



# WALK TALK

Chattanooga-LaFayette Emmaus Community

February 2020

*Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Matthew 28:19 (ESV)*

Recently on the CBS Sunday Morning News they featured a story on suicide. A young man who jumped off the Golden Gate Bridge – and survived – stated, “If anyone had expressed concern for me, I probably would not have done it.”

Jesus said, “If you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples.” (John 3:81 NIV) Making a disciple requires meeting people where they are and investing your life into theirs. It involves transparency and honesty. It certainly requires time, effort, patience and love.

There are three reasons for being a disciple-maker:

1. It's Biblical. Jesus commanded us to make disciples. He didn't say, “Go into the world and get people to say the sinner's prayer,” or “grow your church,” or “grow the Emmaus Community.” His last words to his disciples were to go and make other disciples.
2. Jesus did it. Even though he ministered to masses of people, he spent three years intensively mentoring and teaching 12 men. He trained them and modeled the life that each one should lead. And they changed the world.
3. The benefits of discipleship are far reaching, changing our workplaces, our churches, our Emmaus Community and even the body of believers around the world.

Let us not be distracted. We are instructed to make disciples, and that call is not “a good idea,” it is The Great Commission. The call on our lives is to keep the main thing the main thing. Who are you discipling and can the Emmaus Community help?

Let us pray.

Precious Father, we praise you for sending your Son to show your love for us. Help us to see others as you see them, love them as you love them and make an eternal difference in their lives. Amen.

DeColores, Phil

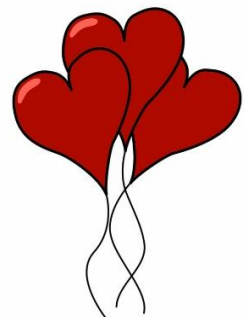
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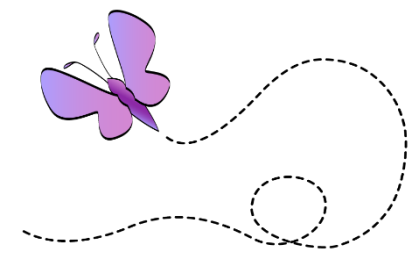
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an email. -- Phil





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**CHRYSALIS AND JOURNEY WEEKEND**  
**SEPTEMBER 4 – 7, 2020**

The Board has elected to schedule the Chrysalis and Journey weekend during the Labor Day Weekend so that the young adults do not miss any school.

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:** Send off for the weekend will be on **FRIDAY** night, September 4, instead of the traditional Thursday night send off. Closing will be on **MONDAY** evening, September 7, instead of the traditional Sunday evening.

This is a weekend for young adults (boys and girls) ages 15 to 18 for Chrysalis and ages 19 to 24 for Journey participants who are not married or parents of young children. **REMINDER:** If the young adult is under the age of 18, parental consent is required on the Chrysalis application.

Pray about the young person you wish to sponsor and *please* do not allow the weekend fees to be a deterrent to sponsoring someone for the weekend. If there is a need for financial assistance, you may contact the Chrysalis Registrar regarding scholarship applications at [chrysalisregistrar@clemmaus.org](mailto:chrysalisregistrar@clemmaus.org).

Anyone with a desire to be a team member for this weekend, please advise Team Selection at [teamselection@clemmaus.org](mailto:teamselection@clemmaus.org). As always, as servants of God in bringing Christ's love to our young people, the Board will be responsible for performing background checks on all who participate in the weekend.

Please pray for our youth, mark this date on your calendars and get those applications in as early as possible so that we may good stewards of God's resources. It is NEVER too early to get the applications in.

DeColores

Susan Crocker, Chrysalis Registrar

## February's Gathering

>> February 10, 2019 <<  
@ 6:15pm

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## 2020 Emmaus Walks and Chrysalis

March 26-29	Men's Walk # 59	Fritz Duncan
September 4-7	Chrysalis: Girls # 48 Boys # 42	
October 1-4	Women's Walk # 71	Lori Bailey

### Meal Times for Emmaus Walks

	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
FRIDAY	8:00	12:30	5:30
SATURDAY	8:00	12:30	6:30
SUNDAY	8:00	12:00	

### Meal Times for Chrysalis

	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
FRIDAY	8:30	12:00	5:30
SATURDAY	8:15	11:55	6:30
SUNDAY	8:00	12:00	

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-The Walk Talk can be downloaded from here.

### AGAPE:

Minimum Needed  
-24 Bed Agape  
-60 Meal Agape  
-36 Conference Room Agape

Thank you for your acts of agape love! Your gifts are appreciated!

### PRAYER VIGIL:

To sign up for the 72 hour prayer vigil, contact Kim McDonald  
[prayervigil@clemmaus.org](mailto:prayervigil@clemmaus.org)

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