



January 2010

FROM THE LAY DIRECTOR

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Well, friends, here we are in the New Year, which brings thoughts of change--changing less desirable aspects of our lives for the better, whether it is for our physical or mental well-being, our environmental impact, our financial situations, or maybe our spiritual practices. Scripture encourages us to embrace Jesus' new covenant and to look to a new Heaven and a new Earth. In so doing, we give ourselves opportunities for a new life--every day!

In keeping with this theme of newness, I would like to inform you of some things that are changing within our Fourth Day Group. I am Barb Hunsberger, the new Lay Director. We thank and praise Gordon Leeks for stepping up to the plate--again--and leading us through the previous year. Tommy Prudhomme is the new Lay Director-in-Training. Ingrid Durfee will continue as our Music Leader, and Diane Leeks remains our Agape Coordinator. Jim and Sally Schuermann are the new Treasurers, and Sheila Wacker still puts out the best newsletter ever!

As your Faithful Servants, we hope that you will continue to support us and the greater Emmaus Community by keeping us in your prayers and by worshipping with us at monthly Gatherings, which are the third Thursday of each month at 7:00PM. January through May will be at First United Methodist Church of Round Rock in the Brown Street Chapel upstairs in the two-story building.

May God richly bless each and every one of you and keep you in His love and care.

De Colores!

Barb



JANUARY
GATHERING
THURSDAY, 1/21
7PM @ FUMC

FEBRUARY
GATHERING
THURSDAY, 2/18
7PM @ FUMC





I will bless the Lord at all times;
His praise shall be ever in my mouth.

Let my soul glory in the Lord;
the lowly will hear me and be glad.

Glorify the Lord with me,
let us together extol His name.

Psalms 34: 2-4

WHAT'S NEW

OUR NEW RR EMMAUS E-MAIL IS: RR4THDAYGROUP "AT" [GMAIL.COM](mailto:RR4THDAYGROUP@GMAIL.COM)

FOLLOW US ON TWITTER AT: [HTTP://TWITTER.COM/RR4THDAYGROUP](http://TWITTER.COM/RR4THDAYGROUP)



REUNION GROUPS

Reunion Groups are a very important part of the [Emmaus](#) & [Chrysalis](#) experience. The importance of involvement in a reunion group cannot be overemphasized. Reunion groups provide a natural launching pad for mission in the community. Reunion groups are also a support base for acts of agape for [Emmaus](#) and [Chrysalis](#) weekends. Shared engagement in service to others deepens friendships and opens up avenues for Christian action.

Two men's groups meet in Round Rock on Thursday evening.
Contact rr4thdaygroup@gmail.com for more information.

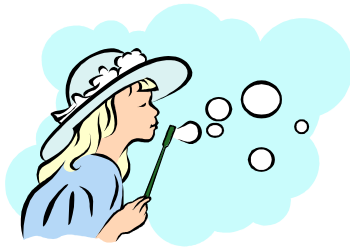
If your reunion group is not listed, or if the information here is incorrect please Contact: rr4thdaygroup@gmail.com

AGAPE...AGAPE...AGAPE...

Agape Project

BUBBLES

Buy small bottles of bubbles, attach ribbons and card saying: "My heart bubbles over with God's Love."



"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ,
he is a new creation;
the old has gone,
the new has come!"
2 Corinthians 5:17 NIV



Another Year is Dawning (Frances Ridley Havergal)

Another year is dawning;
Dear Father, let it be;
In working or in waiting,
Another year with Thee;
Another year of progress,
Another year of praise,
Another year of proving
Thy presence all the days.

Another year of mercies,
Of faithfulness and grace;
Another year of gladness
In the shining of Thy face;
Another year of leaning
Upon Thy loving breast;
Another year of trusting,
Of quiet, happy rest.

Another year of service,
Of witness for Thy love;
Another year of training
For holier work above.
Another year is dawning;
Dear Father, let it be,
On earth or else in heaven,
Another year for Thee.

TREASURER REPORT

Round Rock Emmaus Community Checking Account:
Balance as of 11/16/2009 is: \$1,256.04 .

Respectfully submitted by
Michael & Regina Bohmfalk
Treasurers

UPCOMING WALKS JANUARY 2010 –OCTOBER 2010

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348	Jan 7-10	Women	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center, Glen Rose
349	Jan 21-24	Men	Lake Brownwood Christian Retreat Center, Brownwood
350	Feb 4-7	Women	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
351	Feb 18-21	Men	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
352	Feb 25-28	Women	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center, Glen Rose
353	Apr 15-18	Women	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
354	May 6-9	Men	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat center, Glen Rose
FL 73	Jul 8	Girls	First United Methodist Midlothian
355	Jul 14-17	Women	Polytechnic United Methodist Church, Fort Worth
	Wed – Sat		
356	Jul 21-24	Men	Polytechnic United Methodist Church, Fort Worth
	Wed – Sat		
FL 74	Jul 22	Boys	First United Methodist Midlothian
357	Sep 9-12	Women	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
358	Sep 23-26	Men	Latham Springs Baptist Camp, Aquilla
359	Oct 7-10	Men	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center, Glen Rose
360	Oct 21-24	Women	Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center, Glen Rose

THIS IS OUR PRAYER

Diane
 Brittney & family
 Brett & family
 Joe & family
 Our military
 Peace in our world

Any prayer concerns or changes to this list can be emailed to chilitamaria@yahoo.com.

Names will appear on this list for 1 month and then will be removed.

Please resubmit if prayers are still needed.
 Only first names will be used for privacy reasons.

De Colores





Visit us on the web:

<http://www.gbgn-umc.org/ctcwtc/>

Emmaus Central Conference Web Site

<http://www.roundrockemmaus.org>

Round Rock Community Web Site

EMMAUS 2010 GATHERING DATES

Gathering Date	Gathering Location
January 21	First UMC-RR
February 18	First UMC-RR
March 19	First UMC-RR
April 15	First UMC-RR
May 20	First UMC-RR
June 17	St. Philips UMC – RR
July 15	St. Philips UMC – RR
August 19	St. Philips UMC – RR
September 16	St. Philips UMC – RR
October 21	St. Philips UMC – RR
November 18	St. Philips UMC – RR
December 16	First UMC-RR

We will meet on the **third Thursday of the month.**
Worship begins at 7:00.

TRUSTED SERVANTS

Lay Director: Barb Hunsberger

Assistant Lay Director: Tommy Prudhomme

Music Director: Ingrid Durfee

Newsletter Editor: Sheila Wacker

Spiritual Director: Dr. Dale Schultz

Treasurers: Jim & Sally Schuermann

Agape Coordinator: Diane Leeks

GREETINGS FROM THE NEWSLETTER EDITORS:

Happy Fourth Day to All Brothers and Sisters in Christ!

Thank you to everyone for their contributions to this newsletter. Any submissions to the newsletter (articles, announcements, etc) are always welcome. The newsletter submission deadline February will be Saturday, February 13th. Please feel free to email any submissions, questions, suggestions, or comments you may have.

The newsletter is posted on the www.roundrockemmaus.org website (no password required). We'll still be maintaining the email archive in the private area, since the messages contain individual email addresses. You can always login and check for any emails that have been sent out.

May God's grace and peace be with you in the coming month.

De Colores,

Sheila Wacker

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Newsletter Editor