

### BRISBANE NORTH COAST EMMAUS COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

August 2022

### We are the Body of Christ

### Next Gathering

When: Saturday, 8 October 2022

Gathering @ 5.30pm

**Where:** Morayfield Uniting Church

12-16 Weier Rd, Morayfield

We look forward to seeing you

# CHRYSALIS FLIGHT Eriday 22 to Sunday 24 July

What a great weekend it was. 3 boy and 7 girl caterpillars attended the flight and listening to their responses on Sunday at the Closing Service we could see that God had been working in their lives over the weekend. Thank you for those who signed up for the Prayer Vigil. Every spot was filled.

Here a few musings from some of our Emmaus North people who were on the walk.

"As the Lay Director it was a privilege to be able to witness God's hand at work through my team. So many willing and gracious servants working together and having fun doing it. It was also a blessing to see the encouraging table discussion, the laughter at meal times, the moving personal testimonies of the speakers and most of all the focus and passion for God's work being proclaimed at closing service. It truly was a life changing experience for those young adults.

My cup has been filled with Christ's love to overflowing, and I can't wait for the next Walk/Flight!"

Blessings, Chad Teschward.

I was privileged to be asked to be an Agape fairy on the recent Chrysalis Boys Flight #71 held from 22-24 July. This was my first time on a Chrysalis Flight and whilst it was very similar to an Emmaus Walk, there were a few differences. Still, it was great to be able to catch up with old friends and make new ones from other communities and to shower the Butterflies with love & grace over the weekend. It was a real blessing to be on team with many "family members" and hearing how the caterpillars grew and what they got out of the weekend was very inspiring.

I would encourage you all to prayerfully consider saying yes if you are asked to be on team (Emmaus or Chrysallis) as I'm sure you won't be disappointed

**De Colores** 

**Beck Fletcher** 

In July we, David and Leanne, were on team for Chrysalis Flight 71 as Prayer Directors for Chad Teschward; who was the Lay Director. We were very privileged to be in the role of Prayer Directors and pray for team and caterpillars alike.

Being on a Chrysalis Flight it is great to be on team with members of different Emmaus communities. As we have both been involved in Chrysalis previously it is great to catch up with some of the team members, whom we have been on team with previously. Especially these young adults who have taken on more senior roles within Chrysalis and Emmaus.

With both Boys & Girls flight being run at the same time, there is always great sharing at meal times and free time throughout the weekend.

We have both been on Emmaus and Chrysalis teams and have found it is always good to serve on team and we encourage you to make yourself available to be on team for either a walk or flight if you are asked.

**Des Colores** 

David and Leanne Close

It was such a privilege to be asked to serve on a team for the Chrysalis flight. We had such a wonderful time - Paul was a table leader & Jill was on the Logistics team and we both gave the Marriage talk on the Boy's Flight. We have so missed the "buzz" of serving on a team, of seeing God working in people's lives, and of meeting new people and sharing God's love with them, of being part of the Candle Lighting and closing service. We am really looking forward to next year when our Emmaus walks begin again. So please consider being on team if asked and even if not on a team, just attending the Candle Lighting and the Closing Service will be a blessing.

**Des Colores** 

Paul & Jill Fletcher



### Music

Music is vital to Emmaus Walks, Face to Face Encounters as well as our Gatherings

Always looking for people who can play music and lead worship! Please let me know if you like to lead singing, play the piano or other accompanying instrument; this could be for a <u>Walk</u> an <u>Encounter</u> or for <u>a gathering</u>.

Do you now a person who might like to be a part of this ministry?

Please contact Leanne

Leanne Close Music Co-ordinator

Phone 0414 768 329

## Greetings from the Web Coordinator Short Testimony Required

If anyone would like to share how their experience of doing the "Walk to Emmaus" or "Face To Face" has enhanced their walk with Christ and their involvement in their local church and would like to write a short testimony, it would be great to hear from you.

As you will have noticed that there are short testimonies going across the bottom of the home page. You will also notice there are no testimonies from anyone in Queensland so if you are willing to share your experience, I would really like to hear from you.

The testimony only needs to be short and a passport size photo of you to put beside the testimony. You can reply via this email or to the Web Coordinator via the "contact us" page on the website.

De Colores

Paul Fletcher



# Emmaus Ministries Australia

The latest Emmaus Ministries Australia Newsletter is now available.

Link to the National Website: Emmaus Ministries - Australia

Active Prayer Vigils: <a href="https://vigil.emmaus.org.au/">https://vigil.emmaus.org.au/</a>

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### Don't forget



The bank details for General Donations just in case you missed the Gathering and would like to contribute.

Bank details for donations to provide Agape gifts of– flowers, rainbow cake, Ice-cream & toppings,

Communion Elements etc.

<u>General Donations</u> BSB: 334-040 <u>Walk Agape Donations</u> BSB: 334-040

A/c No: 000 0553 890 883 A/c No: 000 0554 465 053

For any prayer needs that you would like to share with the Emmaus Community,

Contact our Prayer Co-ordinator - Jenny Sims

Email: prayer@brisbanenorthcoast.emmaus.org.au

Phone: 0406 477 547



### Please uphold one another in Prayer

As we look at options for a walk for next year please that God will touch people's hearts to consider their involvement in the formation of a team.

Pray too for people that you could sponsor for a walk.

But they who wait for the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.

Isaiah 40:31

#### **CALENDAR EVENTS 2022**

Date	Time	Place	Comments
Saturday	5.30 pm	Morayfield Uniting Church	Gathering
8 October 2022		12-16 Weier Rd, Morayfield	
9-12 March 2023		Glendalough Outdoor	Women's Walk #105
		Education Centre	
23-26 March 2023		Glendalough Outdoor	Men's Walk #106
		Education Centre	

### REMEMBER BE COVID SAFE as you ATTEND

all GATHERINGS and EMMAUS EVENTS

**Maintain Social Distancing** 

Wash hands

Please stay at home if you are unwell!!!

Let us know and we will pray for you

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Please send Newsletter Items to

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