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Community: July 15, 2010

New Covenant Church
3300 Kokomo St., Plainview, TX

# LIVING WATER

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### Words from your Lay Director



Greetings,

Well today is only July 2 and I am only 1 week late. Kayla is going to fire me if I don't get on the ball. But anyway, I hope all is well with everyone and I am looking forward to seeing everyone on the 15th of July for community. Brother Ron Brunson and the members of the New Covenant Church have volunteered to let us have our July meeting at their church. The address is 3300 Kokomo St. in Plainview. If you need to know directions to their church give me a call and I will be glad to tell you how to get there.

We will be commissioning the team for Walk #67, which will be from July 29 thru 1 August. Danny and his team are ready and we have some pilgrims but still have room for plenty more. It is not too late to get someone signed up for this Walk. We do have room for more pilgrims and we are going to have the Walk anyway. So why let those empty chairs go to waste we all know of someone who deserves to experience God's unconditional love for 72 hours nonstop. Please, community, I am begging you to fill this walk. If we do not have more pilgrims, the board is going to have to consider canceling all July walks for the future and that means that there will be 36 men a year who will not have that opportunity to experience the love of Jesus Christ in the unique way that it is experienced thru the Walk to Emmaus.

We also need churches for upcoming monthly community meetings. Brother Ron graciously called me just this week and offered his church for our July meeting. If we don't have a place to meet then we will have to start canceling monthly community meetings. Please everyone consider that we all have a role in the continuation of this Emmaus Community and if we don't all do our part the community will die and I don't think that God is through using this tool that we call the Walk to Emmaus.

Well, I guess I had better stop preaching to the choir and get this to Kayla before she fires me. May you experience God's love for you in a special way until we meet on the 15th.

God Bless

Melvin Vanlandingham

#### Community Gathering

-- July 15--

New Covenant Church

3300 Kokomo St.

Plainview, TX

Board 5:30 PM Sponsor's Training 6:00 PM Meal 6:30 PM Worship 7:30 PM

Bring your favorite dishes. Wear your name tag. Bring your worship book. Come to share in the fun and fellowship!

LIVING WATER BOARD: 5:30 PM. SPONSOR'S TRAINING will be held at 6:00 PM with Elaine Barrett as leader. The Board invites and urges all new community members and others who have never sponsored a pilgrim, and anyone who has not been through a recent training class to participate. The class will last for 30 minutes. Being a sponsor is one of the most important roles of the Walk To Emmaus. Several areas must be covered in order for the pilgrim to have an exciting and successful walk. Worship begins at 7:30 with praise songs, and closes with communion.

# UPCOMING COMMUNITY GATHERINGS

July 15th New Covenant Church 3300 Kokomo St.

Call Sue Johnson at 889-3331 to list your church on the schedule. E-mail: t6676s@yahoo.com

T.G.I.F. - TODAY GOD IS FIRST

# LIVING WATER MEN'S WALK #67 July 29- Aug. 1

Pilgrims of Walk # 67

Ernest Alcala Chris Fulton Bobby Jordan Brendon Thrasher Chance Autry Harold Germany Brandon Miller Kody Thrasher John Franklin
John Jones
Jess Roan

(this list subject to change)

Come on Community I'm sure you know a great man who would enjoy this walk....

When I say good morning I mean to say:

G-od O-ffers us His O-utstanding D-evotion to

M-ake us
O-bedient &
R-eady for a
N-ew day with Him.
I-nspire others please, and
N-ever forget
G-od loves you!



Let others know you love them; God will bless you for doing just that!!!

#### From your community

Everyone has been asked to

Please fill out a new DATA Sheet and get it turned in as soon as possible.

Data Sheets may be found on the web sight at

www.livingwateremmaus.com
Mail to: Elizabeth Franklin
1004 Vernon
Plainview, TX 79072 or e-mail to
texas\_maw\_maw@suddenlink.net
806-296-6090

#### REUNION GROUPS 2010

We are in search of UPDATING the Reunion

groups roster. If you are part of a reunion group

PLEASE contact Stacie Hardage or Kayla Edwards

with information about your group.

### UPCOMING WALKS

#67 Men's Walk
July 29-Aug.1, 2010
Danny Andrews, Lay Director
Kelly Warren, Spiritual Director
Wayland Baptist University

#68 Women's Walk
Oct. 14-17, 2010
Janet Pyle, Lay Director
Rance Young, Spiritual Director
Plains Baptist Assembly, Floydada

# 69 Men's Walk
January, 2011
Shannon Thrasher, Lay Director
?? Spiritual Director
Plains Baptist Assembly

Women's Registrar: Nancy Martin 729-3817

Men's Registrar: Darral Bryant 806-928-1344 or 806-771-5271 Walks cost \$135 for July \*\* \$140 for October & January Walks

#### ••NAME TAG ORDERS••

Persons wishing to order new name tags should send a \$10.00 check to Living Water Emmaus Community, P. O. Box 1895, Plainview, Texas 79073-1895. If you have lost your lanyard, and also need another cross, , the charge for the cross is an additional \$5.00. There is no charge for the "crocheted" lanyard. Please send the following information with your order: Name, church, hometown, and mailing address. Tags will be ordered ASAP and returned to you via mail.

WALK INFORMATION FOR
Wayland Baptist University
SMAC BUILDING & Brown Chapel
(old Trinity Church) 9th and Utica
>>>Parking Space is available 1
block east of SMAC building<<<
9th & Travis or across the street from
Brown Chapel

FOOD AGAPE - Bring to send-off on Thursday night July 29 to the kitchen of the SMAC Building. If your pilgrim has special food needs, please provide them. If food agape is brought after Thursday night, leave it in the Agape Room across from the kitchen.

PLACE MATS - Bring for all eight meals on Thursday night to the Agape Room. Please label them as to which meal they are for. These must all be there at that time!!

AGAPE GIFTS - Bring Thursday night to the Agape Room in the SMAC building. To assist the servant team, your cooperation is appreciated on the following:

--Do NOT "personalize" agape with pilgrims' names. (Of course, it is OK to include your name or the name of the reunion group providing the agape.)

--Do NOT bring personal gifts for pilgrims. (Give after the walk.)

--Do NOT bring any agape after Friday noon.

CAMERAS - Please do NOT bring cameras to send-off, candlelight or closing. The only pictures made during a walk will be of table groups. SEND-OFF, July 29 - Gather outside the NW end of the SMAC building. Immediately following will be Sponsors' Hour in the Brown Chapel at 8th & Raleigh.

CANDLELIGHT, July 31 - Do not arrive at the Brown Chapel before 7:30 PM. This will help to keep your presence a surprise! Worship service will begin about 8:30 PM. The pilgrims are scheduled to arrive for Candlelight at 10 PM.

CLOSING, Aug. 1 - Brown Chapel: Do not arrive earlier than 3:30 PM. Worship service will begin about 4:30, with the pilgrims scheduled to arrive between 4:45 and 5:00. Volunteers are needed to help with clean-up after closing.

\*\*\*\*Don't forget your working battery Candlelight's, if you need to purchase one the price is \$5.

Loners are available to be returned after candlelight.\*\*\*\*

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## † ARTICLES FOR NEWSLETTER

Deadline for articles for the newsletter is the 25th of each month. Articles may be mailed to 2807 W. 10th St., Plainview, 79072 or phone 292-4807 or e-mailed to kayla.edwards@yahoo.com