



Emmaus/Chrysalis Newsletter



PURCHASE AREA 4TH DAY COMMUNITY

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NEWSLETTER BACK IN BUSINESS

The newsletter is back. It will be published in February, April, June, August, October, and December. All items to be published in the newsletter should be submitted by the 10th of the publishing month.

There will be two people working on the newsletter, Cherry Brown and Emily McCollum. Cherry will concentrate on Chrysalis news and Emily on Emmaus news. However, you may pass along information to either. Cherry may be reached at 898-3420 or cherry.brown53@att.net and Emily at 527-3905 or mccollum1@charter.net.

YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

It's amazing, but we send over 1600 print copies of the newsletter by snail mail. Unfortunately, this is not a budgeted item and cost over \$600 per mailing. If you would like to make a donation, mark your check "for newsletter" and mail to the community treasurer:
Pat Wyatt
955 Moors Camp Rd
Benton, KY 42025

NEW PRAYER CHAIN

Susan Engle is coordinating a new phone prayer chain for the Purchase Area Community. Previously, those who did not have email missed out on the blessings of our prayer ministry. If you do not have email and would like to get prayer requests, fill out the form on the back page and return to the address provided.

BANNERS NEEDED

The community is in need of new banners. Banners should be 3 ft x 5 ft. If you or your reunion group would like to make a banner, please contact Community Lay Director, Debbie Bushart (527-8969 or dbushart@marshall.k12.ky.us)

FEES CHANGED

Effective June 1, 2004, the Emmaus Board has voted to increase the Emmaus Walk fees. This increase was needed to cover the expense of the weekends. Clergy, laity, and pilgrims will pay \$75 for the weekend. Of course scholarships are available for those who need them.

SPRING WALKS APPROACHING

Plans are already underway for Walks #74 and #75. Chuck Dorr and Pat Wyatt are finalizing their teams and pilgrims are applying. If you know someone wanting to attend one of the spring Walks, make sure they get their application in soon.

Applications and a \$15 deposit should be mailed to the Registrar:
Emmaus Community Registrar
344 Serenity Shores Road
Benton, KY 42025

The men's walk will be April 15 – April 18 and the women's will be April 29 – May 2. It is not too early to start planning agape, writing letters, and most importantly, be in prayer for the pilgrims and leaders.

Find rest, O my soul, in God alone; my hope comes from Him. He alone is my rock and my salvation; He is my fortress, I will not be shaken. – Psalm 62: 5,6

UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 2	Chrysalis Board meeting at FUMC Mayfield (7 pm)
MARCH 4	Emmaus Board meeting at First Christian Church Benton (7 pm)
MARCH 6	GATHERING Gospel Mission (7 pm)
APRIL 1	Emmaus Board meeting at First Christian Church Benton (7 pm)
APRIL 3	GATHERING First United Methodist Church Clinton (7 pm)
APRIL 5	Chrysalis Board meeting at FUMC Mayfield (7 pm)
APRIL 15	PAWTE #74 at BASIC (7 pm)
APRIL 17	Candlelight at Hardin Baptist Church (8:30 pm)
APRIL 18	Closing at Benton First United Methodist Church (4:45 pm)
APRIL 29	PAWTE #75 at BASIC (7pm)
MAY 1	Candlelight – Place TO BE ANNOUNCED (8:30)
MAY 2	Closing at Benton First United Methodist Church (4:45 pm)
MAY 4	Chrysalis Board meeting at FUMC Mayfield (7 pm)
MAY 6	Emmaus Board meeting at First Christian Church Benton (7 pm)
MAY 8	Emmaus Training & Gathering at First Christian Church Benton (6 pm)

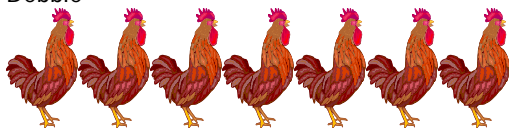
A NOTE FROM EMMAUS COMMUNITY DIRECTOR DEBBIE BUSHART

This is going to be a great year for our community! The lay directors for #74 and #75 are working around the clock to get their teams ready. By the time this newsletter comes out, the teams will be meeting for the first time and beginning communal prayers for the walks. Let's all pray for the team, for the pilgrims, and for the sponsors.

Because of a wedding scheduled at Hardin Baptist on May 1, the women's candlelight will be moved. We are trying to locate a church now.

If you are sponsoring someone for the upcoming walks, please make every effort to bring them to the first few monthly gatherings after the walks. This is the best way to make sure each pilgrim stays active in the community. I hope every member of the community makes an effort to attend the next monthly gathering. It will be on Saturday, March 6 at Gospel Mission in Reidland. I hope to see you there! May God continue to bless you.

Debbie



CANDLELIGHT INFORMATION FOR WALKS 74 and 75

The Emmaus community would like for each and every pilgrim to feel special. We do not want anyone to feel slighted or left out. We understand that when you bring special gifts or flowers to your special pilgrims or team members at candlelight, you are just showing people that you love them. This is completely understandable, but please remember that we strive during the weekend to make **every** pilgrim feel unconditional love and acceptance. The entire Emmaus movement has requested that if you would like to give special gifts to your friends, please wait and give them to them in private after closing. We pray that this does not offend anyone. We simply want all of our pilgrims to feel the same acceptance. Therefore, please do not bring gifts and flowers to candlelight. As usual, your understanding is greatly appreciated.

CHRYSALIS FLIGHT #22

Mitzi Guhy and Mike Gentry are the Lay Directors for Chrysalis Flight #22. They are eagerly planning the Flight which is scheduled for June 26-June 28 at Broadway UMC. The deadline to receive applications is June 12th. Please remember them in your prayers.

A NOTE FROM EMMAUS/CHRYSALIS SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR KEITH TILFORD

What an awesome God we serve! We witnessed a wonderful Chrysalis flight in January and we look with great anticipation at what God has in store for us during the upcoming Walks. I ask that you be in prayer for the teams and the pilgrims.

Do you realize your walk or flight was a gift from someone that cared about you enough to sponsor you for the experience? Gifts that are put back and not used soon become forgotten or dusty. Have you let the excitement you felt on your journey lessen because of your lack of involvement in our community? Your Emmaus board has worked hard getting a newsletter out to those unable to receive updates electronically. Now it is up to you, there are no more excuses because you don't know what is going on in the community. It's time to dust off your cross and name tag and become active again in our Emmaus/Chrysalis community. We need your support and involvement. We look forward with *anticipation* in seeing you *participate!*

DeColores!
Bro. Keith



**Welcome Butterflies of Flight #21
to the Purchase Area Chrysalis Community!**



Girls:

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| Jaclyn Bailey | Aliscia Driver | Jordon Villines |
| Chelsea Bladon | Becky Dusing | Amanda McLennon |
| Jennifer Blasdel | Hilary Edwards | Kim Myatt |
| Amanda Brown | Amanda Ferguson | Megan Robison |
| Mackenzie Bush | Heather Franklin | Rachel Rowley |
| Amanda Cavness | Lindsey Franklin | Brandy Watkins |
| Kendra Clayton | Ashley Hulse | Ashley White |
| Kellon Cossler | Hillary Hulse | Kellie Wilber |
| Jennie Crawford | | |



Boys:

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| Zach Bohannon | Jareth Embrey | Mike Perkins |
| Max Brand | Tim Engle | Brock Reed |
| Stinson Brown | Jake Faughn | Brandon Sears |
| Josh Carlton | Adam Finke | Jake Shelby |
| Damien Carr | Casey Jones | A. Logan Smith |
| Caleb Cunningham | Jayce Long | Logan T. Smith |
| Dustin Curtsinger | Kyle Mohler | Cole Thomas |
| Colby Davis | Zach Morrow | Clint Tilford |
| P.J. Dillon | Drew Nowlin | Chris Walker |
| Justin Dorr | Jordan Painter | Chris Williams |



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INFORMATION NEEDED

We are trying to update our mailing list and make corrections to the database in order to save on mailing costs. If you have e-mail and would like to receive the newsletter electronically, be added to the phone prayer chain, or would like to stop receiving the newsletter, please fill out the form below.

_____ Send the newsletter to my email address and no longer by snail mail.

_____ I do not have email and would like to join the phone prayer chain.

_____ Please remove my name from your mail list.

NAME _____ PHONE _____

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EMAIL _____ WALK/FLIGHT # _____

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