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Western New York Walk to Emmaus & Chrysalis

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**FUN FELLOWSHIP FOOD**

**WNY EMMAUS-CHRYsalis ANNUAL PICNIC**  
**SATURDAY, JULY 23, 2011**  
**MONROE COUNTY'S**  
**BLACK CREEK PARK**  
**PATHFINDER SHELTER**  
**11:00 AM UNTIL ???? PM**

**PARK IS LOCATED ON HIGHWAY 259. AT EXIT #4 ON I-490, GO SOUTH ON HIGHWAY 259 APPROXIMATELY ONE MILE AND PARK ENTRANCE IS ON THE RIGHT. (THIS IS SOUTHWEST OF ROCHESTER, NEW YORK.)**

**HOT DOGS, HAMBURGERS, BUNS, CONDIMENTS, COFFEE,  
ICED TEA, LEMONADE AND  
BOTTLED WATER WILL BE PROVIDED.**

**YOU ARE REQUESTED TO BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE, A DISH TO PASS AND, IF YOU WISH,  
SODA POP TO SHARE.**

**SINGING, GAMES, PLAYGROUND  
AND 5 HIKING TRAILS FOR ALL TO ENJOY.**

**THE MORE THAT COME,  
THE MORE FUN WE WILL HAVE!**

**SEE YOU THERE!!!**

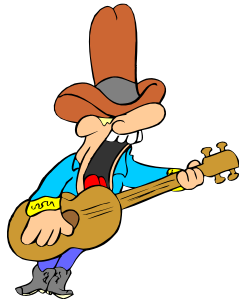
## Now Showing....



I am excited to announce that Brother Dave Rood has embraced technology and placed videos of our new Emmaus songs on YouTube. Thus far, Dave has upload 13 videos and plans to add more in the near future. You can find these videos by searching "emmausmusicman" from the YouTube home page.

Thank You, Dave

DeColores,  
Dan Benjamin  
Music Chair



### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT/OPPORTUNITY

The team for the just completed WNY Men's Walk to Emmaus #41 wishes to announce that they will pay \$30.00 toward the registration fee for each of the **first twelve pilgrims** who attend WNY Men's Walk #42 to be held this Fall in Springville.

That means the first 12 pilgrims **who are registered before the deadline and attend** the Men's Fall Walk will only need to pay \$50.00. This is a one-time only offer and is being made because the team for Men's Walk #41 feels so strongly about Walk to Emmaus and wants to encourage more men to attend. Don't delay, pray, pray, pray, and get your registrations in as soon as possible. To God be all the glory! **DeColores**

### Registration for Walk #42

The fall Walks will be here quicker than we imagine. Now is the time to approach those we might consider sponsoring. The Walks are scheduled

as follows:

**MEN'S WALK: Oct. 6 – 9**  
Registration deadline:  
Sept. 15

**WOMEN'S WALK: Nov. 3 – 6**  
Registration deadline:  
Oct. 13

**REUNION: Nov. 19**

Because we are filling in as Registrars through December, the registration form is to be updated with our names for the fall Walks.

It is our pleasure to serve the Emmaus Community in this way. If we can be of any assistance, please do contact us.

De Colores!

**Will & Carolyn Rickman**  
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Gathering Schedules, Times, Locations, & Leader Contact Information

**Alexander:** Alexander UMC -  
3rd Saturday of month  
7 p.m. - Meeting (Child care as  
needed)  
Jim & Lora Keiper 585-591-3121  
keiper5@wildblue.net

**Buffalo:** New Hope UMC  
2846 Seneca St., West Seneca -  
3rd Saturday of the month  
9:30 a.m.- Meeting  
Pat Corsette 716-826-6840  
prcorsette@verizon.net

**Enchanted Mountain (Olean):**  
Christ UMC lounge  
1st Wednesday of the month  
7-8:30 p.m. - Meeting  
Lynn Blakeman 716-373-6470  
smitann@verizon.net\*

**Fairport:** East Rochester UMC  
357 Fairport Road (Rt. 31F)  
2nd Sunday of the month  
5 p.m. - Meeting (Child care upon  
request) Bob & Christa Fathergill  
585-387-0928  
cfatherg@rochester.rr.com

**Hamburg/Buffalo Southtowns:**  
Hamburg UMC  
116 Union St., Parlor - 3rd Tues-  
day of the month  
7 p.m. - Meeting  
Jerry & Caroline Schneggenburger  
716-646-1522

eyemann@roadrunner.com  
**Kendall:** Kendall UMC, 1808  
Kendall Road - 2nd Friday of  
the month; 6:30 p.m. - Meeting  
Bob & Trudy Slocum 585-659-8445  
rslocum678@aol.com

**Medina/Millville:** Millville UMC -  
Last Friday of the month  
7 p.m. - Meeting  
Jesse & Cheryl Babcock 585-589-  
7413  
cbabcock002@rochester.rr.com

**Napoli:** Napoli UMC - 4th Mon-  
day of the month  
7 p.m. - Meeting  
Rick Peters 716-938-6800

**Niagara:** Lockport - Emmanuel  
UMC  
2nd Saturday of the month  
6 p.m. - Meeting  
Dave & Janice McKinney  
716-434-5471

**Springville:** Springville UMC - 3rd  
Saturday of month  
9:30 a.m. - Meeting  
Brian & Susan Scharf 716-592-9811  
sdscharf@juno.com

**West Bank:** Greece UMC - 2nd  
Saturday of the month  
8:30 a.m. - Continental breakfast  
9 a.m. - Meeting (Call ahead for  
child care)  
Sonia Ingle - Child care contact  
585-621-1766

Will & Carolyn Rickman  
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Boys Flight  
August 11-14  
Girls Flight  
September 22-25  
Reunion  
October 8

Upcoming  
Chrysalis  
Flights

**Registration Deadlines**  
Boys Flight July 21  
Girls Flight September 2

## Prayer Chain

Greetings everyone,

If you are like me, there are days I long to connect with someone who can identify with my circumstances and share in my day-to-day life. Well...

“Imagine meeting your best friend at your favorite cafe. Your friend knows everything about you. You count on your friend to be available to you and you alone. Anytime you need him, he is available. He listens and responds with love and concern.

You can talk to Him about anything that concerns you. Tell Him your desires and passions. Share your concerns for your loved ones. Talk out your fears with Him.”



During a recent message given at a WNY Walk to Emmaus closing I spoke about God-incidences, those events that happen that linked together show the Hand of Our Father in our daily lives.

You may very well have a best friend here on earth, such as a spouse or another person who you can talk to about anything. However, I commend to you that God is the one best friend you will ever have in every situation, no matter the circumstance.

I completed my ‘Walk’ twenty years ago this fall. Though situations in my life have changed in many ways, God is still constant. The God that was available to me in prayer during the year 1991 is the same God I can count on today.

The Walk to Emmaus continues to offer consistent prayer for each other, as was true many years ago. Sixty-six warriors are ready to pray for your needs. I encourage you to join with us in prayer for our local Emmaus community.

## Nilla’s Book Notes

After that message Dan Benjamin gave me a copy of a book, “When GOD Winks At You: How God Speaks Directly to You Through the Power of Coincidence” by Squire Rushnell.

In this book Squire Rushnell had taken the time to collect stories about these things I’ve always called God-

Contact me to be part of the prayer chain. Also, if you need prayer, contact me at [jxmoody@gmail.com](mailto:jxmoody@gmail.com) or 585-735-5566.

Prayers warriors are waiting. We are waiting for you, just like God. Let us help with your needs and join with us as we pray for others.

Blessings,  
Jim Moody, WNY Walk to Emmaus #2  
Prayer Chain Coordinator  
[jxmoody@gmail.com](mailto:jxmoody@gmail.com)  
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incidences and he calls God Winks. I think I am going to start using God Winks too.

I can highly recommend reading this book, it will lift your spirit and get you to thinking about the ways God has been winking at you.

**Greetings!**

Spring has surely arrived now. It may have taken a little longer this year it seems but it came. The earth has warmed, the tulips have bloomed and the hostas are finally going great guns! (It could be all that moisture we were blessed with!)

Some years we just need a little more patience and perseverance than others. This was one of those years.

Waiting for Spring for us though is no match for the patience and perseverance that God employs as He waits upon us, anxious to share a bounty of love and grace with us.

He woos and waits, calling us into

relationship with Him. As we then receive this relationship, surrendering to Him, listening for His call and serving His people, we bask in new life much like our experience of the change from the harsh Winter to the promise of Spring.

Whether the Flight or Walk you experienced was recent or many years ago, our prayer is that your relationship with Christ is as strong and refreshed as the day you began your Fourth Day.

We have seen and continue to see the fruit of many Walks and Flights. Pilgrims who go back to their churches and start Bible studies and other ministries and serving wherever they feel led. Some have even been called into the ministry. One important way to serve Christ

is to listen for His leading. Even now he may be calling pilgrims and caterpillars to the upcoming Flights and Walks and He may be asking you to sponsor them. Please take time to listen and then follow up with your friend, neighbor or family member just as soon as possible so the caterpillar or pilgrim will have time to make any needed arrangements.

The teams are already praying for the caterpillars and pilgrims who will attend these events, let us be open to the heart of God

The Emmaus-Chrysalis Community is a blessing to us – let us share this blessing with God’s people for His glory! De Colores!

Gary & Rose Caldwell

**WNY Emmaus Board of Directors**

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Music	<b>Open (praying for God's intended servant to say yes to this role) YOU??</b>		



1. To pick up and “sign out” placemats and napkins to decorate for the upcoming flights and walks
2. To decorate the placemats and napkins that you have “signed out”
3. To return the decorated placemats and napkins

Pray without ceasing | Thessalonians 5:17 KJV



**Pray**

**Sign up for prayer vigils for the upcoming flights & walks**

<http://www.wnyemmaus-chrysalis.org>

Click on prayer vigil

Click on Boys Flight

Girls Flight

Men's Walk

Women's Walk

Or contact Suzanne Perry

Or contact Jack & Kathie Woika

Agape Items for upcoming Flights may be given to any Chrysalis Steering Committee member

Questions??

Contact Suzanne Perry at [wnyagape@gmail.com](mailto:wnyagape@gmail.com)

**Pray**

**Deadline for July Rainbow Connection is June 15**

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