

SUPERIORLAND EMMAUS WALK - TEAM VOLUNTEER FORM

Team Selection Guidelines

Progressive Servanthood (Conference Room)

The purpose of an established progression of responsibilities for Emmaus community members is twofold: Leadership training and spiritual development. A person's readiness to carry out his or her particular assignment effectively often depends on and is always enhanced by prior experience in another position. The progression of responsibilities starts with support roles (auxiliary area, set-up, kitchen, agape) and then moves into the conference room. Entry positions for the conference room team are either assistant table leader (and possibly speaker) or table leader (and possibly speaker). Experience in both positions is necessary before progressing to assistant lay director. Having served in one position does not automatically assure that the person will move to the next step in the progression.

Anonymous Positions of Servanthood (Auxiliary areas)

Emmaus leadership begins and ends with anonymous positions of servanthood, such as working in the kitchen, praying in the chapel, sorting letters in the mail room and cleaning bathrooms. This kind of sacrifice and servanthood is the heart of Emmaus and is where the development of Christian leadership begins. Those who seek "important jobs" probably need to be assigned more humble tasks for their own sake as well as for the good of the community. Those who first give of themselves wholeheartedly and joyfully to the humblest duties are probably the ones who eventually need to be with the pilgrims in the conference room, setting an example and sharing their spirit.

The following information is requested for team selection committee records

PLEASE, fill out to the best of your knowledge. Please print.

Have you ever worked on an Emmaus team before? _____ If yes, please check below all roles you have performed:

Conference Room

- _____ Lay director Names of talks: _____
_____ Asst. lay director _____
_____ Table leader _____
_____ Asst. table leader _____
_____ Board representative _____
- _____ Spiritual director (clergy) Talk(s): _____
_____ _____
- _____ Music in conference room
_____ Singing _____ Played an instrument _____
- _____ Music for candlelight
_____ Entertainment

Auxiliary Area:

- _____ Wednesday night set up _____ Bathroom
_____ Sunday morning tear down _____ Courier (Gopher)
_____ Receptions _____ Photographer
_____ Kitchen _____ as head cook _____ Prayer chapel
_____ Dining room _____ Book/merchandise table
_____ Dishwasher _____ Candlelight
_____ Snacks _____ Set up the 72-hr Prayer
_____ Mail room _____ Vigil

_____ I would be interested in being an active member of the
Superiorland Emmaus Community board of directors

Volunteer Form for the Fall 2012 Walks

Men: September 13-16 at the Memorial United Methodist Church in Gladstone
Women: September 20-23 at the Memorial United Methodist Church in Gladstone

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address : _____
_____ (City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip)

Home Phone : _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

I will be able to **commit to all three** days (Thursday evening 7:00 p.m. through closing on Sunday evening around 7:00 p.m.)

I will only be able to commit to the following days and times: Day: _____ Times: _____

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Are you currently active in a 4th day group? _____ If so, where? _____ Day _____ Time _____

Check here if you are currently looking for a 4th day group.

I understand that the team cost for the Emmaus weekend will be \$65.00. If I am selected to be on the team, I understand that I will be required to make a pre-registration deposit of \$15, and that the remaining \$50.00 can be paid now or no later than the second team meeting. I understand that if I am only able to work part of the weekend the cost will be \$22.00/day or \$8.00/meal.

Use this form only to volunteer to work on the team. Do not assume you are on the team (conference room or auxiliary) until you are contacted.

Do not send any money until you have been notified that you have been selected to be on the team.

I give my hands and feet to God; let His will be done. Servant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE MAIL BOTH PAGES OF THIS FORM TO:

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