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## **No Gathering in October and November**

## **Upcoming Events**

Oct 17-20	Men's Walk #42
Oct 24-27	Women's Walk #42
Oct	No Gathering
Nov	No Gathering
Dec 7	Christmas Gathering @ Wightman UMC Prosperity <b><u>6:00 pm</u></b>

The October Messenger includes the names of fifty-six pilgrims and fifty-four servants for the men's and women's October walks.

Please pray that the Walk to Emmaus will give each pilgrim an opportunity to rediscover Christ's presence in their lives, help them gain a fresh understanding of God's transforming grace, and form new friendships that foster faith and spiritual maturity.

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# Messenger

From the Chairman  
October 21, 2013

As most of you are aware, we are in the middle of our Fall Walks. The Men's Walk was just completed this weekend and the Women's Walk starts this Thursday with a full Walk of 36 Pilgrims.

In the last few days contemplating the message I wanted to convey in my article I was unsure of what to write about, since it is unusual to be writing this article during the Walks. However, last night as I sat there at the Closing Ceremony for the Men's Walk and listened to **100%** of these men get up and give their testimonies the Lord gave me my answer.

My favorite part of the Walk is the Closing Ceremony. If you have never attended one since your Walk, you are missing a real blessing. When you sit and listen to those men and women testify to what this walk has meant to them, you realize that all the hard work by the Lay Directors, Team members, Board Members and community volunteers is all worth it. If you are not careful however, you will feel as blessed by God and these pilgrims as they have been by this experience.

As I reflected back on Sunday night's Closing, I realized that these men didn't dwell on the beauty and awe of Candlelight, Agape Feast or other physical acts of Agape but yet almost each one talked about the Agape love, the Holy Spirit and walking with Jesus in a whole new way.

My prayer for each of you is that you will remember back to your own Closing Ceremony and the promises you made to God...and if you have strayed, please come back. Jesus is waiting for you with open arms.

De Colores

Leonard May

## Meet Your Board Member

Voigt Kempson, whose board responsibility is Snack Agape, is a native of Batesburg, SC and is married to the former Ceile Wilkerson of Johnston, SC. They have two sons, Kevin, who lives with them in Prosperity, SC, where they attend Wightman United Methodist Church, and Cullen, who still lives in Sparta, NJ, with his wife Laura. Voigt and Ceile have three grand children. Ashley, who lives in Washington, DC, Kelsey, who lives in Princeton, NJ and Tyler, who still lives at home in NJ.

Voigt and Ceile have been active with the youth in their church, having directed and choreographed several youth productions, taught 4th/5th grade Sunday School, serve on Wightman's Vision Team committee and also on Wightman's Worship Design Team committee.

With a theatre/dance background, Voigt is always involved with the productions, talent shows/contests, etc. at Wightman.

He is especially happy that wife Ceile is always a part of what he does and has already been a great help in the Snack Agape effort.

De Colores

# Messenger

## *Emmaus of the Midlands Men's Walk #42*

### Prayer List for Pilgrims and Servants

Saturday, October 12, 2013

#### **PILGRIMS**

Rob Bigda  
David Bowers  
Richie Brogdon  
Alex Cavanaugh  
Wendell Cherubin  
Bill Crockett  
Walter Crozier  
TJ Cumalander, Jr  
Mike Donath  
Chip Johnson  
Marcus Johnston  
Charles Knight  
Roy McIntosh  
Michael Scott  
Jeff Shearin  
David Williams  
Garrett Wynne

#### **SERVANTS**

Charles Adams  
Donnie Bates  
Michael Bingham  
Bobby Bowers  
Matt Buchanan  
Jamie Burns  
Dan Canada  
Sam Caskey  
Hank Edens  
Jim Edge  
Chris Goodman  
Billy Green  
Judy Names  
Thad Hinnant  
Jim Holly  
Jeff Jones  
Dan Lackore  
Paul Larrabee  
Billy McCoy  
Joey Mendiola  
Ray Mills  
Ken Nelson  
Don Nesbitt  
Harry Plyler  
Walt Proctor, III  
Tony Rivers  
Bobby Sandifer  
Wayne Smith

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# Messenger

## *Emmaus of the Midlands Women's Walk #42*

### Prayer List for Pilgrims and Servants

Saturday, October 12, 2013

#### **PILGRIMS**

Kipper Ackerman  
Tina Allemond  
Janie Allen  
Crystal Altman  
Rebecca Bennett  
Dawn Bowers  
Eleanor Brawn  
Rebecca Brogdon  
Helen Corley  
Denise Crockett  
Monica Cumalander  
Julie Dawson  
Annette Fryberger  
Sue Green  
Caroline Hall  
Leslie Harmon  
Missy Harmon  
Melody Harrison  
Vikki Hill  
Rachel Johnston  
Cheryl Jones  
Judy Knight  
Kimberly Kraft-Burton  
Rosanne Mankin  
Lisa McIntosh  
Jackie Mitchum  
Melinda Moss  
Robin Murphy  
Laura Nichols  
Nancy Noland  
Tammy Pearson  
Kim Peterson  
Barbara Pitts  
Vicki Proctor  
Lucy Ruple  
Octavia Wright

#### **SERVANTS**

Wanda Altman  
Patricia Amick  
Rebecca Branham  
Debbie Carter  
Doris Cooke  
Alice Douglas  
Philissa Edge  
Carol Frye  
Louisa Gantt  
Terri Goodman  
Cindy Harmon  
Gay Hawkins  
Linda Hiller  
Bob Huggins  
Debbie Jones  
Dorothy Longshore  
Angela Marshall  
Therry May  
Vicky McLemore  
Heather Nelson  
Anne Prescott  
Kellye Rembert  
Betsy Ridgeway  
Sandy Sirhal  
Esther Sosa  
BeBe Way