



The Emmaus News

Columbus Indiana Area Emmaus Community, Inc.

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Letter to the Community:

Will You Be There? Take This test!

Check all the thoughts that you have had about our Emmaus community:

- I think that I could serve in Emmaus better if I understood Emmaus better.
- I hear that other Emmaus communities do things differently than ours. Is there a right or a wrong way, or just a different way?
- That's the way it's always been done . . . but, why?!
- Even though I know that our Emmaus community has been blessed in its 12 year existence, there is the temptation for us to coast on our past blessings.
- Has too little or too much organization restricted the work of the Holy Spirit in our community in any way?
- That's the way we've always done it . . . and I like it that way!
- Sometimes I wonder if our community is where it ought to be. Is there any room for change?
- The Walk to Emmaus has been a supernatural gift from God to our community. It is our responsibility to maintain it in vibrant condition.

If you checked even one of the above items, you are the right person to attend this training day for everyone in our Emmaus community. This training is part of the on-going maintenance that helps to keep our community thriving. It has been seven years since we last had an opportunity for this kind of training. In humility, we need to listen to the instruction of our Upper Room regional representative, Cathi Eberly. God may choose to speak to us through her. I hope that our community will attend with a willing and obedient attitude. Please be there!

Peace & Blessings, Bev Earley, Community Lay Director

Triennial Community Training on Saturday, August 27 from 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at Memorial Baptist Church in Columbus
Registration is appreciated to ensure there are enough seats and lunches. Lunch will be served. Register with Bev Earley at 376-6265 or bev@cccolumbus.org. I'm sorry, but no child care will be provided at this event.



DATES FOR UPCOMING FLIGHTS AND WALKS

Flights #19 & #20	Sept. 3-5
Men's Walk # 57	Oct. 20-23
Women's Walk #58	Oct. 27-30
Flights #21 & #22	Mar. 18-20, 06
Men's Walk #59	Apr. 20-23, 06
Women's Walk #60	Apr. 27-30, 06
Men's Walk # 61	Oct. 19-22, 06
Women's Walk #62	Oct. 26-29, 06

CHANGES IN DATES OF FALL GATHERINGS

Due to the heavy schedule of Emmaus activities in October (like every weekend), it has been decided by the Emmaus Board to **cancel the October 14th Gathering**. Therefore, the Fall Teams' Dedication will take place at the September 16th Gathering, to be held at Cornerstone Community Church in Seymour. Please correct your calendars to reflect this change.

We will have opportunities to worship together at the candlelight and closing services for Walks #57 and #58.



Meet an Emmaus Board Member

Hello, my name is Ron Povaleri, Columbus Indiana Area Emmaus Walk #12, table of Andrew. It is my privilege to serve both you and our Emmaus community as the facilities/transportation coordinator.

Just a bit about who I am - I live in Deputy, IN with my wife of 31 years, Becky. I have one daughter, Casey. She is now a sophomore at Purdue University. We attend church at Cornerstone Community Church in Seymour.

I appreciate the opportunity of serving you and the Emmaus Community in this capacity. As many will attest to, a large part of our 4th day experience is when we receive the opportunity to give back just a small fraction of what was given to us.

Thank you for your trust and this wonderful opportunity.

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Ron Povaleri



MONTHLY EMMAUS BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

1. The October 14th Gathering has been removed from the calendar. With team training, the Gathering, and two walk weekends scheduled in October, that meant there were four weekends of Emmaus activities in October. Teams #57 and #58 will be dedicated at the September 16th Gathering.
 2. We have just begun the process of looking for the board members who will serve in the class of 2006-08.
 3. A new screen will be purchased for use on the walks (for overheads).
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CHRYSALIS NEWS

**FLIGHTS #19 AND #20
LABOR DAY WEEKEND
HILLTOP CHRISTIAN CAMP**



September 3-5 is coming soon and we need more caterpillars. Do you have a youth in your life or church that God is leading you to sponsor? It is never too late to sponsor. Applications are available on the Emmaus web site or from any Chrysalis board member.

Please mark your calendars and come to support our caterpillars on their flight to Christ. Candlelight will be held at Asbury United Methodist Church on Sunday night September 4th at 8:00 p.m. Closing will also be at Asbury at 5:00 p.m. on Monday afternoon September 5th. We realize this is a holiday weekend, but your Christ-like face at candlelight and closing means so much to these young caterpillars.

Please continue to pray for our Chrysalis lay directors, Curt and Michelle Aton and the Chrysalis team (listed to the right as available at the time of publication) as we continue in preparing for the flights.

Fly with Christ!

- Flight #19**
- Curt Aton
 - Tim Hoeflinger
 - Ed Reuter
 - Skip Green
 - John Miles
 - Eric Riddle
 - Harvey Taylor
 - Dale Nowlin
 - Kyle Ingram
 - Stuart Isreal – Barnes
 - Cory Hamm
 - Hershel Zahnd
 - Alan Smith
 - John Burcham
 - Jeff Gallager
 - John Knoy
 - Zack Burbrink
 - Adam Schill
 - Larry Alexander
 - JT Glasgow
 - Steve Packer
 - Dave Engle

- Flight #20**
- Michelle Aton
 - Lisa Reuter
 - Venetia Green
 - Lindsey Morgenson
 - Debbie Alexander
 - Jenny Taylor
 - Jane Hein
 - Kristin Wheatley
 - Amanda Boger
 - Kara Biro
 - Anita Zahnd
 - Cindy Grider
 - Melissa Shaffer
 - Carolyn Poole
 - Rhonda Taylor
 - Brenda Stoner
 - Jakki Englestadt
 - Amy Guernsey
 - Julianna Jerome
 - Kathy Bradley
 - Sarah Rice
 - Jill Robbins

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August Hoot:

Sunday August 7, 2005 1:30 p.m.

First United Methodist Church

201 East 3rd St., Seymour

August Gathering:

Friday, August 19, 2005

Memorial Baptist Church

2320 7th Street, Columbus

Chrysalis Team Dedication

N – Z bring snacks and drinks

Childcare is provided for children ages 6 and younger.

September 3-5 Chrysalis Flights #19 and #20

Hilltop Christian Camp

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