Payne
	Chris Rickwartz	
Youth:	Anna Hagood	Kent Stone
	Ashlee Smith	
College:	Ryan Strebeck	Lessie Collins
	Sarah Irwin	
Adult:	Tammy Balch	Coby Gilbreath
	Eric Bickerstaff	
Adult:	Toby Lynn	Carloyn Botkin
	Doris Stevens	

Lay Director: Ryan Smallwood
Assistant Lay Director: Lynda Heinrich
Past Lay Director: LaFonda Stephens
Spiritual Director: Jody Boudreaux-Wilson
Retreat Center Representative/Treasurer:
 Al Williams

Grant me a sense of humor, Lord. the saving grace to see a joke, to win some happiness from life and pass it on to other folk.

May your pockets be heavy and your heart be light. May good luck pursue you each morning and night.

The Cleopas Team has witnessed a miracle of love in Norway-East. The greatest is God's love to the Norway people, evidenced by His work in the lives of each pilgrim through Emmaus and other Kingdom outreaches here. God is moving here in power! The second miracle is the empowered people of Norway who have taken enormous strides in establishing a functioning community. The Cleopas team was delighted to under gird and support a Norsk team who took a great share of responsibility. It is as if they gave birth to this movement as we served them as midwives---cheering them on in faith! Another great love which cannot be minimized is the outpouring from Llano Estacado and New Horizon Emmaus Communities. We thank you especially for your prayers, which made an eternal difference in many individuals and families. The team has also been so impressed with you agape gifts, financial support and words of encouragement.

May God bless you everyone!

The Norway-East Cleopas Team

2001 Flight Dates

Dec 30 - Jan 2	Guys College#9	
Jan 3 - 6	Gals' College #9	Michelle Heath
May 30-June 2	Girls #15	
June 6-9	Guys #15	
June 20-23	Girls #16	
July 11-14	Guys #16	

HS = High School

* Held at the ARK in Amherst

All Walks and Flights are held at Mercy Center

Registrars

For information or applications for Walks or Flights, contact:

Emmaus — Women

Danny McCallister
 3412 93rd Street
 Lubbock, TX 79423
 h: (806) 792-2460 --
10 a.m.-9 p.m. only
 w: (806) 745-9781 ext. 5

Emmaus — Men

Sharon Lipscomb
 3706 36th Street
 Lubbock, TX 79413
 w: (806) 745-9781 ext. 4

Chrysalis — Gals

Jo Ellen Stansiser
 5204 50th St., # A105
 Lubbock, TX 79414
 (806) 797-9107

Chrysalis — Guys

Nancy Owens
 2216-B 22nd Street
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Pumpkin Patch

A lady recently being baptized was asked by a co-worker what it was like to be a Christian. She replied, 'It's like being a pumpkin: God picks you from the patch, brings you in, and washes all the dirt off you may have gotten from the other pumpkins. Then he cuts the top off and scoops out all the yucky stuff. He removes the seeds of doubt, hate, greed, etc., then He carves you a new smiling face and puts His light inside of you to shine for all the world to see.'

There are many ways we can support others and ourselves spiritually. There are many opportunities for helping others within the Llano Estacado Community.

- *Attend Candle Light - Help set up and clean up
 - *Attend Send Off
 - *Write letters to Pilgrims
 - *Angel a Walk or Flight
 - *Write an Article for the Newsletter
 - *Sponsor someone on a Walk or Flight
 - *Bake Kairos cookies
 - *Fill out your information sheet so you can work a Walk, Flight, or Kairos
 - *Invite a Babe Chick to reunion group with you.... or start a new group together
 - * Attend community - Bring a goodie to share in fellowship
 - * Invite some friends over for a book study
- Just be yourself and let the love of our Lord Jesus Christ shine through you. Others are attracted by the beautiful glow of His love and will seek you out to find out what is so right in your life. Even when it feels things are down and wrong, the love you feel from providing a service to others is difficult to hide.

I AM THANKFUL FOR

- *THE PARTNER WHO HOGS THE COVERS EVERY NIGHT, BECAUSE HE IS NOT OUT WITH SOMEONE ELSE.
- *THE CHILD WHO IS NOT CLEANING HIS ROOM, BUT IS WATCHING TV, BECAUSE THAT MEANS HE IS AT HOME AND NOT ON THE STREETS.
- *FOR THE TAXES THAT I PAY, BECAUSE IT MEANS THAT I AM EMPLOYED.
- *FOR THE MESS TO CLEAN AFTER A PARTY, BECAUSE IT MEANS THAT I HAVE BEEN SURROUNDED BY FRIENDS.
- *FOR THE CLOTHES THAT FIT A LITTLE TOO SNUG, BECAUSE IT MEANS I HAVE ENOUGH TO EAT.
- *FOR MY SHADOW THAT WATCHES ME WORK, BECAUSE IT MEANS I AM IN THE SUNSHINE.
- *FOR A LAWN THAT NEEDS MOWING, WINDOWS THAT NEED CLEANING, AND GUTTERS AND NEED FIXING, BECAUSE IT MEANS I HAVE A HOME.
- *FOR ALL THE COMPLAINTS I HEAR ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT, BECAUSE IT MEANS THAT WE HAVE FREEDOM OF SPEECH.
- *FOR THE PARKING SPOT I FIND AT THE FAR END OF THE PARKING LOT, BECAUSE IT MEANS I AM CAPABLE OF WALKING AND THAT I HAVE BEEN BLESSED WITH TRANSPORTATION.
- *FOR MY HUGE HEATING BILL, BECAUSE IT MEANS I AM WARM.
- *FOR THE LADY BEHIND ME IN CHURCH THAT SINGS OFF KEY, BECAUSE IT MEANS THAT I CAN HEAR.
- *FOR THE PILE OF LAUNDRY AND IRONING, BECAUSE IT MEANS I HAVE CLOTHES TO WEAR.
- *FOR WEARINESS AND ACHING MUSCLES AT THE END OF THE DAY, BECAUSE IT MEANS I HAVE BEEN CAPABLE OF WORKING HARD.
- *FOR THE ALARM THAT GOES OFF IN THE EARLY MORNING HOURS, BECAUSE IT MEANS THAT I AM ALIVE.

No articles submitted from Kairos or Epiphany this month. If you need information please contact Royce Wittie (Kairos) or Bruce Slaughter (Epiphany).