

The Walk to



Great Southern (WA) Emmaus Community

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Hello Great Southern Emmaus Community,

Greeting to you in the name of Jesus Christ, the Light of the World.

One of the things that Emmaus does really well is give people the opportunity of sharing their stories. Often, it's through the hard times and dark days that we most clearly see and accept the difference that our faith in Jesus makes to us. Heaven is our ultimate place of love and belonging and Brene Brown confirms the value of what we do in Emmaus. Brown, an international author and researcher, says,

“Owning our story can be hard but not nearly as difficult as spending our lives running from it. Embracing our vulnerabilities is risky but not nearly as dangerous as giving up on love and belonging and joy—the experiences that make us the most vulnerable. Only when we are brave enough to explore the darkness will we discover the infinite power of our light.”

Well, July has arrived and we have a Gathering planning for Gnowangerup later this month. It will be special to meet again and share the stories of God's goodness to us since May.

The details are

Emmaus Gathering
Saturday 24th July
Gnowangerup Community Church,
34 Aylmore Road, Gnowangerup 6334
Board meeting 10am
Shared Lunch 12 noon
Worship 1pm
Afternoon tea 2.30pm

Please bring

- Name badge
- Scarf
- Worship book
- Hearts of praise
- Lunch to share
- A car full
- Gratitude for our hosts

The Board, for a variety of reasons, at its May meeting took the decision to not hold Walks at Kobeelya in 2021. The Great Southern will, however, hold Gatherings. With limited income we won't send out as many newsletters and some, like this one, will only go to those who receive communication via email. Perth held a successful women's Walk in June that was a high point of storytelling and faith building withing WA's Christian community.

Please share the news of this Emmaus event with you Emmaus connections and make plans to attend. Carpooling – with fellowship – is an option for people travelling distances.

I look forward to seeing you on the 24th of the month.

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