

SUNRISE EMMAUS WALK TO EMMAUS PILGRIM APPLICATION

November 2023- Please discard previous forms

The following information is to be filled out by the applicant. All information is necessary for proper placement on a Walk to Emmaus and for us to have your correct contact information, especially email.

Name: _____ Name to put on your name tag _____

Mailing Address: _____ City _____ State _____

ZIP _____

Phone No: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

E-Mail: _____ *(this is how you will find out needed information)

Birth Date: _____ M _____ F _____ Age _____

Occupation: _____ Employer _____

Marital Status:

Married _____ Single _____ Separated _____ Divorced _____ Widowed _____

Spouse Name: _____ Has your spouse attended a Walk? ___Y ___N

Do you have any health problems or physical challenges that could affect your participation at a Walk to Emmaus? ___Y ___N If yes please explain _____

Are you on special medication? ___Y ___N

If yes please explain: _____

Are you on a special diet or do you have any allergies? ___Y ___N If yes, please explain:

Do you have any physical limitations or needs? IE: Stairs, Handicap Bathrooms, Wheelchair accessibility?

___Y ___N If yes, please explain: _____

Do you have any emotional or spiritual needs we need to be aware of? ___Y ___N If yes, please explain:

Do you snore? ___Y ___N Do you smoke? ___Y ___N Do you have trouble hearing? ___Y ___N

In case of emergency please notify: Name _____ Relationship to you _____

Address _____ Phone Number _____

Name and denomination of church you are now attending _____

Sponsor's Name, Address & Phone No. _____

Sponsors Signature: _____ Date: _____

Has the Walk to Emmaus been explained to you including the Post-Walk to Emmaus activities? ___Y ___N

We list names only of pilgrims on the Emmaus website so people can be praying for the pilgrims prior to and during their walk. Are you willing to have your name listed on the web site?

Agree(Yes) ___ Disagree(No)___

Please enclose a check made payable to **Sunrise Emmaus** in the amount of \$250.00. The fee **MUST ACCOMPANY THIS APPLICATION**. In the event that you must cancel, please notify the Emmaus Registrar and your Sponsor immediately. You must have your Pastor or a Clergy representative sign this form. After you have completed this form, return it, together with your check to your Sponsor. Your sponsor will give it to the Emmaus Registrar. You must be sponsored on your Walk by someone who has completed a Walk to Emmaus. Your sponsor **MUST** complete and sign the Sponsor Application.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Pastor's Printed Name _____ Date: _____

Pastor's Signature: _____ Church _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF THE SUNRISE EMMAUS WALK TO EMMAUS PILGRIM

APPLICATION In accordance with the policies and procedures established by the Sunrise Emmaus Board of Directors, we ask that you take special note of all questions on this Pilgrim Application. The Board has directed the Registrar to return any applications in which all questions are not fully answered and to request additional information before accepting the application. Please write legibly and note that your email is correct as this is how the registrar will contact you.

INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR CHURCH MEMBERSHIP Because Emmaus is not intended to make disciples, but rather strengthen those who are already disciples, persons accepted for a Walk to Emmaus are expected to be ACTIVE members of a CHRISTIAN congregation. ALL EXCEPTIONS TO THIS POLICY must be approved in advance by the Community Spiritual Director(s), please make note of this before you send the application in. Otherwise the form may be returned. Persons who are members of one congregation but are actively attending another congregation should confront the issue where GOD is calling them to service and make a commitment to a worshiping community before applying for a Walk to Emmaus, so that they are ready to participate FULLY in that community upon their return from the Walk to Emmaus.

HAS THE WALK TO EMMAUS BEEN EXPLAINED TO YOU? Make sure you are fully aware of what the Walk to Emmaus is all about, if you have a question, please ask your sponsor for more information. Your sponsor should not sign their Sponsor form until he/she has explained Emmaus and its follow up to you.

INFORMATION ON SPECIAL NEEDS It is especially important to know if you have any special needs (physical, emotional or spiritual) or challenges. It is rare that any such need cannot be met, but so that you can participate fully in the Walk to Emmaus, we would like to know as far ahead as possible, so we can make your Walk a fulfilling experience for you. NONE OF THIS INFORMATION WILL BE RELEASED EXCEPT TO THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR MEETING YOUR NEEDS.

SIGNATURES REQUIRED ON THE FORM There are three signatures that are **REQUIRED** for a pilgrim reservation on the Walk to Emmaus. All signatures must be present or the form will be returned to you for completion. **IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SPONSOR TO SEE THAT THESE SIGNATURES ARE ALL PRESENT!**

- 1. YOUR SIGNATURE** - This is your free commitment to accept God's invitation to attend the Walk. Therefore, the form must be signed by you personally, not your sponsor, spouse, friend, or parent (they cannot make such a free commitment for you)
- 2. YOUR PASTOR'S SIGNATURE** - This signature is the commitment of the clergy member of the congregation that you serve to work with you in developing your service to God after the walk. The clergy member does not have to have been on a walk him/herself, however, the Walk is not intended to bypass or usurp the authority of the pastor of your congregation in any way.
- 3. YOUR SPONSOR'S SIGNATURE** - This is your sponsor's commitment to both you and to the Emmaus Community, that he/she is willing to help you prepare for your walk, care for your family while you are away, and help you become more active in service after the Walk. This signature emphasizes the great importance the Walk to Emmaus places on you.