

**Midlife Couples Camaraderie Group**  
Report to the 1U Annual Congregational Meeting – May 19, 2019  
Respectfully submitted by JoAnn Gatlin, Co-Chair

We are a social group of midlife and older couples. The age isn't so much a determining factor as the fact that we are empty nesters or no nesters. We try to meet every other month throughout the year for social interaction and camaraderie. All couples in a committed relationship are welcome. We are an open group, and new members are always invited to attend our events.

Some of the popular recurring events we have each year are:

- Oscar Brunch where everyone brings a dish representative of one of the Academy Award nominations,
- Holiday potluck and sing along,
- soccer event,
- Florida Film Festival event,
- Fringe Festival event,
- theater event, and
- small group dinners in members' homes.

Our events are often potluck, and for each event we have a host who is the event coordinator. We also have unscheduled "pop up events" which members can post on our group e-mail.

Co-Chairs: JoAnn Gatlin and Wendy McCleskey