



April 2017

East Ohio Emmanuel
Emmaus, Inc.

Emmaus Gathering

We do not have a Gathering in April due to the Walks. Please see the schedule below to help serve at the Walks.

EOEE 35th Anniversary

August 19, 2017 from 3:00-9:00 pm

Where: Camp Wanake

This event is open to all family and friends even if they have not made an Emmaus Walk and Chrysalis Flight.

Men's Walk #92

"For I know the plans I have for you," declared the Lord, "Plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

Jeremiah 29:11

It is truly amazing to see how God is working through the men of the team for Walk 92! The team continues to grow spiritually and are focused on the role each are to play on God's weekend on April 20th. We have had an opportunity to hear all of the talks and we are now on the home stretch to greeting the Pilgrims of Walk 92. Please continue to pray for the team, their families, and the pilgrims as we prepare to journey with God on the Walk to Emmaus.

Mike McClintock, Lay Leader
Rich Crum, Asst. Lay Leader

Women's Walk #92

"Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord. Let us shout aloud to the rock of our salvation". Psalm 95:1

The Women's walk #92 team meetings are halfway through already! We had our first talk preview, Saturday, March 18th and everything went well! I know God will use all the weekend talks to reach those who need to hear their words. I am being so blessed by each of these women and men and the joy they show for Christ and each other every week.

Sadly, our sister in Christ, Sheri Watkins had to step down as Head Kitchen due to health issues. She is still with us in spirit and we would ask that you continue to keep her and her family in your prayers. We also welcomed Michele Atkinson as our new Head Kitchen. Please continue to pray for our team that we continue to lean on the rock of our salvation.

In Christ,
Denise Sprout and Melisa Waller

SPONSORS

The weekends are almost here. Remember how excited, anxious and nervous you were about attending your Walk to Emmaus? Do you remember things your sponsor(s) did or said to ease your anxiety or added to the blessings of your weekend? Isn't it exciting to think you're sponsoring the new Fourth Day and ultimately future sponsors! What can we do to set a good example and continue the legacy of East Ohio Emmanuel Emmaus? Here are a few reminders:

DURING THE WEEKEND

1. Provide your pilgrim transportation to and from Camp Wanake.
2. Remain with your pilgrim until after dinner on Thursday evening. Bring requested side dish for Thursday evening dinner (don't forget to collect empty containers).
3. Take agape to the Agape Room at Moody Retreat Center and place it in the "Third or Personal" drop box; or bring it to candlelight on Saturday evening and place it in the Agape box at the back of barn chapel. Remember to get a note from the pilgrim's spouse and family. Mark letters/cards from the pilgrim's spouse, family and close friends "Personal" on the outside of each envelope. **Be sure the envelopes have the pilgrim's first and last name.**
4. Attend Sponsor's Hour on Thursday evening after dinner; Candlelight on Saturday, and closing on Sunday. Remember, only spouses who have attended the Walk to Emmaus or similar event (Cursillo, Tres Dias, etc.) are to attend candlelight. **Children are not permitted to attend any weekend events**, but are welcomed to attend the monthly gatherings.
5. Sponsors are encouraged NOT to serve meals on the weekend and to have limited contact with their pilgrim except for candlelight and closing.
6. PRAY at home, and at the chapel if possible. Sign up for the 72-hour Prayer Vigil.
7. Make sure the pilgrim's spouse has your phone number in case of an emergency. During the weekend, be available to help the family if needed. A phone call to check on them, provide a meal or bake them something, invite them over or out to eat, provide transportation or babysitting for children if necessary, stay in touch.

AFTER THE WEEKEND

1. Pray for their 4th Day!
2. Help your pilgrim join a reunion group or help them start a new one.
3. Keep in touch with your pilgrim and show as much interest and concern as you did before and during their weekend.
4. Encourage regular church attendance and involvement in church activities.
5. Make sure they attend the next Gathering following their weekend.
6. Encourage them to sign up for the Newsletter to stay connected and informed about upcoming EOEE activities and walks.

East Ohio Emmanuel Emmaus Men's Walk #92

*"For I know the plans I have for you," declared the Lord, "Plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."
Jeremiah 29:11*

April 20-23, 2017

Lay Leader	Kitchen	Chapel	Lay Speakers
Mike McClintock	*Ted Howenstine	*Kirk McCutheon	Rick Davenport
-- Perseverance	Travis Hostetler	Randy Lewis	-- Priesthood of All Believers
	John Houdeshell	Matt Brown	Kurt Myers
	David Blubaugh	Denny Ravine	-- Life of Piety
			Dave Piehl
			--Growth Through Study
Asst. Lay Leader		Asst. Table	David Fritz
Rich Crum		Leaders	--Christian Action
-- Priorities	Agape	Russ Bowman	Dale Sprout
	*Chris Vaughn	Bill Stevens	--Discipleship
ALD	Steve Graham	Mitch Lambert	Ken Shillingburg
*Jerry McEowen			-- Changing Our World
Dave Limbaugh			Craig Welsh
Andy McPherson			-- Body of Christ
Doug Herr	Music		
Mike McCullough	*Frank Ballard	Board Rep	
-Fourth day	Dave Folk	John Dunn	
Spiritual Directors			* Denotes Head
*Vince Maltempi		Utility	
Dave McGrath		Tom Raddish	
Dave Tennant			
Jeff Conley			
Jim Lewis			

East Ohio Emmanuel Emmaus Women's Walk #92

"Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord. Let us shout aloud to the rock of our salvation."
Psalm 95:1.

April 27-30, 2017

Lay Leader	Kitchen	Chapel	Lay Speakers
Denise Sprout -- Perseverance	*Michele Atkinson Lori Carle Sharon Ritenour Kelsey Horton Nan Mortier	*Pam Crenshaw Barb Shilling Debbie Sponseller Joan Niedenthal	Pat Spangler -- Priesthood Melinda Richardson -- Life of Piety Christina Neidert --Growth Through Study
Asst. Lay Leader		Asst. Table Leaders	Sharon Jones --Christian Action
Melisa Waller -- Priorities	Agape *Josie Lind Paige Bullock Regina Ravine	Shirley Maxwell Allison Seymour Paula Neff Ethyl-Yvonne Middlebrooks Susie Van Fossen	Dawn Crum --Discipleship Erika Rutan -- Changing Our World Lisa Limbaugh -- Body of Christ
ALD	Music *Colleen Ash Carri Weller Debbie Deseyn		
*Stephanie Bradford Valle Cernik/4th day Kathi Egger Wendi Watkins Mona Hartshorn		Board Rep Lynette Mahaffey	* Denotes Head
Spiritual Directors *Nancy Conley Bruce Mont Bill Seymour Jan Sprague Cindy Olson		Utility Terry Raddish	

EOEE Weekend Schedule

This schedule is for the Men's and Women's Walk. It is not for the Chrysalis Flights.

Friday

8:00 AM Breakfast
9:20 AM Priority
10:30 AM Preventive Grace
12:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM Priesthood
2:30 PM Justifying Grace
5:30 PM Dinner
6:20 PM Life In Piety

Saturday

8:00 AM Breakfast
8:45 AM Growth Through
Study
10:00 AM Means of Grace
12:30 PM Lunch
2:10 PM Christian Action
3:15 PM Agape Drop #1
4:00 PM Obstacles To Grace
5:30 PM Dinner
6:30 PM Discipleship
9:00 PM FOURTH DAY
SERVICE
9:00 PM Agape Drop #2
10:00 PM CANDLE LIGHT
(Fourth Day should arrive at
9:00 PM)

Sunday

8:00 AM Breakfast
8:45 AM Changing Our
World
9:45 AM Sanctifying Grace
10:45 AM Body of Christ
11:30 AM Agape Drop #3
(This drop is the "Personal"
drop, only!)
12:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM Perseverance
2:10 PM Fourth Day
4:30 PM Closing

Meals, Snacks, and Agape

Fourth Day members can contribute and serve in each walk in many ways. If you would like to serve meals please come to the Dining Hall 10-15 minutes before the mealtime. Please bring snacks to the Dining Hall and Agape to the Agape Room in Moody Retreat Center (where the team stays).

Women's Walk Note: If you bring any foods that contain peanut products/oils please label them clearly due to allergies.



72 Hour Prayer Vigil

The 72 Hour Prayer Vigil is now posted on-line at the eooo.org website.

To sign up is easy:

1. Go to the website and click below the picture on the main page that says 72 hour prayer vigil to see all the prayer vigils around the world
2. Go to the East Ohio Emmanuel Emmaus listing and select the date column.
3. View all the times available and pick one or more times and fill in your name, etc.

Many thanks to all who have already committed to the Lord to be in Prayer for this weekend. Please prayerfully consider being a part of the 72 hours of prayer. Stand on the promise in 1 John 5:14, "And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us."

If you do not have access to the website please contact the following chapel team members:

Men's Chapel Team: Kirk McCutcheon (head) at kmmb3@allstate.com, Randy Lewis, Matt Brown, Denny Ravine.

Women's Chapel Team: Pam Crenshaw (head) at pdc714@gmail.com, Barb Shilling, Debbie Sponseller, Joan Niedenthal

Thank you for loving Jesus through your prayers for His work.

Greetings from the Kitchen Teams

The walks are just around the corner and the Kitchen teams are asking for help to make the weekend a success. Please prayerfully consider contributing snacks or table agape. The following items are encouraged: veggie and fruit trays, cheese/trail bologna and crackers, finger desserts, baked goods, bags of salty snacks, bags of regular and sugar-free wrapped candy. Table agape is also appreciated. Please bring your items to the Savage Kitchen before the walk. After the walk has started, please bring them to the Dining Hall under the barn and mark them for Savage snacks or table agape. If you would like to serve meals please come to the Dining Hall 15 minutes before the meal. Thank you so much for your prayers and help.

Due to a peanut allergy on the Women's Walk please refrain from bringing any food with peanuts, peanut butter, peanut oil, etc.

Agape

DO YOU REMEMBER FEELING BLESSED BY A HANDWRITTEN NOTE OR CARD FROM A CHRISTIAN BROTHER OR SISTER YOU'D NEVER MET? PLEASE CONSIDER PASSING IT ON BY WRITING GENERAL AGAPE FOR THE PILGRIMS ON THE UPCOMING WALKS.

As a reminder, **General Agape** is given to the pilgrims in the first and second drops on Saturday at 3:21 PM and 9:25 PM. **Personal Agape** from family and friends is delivered in the third drop on Sunday at 11:32 AM. All agape must fit into a paper "lunch size" bag. Please save any gifts or large items for the journey home.

Both General and Personal Agape can be dropped off at the Agape Room in Moody Retreat Center. Place your agape in the appropriate boxes no later than one hour before each drop to allow the team members ample time to sort and deliver. The Agape Room will close at 9 PM each evening so the team can rest and prepare to serve the pilgrims the following day. Please respect the teams' privacy during the weekends, and keep visits to the Agape Room short and for the purpose of delivering agape only.

For your convenience, an Agape Box will be placed in the back of the barn on Saturday night during the Candlelight Service. You can place your Personal Agape (to be delivered in the third drop on Sunday) in this box rather than taking it to Moody Retreat Center.

Thanking you in advance for supporting the men and women walks. As Christ taught us, "**Be devoted to one another in love.**" *Romans 12:10*. What better way to show devotion and love to one another than through written words of love and encouragement!

Chrysalis Flights

JUNE 3 – 5, 2017

Tom Holt and Robin Zickafoose are busy forming up teams for the June Chrysalis Flights at CAMP WANAKE!

The Boys and Girls flight will be held ON THE SAME WEEKEND!!!!

This will be a huge undertaking and we will need many, many hands to make everything run smoothly! Please look through this list of ways to help and let Lisa Herr or Rich Crum where and how you would like to serve.

- ♥ Sponsoring a young man or woman for the flight
- ♥ Providing scholarship money for caterpillars or youth team members
- ♥ Being a part of outside team (House Mom and Dad, Agape, Prayer Chapel, Kitchen)
- ♥ Setting up conference centers, prayer chapels and other areas
- ♥ Serving meals
- ♥ Providing table and bed agape X2
- ♥ Providing snack agape X2
- ♥ Attending Candlelight
- ♥ Signing up for the 72 hour Prayer Vigil (half hour increments)
- ♥ Being a part of the Mime team – Youth 4th day only please
- ♥ Tear down of areas used during the weekend
- ♥ STAY TUNED FOR OTHER WAYS TO SERVE!!!

HERE ARE SOME FAO'S FOR YOU:

Q: Who can go on a Flight?

A: Any boy or girl who are between age 15 and 18 and are **in or beginning** their sophomore, junior or senior year of high school. Unlike Walk to Emmaus candidates, these teens do NOT have to have made a commitment to Christ but have demonstrated a serious seeking of God in their lives. The teens MAY be deeply committed to their faith and are demonstrating leadership skills. Just as Walk candidates, it is probably best to not send a teen who has just experienced a trauma or has deep emotional issues. Remember, other than SD's, most of our teams are not staffed with professional counselors.

Q: Can my teen still go on a Walk to Emmaus if he/she goes on a flight?

A: YES! YES! YES! Actually, Butterflies (a teen who has completed a flight) can experience Walk to Emmaus by going as a pilgrim if they are age 19 or older. Or they can experience Walk to Emmaus by serving on team.

Q: What can I do to help until the flight weekends in June?

A: #1 PRAY! Pray for the team formations, for Chrysalis age teens to sponsor, for the families of the teens who will be coming.

#2 Plan on attending candlelight on **June 4th** and **11th** at Camp Wanake.

#3 Start making AGAPE for the tables at meal times and as bed Agape.

#4 Talk to the youth leaders at your church about having a Chrysalis Information night at a youth group gathering. Rich and Lisa will be glad to come talk to the youth and their parents about what happens during God's weekend.

Important Note from EOEE Board

As you may remember, last year we hosted an Emmaus District Leadership Training event. During that training we found that the Walk To Emmaus Model does not specify that Gatherings are for Fourth Day only, but are open to non – Fourth Day as well. We have had a few inquiries from time to time from EOEE Fourth Day expressing a desire to bring non-Fourth Day to Gatherings. After talking to members of several other communities attending the training, Board members were also surprised to learn that EOEE was the only community in the area who did not have open gatherings. These communities did say that although non-Fourth Day were allowed to attend their gatherings, they rarely did.

After much thought, prayer and discussion, the Board recently voted to allow non-Fourth Day individuals to attend gatherings.

Many thought the change could have a positive affect by making EOEE and The Walk to Emmaus more transparent and help eliminate the perception that we are some sort of secret society, and that it may be a way to introduce a future pilgrim to the Walk to Emmaus. The Board recognizes there may be pros and cons, and that no two people are the same.

What this means to you is that the ultimate decision and responsibility falls upon you as an individual Fourth Day member and much like sponsoring a pilgrim, before inviting someone to a gathering the Fourth Day member should pray and ask for God's direction; consider the individual's relationship with Christ; and think about how the individual attending the gathering will be impacted.

For some it may be better for the individual to wait and experience a gathering after attending a walk, while others may feel less anxious or fear about attending a walk if they attend a gathering first. Still others may never take a Walk, but will benefit from accompanying a family member or friend and being surrounded by the Body of Christ.

The reason behind the Board's decision and change is for EOEE to be more open to non-Fourth Day family members, and at the same time, remove some of the mystery that seems to surround Walk to Emmaus, and also be more transparent to those who show an interest in knowing more about this movement.

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