

ROOSTER TALES



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The Monthly Newsletter of the Pioneer Country Emmaus Community

“Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.” Luke 24:35 (NRSV)

February Gathering at St. Matthew UMC is potluck



St. Matthew
United Methodist Church

300 N Air Depot, Midwest City, OK 73110, 405-732-6831

The February Gathering of the Pioneer Country Emmaus community will be held on Saturday, February 21, 2015 at St. Matthew UMC, which is located at 300 N. Air Depot in Midwest City. The Gathering will begin with a potluck dinner at 5:30 PM, followed by worship at 7:00 PM. During the worship service, we will be commissioning the teams for Men's Walk #135 and Women's Walk #136.

Please bring a dish and/or soft drinks to share with the Community. AND please bring a friend, because Gatherings are open to everyone! Childcare is available during the Gathering. Please RSVP with Debbie Rowland at 681-2135 or 802-8113 to reserve your child's spot.

The Spring Walks are a go!

We have the minimum number of applications for both Men's Walk #135 and Women's Walk #136, but would like to see full Walks. If there is someone whom you have been wanting to talk with about attending a Walk, now is the time! The teams will be commissioned Saturday evening, February 21st, at St. Matthew UMC, will have their last Team Training session and walk-thru on Saturday, February 28th, and will be ready to bring the Pilgrims closer to Christ through the Walks. Men's Walk #135 is March 12-15, and Women's Walk #136 is March 19-22, and will be held at Mustang UMC, 211 W. State Highway 152. If you have any questions about sponsorship, please contact our registrar, Peety Luka, or any current Board member. Contact information can be found on the back of this newsletter.

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Invitation to a special event

Rev. Roosevelt Papouloute, Superintendent of the Belize/Honduras District of the Methodist Church in the Caribbean and Central America, will be attending PCE Men's Walk #135. **Rev. Esther Hanner**, pastor, will be attending PCE Women's Walk #136. A generous offering at the August 2014 Gathering at Lost Creek UMC made it possible for Pioneer Country Emmaus to fund travel and registration expenses for Revs. Papouloute and Hanner. Several Belizeans have been attending Walks to Emmaus in the United States, and plans are well under way for establishing a Belize/Honduras Emmaus Community. Pioneer Country Emmaus is a sponsoring US community, along with an Emmaus Community from the Lexington, Kentucky area and one of the Houston area Emmaus Communities. The tentative date for Walk #1 of the Belize/Honduras Emmaus Community is July, 2016.

Rev. Papouloute will be arriving in Oklahoma Monday evening, March 9th. On Tuesday evening, March 10th, beginning at 7:00 p.m., a come and go welcome reception will be held at Lost Creek UMC, 8002 S. Washington, Stillwater, Oklahoma. Rev. Max Rudd and Lost Creek UMC would like to invite anyone in Oklahoma or the PCE Community to stop by and get to know Roosevelt prior to the Men's Walk.

PCE Board for 2015

Here is your Board of Directors for 2015:



1st row: Kay Sullins, Kathy Hamilton, Judie Ellis, Debbie Rowland, Bryan West

2nd row: Mary Nethercutt, Ron Luka, Peety Luka, Linda Rinehard, Marge Carmichael, Micky Miller, Kim Smith

3rd row: Mario Herrera, Randy Reed, Charles King, Tony Zahn, Scott McMurry, David Smith

Here are your Table of Servants and Outside Team for Men's Walk #135:

<u>Lay Director:</u>	Jim Hinckley	Perseverance
<u>Spiritual Director:</u>	Steve Brant	Means of Grace
<u>Assistant Spiritual Directors:</u>	David Johnson Yolanda Faye Perry Max Rudd Dr. Don Toland	Sanctifying Grace Justifying Grace Obstacles to Grace Prevenient Grace
<u>Assistant Lay Directors:</u>	Jeff Bull Randy Reed Rob Scholl	Priority Fourth Day Life of Piety
<u>Table Leaders:</u>	Doug Eckert Jim Hammond Craig Lewis Jack Smith Ron Ward	
<u>Assistant Table Leaders:</u>	Frank Barnett Jerry Bower Warren Collins Jim Hinds David Smith Rodney Wanger	Discipleship Body of Christ Christian Action Changing Our World Grow Through Study Priesthood of All Believers
<u>Board Representative:</u>	Bryan West	
<u>Musicians:</u>	Ronnie Creager, Max Wilson	
<u>Prayer Room:</u>	Curtis Matthes, Bill & Leslie Parks, Marvin & Diane Scheele	
<u>Kitchen Managers:</u>	Scott & Cindy McMurry	
<u>Dining Room Managers:</u>	Jeremy & Erika Ledford	
<u>Snack Managers:</u>	Debbie & Dodie Collett, Jerry & Rebecca Perry	
<u>Agape Manager:</u>	Kathy Munsell	
<u>Team Assistants:</u>	Scott Schuermann, Steve Chessmore, Alan Smith	

Here are your Table of Servants and Outside Team for Women's Walk #136:

<u>Lay Director:</u>	Becky Parker	Perseverance
<u>Spiritual Director:</u>	Guy Ames	Means of Grace
<u>Assistant Spiritual Directors:</u>	Les Hastings Crystal Hughes Randy Little Valerie Steele	Sanctifying Grace Justifying grace Obstacles to Grace Prevenient Grace
<u>Assistant Lay Directors:</u>	Catrina Bourne Kelley Essary Susan Good	Changing Our World Fourth Day Priority
<u>Table Leaders:</u>	Sue Collins Martie Ervin Lorna Garner Linda Rinehard Heather Spiva Heather West	
<u>Assistant Table Leaders:</u>	Jill Blevins Patti George Debbie Rowland Kay Sullins Cindy Wilkey Suzy Wooldridge	Priesthood of All Believers Life of Piety Discipleship Grow Through Study Christian Action Body of Christ
<u>Board Representative:</u>	Kim Smith	
<u>Musicians:</u>	Karren Brown, Wendee Perceful, Stacey Ruston	
<u>Prayer Room:</u>	Cooper Ames, Rich & Diane Rudebock	
<u>Kitchen Managers:</u>	Lost Boys / Ken Edmondson	
<u>Dining Room Managers:</u>	Pam Dimski, Peety Luka	
<u>Snack Manager:</u>	Reunion group c/o Nancy McKinnis	
<u>Agape Managers:</u>	Nina Boyles, Mary Nethercutt	
<u>Team Assistants:</u>	Joan Broadmerkel	

Prayer Room Schedule

Men's Walk #135 - March 12-15, 2015
Women's Walk #136 - March 19-22, 2015

Friday

<u>Talk</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Men's Walk</u>	<u>Women's Walk</u>
Priority	8:40 AM	Jeff Bull	Susan Good
Prevenient Grace	10:45 AM	Dr. Don Toland	Valerie Steele
Priesthood of All Believers	1:15 PM	Rodney Wanger	Jill Blevins
Justifying Grace	2:35 PM	Yolanda Faye Perry	Crystal Hughes
Life of Piety	6:05 PM	Rob Scholl	Patti George

Saturday

<u>Talk</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Men's Walk</u>	<u>Women's Walk</u>
Grow through Study	8:15 AM	David Smith	Kay Sullins
Means of Grace	9:45 AM	Steve Brant	Guy Ames
Christian Action	2:30 PM	Warren Collins	Cindy Wilkey
Obstacles to Grace	4:00 PM	Max Rudd	Randy Little
Discipleship	6:30 PM	Frank Barnett	Debbie Rowland

Sunday

<u>Talk</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Men's Walk</u>	<u>Women's Walk</u>
Changing our World	8:05 AM	Jim Hinds	Catrina Bourne
Sanctifying Grace	9:10 AM	David Johnson	Les Hastings
Body of Christ	10:30 AM	Jerry Bower	Suzy Wooldridge
Perseverance	12:30 PM	Jim Hinckley	Becky Parker
Fourth Day	1:30 PM	Randy Reed	Kelley Essary

Don't forget to go online to the community website

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and sign up for the prayer vigils for the walks!

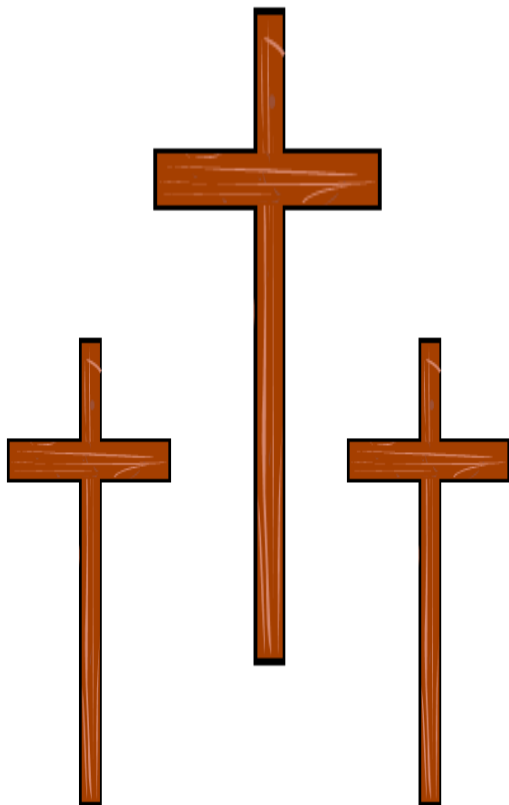
Do you have a 4th Day Story?

How about a good study or devotional idea that's worked for you?

Why not share them with the PCE community?

Just email it to :

roostertales@gmail.com



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CALENDAR

February 21, 2015

February Gathering

St. Matthew UMC
300 N. Air Depot Blvd. - Midwest City

Pot luck dinner begins at 5:30 PM so bring a dish to share. Praise and worship featuring team commissioning for the upcoming Walks begins at 7:00 PM. Childcare is available, PLEASE RSVP with Debbie Rowland at 681-2135 or 802-8113 to make the necessary preparations for your child.

Gatherings are open to all so please invite a friend!

Important Information regarding the upcoming Walks:

Setup is 6:30 PM on Wednesday, March 11th & March 18th
Send-off is 6:30 PM on Thursday, March 12th & March 19th
Candlelight is 8:00 PM on Saturday, March 14th & March 21st
Tear-down is 6:00 AM on Sunday, March 15th & March 22nd
Conference room tear-down is 2:30 PM on Sunday afternoon
Closing is 4:00 PM on Sunday, March 15th & March 22nd

Meal times:

Friday: Breakfast 8:00 AM / Lunch 12:30 PM / Dinner 5:30 PM
Saturday: Breakfast 8:00 AM / Lunch 12:00 PM / Dinner 5:40 PM
Sunday: Breakfast 7:30 AM / Lunch 11:45 AM

- February 21, 2015** PCE Board Meeting - 4:00 PM
St. Matthew UMC
300 N. Air Depot Blvd. - Midwest City
- February 21, 2015** February Gathering - 5:30 PM
St. Matthew UMC
300 N. Air Depot Blvd. - Midwest City
- February 28, 2015** Walk #135 & #136 Team Training
Mustang UMC
211 W. State Highway 152 - Mustang
- March 12-15, 2015** PCE Men's Walk #135
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- March 17, 2015** PCE Men's Walk #135 4th Day
Mustang UMC
211 W. State Highway 152 - Mustang
- March 19-22, 2015** PCE Women's Walk #136
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211 W. State Highway 152 - Mustang
- March 24, 2015** PCE Women's Walk #136 4th Day
Mustang UMC
211 W. State Highway 152 - Mustang

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