**June 2023** 

Billings Walk To Emmaus

# W2E Times

## Important Dates!

June 24, 2023 3:00 pm at North Park

W2E "KICK-OFF" September 17, 2023 5:00 pm

CHRISTMAS SING December 14, 2023

> RETREAT January 13, 2024 9:00 am

MEN's W2E, #82 January 18-21, 2024

WOMEN's W2E, #83 January 25-28, 2024

## POTLUCK

February 3, 2024 5:00 pm

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## Let's gather for an



Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup> 3:00 – 5:00 pm North Park, Shelter #1

(Located near the parking lot on N. 19th St.)

Bring lawn chairs and yard games and join your Walk to Emmaus friends for a time of fun, fellowship and ICE CREAM!!



In case of bad weather, we will gather at First United Methodist Church

# BIBLE TRIVIA (people)

Who watched as Moses floated in the basket down the Nile? (Exodus 2:4)

Who would have nothing to do with the author of 3 John?
(3 John 1:9)

In the book of Philemon, who is Paul's fellow prisoner? (Philemon 1:23)

James used the example of which Old Testament figure to demonstrate how the prayers of a righteous man can have powerful results?
(James 5:13-18)

How does the author of 1 John often refer to his readers?
(1 John 1)

What does Solomon say about sin? (Ecclesiastes 7:20)

Who pretended to be mad to avoid capture and death at the hands of an enemy king?

(1Samuel 21:13)

Who was the grandson of Samuel? (1Chronicles 6:33)



Please keep our Cum Christo brothers and sisters in your prayers as their blessed weekends occur this month.

Men's Cum Christo Weekend – June 8-11, 2023 Women's Cum Christo Weekend – June 15-18, 2023

### THANK YOU, GRANDMOTHER

A small church congregation in rural Ohio met one Sunday evening to share prayer requests and praises with one another. Toward the end of their time together, a woman in her early 30s stood up and nervously sauntered forward.

She shared...

"I want to praise God for my grandmother, who died recently. She's the one who took me to church when I was young and introduced me to Jesus. She was a source of stability in my life. Had it not been for my godly grandmother, I shudder to think how my life would have turned out. Even though I have often failed, her example to me has been my beacon and I thank God for her. To me, she was the epitome of Jesus on this earth.

It's often easy to underestimate the impact our lives may have on others—but they really do, even when we don't hear about it or receive credit immediately. So, make a point to invest in others' lives (especially younger people). Though they may not tell you at the time, you are making a difference!

Mark your calendars for the

WALK TO EMMAUS KICK-OFF POTLUCK

September 17, 5:00 pm First United Methodist Church

#### **PUPPIES FOR SALE**

But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—it is by grace you have been saved. Ephesians 2:4-5

A man put up a sign in his yard that read "Puppies for Sale." Among those who came to inquire was a young boy from the neighborhood. "Please, mister," he said, "I'd like to buy one of your puppies."

"Well, son, they're \$25.00 each."

The boy looked crushed. "I've only got two dollars and five cents. Could I see them anyway?"

"Of course," said the man.

The lad's eyes lit up at the sight of those five little balls of fur. "That one has a bad leg," said the man. "I'm afraid she'll be crippled for life."

"Well, that's the puppy I want. Could I pay for her a little at a time?"

The man responded, "But she'll always have a limp."

Smiling bravely, the boy pulled up one pant leg, revealing a brace. "I don't walk good either." Then, looking at the puppy, he continued, "I guess she'll need a lot of love and help. I sure did."

"Here, take her," said the man. "I know you'll give her a good home. And just forget the money."

Because of sin in our lives, we're just like that little crippled puppy. But when Jesus looks at us, He also looks down at His nail-pierced hands and feet and says, "I'll give you a good home." It's because of those scars that He can sympathize with our pain and weakness—and gives us the hope of knowing that one day we'll be with Him forever

