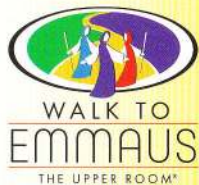


## Other Offerings

### *in the Emmaus tradition*

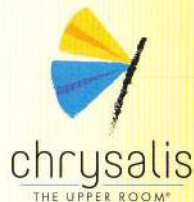
**Walk to Emmaus** seeks to inspire, challenge, and equip leaders for Christian action in their homes, places of work, and communities.

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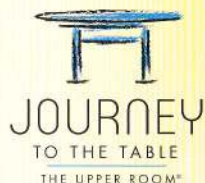
**Chrysalis** is designed to help young people grow spiritually in ways that lead to wholeness and increased readiness to live out their Christian discipleship in today's world.

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**Journey to the Table** is an opportunity for young adults, 18 to 35 years old, to explore their faith through authentic teaching and open discussion, to build relationships with a community of their peers, and to create spaces of Christian action in a transitory time of life.

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## Join us today!

**Face to Face** is an experience in the tradition of the Walk to Emmaus designed for persons 60 and older. Open to Christians of all denominations who want to strengthen their spiritual lives, Face to Face allows the opportunity to rediscover Christ's presence, gain fresh understanding of God's transforming grace, and form friendships that foster faith and spiritual maturity. With no overnights, Face to Face can be held at a church, retirement centre or community centre. Though millions of people have completed the Walk to Emmaus in the past 30 years, Face to Face provides a new environment specifically designed to meet **YOUR** needs. We invite **YOU** to join us on an inspiring Face to Face Encounter during which you will meet Jesus as he is revealed to you through the scriptures and the presence of others.

### WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE IN A FACE TO FACE ENCOUNTER?

Face to Face was created to provide an opportunity for persons 60 and older to experience the best of the Walk to Emmaus without the stresses of a three-day, 72-hour program.

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*Risen Christ*

# FACE to FACE



An Experience in the  
*Emmaus Tradition*

FOR PERSONS 60 AND OLDER



## FACE to FACE

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## If you...

- Are 60 years and older
- Desire a deeper, more meaningful walk with the risen Christ
- Hope for Christ's love to be real in every relationship you have, and
- Wish to make a deeper impact on the world and your community of faith by living a life centred on Jesus, then

Face to Face  
*is for you.*

*When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened and they recognised him.*

LUKE 24:30-31A

## Face to Face is...

- An experience in the tradition of the Walk to Emmaus for persons 60 and older
- An invitation to join with other older adults in study, worship, prayer, and fellowship
- A journey through the good news of the Holy Bible
- A partnership between laity and clergy to renew the Church

## At a Face to Face Encounter, you will...

- Hear fourteen spiritual talks about God's grace and love
- Participate in Holy Communion
- Enjoy in-depth table discussions with people your age, covering topics such as God's grace, grief, and end-of-life issues
- Experience God's grace personally through prayer and service
- Understand more fully the presence of Christ in the body of believers



## Face to Face draws from the rich history and experience of Walk to Emmaus.

Walk to Emmaus is an adaptation of the Roman Catholic Cursillo (pronounced cur-SEE-o) Movement, which originated in Spain in 1949.

Cursillo de Cristianidad means "little course in Christianity." The original Cursillo leaders designed the program to empower persons to transform their living and working environments into



Christian ones. During the 1960s and 1970s, the Episcopalians and Lutherans, along with several nondenominational groups, such as Tres Dias, began to offer Cursillo. In 1978, The Upper Room of the General Board of Discipleship adapted the program for a primarily Protestant audience and began to offer the program under the name The Upper Room Cursillo. In 1981, The Upper Room made further adaptations and changed the name of the program to The Upper Room Walk to Emmaus. In 1984, The Upper Room developed a youth expression of Emmaus called Chrysalis.

The Emmaus family of programs continues to grow with new and updated ministries that seek to **empower leaders to be the hands and feet of Christ.**