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SNACKS!!!

Every Walk depends on many important things. One that we may take for granted, because we know it is coming, is snacks. Think back to your Walk and how these “treats” mysteriously appeared just when you were hungry. Okay. You were never hungry on a Walk, but think of how food is a way of showing love for another person—an agape gift. Now is the time to begin signing up to donate snacks and drinks to those pilgrims on the next Walks. Patti Tickel is the board member currently overseeing snacks. She needs commitments— not at the last minute, though!

Funds are limited for snack purchasing, so we need your donations! Please sign up on the website, by clicking on the link on the “Forms/Signups” page. Select the items you would like to donate, for either the men’s or women’s, or BOTH!! You may also contact Patti at ptickel@hotmail.com or 580-795-4388, if you would like donate and are having difficulty signing up online. Thank you!

VOLUNTEERING - WE CAN STILL USE YOU

Please be praying about serving for the next Walks. We still need volunteers to serve on the Men’s Hands & Feet Team. If you would like to volunteer, even for only a part of the Walk, please contact the Lay Director, Gary Heller, at 580-465-8448.

SET UP AND TEAR DOWN VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to assist Jay Grace with setting up and/or tearing down the Tabernacles for the Walks, please contact him. The camp has a few employees, but it takes the community’s help to get the gathering buildings prepared for each Walk. The more volunteers, the faster it goes! You can reach Jay at 580-465-1040 or jaygrace52@gmail.com.

TABLE AGAPE NEEDED

Remember when you entered the dining hall for the first meal and found all of the goodies at your seat? Wasn’t it fun to wonder what would be left at the next meal? Let’s give that same feeling to our next pilgrims! If you haven’t started working on items with your Reunion Group, please make plans to start. We need **72 pieces** of agape **per Walk!** Be sure to identify your reunion group’s name on the agape.

Contact Terry Pierson at papat1954@hotmail.com or 580-220-8737.

LETTER AGAPE

Don’t forget about Letter Agape! All pilgrims are listed on the next page. Please feel free to get a head start on writing letters. We all get caught up in the moment of preparing for Emmaus and usually wait until Candlelight to leave notes, but we really need to receive letters by Friday night (for each Walk) so we can announce at the Candlelight Service if certain Pilgrims are lacking in numbers of letters. If you have any questions, you may contact Melissa West at 580-465-4012.

Please sign up for the Prayer Vigil online!
You may contact Melissa Grace if you have any questions.

WALKS #109 PILGRIMS

Men's Candlelight Service is Saturday, September 24, at 8pm

Closing is Sunday, September 25, at 4:30pm

Please be in prayer for the following Men Pilgrims and their families:

Justin Rushing - Noble UMC
Billy Hollingshead – WOW Church
Michael Evans – WOW Church
Jefferey Constable - FUMC Ardmore
Henry (Hank) Ketcher – WOW Church
Gerald Coutch - WOW Church
David Baldwin - WOW Church
Tim Wimberly - WOW Church
Doug Perry - FUMC Ardmore
Trace Drummond - FUMC Owasso
Mark Scott - FUMC Ardmore
Earnest Best - NCA
Mike Schneider - Methodist
Roy Sweeden - Methodist
Bro. Joe Taylor - Church on the Rock
Tommy Nestlerode - Pathway Meth
Drew Rush - Calvary Christian Fellowship
Jeff Shugart - Midway Free Baptist
Jonathan Wright – WOW Church
Larry Whitehead - 12 Corner Baptist
Christopher Cunningham - Asbury UMC
Mike Edwards - Grace Church Wichita Falls
Bill Robertson
Jim Dowling - Colbert Meth
Richard Greer - FUMC Madill
Chris Harris - New Hope
Cody Brown - WOW Church
Basil Porter - Calvary Christian Fellowship
Seth Haynes - FUMC Ardmore
Wendal Hughes - Baptist

WALKS #110 PILGRIMS

Women's Candlelight Service is Saturday, October 1, at 8pm

Closing is Sunday, October 2, at 4:30pm

Please be in prayer for the following Women Pilgrims and their families:

Raylee Rushing - Noble UMC
JoBeth Pempsell - FBC-Ardmore
Kimberly Hickman – WOW Church
Hayden Perry - FUMC Ardmore
Jessica Drummond - FUMC Owasso
Gwen Scott - FUMC Ardmore
Kalin Smith – Broken Bow UMC
Deseria Sweeden - Methodist
Marquita Brown - The Lords Church
Allison Smith - The Lords Church
Kayla President - The Lords Church
Sarah Taylor - Church on the Rock
Dianne Nestlerode - Pathway Meth
Myranda Shugart - Midway Free Bap
Amie Whitehead - Baptist Church
Cindy Kennedy - FUMC Valliant
Randa Dowling - Colbert Meth
Jordan Aljoe - FUMC Ardmore
Pam Claxton Hammons - First Baptist Ringling
Ann Good - FUMC Ardmore
Susan Watt - FUMC Ardmore
Colleen Munn - FUMC Coalgate
Jo Dawna Smith - Barnard Mem UMC
Pat Castellow - FUMC Ardmore
Sonya Mullins - FUMC Ardmore



FOURTH DAY GATHERING

Tuesday, October 10, 2022

7:00pm

FUMC Ardmore – Colvert Ministry Center

503 W. Broadway, Ardmore, OK 73401

PAYPAL DONATIONS & PAYMENTS

Do you know that you can donate monetarily to our Community through PayPal? You may use this feature to pay team and candidate fees or donate for any designated purpose (snack agape, scholarship fund, general fund, etc). You may also choose to setup reoccurring donations. Visit our website and click on "Donate," or login to your own PayPal account and send your donation to "info@crosspointemmaus.org." Please specify what the donation or payment is intended for, in comments/purpose. You may also scan this QR Code to donate on a mobile device.



On the Road to Emmaus

13 Now that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem. 14 They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. 15 As they talked and discussed these things with each other, Jesus himself came up and walked along with them; 16 but they were kept from recognizing him.

28 As they approached the village to which they were going, Jesus continued on as if he were going farther. 29 But they urged him strongly, "Stay with us, for it is nearly evening; the day is almost over." So he went in to stay with them. 30 When he was at the table with them, he took bread, gave thanks, broke it and began to give it to them. 31 Then their eyes were opened and they recognized him, and he disappeared from their sight. 32 They asked each other, "Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us on the road and opened the Scriptures to us?"

—Luke 24: 13-16, 28-32

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