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The Newsletter of the Central Ohio Emmaus Community

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Means of Grace
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Justifying Grace
Obstacles to Grace
Sanctifying Grace

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Perseverance
Priority
Fourth Day

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Annie Joseph
Melissa Jolliff
Peggy Hoy
Lisa Cotner
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Talks

Priesthood of all Believers
Life of Piety
Grow Through Study
Christian Action
Discipleship
Changing Our World
Body of Christ

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“IT KEEPS GETTIN’ GOODER AND GOODER!”

More than 25 years later and 160 Walks to Emmaus now offered, the Central Ohio Emmaus Community remains as vibrant and spirit-filled as ever. With more than 5,000 pilgrims invited here by Christ on the Walk to Emmaus to review, assess, and decide about life, our great Christians of the Emmaus Community continue to be the complete expression of our Lord’s love and grace. It keeps gettin’ gooder and gooder!

We should not be surprised, however. Jesus has told us in His Word this would happen in Philippians 1:6 where the Apostle Paul writes: *..being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.* The good work is Christ’s. And it’s IN US! And Christ is the one who will complete it. And that’s why it keeps gettin’ gooder and gooder.

For nearly 25 years now I have had the privilege of serving the Community we refer to as Emmaus. I’ve been a Community Spiritual Director in three communities: Greater Cincinnati and New-Ark are the other two. Clergy talks and live-in Spiritual Director roles also include the Northern Lights, Wilmington, Greater Columbus and Reynoldsburg Communities. And over these great opportunities I bear witness to the joyous experience of seeing the lives of men and women dramatically changed by the power and work of the Holy Spirit. Conversions, renewals, re-dedications and many other personal decisions have resulted in greater disciples for Jesus and leaders for His local churches. And it keeps gettin’ gooder and gooder.

For me, my fourth days will soon come to a close. On June 1 I will step down as the Community Spiritual Director of the Central Ohio Emmaus Community. The journey is complete. And I’m confident *“that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion.”* And for me it will keep on gettin’ gooder and gooder.

Yet the Central Ohio Emmaus Community will continue to do great things for Christ. Of that we are all most certain. For this is the ministry of Jesus to which He has called. So confidently we can say our Emmaus Community will keep on gettin’ gooder and gooder!

De Colores!

Pastor Ken, Community Spiritual Director

Come to our next Gathering, or come show your love to the pilgrims of Walk #101

Gathering

Tuesday, February 9th
7:30 PM

Candlelight

Saturday, February 13th
8:30 PM

Closing

Sunday, February 14th
4:30 PM



Welcome, Men of Central Ohio Emmaus Walk #60



Adam Adkins	Matt King
Eugene Battisti, Jr	Bryan Knurek
Tommy Bellomy	Seeyong Lee
Allen Cossette	Henry Lee
Jon Davis	Dustin LeMaster
Mel DeJarnette	Don Newland
Zane Fitzpatrick	Ryan Polly
Dennis Fuson	Nathan Price
Dean Gouty	Ryan Rigel
Matt Hamilton	Lance Ruble
David Herrmann	Mike Runkle
Dick James	Tommy Schulte
Cole James	Tyler Traucht
Don Jaunzemis	Tim Wallace
Jed Johnson	David Watkins
Chad Jollif	Michael Will
Mark Kauffman	Matt Williams
	John Zacharias

Walk Dates for 2010

Women's Walks

#101 February 11 - 14
#102 May 13 - 16
#103 July 22 - 25
#104 November 11 - 14

Men's Walks

#61 September 16 - 19

The Rooster

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The Emmaus community provides childcare for Gatherings, Candlelight, and Closings. The cost is \$1.00 per child, which is not a donation or a tip to the sitter. The \$1.00 helps offset the expense of the babysitter paid by the community. Please continue to help us with expenses by remembering to pay for the services offered, so we can continue to provide this wonderful childcare for everyone.



Sponsorship Training

You are encouraged to attend the Sponsorship Training held in the Sanctuary on Tuesday, February 9th at 6:30 PM. Information about being an effective sponsor will be provided. Childcare will be provided also.



Pilgrim List for Walk 101

<u>Name</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Darlene Anderson	Westerville	Jamie Frisbey
Martha Bayliss	Rushsylvania	Wanda Barnhart
Kendra Buris	Marysville	Laura Falk
Paula Cole	Bellefontaine	Randy Varner
Melanie Erbe	Dublin	Kelly Daum/Ann Robinson/Nanette Overly
Lois Hall	Bellefontaine	Steve & Marcia Tennant
Merry Henretty	Delaware	Steve Phillips
Gina Hunter	Delaware	Beth Perry
Deborah Hurst	Kenton	Staci James & Chris James
Deb Jackson	Marysville	Chad Jolliff
Esther Jones	Rushsylvania	Kathy Bellomy
Debbie Kelly	Marysville	Denny Fuson
Shelly Lane	Bellefontaine	Sherie Noble
Byunghye Lee	North Lewisburg	Marion Johnson
Mary LeMaster	Marysville	Sarah David
Nicole McMahon	Columbus	Melissa Jolliff
Donel McNickle	Elyria	Betty McNickle/Lou Ann Davis
Lori Meckstroth	Marysville	Rita Hellmann
Melody Miller	Kenton	David & Stacy Shepherd
Amy Parrett	Marysville	Kelly Sollinger
Suzanne Polsinelli	Plain City	Peggy Myers
Amy Rigney	Marion	Steve Phillips
Karen Runkle	Bellefontaine	Mike Runkle
Michelle Scobee	Marysville	Dan Cripe
Julie Scott	Marysville	Francie Mason
Michelle Wasserbeck	Prospect	Rich & Marta Allen
Chris Watkins	Rushsylvania	David Watkins
Sally Williams	Ostrander	Sarah David

Please remember there will most likely be further changes to the pilgrim list. Check online at www.centralohioemmaus.org for an updated list.

