



# FACE to FACE ENCOUNTER

A Part of the Valley Emmaus Community

## APPLICATION

Please provide a separate application for each attendee

### Office Use Only

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Asg. Letter: \_\_\_\_\_

Conf. Letter: \_\_\_\_\_

Encounter Assigned: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

**Encounter #3 February 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026 9am to 3:30 pm**

**First United Methodist Church, 4200 N McColl Rd, McAllen, TX 78504**

**Deadline to register is January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Name Tag: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Current/Previous Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: ☐ Married ☐ Single ☐ Widowed Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Is your spouse attending this Encounter with you? \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical Information – Please complete this section to help the team be prepared for your needs.**

List any physical limitations or restrictions we would need to know about. \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any special dietary needs? \_\_\_\_\_

This Encounter is a 4-day commitment. Are you able to make this crucial commitment? ☐ Yes ☐ No

In consideration of participating in a VEC Face to Face Encounter, I release Valley Emmaus Community, its designated facilities, its Co-Board members, officers, Trustees, member, legal representatives, successors and assigns from claims of any kind for any damages or injuries, including but not limited to attorney's fees and expenses, relating to my participation in a Face-to-Face Encounter. Any claim, controversy or dispute arising from or related to Face to Face or the Walk to Emmaus, or this agreement or breach thereof, shall be settled by mediation and, if mediation is unsuccessful, by arbitration which shall be the sole and exclusive remedy, except to enforce an arbitration decision. This paragraph is governed by the Federal Arbitration Act (9 USC §§ 1-16) and shall continue to govern any dispute that may arise during or relating to any term of service or participation with Valley Emmaus Community, even after such service or participation is terminated for any reason.

**Your Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Church Affiliation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Pastor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Pastor Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Pastor's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Primary Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

Note to Pastor: The focus of Face to Face is God, as known in Jesus Christ, and how that finds expression in the local church. The objective of Face to Face is to inspire, challenge, and equip local church members for Christian action in their homes, churches, and in the world. It encourages a way for our grace-filled life to be lived and shared with others.

**VERY IMPORTANT – SECOND PAGE MUST BE COMPLETED**

# VERY IMPORTANT – BOTH PAGES MUST BE COMPLETED

Friend: \_\_\_\_\_

Friend Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Friend Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Friend Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Primary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Family Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Please ask your sponsor to fill out the following:**

Sponsor's First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Business: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name/Location of Church: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you attend regularly? \_\_\_\_\_

Your Walk/Flight/Encounter Location: \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ #: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Sponsors: Verify the following statements by placing a check on each blank.**

\_\_\_\_\_ If applicable, I have discussed the Encounter with my pilgrim's spouse and encouraged the spouse to attend the same Encounter.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am praying for my pilgrim.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have explained the Face to Face Encounter to my pilgrim.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I am to assist my pilgrim if needed with transportation to the Encounter.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will accompany my pilgrim to the first gathering following my pilgrim's Encounter.

\_\_\_\_\_ I will assist my pilgrim in getting established into a reunion group after the Encounter.

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the sponsorship information provided on the website – [valleyemmaus.com](http://valleyemmaus.com).

Face-to-Face is a method of Christian renewal in the church. Individuals recommended for Face to Face should be currently active in a local church and have a desire to deepen their faith and become closer to Christ in their discipleship. As a sponsor, you are required to provide information to the applicant to assist him/her in the decision to attend an Encounter, to help him/her enter fully into the Face to Face fellowship after the event, to provide prayer and other support, and to provide as needed transportation to and from the Encounter. Please be sure to encourage BOTH husband and wife to attend Face to Face. Your signature is a covenant to a vital responsibility as a member of the Emmaus/Face to Face Community.

**Sponsor's signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$75.00 fee enclosed (Make checks payable to VALLEY EMMAUS.)**

Questions? Call Karen at 956-957-8095

**Mail completed Application with payment to:**  
**Karen Prewitt- 2101 Mauve Dr, Mission, TX 78572**