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Big Country
Emmanuel
community

P.O. Box 7021
Abilene, TX 79608

Return Service Requested

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*community gathers the 1st Tuesday
of each month.*

July 3 will be held at First

United Methodist, 202 Butternut

Babe Chick Orientation at 6:00
Enjoy a Time of Praise & Worship at 6:30
Childcare is Provided for ages 9 and under.

July 2012

JULY 2012

Beloved brothers and sisters in Christ-The greater Emmaus Community,

As I write this, I truly cannot believe it is only a few weeks from our second Boys and Girls Chrysalis combined weekend. July 19-22 will soon be upon us.

I give thanks to God for this very special weekend that is designed to reach young men and young ladies for Christ, and deepen their walk with Him. There are no words I could write that would adequately express what these days are like. I have had the privilege to serve and work Chrysalis for many years. I have worked with some of God's finest young people. I am asking for you as a community to do several things. First, pray, if you have not already. Please take this weekend before our heavenly father and ask that He would send to us those students who may think they need him the least, but really need Him the most. Pray for our teams and all who will be a part of this life changing weekend. Second, please help us by sponsoring a youth who you know would benefit from this experience. Take that extra time and ask a young person to be a part of this weekend. Third, attend the candlelight service and let these students see the love of Christ in you. God always shows up and always works in hearts and lives, and every year young people's lives are changed by the power of God!

I am ready. I would not miss this Chrysalis weekend for the world. I am thankful to this community that loves and invests in our young people.

If you would like more information about Chrysalis, have questions, or would be interested in serving in the future, let me or our Chrysalis lay director, Susan Price, know.

De Colores,

Greg Rake, Chrysalis Spiritual Director

Chrysalis Corner

Well, July is here and we are ready to go. God is going to do GREAT and MIGHTY things during the July Flights. We have been putting on the finishing touches as we begin this journey on July 19 and finish on the 22nd. Have you been praying? Have you heard from God whom you might send? There is still time and there is still room. Listen for God's direction.

Remember, kids love cookies, candy and cokes! Oh, and don't forget the Oreos on the boys side too!!

Remember 90 pieces of agape is enough for caterpillars and team. Just remember there are two going on at the same time. You may make the same or different. And you may make as much as you like. But mostly, remember to pray. Pray for the caterpillars, sponsors, teams and families. Pray that eyes are opened, hearts are freed and chains are broken.

**De Colores,
The Chrysalis Board**

Girl's Chrysalis July 19-22
Rhonda Ritchey—Lay Director
Greg Clemmer—Spiritual Director

Girl's Team: (As of 6-27-12)

Trish Boston	Melinda Bradshaw
Macy Bullock	Greg Clemmer
Vickie Clemmer	Traci Clift
Kirsten Elliott	Camelle Franklin
Candy Gilbert	Vanessa Gonzales
Bill Guidera	Laura Hall Lisa Welker
Shelby Hall	Dakota Hartness
Jordon James	Christina Johnson
Glenda Jones	Carlee Lane
Sherry Luster	Melissa Ledbetter
Ernie McLean	Mandy McLean
Jeanine McNulty	Melissa Milliorn
Casie Nelson	Jacqueline Nieto
Debbie Parker	Rhonda Ritchey
Dana Ross	Colleen Rud
Haley Savage	Jayma Savage
Michele Schulle	Judy Smith
Libby Smith	Elena Taylor
Megan Thomas	Mary Cathryn Walker
Squeaky Walker	Abigail Wellborn

Girl's Caterpillars: (as of 6-27-12)

Kristyn Pentecost	Celeste Smith
Amber Spencer	Bristyn Vickers
Lacy Satterfield	Linsey Altamirano
April Trimmins	Katelyn Tilley
McKenzie Mitchell	Abby Frymire
Brittany Gray	Shailee Strevy
MacKenzie Swanzy	K'Leigh Clifford

2012 Emmaus Board

Community Lay Director:
Janel Young—668-6047

Community Spiritual Director:
Jay Miller—665-4226

**Asst. Community Lay Director/
Community Gathering:**
Bob Jarrell—695-0498

Past Community Lay Director
Lynn Lawhon—698-2392

Secretary/4th Day:
Brenda Baker—829-1016

Treasurer/Team Selection/Data Base:
Karen Gardner—673-2139

Fourth Day/Training:
Gale Wright—893-4177

Babe Chick Orientation:
John Randolph-529-3001 and
Liz Blazier—793-9091

Music /Technical Committee:
Doug Akers—893-2210

Candlelight:
Tom Cowley—529-3870 and
Liz Blazier—793-9091

Prayer Room: Tommie Moore—669-1911

Registration/Scholarship:
Janel Young—668-6047 and
Jay Miller—665-4226

Welcoming Committee:
Lane Jackson—743-2325

Sponsor's Hour: Lee Butler—518-2448

Camp Liaison: Janel Young—668-6047

Clergy: Billy Crim—864-1508

Clergy: Diane Walker—201-2108

Chrysalis Community Lay Director:
Susan Price—668-1239

Past Chrysalis Community Lay Director:
David Scott-733-8239

Chrysalis Spiritual Director:
Greg Rake—692-2117

Emmaus Registrar: Dixie Morris
692-8437

Chrysalis Registrar: Mary Crymes
676-8133

Newsletter: Terri Murman—698-4294

Boy's Chrysalis July 19-22
 Tommy Ross—Lay Director
 Greg Rake—Spiritual Director

Boy's Team: (As of 6-28-12)

Tommy Ross	Jimmy Hall
Rich Blazier	Caleb Robinson
Wayne Fish	Sid Gonzales
Joel Terry	Frank Ledbetter
Ryan Clift	Kevin Fort
Gilbert Villereal	Zalichi Solis
Wyatt Goettsch	Grant Stein
Mark Robles	Johnny Holland
Roland Rud	Ron Smith
Thomas Martin	Dana Sowell
Scott Warren	Rob Nichols
Don Boston	Andy Blazier
Greg Rake	Don Franklin
Roy Wright	Ryan Wright
Danny Chatelain	Robert Delgado
Jeff Hargrove	Donald Franklin
Lloyd Sutton	Gene Williams

Boy's Caterpillars: (As of 6-28-12)

Kolter Wright Caleb Workman
 John Cleveland Ryan Champion
 Brennan Harris Sean Gann

See website for updated list.

Agape drop off sites for both the Boy's and Girl's Chrysalis are: American Classifieds, 2903 N. 3rd, and Ingram Cleaners, 2666 Buffalo Gap Rd. Deadline for pick up is Thursday, July 19 at 11:00 am. Please be sure to mark clearly Boys and/or Girls on any agape you drop of at either site.

2012 Walks; Boys and Girls Chrysalis

July 19-22	Girl's 54 Chrysalis	Rhonda Ritchie
July 19-22	Boy's 55 Chrysalis	Tommie Ross
Aug. 23-26	Men's Walk #181	Bob Jarrell
Sept. 20-23	Women's Walk #182	Betty Coffey
Oct. 18-21	Men's Walk #183	Don Martin
Nov. 15-18	Women's Walk #184	Kathy Owen