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# ROOSTER TALES

## Fellowship and Worship.

### 3Gs band will provide music

Come on out to the October Gathering! Pioneer Country Emmaus will be blessed with music from the 3Gs Band. They will provide music from about 6 PM to about 6:30, and will also serve as worship music for the Gathering.

Our October Gathering will be held at New Hope United Methodist Church, 11600 North Council Road, Oklahoma City, Ok, 73162.

Social time will include a pitch-in meal, starting at 5:30 PM. Worship will start at 6:30.

See page 2 for photo of location and for driving directions from some Oklahoma locations.

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### UPCOMING DATES

- October Gathering. New Hope UMC, 11600 N Council Rd, Ok City, OK 73162. October 19th, 2019.
- November Gathering. Highland Park UMC, 524 N Stallard, Stillwater OK. November 16, 2019
- December. There will not be a December gathering.
- Chrysalis Flights 13 and 14, New Covenant UMC, 2700 S Boulevard, Edmond, OK. January 1 thru January 4, 2019.



## New Hope United Methodist Church

**Our Pioneer Country Emmaus Gathering for October, 2019, will be held at New Hope United Methodist Church, 11600 North Council Road, Oklahoma City.**

**From Stillwater,** about 1 hour 3 min (65.6 mi) via OK-33 W and I-35 S. US-177 South to Okla Hwy 33 west. Take Interstate 35 S toward Oklahoma City. Take Kilpatrick Turnpike to Rockwell Ave exit. Merge onto W Memorial Rd. Turn left onto N Council Rd. 11600 N Council Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73162.

**From Enid,** about 1 h 24 min (76.8 mi) via OK-74 S. US-412 E/E Owen K Garriott Rd to OK-15 E/OK-74 exit toward Garber/Covington. Turn right onto NW 248th St/Azalea St/W Waterloo Rd. Turn left onto N Council Rd. 11600 N Council Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73162.

**From Moore,** about 32 min (29.6 mi) via I-35 N. Take I-35 N/US-77 N. Continue onto I-235 N/US-77 N (signs for Oklahoma Health Center). Take US-77 N to Kilpatrick Turnpike. Take exit toward Rockwell Ave. Merge onto W Memorial Rd. Turn left onto N Council Rd. 11600 N Council Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73162.

**From Piedmont,** about 15 min (8.8 mi) via Piedmont Rd N and Northwest Expy. From Piedmont Rd N, Turn left onto Northwest Expy. Turn left onto W Hefner Rd. Turn left onto N Council Rd. 11600 N Council Rd, Oklahoma City, OK 73162.

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*“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)*

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## MEET THE NEWEST MEMBERS



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*Meet the members of Walk 151 and 152, September 2019 Teams.*

## Overheard at recent closings

Used to being in control. Broke so many rules inadvertently at first.

It's ok to let others fill my cup.

Ok to ask for help.

Didn't know I'd meet so many friends.

Never heard of this walk. Thought it would be a 3 day vacation.

I Need to be filled with God.

Gonna trust and take on more responsibility in my own church.

I can't ask for help. I never ask for help. This walk has been very enlightening for me and helps me. I plan to make time for God and do more in my Christian Walk, and stay connected with Christian friends. The lord has always been constant in my life.

I won't let things keep me down . I'll keep marching.

I've been bad about using tools right. God was telling me it was time to get back to the books and study.

People wouldn't tell me anything. I'm so grateful now that they wouldn't.

I'm going to carve out more time to be intimate with with my savior.

This Walk has shown me just how much God loves me.

I'm going to be in complete submission to my God.

If people are going to gain their faith in Jesus Christ by hearing the Word of God, who is going to tell them that word? It is me.

I've met so many guys who helped me extend my knowledge of what it means to be a servant.

I want to be a representative of Christ...that shining light.

According to Oxford Living Dictionaries, to listen is to give attention to sound or action.[1] When listening, one is hearing what others are saying, trying to understand what it means.

[2] The act of listening involves complex affective, cognitive, and behavioral processes.

[3] Affective processes include the motivation to listen to others; cognitive processes include attending to, understanding, receiving, and interpreting content and relational messages; and behavioral processes include responding to others verbally and nonverbally.





## Chrysalis flights are coming soon

January 1-4, 2020 are the Chrysalis Flights.

That's right, we are starting out the year with a bang, The flights will be at New Covenant UMC in Edmond, Oklahoma.

The LD for the boys is Jim Hinds, and for the girls the LD is Kelly Hoefer.

Please keep these flights in your prayers, for all the volunteers and Caterpillars. The application for Chrysalis Flights are at the bottom of the homepage as well as the safe sanctuary application forms. Please note: Only those in the conference room and the TA's need the safe sanctuary form. Those working behind the scenes do NOT need the safe sanctuary form. The safe sanctuary form must be renewed every two years. These are also at the bottom of the homepage.

<http://pioneercountryemmaus.org.dnnmax.com/>

If you have any questions about safe sanctuary, you may email Angie Hinds at the following email address [hindsangelaj0704@gmail.com](mailto:hindsangelaj0704@gmail.com)

# chrysalis

## noun

chrys·a·lis | \ 'kri-sə-ləs \

*plural* chrysalides \ kri-'sa-lə-

'dēz \ *or* chrysalises

## Definition

### of *chrysalis*

**1a:** a pupa of a butterfly  
*broadly* : an insect pupa

**b:** the hardened outer protective layer of a pupa

**2:** a protecting covering  
*also* : a sheltered state or stage of being or growth... a budding writer could not emerge from his *chrysalis* too soon.— William Du Bois

# Do you have a 4th Day story?

DO YOU HAVE A 4TH DAY STORY?

We all have been impacted by our Walk to Emmaus experience. Each person has a story to tell. Will you please consider sharing yours with us here in the Newsletter?

Please email your responses to [PCEmmausNewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:PCEmmausNewsletter@gmail.com)



A few personal words from your Newsletter Editor.

I'm often asked "What has the Walk to Emmaus meant to you?" That is not an easy question to answer. There are so many facets of Emmaus that it's difficult to summarize the experience. One thing I know for sure, it is a lifelong experience, not just that initial 3-day weekend.

The month of September was especially difficult for me. I have a lot of health issues. I don't talk about them, I just do the best I can and go on. I don't like to be in the spotlight—I'm a behind the scenes person.

I had to make multiple trips to Indiana in September. The first trip was to see my brother who was critically ill. I made it there in time to say our "goodbyes" and "I love you" - words of comfort. The second trip was to a family reunion with my other siblings. In the middle of these two trips was the Womens Walk 152 where I was Board Rep. I was covered in prayer by so many Emmaus friends. I felt comforted, I had safe travels, I had no serious health events of my own during all this. I was genuinely loved and supported.

Emmaus is so much more than those 3 days. Emmaus is love, physical proof of the Love of Christ. DeColores, Linda Edmondson

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