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Next Candlelight

Saturday

October 7th & 14th

@ 8:00PM,

Camp Gilmont,

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Greetings GRACE Community, Many GRACEious thanks go out to Marion Burgess and Swan Wood Springs United Methodist Church for the warm reception and delicious snacks at our

Gathering on September 14th. We had a great turnout and an inspiring message by Micheal May, which you can find the "Readers Digest" version of it later on in this newsletter.

At our Board meeting this month, I was excited to hear from our Nominating Committee that all of you who were contacted to be put on the ballot to serve on the Board were excited to have that opportunity. God is so good and provides just the right people to serve at just the right time, as is always evidenced by the awesome Walk Team that He assembles to serve, year after year. Thank you all for your willingness to serve.

Remember we now have the opportunity for electronic monthly contributions, thanks to Brian McCabe. He has graciously offered his services in helping to set up an account that people can contribute to electronically directly out of their own checking accounts. This can be especially useful for those of you who can't always make it to Gatherings, but still would like to help support to work and cause of GRACEmmaus. You will find a form at the end of this newsletter - fill it out, cut it out and mail it to GRACE, P.O. Box 132212, Tyler, TX 75713-2212, and we'll get you set up. There will also be a form online at www.gracemmaus.org that you can print out, fill in and mail. All contributions are tax deductible to this non-profit organization.

Finally, but most important of all, our Women's Walk is full with a waiting list and our Men's Walk has 33 as of this writing. That is the most men we have had in a very long time. Thank you for your prayerful sponsorship for

these men and women who will encounter our Lord Jesus Christ in a new and exciting way at Camp Gilmont in just a few short weeks. PLEASE be in constant prayer for these Pilgrims, the Team Members and especially the Walk Lay Directors as they prepare their hearts and minds to be used mightily for GOD! You can sign up for the prayer vigil online at

<http://www.3dayol.org/Vigil/GetComm.phtml>,

Scroll down to Greater Rose Area Community of Emmaus and click on the men's or women's Walk dates, click on sign up and fill in the blanks. **If you don't have internet access, you can sign up for a time by calling Teresa Elliott 903-570-5233 and she will get you signed up.**

Candlelight will be both Saturdays, October 7 and 14 at 8:00 p.m. at Camp Gilmont. Also don't forget the opportunity to help serve the Agape Dinner. Be there by 4:00PM on Saturday to help with that!

See you all at Candlelight!

Yours in Christ,

Bob Myers

Anyone who would like to serve at the Agape Meals for the Upcoming walks needs to sign-up by please contacting Lynda Slay at 903-275-8979 or lms9266@aol.com. Women serve the Men on Sat. Oct. 7. Men serve the Women on Sat. Oct. 14. White shirt and black or navy pants or skirts need to be worn when serving. No Sponsors or Family Members of the PILGRIMS may serve at their Agape Meal.

DeColores!
Lynda Slay

Pilgrims Men's Walk No. 38

Billie N. Brown
Payne Springs UMC, Mabank

Sidney Collum
Pollard UMC, Tyler

Chris R. Crawford
FUMC, Hallsville

Frank Duncan
Grace UMC, Palestine

Michael M Endrizzi Jr.
First Christian, Mineola

Dominic Federico
Pollard UMC, Tyler

Keith Feille
Not Listed

Stanley Ferguson
Green Acres Baptist, Tyler

John Hafner
Grace UMC, Palestine

Jerry Halpain
FUMC, Jacksonville

Danny Jones
Green Acres Baptist, Tyler

Shellie Jones
FUMC, Athens

Jeffrey Kelly
First Baptist, Allen

Richard Long II
St Mark's UMC, Marshall

Burton Love
Payne Springs, Eustace

Loren Lykins
FUMC, Bullard

Tom McDonald
Pollard UMC, Tyler

Jay Mitchell
FUMC, Longview

Dale Mobley
Grace Community, Lindale

Ed Moore
FUMC, Longview

Michael NeJame
Bethel Bible Church, Tyler

Eric Payton
Not Listed

David Phipps
FUMC, Not Listed

Gary Reaves
FUMC, Athens

Gene Skeen Jr.
Grace UMC, Palestine

Randy Skiles
1st Baptist, Athens

James Tingle

First Christian, Mineola

Alvie L Vickers Jr.
Flint Baptist, Bullard

Chester Bell
Dells Chapel, Tyler

Gaylan Boyd
Cowboy Church, Waxahachie

Pilgrims Women's Walk No. 39

Deitra Bizzell
Enon Baptist, Quitman

Martha Black
First Baptist, Eustace

Frances Brown
Lanes Chapel UMC, Tyler

Karen Brown
Our Savior Lutheran, Tyler

Lee Brown
Payne Springs UMC, Mabank

Melisa Burgess
Pollard UMC, Tyler

Nikki Byrd
Pollard UMC, Tyler

Reba Caraway
First Baptist, Jacksonville

Sharon Cline
FUMC, Troup

Lilly Duncan
Grace UMC, Palestine

Jaimie Durrett
FUMC, Jacksonville

Linda Frederick
Chandler UMC

Marla Frederick
Chandler UMC

Tammie Gibson
Green Acres Baptist, Tyler

Peggy Griffith
Green Acres Baptist, Tyler

Bela Hafner
Grace UMC, Palestine

Lynn Howell
New Life Church, Gladewater

Sue Hyre
First Baptist, Eustace

Patricia Jaco
National Revival Center,
Whitehouse

Jennifer Lynn Jones
Smyrna UMC, Diana

Lessie Jones
FUMC, Jacksonville

Martel Love
Payne Springs UMC, Mabank

Debra Maloch
St. Lukes UMC, Kilgore

Rhonda Martin
Lifepoint Fellowship, Tyler

Jill McGill
Chandler UMC, Chandler

Fran McGilvray
First Baptist, Athens

Denise Patrick
FUMC, Mineola

Annette Portwood
Walnut Grove UMC, Whitehouse

Robin Simpson
First Baptist, Fairfield

Avonne Tetrick
Van UMC, Van

Angela Thompson
Mineola UMC, Mineola

Debbie Van Fleet
Pollard UMC, Tyler

Diana Vega
Central Baptist Church, Tyler

Lou Walls
First Christian, Mineola

Fern Woodall
FUMC, Grand Saline

Dennis Milsted
Grace Community, Tyler

As your 4th day speaker at the September gathering, I had the honor of re-answering those two questions we answered at the end of our walk. (1) What did the walk mean to you? And (2) What are you going to do about it?

The walk meant so many things to me that I couldn't even begin to scratch the surface in this short summery. One of the main things I mentioned at the gathering is that the walk was a great example of how to start and live your day. I relearned how important it is to dedicate yourself to the Lord everyday; not just when something is wrong or something happens which causes God to get our attention, but everyday!

So I encourage you to join me and commit to dedicating yourself to the Lord everyday, Ask and expect to receive His blessings, and then take what the Lord gives you and do the best you can with it!

G.R.A.C.E. Board Nominees for 2006-2009 (Please Select 5 Only)

_____ **Ray Carden, Lindale** _____ **Bill Durr, Jacksonville** _____ **Robin Gillian, Flint**
_____ **Debbie Hays, Longview** _____ **Brent Hooser, Tyler** _____ **Leah Huffstetter, Tyler**
_____ **John Norman, Canton** _____ **Harold Starkey, Tyler** _____ **Rick Tetrick, Tyler**
_____ **Rena Williams, Murchison** _____ **Nancy Lineberry, Longview**

Cut ballot here and Mail to P.O. Box 132212 Tyler, Tx. 75713-2212 **OR** Leave in Ballot Box at the next Two Candlelight's.

The G.R.A.C.E. Emmaus Community wishes to continue to spread the life changing experience that a Emmaus weekend can deliver. Won't you help us by donating funds for scholarships for both pilgrims and team members? Our goal is to one day provide enough scholarships so that we can help those that cannot afford to go to be able to attend an Emmaus weekend.

We are asking you to consider donating \$5, \$10, \$25 monthly, or whatever amount you would like to set the donation to. This monthly donation will be debited automatically from your bank account on or about the 15th day of the month.

Thank you for your continued support of our Emmaus community. **Mail form to P.O. Box 132212 Tyler, Tx. 75713-2212.**

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