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# The Rooster



## Team for Central Ohio Women's Walk #86

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Rev. Cindee Johnson  
Rev. Gloria Brooks  
Rev. Tom Schwind

Means of Grace  
Prevenient Grace  
Justifying Grace  
Obstacles to Grace  
Sanctifying Grace

Lay Director  
Assistant Lay Director  
Assistant Lay Director  
Assistant Lay Director

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Doris LeFavour  
Carol Hunt  
Bethany Schellin

Perseverance  
  
Fourth Days  
Priority

**Table Leaders**  
Sharon Blevins  
Tara Gilbert  
Shelley Tennant  
Tina Hubbard  
Carol Weinlein  
Carol Starr  
Christy Flading

**Talk**  
Priesthood of All Believers  
Life In Piety  
Growth Through Study  
Christian Action  
Discipleship  
Changing Our World  
Body of Christ

**Assistant Table Leaders**  
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Carla Rine  
Lisa Heflin  
Deb Moreland  
Judy Petkevicius  
Chris Gruenbaum  
Shannon Strohl

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## Don't Forget That God Is There

*Jim Oliver, 2006 Community Lay Director*

Here we are in the middle of the winter and I hope that the weather has been kind to you so far. I was sitting here thinking about the first major snow storm we had this winter. As you will recall, it came on a Thursday evening in the middle of December. It was a big one. As a school teacher in Bellefontaine, I normally get to go home around three in the afternoon but as luck would have it, we had parent teacher conferences till 7:30 that night. By 6:30 it was so bad they decided to let us go early. I should have started for home but I had a meeting in Marysville at the church so I decided to go there instead. On my way out the door, I joked with one of my fellow teachers who lives in Marysville that I would probably end up at his house. I got in my car and took off. It was not a pleasant experience. The snow was blowing and the roads were very icy. The traffic was going between 20 and 40 miles per hour. I became very concerned about whether I would make it. I felt all alone and wondered what I do if something went wrong. To top it off, I was running low on gas.

Well, I made it to Marysville eventually and got my gas. As I pulled into the parking lot at the Methodist Church I was surprised to see the fellow teacher, with whom I had talked, waiting on me. It seems that he had followed me all the way from Bellefontaine to Marysville to make sure I had gotten there safely. Even though I had felt all alone and vulnerable during that trip, there was really someone there for me all the time.

Isn't that how it is with God? To Often, as we face the stresses and concerns that come in every day life, we feel alone and vulnerable. We try to take on things ourselves. We take all of the daily burdens on our own shoulders. We forget that God is there.

But God is there. He is not only in the car behind you watching you but he is in your car too, helping you drive. As Psalm 55:22 says, "Cast your cares on the Lord and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous fall." God will not let us down. As we go through our struggles in the coming months we can rest assured that God will be there to help us in all things if we only let him.

I'm Jim Oliver and I have been elected as your Community Lay Director for the year and I am excited to be serving both you and God during this time. My wish for you, for 2006, is a year filled with peace and joy knowing that God is with you, is watching over you, and loves you more than you will ever know.

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Jim Oliver  
2006 Community Lay Director



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**Would You Like to Continue to Receive the Rooster?**

Every pilgrim receives the Rooster for free by mail for one year after their walk. After that, in order to receive the Rooster by mail, we ask that you fill out a form and let us know that you would like to continue to receive it. Our hope is that you will be willing to receive it via e-mail, this is a substantial cost savings to your community. You can do this in two ways:

1. By going to [www.centralohioemmaus.org](http://www.centralohioemmaus.org) and clicking on the Rooster in the bottom right corner of the page
2. You may also pass along your wishes by filling out the form below with name, address, e-mail etc.

If you haven't been receiving the past mailings, it probably is because we don't have your proper address. We ask for your help to correct any errors with this form. You can help additionally by making sure your friends get updated in this process. Thank You in advance for your help!

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<b>PILGRIM LIST FOR WOMEN'S WALK #86</b>					
(as of February 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2006)					

Pilgrim	City	Sponsor	Pilgrim	City	Sponsor
Patty Brown	Urbana	Ruby Kauffman	Bobbie Jo McEldowney	Marion	Scott McEldowney
Damaris Brumbaugh	Lakeview	Roscelle Clark	Pam McEldowney	Marion	Chris Harritos
Missy Burns	Marysville	Ann Robinson	Gail Moore	Marysville	Clay Moore
DeLana Carter	Thornhill	Doug Carter	Wordie Nolcox	Springfield	Nancy Priestly
Michelle Castrogioranni	Worthington	Laura Dempsey	Beth Perry	Powell	Shelley Williams
Sue Chanay	Bellefontaine	Bonnie Frost	Jeannie Phillips	Marysville	Judy Ohnsman
Alice Chikeleze	Urbana	Roscelle Clark	Chris Rittenhouse	Urbana	Kay Trout
Amy Davis	Urbana	Jody Daniels	Janice Smith	N Lewisburg	Chris Gruenbaum
Carol Denman	Marysville	Dotty Stump	Leslee Smith	Delaware	Michael Smith
Janet Dye	Cable	Deb Lantz	Kim Stokes	Cable	Sally Hunter
Patty Eisenman	Lewis Ctr	Roger Dill	Vickie Sullivan	Marysville	Carol Weinlein
Lana Farquharson	W Liberty	Becky Hamilton	Marcia Tennant	Bellefontaine	Shelley Tennant
Judith Gattis	Rushsylvania	Carol Robinson	Ellen Thomas	Delaware	Ty Thomas
Jean Hickman	Springfield	Bette Brown	Florence Thomas	Greenfield	Ty Thomas
Linda Jenkins	St. Paris	Guy/Lil Parrott	Sheba Warwick	Marysville	Lisa Heflin
Janie Kirk	Marysville	Michele Austin	Twila Yoder	Galloway	Jamie Hobbins
Rebecca Kronk	St. Paris	Francie Mason	Cindy Zackman	LaRue	Sally Ann Seig
Astrid "Addi" Linck	Marysville	Jackie Schrader	Stephanie Zinn	Ostrander	Shelley Williams
Jacquie McDonald	Urbana	Doug Eggleston			



### Welcome Men of Central Ohio Emmaus Walk #52!



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| Roger Adkins    | James Negron         |
| David Applegate | Kevin Pelanda        |
| Billy Austin    | Karl "Al" Renner     |
| Bruce Borrer    | Bob Ritter           |
| Dale Barns      | Travis Romshak       |
| Steve Brown     | Neil Salyer          |
| Doug Carter     | Earl Schrack Jr.     |
| Jeff Collier    | Rick Schrader        |
| Barry Davis     | Aaron Schulman       |
| Chris Harritos  | Dale Smith           |
| Micah Holland   | Michael Smith        |
| Jason Hux       | Steve Thomas         |
| Jason Jenkins   | Marion "Smiley" Ward |
| Don Jones       | Mark Wolfe           |
| Charles Lyons   | Timothy Wolfe        |
| Joe Mazzola     | Mike Woodruff        |



### Share Groups – A Pilgrim Needs You!

Perhaps the most important step a new member of the community can take to continue the work started in the Walk to Emmaus is to join a Share Group. Fortunately, we have dedicated individuals that are here just for that reason – our Good Shepherds, Steve Kopec and Jodi Bails. It is their call to assist men and women in finding a share group. Of course, in order to assist them, they need to know what share groups are out there! So, please email your share group information (name, where and when you meet, participants) to the appropriate Good Shepherd. Please indicate whether you are able/willing to accept new members. This is a fantastic way you can serve the community and its newest members.

**ALERT: We have an urgent need for men’s share groups in Northeastern Delaware (Ashley), and Bellefontaine! If you have a men’s share group in one of those areas and would be willing to take on new members, please email Steve as soon as possible.**

Steve Kopec	Men’s Good Shepherd	<a href="mailto:mensgoodshepherd@centralohioemmaus.org">mensgoodshepherd@centralohioemmaus.org</a>
Jody Bails	Women’s Good Shepherd	<a href="mailto:womensgoodshepherd@centralohioemmaus.org">womensgoodshepherd@centralohioemmaus.org</a>



#### Gathering

**Tuesday February 14<sup>th</sup>  
7:30 PM**

**Please Note: This is the Tuesday AFTER the Walk!**

**Wear your nametag, and please bring a snack to share!**

#### Women’s Walk #86

**Candlelight  
Saturday January 11<sup>th</sup>  
8:30 PM**

**Let Jesus’ light shine through you to the pilgrims!**



#### Closing

**Sunday January 12<sup>th</sup>  
4:30 PM**

**Please bring finger foods to share!**