

Application to Attend a "Walk to Emmaus" Weekend

The Gospel of St. Luke relates the story of two friends walking along the road from Jerusalem to Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35). As the friends were sharing their deepest concerns, the risen Christ joined them and explained the scripture as they walked. The climax of their heartwarming experience was when Christ took bread, broke it and gave it to them. The two had their eyes opened and recognized him as the risen Christ.

This "Walk to Emmaus" is with friends; scriptures are explained in a way as to bring light and understanding. For many, it will be a heartwarming experience. Many will share so deeply in worship and Holy Communion that their eyes will be opened and see the risen Christ. Participants will study, discuss and experience God's grace.

There will be fifteen presentations led by lay and clergy around the theme of God's grace and how that grace comes alive in the Christian community and expresses itself in the world. This grace will become personal through a unique approach to table group discussions. Those attending the weekend personally experience God's grace through prayer and acts of service of a living support community. There are two expectations of a person following his or her "Walk to Emmaus":

1. Expand his/her own inner spiritual life.
2. Become a more active disciple of Christ in the world through his/her church.

The real focus of the Emmaus community is not on itself, but on the local church. The objective of Emmaus is to inspire, challenge, and equip local church members for Christian action in their homes, churches, places of work and communities. The weekend experience is a three-day (72-hour) experience that begins Thursday at 7:00 PM and concludes Sunday evening.

NOTE: The Walk to Emmaus does not provide a climate for the solution of deep spiritual problems. It is designed to help Christian people work toward a Christian way of life with community support.

Please complete the application form below and return to your Sponsor

TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE PILGRIM

Last Name:		First Name:	
Address:			
City:		St:	Zip:
Name as you would like it on your name tag:			
Home Phone:		Email:	
If married, what is your spouse's name:		Spouse Attending? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Home Church:			
Denomination:		Pastor's Name:	
In what church activities are you involved?			
Has your sponsor explained the Walk to Emmaus to you? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Special Diet Needs:			
Medications:			
Other Special Needs:			
Emergency Contact (other than spouse):		Phone:	
I am applying for the following Walk Weekend Date:		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F	

Pilgrims Signature: _____

Date: _____

After completion please return form to your Sponsor

TO BE COMPLETED BY PILGRIMS PASTOR

Note: This part must be completed and signed before the application will be accepted.

Name:	Church:
Address:	City, State, Zip:
Email Address:	Work Phone:
Have you attended a Walk to Emmaus Weekend <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
If Yes when and where?	
If No, would you be interested in learning more and/or attending? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I would like to learn more <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I am interested in attending at a future date	
How long have you known the candidate?	Pilgrim is an active member/participant of the church I serve and is spiritually ready to attend a Walk to Emmaus weekend. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Pastors signature:	Date:

To be filled out by Sponsor		
SPONSOR: Last Name:		First Name:
Address:		
City:	ST	Zip
Email:		
Home Phone:		Work Phone:
Where/When did you make your walk?		
Church/Reunion Group:		Date:
Sponsor Signature:		<input type="checkbox"/> I am unable to pay \$310.00 but am enclosing \$ _____ and request a scholarship for the remainder
<input type="checkbox"/> I am enclosing a check to cover the walk fee.		<input type="checkbox"/> Request bedding. Enclosed is an additional \$20.00
<input type="checkbox"/> I am enclosing an additional amount to support scholarships		
<input type="checkbox"/> I have paid the fee/scholarship for the walk via PayPal		Mail To: OTWTE Walk Registrar, PO Box 30556, Portland, OR 97294

Note: If enclosing a check, please note, on the check, the name of the person(s) that are being paid for.