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#### SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND WALK TO EMMAUS WOMEN'S WALK #80 November 3 – 6, 2016 CATHEDRAL CAMP, EAST FREETOWN, MA

#### **TEAM MEMBERS**

#### NAME

#### TALK ASSIGNMENT

Lay Director Spiritual Director Assistant Spiritual Director

Assistant Spiritual Director

Assistant Lay Director Assistant Lay Director Board Representative

Table Leaders & Assistant Table Leaders

Music

Kim Whynacht

**Bobbie Chapman** 

Donna Schofield-Dolle

Linda Leach

Debra Miller Donna Schuyler Donna Moody

Allyson Bachta Paula Dykstra Donna Fish Debbie Humm Elsa Johnson Bonnie-jean Rowe Janet Smith Ruth Sperry Perseverance Means of Grace Justifying Grace Obstacles to Grace Prevenient Grace Sanctifying Grace Priority Fourth Day

Changing Our World Christian Action Life of Piety Body of Christ

Grow Through Study Discipleship Priesthood of All Believers

Agape Team: Carrie White-Toomey, Joan Dextraze, Veronica McCormick, Don Miller, Barbara Sweeny

# PILGRIMS

Sarah Crass Bella Doumbia Margaret Heide Sunni Kelly Lynne Lamarre Sharon Loud Rachel McMahon Grace Taylor Community UMC, Wayland, MA Long Plain UMC, Acushnet, MA Zion Lutheran Church, Oxford, MA Wesley UMC, Lincoln, RI Wesley UMC, Lincoln, RI Faith Community Church, Carver, MA United Church of Norwood, MA Portsmouth UMC, Portsmouth, RI



Women's Walk #80 will be held at Cathedral Camp Retreat Center 167 Middleboro Road East Freetown, MA02717



<u>Candlelight</u> will be held beginning at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 5th. Gather first in the retreat center dining room for music and fellowship and then proceed to the chapel at 8:30 p.m. for worship, followed by Candlelight procession.

<u>Closing</u> is held at 5:00 p.m. on Sunday Nov. 6th. Both events are held at the retreat center.

Your attendance at these events is a wonderful way to show God's love to the pilgrims and to connect with the community. (Adult/teen community members only please. Children and guests are welcome at all gatherings.)

Directions to Cathedral Camp Retreat Center: <u>From North or Western Mass</u>: Take Rt. 24 South to Exit 12 onto Rt. 140 South. Take Exit 8 "Chace Rd". Take a right off exit ramp. Proceed straight across the rotary. This becomes Mason Road. Follow to end. Turn left onto Rt. 18. Cathedral Camp is about 1 mile up on left. <u>From South or R.I.</u>: Take 195 East to Rt. 140 North. Take Exit 8 "Chace Rd." Take left off ramp. Proceed straight across the rotary. This becomes Mason Road. Follow to end. Turn left onto Rt. 18. Cathedral Camp is about 1 mile up on left.

## UPCOMING EMMAUS WALKS

Men's Walk #81	April 20-23, 2017
Women's Walk #81,	April 27-30, 2017
Men's Walk #82	Oct. 19-22, 2017
Women's Walk #82	Oct. 26-29, 2017

All Walks are held at Cathedral Camp in East Freetown, MA

...Were not our hearts burning within us as He talked with us on the road...to Emmaus (Luke 24:32).

# AGAPE...AGAPE...AGAPE

The Emmaus Walks depend on the generous support of our Community members for Agape <u>letters, gifts, decorated placemats and home-baked</u> <u>food items</u>. This is another way to show God's love to all participants. Please mail your items to P.O. Box 461, Wakefield, RI, 02880 at least one week prior to the Women's Walk, OR deliver them to the retreat center by Friday of the weekend, OR contact a team member who can bring them to the weekend.

# **72 HOURS PRAYER VIGIL**

The power of Emmaus is through prayer!



Prayer warriors are needed to fill the 72 hour prayer wheel. Remember how special this was on your weekend? Please volunteer to pray during a one hour time slot (or more) when you are contacted. If you are not called, please contact Barbara Fortin at 508-234-2137 or email her at barbarafortin@charter.net. You can sign up online! The link for the women's weekend is http://www.3davol.org/Vigil/GetComm.phtml Scroll down the list until you see the Southern New England Emmaus row, then click in the dates column to view open slots and sign up. Need help identifying what to pray for? Go to sneemmaus.org and under the "Members" section (username and password: freely, freely), choose "forms" and then "Prayer Suggestions".



4<sup>TH</sup> Day Events November 19th, 2016

Long Plain United Methodist 1215 Main Street Acushnet, MA

## <u>10 a.m. – 1 p.m. - Fourth Day Insights!</u>

An informal session open to anyone interested in learning all about the Walk to Emmaus movement. Learn the ins and outs of the 3 day weekend experience. This is an important place to start if you would like to be on a future team or to learn more about sponsorship. Register with Barb Fortin at 508-234-2137 by Nov. 17th. Bring a bag lunch. Beverages will be provided.

#### 12 – 1 p.m. Team Evaluation Meeting for Team of Walk #80

## 1 - 3 p.m. <u>COMMUNITY GATHERING</u>!

## Worship... Music...Fellowship...Refreshments

The entire Emmaus community is invited to a time of fellowship and praise! Come meet the new pilgrims and visit with old and new friends. Guests are welcome! Please bring a (small) favorite snack to share – beverages provided!

Directions to Long Plain UMC:

**From Route 195**: Take 140 North to Exit 7 (Braley Road). Turn RIGHT at exit to light. Turn LEFT on Acushnet Ave. Drive .4 miles and take RIGHT onto Peckham Road. Go approx. 1.5 miles when road bears right and becomes MIDDLE Road. Go another <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> mile and turn LEFT onto LAKE St. Go 1 mile to Stop. Turn RIGHT onto MAIN St. Church is <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> mile up on right.

**From Route 495**: Take Exit 5 (Route 18-South); Rt. 18 (Bedford St) merges on Rt. 105 south. Continue on Rt. 105 into Acushnet. Church is on the right. (#1215 Main Street).

# Southern New England Emmaus is now on Facebook!

We are pleased to announce the launch of our new Fourth Day Community Facebook page! The idea is to supplement our current website and emails to help further strengthen connections within the SNE community, as well as encourage and support each other on our respective Fourth Day journeys. If you are a Facebook member, simply search for "Southern New England Emmaus" on your "Join Facebook home page, and click Group". Within a short time, you will be granted full access to the site content, be able to post or comment, and also begin receiving updates directly on your home page (a feature which you can control). We also encourage you to help us "spread the word" of our Facebook presence among the entire community by inviting fellow SNE Fourth Day pilgrims who use Facebook. It's easy to do using the invite feature on the main page, by adding them directly if they OK, or by directing them to the site and having them ask to join. (And any member can approve another member!)

Please join us as we look to use this wonderful technology to help sustain the strength generated during our Walks and further advance His kingdom! And we'll also post important up to date information on walks and gatherings.

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We are always trying to keep our lists updated. If you change your email address or move, please let us know! Send any address changes (email and snail mail) to sneemmaus@gmail.com. Or send changes to P.O. Box 461, Wakefield, RI 02880. And please help defray mailing costs by using email whenever possible! Thank you.



## SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND WALK TO EMMAUS MEN'S WALK #80 October 27 – 30, 2016 CATHEDRAL CAMP, EAST FREETOWN, MA

# - CANCELED -

Greetings to the SNE Emmaus Community!

It is with sadness that we announce the cancellation of Men's Walk #80. Unfortunately, we just did not get the pilgrim applications needed to run a weekend. While we feel a sense of loss by this cancellation we know that God has plans for our community. Lamentations 3:32-33 reminds us "Though he brings grief, he also shows compassion because of the greatness of his unfailing love. For he does not enjoy hurting people or causing them sorrow." – NLT; with that being said we need to remember that as a community we have a responsibility to do our part. We must continually pray for our community that we will hear God's voice above all the noise of the world.

The Upper Room booklet "What is Emmaus?" in its first sentence states, "The Walk to Emmaus is a spiritual renewal program intended to strengthen the local church through the development of Christian disciples and leaders." Therefore, it is important to note that the focus of Emmaus is **NOT** the weekends, but on our Fourth Day. We must continue to meet in our group reunions in order to stay accountable. If you are not in a group reunion we encourage you to find one in your area. If there isn't a group in your area start one. When there is a gathering, plan to attend so that you can reconnect and support one another in faithful living.

We would like to thank the men's team for Walk #80. You answered God's call to serve giving sacrificially and cheerfully of your time. Thank you, Kim Black, Herby Duverne, Bill Dykstra, Steve Gable, Dan Genannt, Don Henrich, Jay Hickey, Bob McConnell, Glenn Moody, Jim Paquette, Mike Pike, LaVergne Randolph, Roy Richardson, Mike Rowe, Gary Schuyler, Arthur Smith, Mel Trott, Jay Sperry, Phil Viall and Sarah Viall.

We are happy to report that we WILL be having Women's Walk #80, as scheduled! We encourage the entire community to be in prayer for the Women's weekend and to support it by your presence at Candlelight and Closing. (As always we would also welcome your Agape gifts, place mats, and home-baked goods.)

Please see the following information on the Women's Walk and other important information on upcoming events. And we hope to see you at the Gathering on November 19<sup>th</sup>!

Shalom,

Donna and Glenn Moody