



# The Emmaus News

Columbus Indiana Area Emmaus Community, Inc.

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*From our Community Lay Director...*

The community had a great evening at the February Gathering at Petersville United Methodist Church. If everyone signed in, we had an attendance of 74. You generously donated \$572 to be split between Chrysalis and Emmaus. Thank you for attending and for giving. *(Just so you know, we accept donations anytime.)*

At the meeting, we prayed for the Chrysalis Team, who were in training and could not attend. We also commissioned an eager men's team and excited women's team for the March walks. As of writing this article, the walks are happening.

Please keep the teams in prayer, as well as the pilgrims, and those who have not yet committed that God wants on this walk. Thanks to all of you who signed up to pray for the pilgrims, not knowing who that is until we get a list of those registered. *(You will get an email with a name or names of who you have been praying for.)*

Please follow through and write an agape letter to that unknown person and tell them who you are and how you have lifted them up in prayer prior to the walk and prior to them even registering. I also hope you can meet them personally at closing and make a new friend. I also encourage you to keep praying for them on his or her fourth day.

**De Colores,**

Dave Goodner, Community Lay Director



*From our Community Spiritual Director ...*



IT'S CRUNCH TIME! I'm not sure who came up with that phrase. Some say it was Winston Churchill in the 1930's, others say it showed up a generation later.

But the month of March is "crunch time" for our society. It's the time to get our yearly taxes done. It's time to start preparing for our gardening and lawn care plans. It's the month to watch basketball's "March Madness" unfold. And it's the time to finalize our Spring Break plans.

It's also "crunch time" as we prepare for our upcoming Emmaus Walks and Chrysalis Flights. Our Team rosters are being set, and training will be occurring. Talks will soon be previewed and food plans will be finalized.

For our Emmaus community, it's "crunch time" for our support of those Walks and Flights. Sponsors are covering the specifics of their roles. Agape for pilgrims, caterpillars & Team members is being finished. Notes and letters for all of them are being written. And our Prayer Charts are being filled in.

There's so much to do in this month of March! Let's set our priorities now to support Jesus' plans for those upcoming holy weekends.

**De Colores,**

Pastor Mike Seaney,

Community Spiritual Director





*From our Chrysalis Community Lay Director...*



Chrysalis is excited about the upcoming flights with Lay Directors Cody and Jessica Mosier, the weekend after Easter (April 15-17). The team is coming together and completed our training on February 17 -18. The training focused on minimizing ourselves as individuals and becoming the hands and feet of Christ for our Caterpillars.

We would ask the community for their support with prayer for the upcoming flights. Please consider sponsoring, or helping a youth sponsor caterpillars for the upcoming flights. Applications are available from the Columbus Emmaus website. There is a \$20 discount on applications received before March 31<sup>st</sup>.

We give each caterpillar a hardcover Study Bible as a gift from the Emmaus Community. Surprisingly, a good number don't have a good adult hard copy Bible. Each Bible costs about \$24 and full flights are 50 caterpillars. Any financial donations are appreciated. In addition to financial needs as the flights approach, we will gladly receive donations of Agape, individually packaged treats (home made or store purchased) and cans of soda and bottles of water.

Thanks again for your continued support of the youth in our community. We appreciate each of you.

Fly with Christ,  
Sean McAlister





# A 4th Day Note



My chrysalis experience was truly life changing. I spent three whole days with no distractions and I was surrounded by people who loved Jesus with their whole hearts. Being around all those people and resources made it easy to focus on Jesus and put Him first over everything.

So I've found that what comes after the chrysalis is just as important. The next day I went back to school with kids who had an ordinary weekend while I came from a life-changing weekend. Staying on that Jesus high can be challenging when the people around you are not pushing you further in your faith. On the day after my flight I felt lighter after letting go of all the burdens I was carrying and I wanted to show people that you live a happier life with Jesus. I wanted to show people that with Jesus your life won't be easy but it will be possible because of His plan and love for me.

My personal goal was to talk to God everyday and throughout the whole day as well as spending time in His word! Having the chrysalis experience and being surrounded by this community showed me that the day after your flight will be hard but it is possible to overcome and live for Jesus in my everyday life.

Rachel Kuhlman  
Flight 78  
Table of the Purplicious Peeps





Hello everyone,

Rob Motosicky and John Michael here as your supply board members. We sure could use some help with the handling of supplies if you have the free time to offer. We will be loading the trailer with the supplies on Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am at the storage facility. Then the delivery of supplies to camp will be on Wednesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 pm starting at the kitchen. We will reload the trailer right after the women's walk on Sunday afternoon, April 2nd. If you would like to help and need some more info, you can contact Rob Motosicky at 812-343-1304.

De Colores to all and may your 4<sup>th</sup> Days be Glorious.



Greetings, Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

Our Spring Walks are a go!!! Thank you, Father! Broken record time: Let's get those Agape treats ready! Remember, 36 for pilgrims only, and 90 for everyone....that's for each Walk. Show 'em some love, community!

Many thanks again to the lovely ladies who have sewn/are sewing Agape bags. We appreciate your act of Agape immensely, and pilgrims will be blessed mightily by your servant's heart! **New Community members:** If you choose to serve on a Walk, we will exchange a more permanent nametag to your Agape bag. So don't discard those bags!

You never know when God will call you to serve Him!

And finally, we're looking for volunteers to provide and man the snack table at both

Send-Offs. The dates will be Thursday, March 23 and Thursday, March 30. This involves providing coffee, hot water for tea and cocoa, and cookies. If you or your group would be willing to help out, please contact Kathy Rudolph.

De Colores from your Agape board members,

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Kathy Rudolph  
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### Men's Walk #127

March 23rd -26th, 2023 ~ Lay Director ~ Kenny Harrison

Send-off ~ Thursday, March 23rd ~ 6:30 pm ~ Camp Lakeview

Candlelight ~ Saturday, March 25th ~ 8 pm

~Community Church of Columbus

Closing ~ Sunday, March 26th ~ 3:30 pm ~ Camp Lakeview

Accepting applications until March 9th

### Women's Walk #128

March 30th-April 2nd, 2023 ~ Lay Director ~ Cindy Massey

Send-off ~ Thursday, March 30th ~ 6:30 pm ~ Camp Lakeview

Candlelight ~ Saturday, April 1st ~ 8 pm

~ Community Church of Columbus

Closing ~ Sunday, April 2nd ~ 3:30 pm ~ Camp Lakeview

Accepting applications until March 16th



Emmaus Men's Walk #127 Prayer chart

Emmaus Women's Walk #128 Prayer chart

**The Caterpillar and Emmaus Applications are posted on the website.**

**You may download one at**

**Columbus IN Area Emmaus Walk Application**

**Chrysalis Flight Application**



# Men's Walk #127 Team



LD	Kenny Harrison	Perseverance	HA	Ben Harrison
ALD	Cody Mosier	Fourth Day	AT	Johnnie Spivey
ALD	Jeff Sutton	Discipleship	AT	Ross Pushor
ALD	Jeremy Keller	Priorities	AT	Kevin Grow
			AT	Matt Bense
SD	David Schill	Means of Grace	AT	Joe Woodson
ASD	Mitchell McIntyre	Justifying Grace	AT	Barry Renner
ASD	John Weintraut	Sanctifying Grace	AT	Mark Thomas
ASD	Jim Weld	Obstacles to Grace	AT	Elijah Toborg
ASD	Brian Lanning	Prevenient Grace	AT	Randy Pruitt
TL	Jerry Mays	Changing Our World	HK	Jerry Blackerby
TL	Justin Reid	Life Of Piety	KT	Dan Boyer
TL	Matt Wieneke	Christian Action	KT	Kevin Weintraut
TL	Remy Meyer	Priesthood Of All Believers	KT	Ed Lancaster
TL	Shawn Mahony	Growth Through Study	KT	Chris Dowden
TL	Dave Engle	Body Of Christ	KT	Jim Newell
TL	Joe Madden		KT	Ed Tower
TL	Glenn Pullen		KT	Fred Wilson
			KT	Eric Burton
			KT	Mike Shoemaker
ATL	Skeeter Kinnick		HM	Scott Larrison
ATL	Jason Lekens		MT	David Fontanez
ATL	Baylee Mosier		MT	Mikey Lewis
ATL	John Ulrey			
ATL	Michael Tungate			
ATL	Devin Light			
ATL	Jeff Gerth		TC	Kevin Maxwell
ATL	Chuck Goode		BR	Rob Motosicky



It's time to  
*Spring Ahead*



# Women's Walk #128 Team

Cindy Massey	LD	Perseverance	Julie Metz	HK
Sue Putterill	ALD1	Fourth Day	Dot Kirkling	KT
Charlotte Hadley	ALD2	Priorities	Tesia Baker	KT
Michelle Bryant	ALD3	Discipleship	Cecilia Hiatt	KT
			Jill Gerth	KT
Jane Noblitt	SD	Means Of Grace, Prevenient Grace	Lisa Wieneke	KT
			Heather Mays	KT
Karen Hargett	ASD	Obstacles to Grace	Angie VonFange	KT
Brian Buterbaugh	ASD	Justifying Grace	Michelle Tungate	KT
Marsha Rodenberger	ASD	Sanctifying Grace		
			Beth Johnson	HA
Sheryl Grow	TL	Growth Through Study	Leslie Burton	AT
Joyce Sword	TL	Life of Piety	Jennifer Fuquay	AT
Marji Clark	TL	Christian Action	Amy Cooley	AT
Stephanie Phillips	TL	Changing Our World	Peggy Ganus	AT
Candy Spiker	TL	Body Of Christ	Christy Brooks-Stormes	AT
Diana Boyer	TL	Priesthood of All Believers	Meme Anderson	AT
Michelle Aton	TL		Mackenzie Wieneke	AT
Teresa Mayfield	ATL		Julie Ross	HM
Becky Renner	ATL		Lee Marshall	MT
Karen Dobrinski	ATL		Bethany Lewis	MT
Christine Munson	ATL			
Judy Scott	ATL		Sarah Lewis	TC
Jen Kozakiewicz	ATL		Deanna Glick	BR
Barb Newell	ATL			

## Honorary Team Member







## Community Gatherings...

### **NO GATHERING IN MARCH**

Next Gathering April 21st ~ 6:30 pm ~ Central Christian Church, Seymour, IN

4th Day meeting will be one hour before Gathering at 5:30 pm followed by dinner to welcome the new Pilgrims and Caterpillars into our Emmaus Community

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## Chrysalis Flights #83 & 84

April 15th -17th

## Board Meetings

**Chrysalis** ~ Tuesday, March 7th ~ 6:00 pm

The Rock, 3990 Rocky Ford Rd, Columbus, IN

**Emmaus** - Saturday, March 11th ~ 9:00 am

The Rock, 3390 Rocky Ford Rd, Columbus, IN

HELLO  
Spring



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Facebook!



Columbus Indiana Area Emmaus Community, Inc.

www.columbusareaemmaus.community

Emmaus Information Page (for community members)

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