



The Emmaus News

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Letter to the Community:

WHERE ARE THE OTHER NINE?

In Luke 17:17, Jesus asks “where are the nine?” He had just healed ten lepers, but only one came back to praise God and to say thanks to Jesus for healing him. Sometimes I think the Emmaus Community is a little that way. When I go to Closings and hear the testimonies of those who have gone on the Walk to Emmaus, I rejoice with them for the blessing they have received. Nearly everyone who goes on the Walk comes away feeling blessed. But many of these never come to a Gathering, work on team, or sponsor a pilgrim. They are like the nine who were healed, but did not return to give thanks for the blessing. They go back to live their fourth days just like they always did. The thing they do not realize is the blessing does not end with the weekend.

Sponsoring pilgrims, working on team, and the fellowship at gatherings give blessing too. There is a special thrill in seeing the joy on the face of a family member or friend that you have sponsored. Working on team also has special blessings when you see the joy of the pilgrims. You make many new friends on the Walk and working on team. Gatherings and Reunion Groups help to keep these friendships alive.

I am so glad that some **DO** return the blessing and share it with others. Actively participating in the Emmaus Community is a wonderful way to serve God and say thanks for the blessing you received. Aren't you glad that someone loved you enough to share the Walk to Emmaus blessing with you?

It is getting near the time when we need sponsors for pilgrims and people to support the Walk activities. I encourage each of you to be a part of this wonderful experience.

DeColores,

Gary Fuquay
Community Lay Director

Dates for Upcoming Walks & Flights

Chrysalis Flights 25 & 26	Sept. 1-3 2007
Men's Walk #65	October 18-21, 2007
Women's Walk #66	October 25-28, 2007



Team Lists for Chrysalis Flights #25 & #26



POS.	Name	POS.	Name
SD	Brian Buterbaugh	SD	Brian Buterbaugh
ASD	Larry McIntosh	ASD	Marsha Rodenberger
ASD	David Schill	LD	Jane Hien
LD	Mike Hien	ALD	Candy Spiker
ALD	Karl Evans	ALD	Teresa Russell
ALD	Gary Spiker	ALD	Jamie Evans
ALD	Chad Russell	YLD	Grace Kestler
YLD	John Buterbaugh	TL	Bertha Engle
TL	Dave Engle	TL	Bobbi Howell
TL	Joe Howell	TL	Chris Hime
TL	John Shoemaker	YTL	Emma Buterbaugh
YTL	Adam Schill	YTL	Amelia Hodnett
YTL	Jeremy Shepherd	YTL	Christine Stroud
YTL	Dexter Back	HK	Sandy Hudak
HK	Sandy Hudak	KTY	Chrissy Midkiff
KT	Ron Czapla	KTY	Paige Pollert
KTY	Chris Pool	KT	Pat Hougland
KTY	Daniel Bostelman	KT	Lindsey Engle
HA	Dan Kirkling	A	Teresa Arbuckle
A	Bill Hougland	CAY	Claire Metz
A	Mark Newell	AY	Elizabeth Bostelman
CAY	Jordan Simpson	AY	Bria Goode
AY	Andy Higginbotham	AY	Ashley Lentz
AY	Aaron Czapla	HM	Larry Alexander
AY	Josh Shepherd	M	Pam Andrew
HM	Larry Alexander	M	Kathy Bradley
M	Steve Packer	M	Rebecca Hodnett
M	J.T. Glasgow	*BR	Venetia Green
M	Pat Frey	*Board Rep	
*BR	Gary Fuquay		

Chrysalis Flights 25 & 26

"True worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks." John 4:23

We would like to thank each of you that have or will be praying for Flight's 25 & 26. We all know that prayer is the answer to an awesome weekend at Hill-top Christian Camp for the caterpillars and team. We ask that you keep the team in your prayers. We the team want to draw closer to God each day so we may reflect His face, grace, and love to each caterpillar on the flight's. Also we ask you to prayerfully consider sponsoring a young person to go on these flight's. Our prayer is that the flight's will be full so God's Holy Spirit can touch more lives on Flight's 25 & 26. Most of all we pray that God receives all the glory and honor for what He will do on the flight's. Thank You Lord and Community for giving us this opportunity to serve as Lay Director's on Flight's 25 & 26. Please PRAY, PRAY, PRAY.

**Fly With Christ
Mike & Jane Hien**

Greetings from the Agape Committee!

It is not too soon to be working on Agape for the Fall Walks and it is so much fun for the Pilgrims to receive! We still have quite a bit of left over agape from the previous Spring Walks, so if you have made agape in the past you will want to check out our table at the next gathering. Also, don't forget to sign the Prayer Charts at the gatherings. If for some reason you can not make it to the gathering but would like to participate in the 72 hour prayer vigil, we would be happy to sign your name for you. Just call Christine Griggs @ 812/378-9697 or Pat Shoemaker @ 812/988-2310. Also, if anyone is interested in making the "watches" for the walks please contact Pat or Christine. Thanks so much for all your support!

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August Gathering

Friday, August 17, 7pm, Cornerstone Church,
1088 Sarasota Dr., Seymour

~ *Chrysalis Team Dedication* ~

J—Z bring snacks and drinks

Childcare provided for ages 6 & under



September Gathering

Friday, September 21, 7pm, Sandy Hook UM Church,
1610 Taylor Rd., Columbus

~ *Fall Teams Dedication* ~

A—I bring snack and drinks

Childcare provided for ages 6 & under