



ROOSTER DOODLES

Sept. 2018

MESSAGE FROM FACE 2 FACE LAY DIRECTOR

Remember John 5:15 “I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing.”

Who would you like to share the Love and Grace of Christ with? Has God nudged you to ask someone to attend Face to Face? Are we listening? Remember the warm glow of the Emmaus and Face to Face Pilgrims as they shared what the Walk or Encounter meant to them? Don’t you want to give that away to someone else? The Face to Face Encounter # 6 is happening on September 7,8, 14,15: 9A.M. to 3:00 P.M. The team is preparing to see what God has in store for the Pilgrims and team. We have met to hear practice talks and walk through the encounter day by day. We have prayed together and shared the sacraments, had great music and potlucks. We are almost ready. Now we ask for your help. Invite someone. Pray for us and the Pilgrims. Sign up to pray. Please come to Candlelight Sept. 14th at 1:30 and Closing Sept. 15th at 1:30 to see how God has shined His love and Grace on them.

On September 22nd come and welcome your new brothers and sisters to the family. Next Day and the Encounter will be held at First UMC Mission Valley. Next Day is 11:00 to 2:00 and is a potluck.

For more information contact:

Diana Hall Lay Director Face to Face #6

FROM THE COMMUNITY SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR

“For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast.” Ephesians 2:8-9

Is there someone you know who the Holy Spirit is nudging you to invite to experience a Face to Face Encounter? Do you know someone who would benefit from a four session course, either learning about or being reminded about the immeasurable, unconditional love God has for every one of his people? We may feel exhausted, broken and in need of repair, but we need not stay that way. Let God help those who don’t think they can help themselves! Want to know how? Face to Face has sitting room only! September 7-8, 14-15! Invite someone to experience the blessing!

Looking for Help in Presenting the Walk to Emmaus (and Face2Face) to someone?
You can show them the Introduction Video (about 10 minutes) at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PvS8AJOZs4s>





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E-113 - Doug Smith

E-114 - Annette Caldwell

YOUR EMMAUS BOARD



The Emmaus Board has had a wonderful response to filling open Board Positions and we are grateful to those who have stepped up. We are still looking for a few good men or women to fill up-coming openings. **Musician, Secretary and Logistics** are three that particularly come to mind. And for you retired (or active!) Pastors, we would like an Assistant Spiritual Director to serve alongside Pastor Phyllis Ashe. Positions rotate every three years, so each year more openings occur as folks rotate off the Board. Please contact me or any Board member for further information. Blessings are yours as you bless others with your service. Please prayerfully consider serving....you know Christ is counting on you and so are we!

Please contact me or any Board member if you can help.

Mary Beth Klauer Community Lay Director

Descriptions (from last Rooster Doodles):

*Musician: You don't even have to play an instrument for this job! Organizing who will play when and recruiting new musicians for Gatherings and the Walks. We will give you the list of who can play or sing and you do the calling.

*Secretary: Keeps minutes of meetings. Sends out any official correspondence. (Our current Secretary will give you on the job training!) If you can type or write up notes, you are in!

*Logistics/Sunday Angels: This is a job that has four busy days a year! You will organize a small group of folks to help set up before and take down after the Walks, making sure all the Emmaus items get put back in the shed.

Our San Diego Walk to Emmaus web site contains the latest calendar information. It also has an Upper Room video where you can refer your potential Pilgrim for Walk information and an over view of the program.

Also, "Like" us on Facebook to view community activities.





MESSAGES FROM E113, E114 LAY DIRECTORS

Hey Emmaus community,

Are you ready? It is only a short 8 months until the next men's Walk E113 to Emmaus. Yes, it's true and we need your help. If you want to be a part of the Walk, there are many opportunities to serve on the team. Just let me know and I will try to accommodate you.

Equally important is the need for Pilgrims. This Walk is for them. My goal as Lay Director is to have 16 Pilgrims or maybe 24. Surely, we all know of at least one person that we would like to sponsor. Just send me an email at dougsmit9051@att.net to volunteer to serve or to recruit Pilgrims.

The Walk dates for Walk E113 are April 25-28, so there is time to recruit Pilgrims to make this one of the best Walks ever.

Most important is that your prayers are needed.

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Doug Smith- Lay Director Walk# E113

It is in awe and my honor to be appointed as the next Women's Lay director for E-114.

Two verses spoke to me this week as I considered the responsibility of this position.

The first:

Jesus said, "You didn't choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you could go and produce fruit." John 15:16 (CEB). I said YES but God chose me!

The second:

"Many are the plans in a person's heart, but it is the Lord's purpose that prevails." Prov. 19:21 (NIV)
It is HIS Walk, I am only a willing instrument. HE will bring all the planning of team and Pilgrims together for HIS glory.

Lord, may I be found worthy! May Your will be done!

At the writing of this article, I have not yet met with the team selection board. I know that all positions are open and I am prayerfully considering those who will say YES when I ask for their help with this Walk.

The first people I told about my Lay Director appointment were my reunion group, The EWES of Clairemont. I asked them to pray for me but also asked them to pray for Pilgrims that would attend the next Walk. The Lord had put on my heart months ago:

1) HIS verse Psalms 46:10: "Be still and know that I am God."

2) To pray for Pilgrims first because HE was already forming a team.

So ladies please be in prayer about your service and a Pilgrim you might sponsor for E-114 Walk so that when I do make that call to you, you will be ready to answer where the Lord has asked you to serve.

HIS Servant, Annette Caldwell, E-100



Becoming a Lay Director



We recently commissioned three new Lay Directors for Emmaus events...Diana Hall for the September Face to Face, Doug Smith for the April Men's Walk and Annette Caldwell for the May Women's Walk.

All these folks have shown a love of the Lord which they want to pass on to others. Several people have asked me how do you become Lay Director? Each Emmaus community has guidelines they follow with progressive leadership positions. What this means is that you start in the kitchen and work up to more and more leadership responsibility. This generally means one time as kitchen leadership and one or two times as ALD. The reason for this is not to see how good your decorations or cooking skills are, but instead to see if you can lead others with love. Can you set aside your own needs and concerns for the concerns of others, particularly for the Pilgrims. Also, as you move through the ranks you understand each position so that when you are the leader you have an understanding of each team member's responsibilities.

So basically it is a giving up of self for others. The Board discusses and votes on who can fulfill that role. Are you able to set aside yourself and work to further the kingdom?

It is an honor and privilege to serve as Lay Director, but we know that it is God, using us, working through us, to strengthen His relationship with His people. We are just His vessel.

Mary Beth Klauer, Community Lay Director

From The Registrar

I hope you all enjoyed your hot summer. It was good to see a lot of you at the summer BBQ and Gathering. As you know, Face to Face #6 will be held Sept. 7-8 and 14-15. Just around the corner! Hope to see you all at the Face to Face Candlelight and Closing on September 14th and 15th at FUMC, San Diego.

The next Emmaus Walks will be held in April and May 2019. They will be held later this time due to Easter falling later next year. The men's Walk #113 will be held April 25-28. Doug Smith will be Lay Director. The women's Walk #114 will be held May 2-5, with Annette Caldwell as Lay Director. The Fourth Day gathering will be held Saturday, May 11th. It is not too early to save those dates or think about who you may want to sponsor.

Talk to your friends and members of your congregation and share the excitement of how the Walk to Emmaus affected and changed your life and how you would love to have them take part in this spiritual weekend.

If you are interested in being a team member for either Walk, please pray about it and then contact the appropriate Lay Director above.

San Diego Emmaus Registrar SDEmmausregistrar@att.net





Please join us to welcome the newest
Face to Face #6 Pilgrims
at the

NEXT DAY Gathering

Saturday, September 22, 2018
11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.



FACE to FACE
THE UPPER ROOM®

*We'll begin with worship
and communion,
followed by lunch in
Linder Hall.*

First United Methodist Church
Mission Valley in Linder Hall
2111 Camino del Rio South
San Diego, CA 92108





FACE 2 FACE #6 ITEMS

Prayer

We should pray for one another because this brings glory to God. When we intercede for one another, we are reflecting the caring nature of God and thus bringing him glory. And not only are we bringing God glory by reflecting him through prayer, we also are creating a shared partnership in the good God produces through us, thus giving us all a reason to praise God when one of us succeeds in accomplishing his desires for us. In 2 Corinthians 1:10-11 Paul explains:

"He delivered us from such a deadly peril, and he will deliver us.

On him we have set our hope that he will deliver us again. You also must help us by prayer, so that many will give thanks on our behalf for the blessing granted us through the prayers of many."

When we pray for each other, it glorifies God in many ways. Therefore, may we seek to raise up the full canopy of prayer and intercession for one another. May we pray for others and seek out faithful brothers and sisters who will pray for us.

So I am calling all people to pray during Face to Face Encounter Sept 7- 8th and 14th – 15th. We need people in the Prayer Chapel (First United Methodist of San Diego) and we also need people to sign up for the Prayer Vigil.

The online prayer vigil (3dayol) isn't available for Face to Face.

Pray For the Team

Diana Hall	Paul Dinkel	Louise Cavallin	Henry Vaca
Ron Clapsaddle	Barb Bennett	Frank Wesley	Mary Beth Klauer
Joyce Floyd	Sue Melnyk	Stephen Chappell	Kathy Wesley
Phyllis Ashe	Pam Churness	Janet Smith	Brenda Holland
Hal Kingsley	Rosina Krefft	Mary Lou Flesh	Cindy Chappell
Chuck Kishpaugh	Shirley Kingsley	David Andrews	Cassie Brunker
Andy Welch	Connie Criswell	Teresa Vaca	Janice Nierenhausen
Bryan Stamper	Rory Hutchison	Denise Hilbert	

Face to Face Events

Community is reminded and invited to attend the following:

Candlelight - 1:30 to 2:30 PM Friday, September 14, 2018

Closing - 1:30 to 3 PM Saturday September 15, 2018

Next Day - Saturday, September 22, 2018 11 AM to 2 PM

Worship and Potluck to welcome Pilgrims who attended Face to Face #6



All events are at First United Methodist Church, San Diego, 2111 Camino del Rio South, San Diego 92108

AGAPE

The Team will take care of personal Agape. Other Agape (table Agape and individual cards) is appreciated. You can bring them to the encounter or give them to a Team member.



Resolve to Join a Reunion Group

There are several Reunion Groups already meeting throughout the county. Check out the SDEMMAUS website for a current list of active groups. If you are not already connected to your Emmaus brothers and sisters through a reunion group, think about joining one of these groups or contact some of your Emmaus brothers and or sisters and start a new group in your area. For further information contact Kathy Wesley

San Diego Walk to Emmaus Reunion Groups (7-29-18)

Area	Contact	Email	Day/Time	Location
RB/Poway				
	Steve Chappell (men)		2nd&4th Sat/8:00-9:30 am	RBCPC
FIG	Iva Pace (women)		2nd Friday 8:30-10:00 am	Iva's home
WWIGS	Barb Bennett/Kathy Johnson (women)		3rd Sat/8:30-10:00 am	Panera Carmel Mtn.
Poway Grouping	Joyce Floyd (women)		Saturday 9:00-10:30 am	Panera Carmel Mtn.
	Kathy Wesley (women)		1st Tues 5:00-6:00 pm	Panera Carmel Mtn.
Clairemont				
	Scott Caldwell (men)		1st&3rd Sat/8:00-9:30 am	Scott's home
	Annette Caldwell (women)		1st&3rd Sat/8:00-9:30 am	Panera Balboa/Genesee
Mission Valley				
	Mary Beth Klauer (men/women)		Wed/8:30 am	FUMC-MV
Real Men	Mike Sorce (men)		1st & 3rd Thurs/6:30 pm	FUMC-MV
Chula Vista				
	Lynda Reynolds (men/women)		Bi-weekly Thurs/6:00 pm	various homes
	Marilyn Henry (women)		2nd & 4th Thurs 2:00 pm	CV UMC
Coronado				
	Tom Lowe (men)		Tues/12:00-1:00 pm	St Pauls UMC
Crown Jewels	Charlene Patterson (women)		1st&3rd Sat/8:00-9:00 am	St Pauls UMC
	Matt Pontes		Thurs 7:00-8:00 pm	St Pauls UMC
San Diego				



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FACE TO FACE IMPORTANT DATES

Encounter Dates

September 7, 8, 14, and 15

FUMCSD (Mission Valley)

Candlelight Friday September 14, 1:30-2:30 pm.

Closing, Saturday, September 15, 1:30 - 3:00 pm.

***Note: No children at these events, nor is child care provided. Thanks for your understanding**

Next Day, Saturday September 22, 11:00 - 2:00 pm.

All the above are at FUMC San Diego (Mission Valley)

GATHERINGS

Next Day - Potluck

Saturday, September 22, 2018

11:00 am. to 2:00 pm.

FUMCSD (Mission Valley)

KAIROS

Inside Week-end - Oct. 25-28th, 2018

For details, contact Gary Jackson,

gjackson4344@gmail.com

NEXT WALKS

Men's Walk 113 April 25 - 28, 2019

Women's Walk May 2 - 5, 2019

Board Meetings

At FUMCSD (MV)

Sept 22 - prior to Next Day

Nov 8, 6:30 pm