

# EMMAUS

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## Greater Dayton Walk to Emmaus

January

### Chairman's Corner – Happy New Year!

Wow! 2007 already! I am amazed at how fast the time goes and it seems like the older I get the faster it zips by! I have mixed feelings about that because part of me is excited to be with Jesus yet there are so many things I'd like to do before I leave here. I try to be very conscious of each day instead of always thinking about tomorrow or a week from now or even a month from now. There's a song by Tim McGraw called "Live Like You Were Dying" which I just heard again yesterday and it always serves to remind me that life on Earth is short and we need to try to live each day as if it were our last. What would we do differently? Who would we talk to about Jesus? How would we show His love to others? There's just a little something for us to think about.

Speaking of songs, what an awesome Gathering in December and we thank you for blessing us with your gifts! We have so much talent in our community so we expect to see more people signed up for music on walks! :)

As we close one year and welcome another, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank the departing Board members for all of their hard work, dedication to the integrity of the Walk to Emmaus and the community and their support of each other. Those members are Duane Veley, Sherry Kierce, Bill Bromley, Ellen McIntosh, and Karen Roush. Bless you and thank you so much for your faithful service. Also, a HUGE thank you to John Wissinger for his service and commitment to the community this past year as Chairman. We also welcome the new Board members and look forward to serving God with them. I am humbled and excited by this new role and am looking forward to sharing in the changing of lives through walks and community with you. I am amazed by the prospect of approximately 250 people renewing their faith or accepting Jesus into their lives in this community alone this coming year. Not to mention the thousands of people around the world throughout the Emmaus, Chrysalis, and Kairos family. Let us "press on toward the goal to win the prize" and lean on and learn from Jesus and each other. I pray that you are blessed this year in many ways and it is a privilege to spend this time with you. De Colores, Missy Trumbull, Chairperson

**Dear children, let us not love with words or tongue  
but with actions and in truth. 1 John 3:18**

### HOW TO FIND US!

Greater Dayton Emmaus  
Normandy UMC  
450 W. Alex-Bell Rd.  
Centerville OH 45459  
[www.daytonemmaus.org](http://www.daytonemmaus.org)

### UPCOMING 2007 WALKS

#### Held at Normandy UMC:

Men's Walk #41: Jan 25-28  
Women's Walk #69: Feb 15-18  
Women's Walk #70: Apr 19-22  
Men's Walk #42: May 17-20  
Women's Walk #72: Sep 20-23

#### Held at Christ UMC:

Women's Walk #71: Jul 19-22  
Men's Walk #43: Aug 16-19

### GATHERINGS & BOARD MEETING

Normandy UMC 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon 7:15  
Dayton Board 4<sup>th</sup> Tues 7:00

### CANDLELIGHT AND CLOSING

Candlelight 8:30 PM Saturday  
Closing 4:30 PM Sunday

### TRAINING & ORIENTATION

#### SPONSORSHIP TRAINING

This is an open invitation for all to come to this 45 minute training session before Gathering.

Date: February 12, 2007

Place: Normandy UMC, Room #214  
Come and learn the best methods put forth by the National Emmaus Board.

#### SHARE GROUP ORIENTATION

For new members of the community to get connected to a share group.

Date: February 12, 2007

Place: Normandy UMC, Chapel

Time: 6:30 PM

# Seeds & Needs



Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. 2 Corinthians 9:6

## HOUSING

Teams are currently forming for all housing shifts for the upcoming year. As a reminder, they are Wednesday evening, Thursday evening, Sunday morning, and Sunday afternoon. There is room on all the teams for more helpers. It is a great way to serve if you are looking for a way to help out. You can start very quickly with the next Men's Walk on Wednesday January 24. Please see Stephen Puderbaugh, the new housing chair, before or after the next gathering. He can also be reached by email at [Stephen@puderbaugh.com](mailto:Stephen@puderbaugh.com).

## AGAPE

If you have donated Agape for a walk weekend, please stop in the agape room before or after candlelight to check for leftovers. Also agape containing anything edible will not be kept longer than the walk weekend.  
Thanks! Linda Stout , Agape

## REGISTRARS

If you or someone you know has sent in an Emmaus application over four months ago and has not heard back from us, please let us know! It has been brought to our attention that some mail is missing and we want to make sure that no one misses out on the opportunity to take this beautiful walk. Thank you.  
Vicki Engel & Keith Simpson, Registrars

## GOOD SHEPHERD

Share Groups are the backbone of Emmaus, but more importantly they are crucial to our walk with Christ. Accountability is the key to staying on track in our Christian walk and share groups facilitate this important concept. In the coming months, we will be sharing more about this and the importance of a good share group. Join me on February 12, 2007 at 6:30 pm in the chapel @ Normandy Church. My e-mail is [cdow@woh.rr.com](mailto:cdow@woh.rr.com).  
In Him, Chantele Dow, Good Shepherd

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It's that time of year again! If you have a desire to serve on a live-in team or to serve in other areas within the Emmaus Community, please indicate that by filling out the 2006 Willing Servant form. **This form is valid from June 2006 through June 2008.** (There is a one-year waiting period between your "Walk" and when you can serve on a live-in team. If you have taken your Walk in 2006, you should still complete a form.) The Willing Servant form is available at monthly gatherings. From the website, the form can be either completed online or downloaded and completed manually. **Mary Manvell, Computer**

## DOCUMENTATION

If you can type, and would be interested in helping to type the photo roster during Walk Weekends, please contact Jean Jarusiewicz at: [pauljarus@aol.com](mailto:pauljarus@aol.com)

Community rosters are available for purchase at monthly gatherings. The cost is \$10.00. The community roster is intended for community use only and is not to be used for business or solicitation purposes.



# His Word in My Heart

I have hidden your word in my heart that I  
might not sin against you. Psalm 119:11

We are nearing the end of the *first* chapter of Titus! We will be done memorizing this book before you know it!

January —WEEK 2

Titus 1:16

They claim to know God, but by their actions they deny him. They are detestable, disobedient and unfit for doing anything good.

January—WEEK 3

Titus 2:1

You must teach what is in accord with sound doctrine.

January—WEEK 4

Titus 2:2

Teach the older men to be temperate, worth of respect, self-controlled, and sound in faith, in love and in endurance.

February—WEEK 1

Titus 2:3

Likewise, teach the older women to be reverent in the way they live, not to be slanderers or addicted to much wine, but to teach what is good.

## 2007 Board Election Results

A special thank you to Community members who attended the November Gathering and voted for open positions on this year's upcoming Greater Dayton Emmaus Board. The votes have been counted and the results are as follows:

<b>Computer:</b>	<b>Mary Manvell</b>
<b>Good Shepherd:</b>	<b>Chantele Dow</b>
<b>Newsletter:</b>	<b>Chris Morrison</b>
<b>Treasurer:</b>	<b>Grant Dunigan</b>
<b>Women's Registrar:</b>	<b>Vicki Engle</b>

## COMMUNITY NOTE:

As we begin a new year, please remember that Candlelight and Closing services are intended for graduates of Emmaus Walks and Chrysalis Flights (and similar functions) *ONLY*. Please, do not bring other family members to these events. Guests are more than welcome to attend monthly Gatherings. Also, please remember that we are guests at Normandy and Christ Churches, and they are gracious to allow us the use of their facilities. Please do not bring any food or drink into the sanctuary during our functions (Gathering, Candlelight and Closing). Thank You!

## Take Time to Pray! PHIL 1:3-6

### Pilgrim List Men's Walk #41

Clarence Blair	Miamisburg, OH
Mark Bowyer	Clayton, OH
David Brooks	West Carrollton, OH
Rodney Carter	Hyattsville, MD
Cason Christian	Vandalia, OH
Mark Condy	Englewood, OH
John Cox	Bethel, OH
Gregory Craddock	Morrow, OH
Al Daniels	Dayton, OH
Thomas Duvall	Dayton, OH
Joseph Ferris	Kettering, OH
Dennis Fisher	Dayton, OH
Daryl Foster	Lewisburg, OH
Adam George	Beavercreek, OH
William Gilbert	Springboro, OH
Joe Gill	Huber Hts, OH
Tom Grabeman	Springboro, OH
Brian Greenlee	West Carrollton, OH
Wacus Harrison	Dayton, OH
Robert Jones	
George Kidd	Waynesville, OH
Joe Laber	Troy, OH
Wayne Lemmerbrock	Centerville, OH
Chris Marcott	Miamisburg, OH
Jerry Mercer	Dayton, OH
Daniel Patterson	Trotwood, OH
Jerrod Petrovich	Dayton, OH
Larry Roberts	Beavercreek, OH
Todd Rodden	Centerville, OH
Ron Ruff	Xenia, OH
Brian Scanlon	Huber Hts, OH
E. Cary Simonton	Springfield, OH
Ryan Stemmer	Winchester, IN
Ward Tilton	Dayton, OH
Gary Williams	Huber Hts, OH
Scott Wright	Centerville, OH
Curt Wyatt	Beavercreek, OH

### Team Roster for Men's Walk # 41

Don	Adams	TL	Changing Our World
Scott	Anspach	TL	Priesthood Of All Believers
George	Brewer	ASD	Obstacles To Grace
Chris	Christoff	AMD	
Jeff	Clevenger	TL	Life In Piety
Bud	Dean	ATL	
Grant	Dunigan	TL	Christian Action
Mike	Engel	ATL	
David	Hall	ASDL	Justifying Grace
Bob	Hewitt	LD	Perseverance
Rich	Hill	LOG	
Joe	Hinds	ATL	
Steve	Holmes	TL	Discipleship
Palmer	Jason	SD	Means Of Grace
Mamie	Johnson	ASD	Sanctifying Grace
Kerry	Kline	ALD	Priority
Chad	Kocevar	ATL	
Kirk	Lehneis	PS	
Dave	Pappenfus	MD	
Paul	Maranka	TL	
Chris	Morrison	ATL	
Jeff	Null	TL	Body of Christ
Daniel	Phillips	PS	
Stephen	Puderbaugh	LOG	
Doug	Puderbaugh	ATL	
Jeff	Snider	LOG	
Steve	Tinch	ATL	
John	Whitaker	ASD	Prevenient Grace
Ken	Wilson	ALD2	Fourth Day
Chris	Wissinger	ALD	Grow Through Study
John	Wissinger	BREP	

# PASTOR'S CORNER

Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms. 1 Peter 4:10

## From the Spiritual Director:

As we begin 2007, let us each recommit ourselves to walking with the Lord. I commend to you this Covenant Prayer utilized by John Wesley in the late 18'th century:

"I give myself completely to you, O God.  
Assign me to my place in Your creation.  
Let me suffer for You.  
Give me the work You would have me to do.  
Give me many tasks  
Or have me step aside while You call others.  
Put me forward or humble me.  
Give me riches or let me live in poverty.  
I freely give all I have to You.  
You are mine and I am Yours.  
So be it.  
May this covenant made on earth continue for all eternity."

Amen.

May you and yours be continually blessed and bathed in His grace throughout this new year.

Dave Tackett



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greater than  
our hearts,  
and he knows  
everything.  
  
1 John 3:20

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