



Rainbow Connection



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Western New York Walk to Emmaus & Chrysalis

June, 2003

Men's Walk #26

July 10 - 13th

Emmanuel United Methodist Church
Lockport, NY

Sendoff Thursday July 10 - 7:00 pm
Candlelight Saturday July 12 - 8:00 pm
Closing Sunday July 13 - 4:00 pm

Directions:

Emmanuel UMC is located at 75 East Avenue (Rt. 31), at the corner of Washburn Street. East Ave..

From the East (Rochester area): Get on Route 31 going West. Route 31 changes to Route 31 A, and then back to Route 31 again. Continue on Route 31 into the city of Lockport, East Avenue. You will pass the Post Office on the left, and Emmanuel UMC is on the right at the next corner, Washburn Street. An alternate route would be to take the NYS Thruway(I-90) West to Exit 49, Route 78, and go North on Route 78 into the city of Lockport. Turn right on Walnut Street, Route 31, and then left on Washburn Street. Emmanuel UMC is on the next corner, East Avenue.

From the West (Buffalo area): Take the NYS Thruway(I-90) East to exit 49, Route 78, and go North on Route 78 into the city of Lockport. Follow the directions above.

From the South (Olean, Jamestown areas): Take the best Route North(Route 16 to Route 20 at Elma, Route 219 to NYS Thruway, or NYS Thruway to Exit 49), connect with Route 78 North to the city of Lockport, and then follow the directions above.

From the South-East (Canadice etc.): Take Route 20 West to Route 78 at Depew, and then take Route 78 North to the city of Lockport, and then follow the directions above.

Parking is limited at the church, so it may be necessary to park outside of the church parking lot.

From the Lay Director - WNY Women's Walk to Emmaus #25

Women's Walk # 25 was an incredible experience for team and pilgrims alike. We witnessed so many divine moments throughout the 72 hours and felt wrapped in God's love. The pilgrims wowed us right away on Friday morning with their total participation in table discussions and wonderful singing. The team continued to be amazed by them as the weekend went on. The Webster UMC was very busy on our weekend, but we found that we could adapt and in one instance, it turned out to be a very special moment when the kitchen crew came into the conference room so we could sing our thanks to them after breakfast on Sunday. That was a real blessing. I could go on and on about the incredible service of individual team members, but let it suffice to say that God's hand was evident by the way in which they instantaneously bonded on our very first teaming. God's team continued to move as one body even when we were deprived of two of our team on the walk due to ill health. God helped us fill in the bumps in the road so that everything went very smoothly for the pilgrims. Our reunion on May 10th was also a joyful time with five great talks given by members of the men's and women's teams.

Many thanks to the Emmaus Community for all the prayer and gifts of agape you showered upon us.

In gratitude, your sister in Christ,
Karen Klingenberger

Team for Men's Walk #26

Lay Director	Bud Fuller	Perseverance #14
Sprt. Director	Marty Doherty	Means of Grace #7
Clergy	Jennifer Green	Justifying Grace #4
	Wilson Jones	Sanctifying Grace #12
	Art Page	Prevenient Grace #2
	Mike Trenchard	Obstacles to Grace #9
ALD - Chapel	Jerry Morrison	Life in Piety #5
ALD - Agape	Walt Mathias	Priority #1
ALD - Bell	Jim DeRooy	Fourth Day #15
Logistics	Ed Clark	
Logistics	Tom Scott	
Musician	Mike Mortimer	
Asst. Musician	Tim Fuest	
Table Leaders	Mike Gorton	Christian Action #8
	Jim Moody	Priesthood
		of All Believers #3
	Erich Jones	Grow Through Study #6
	Dick Eggert	Discipleship #10
	Jim McMoil	Changing Our World #10
	Jerry Clark	Body of Christ #13
Asst Tbl Ldrs	Jerry Metz	
	Rob Fuller	
	Jesse Babcock	
	Ron Sellers	
	Bob Morse	
Board Rep	Tom Heiss	

Pilgrims - Men's Walk #26

Dana Bowers	New Beginnings Christian Church
Antonio Chevez	Hosanna Junction UMC
Chip Compertore	Spencerport UMC
Al Coombs	Prattsburgh UMC
John Corra	St. Josephs
Ron Curtis	Tonawanda UMC
Lyle Merle	Trinity UMC
Keven Nunn	St. Andrews UMC
Edward Reeb	Emmanuel UMC
Jack Spencer	Hamburg UMC
Rich Sukackas	Lyndonville UMC
Dave Wickins	Country Line-Emmanuel UMC
Mike Wilson	Asbury First UMC
Troy Winkler	Browncroft Comm. Church

Team for Women's Walk #26

Lay Director	Deb Page	Perseverance #14
Sprt. Director	Garry McCaffery	Means of Grace #7
Clergy	Karen Grinnell	Prevenient Grace #2
Clergy	Sandy Stoica	Sanctifying Grace #12
Clergy	Carol Sierk	Obstacles to Grace #9
Clergy	Troy Sellers	Justifying Grace #4
ALD - Agape	Brenda Deever	Priority #1
ALD - Chapel	Pat Morse	Fourth Day #15
ALD - Bell	Sue Crawford	Discipleship #10
Logistics	Judy Hunley	
Logistics	Mary Trowbridge	
Musician	Marlene Worthington	
Asst Musician	Erin Trabert	
Table Leaders	Clara Wilder	Grow Through Study #6
	Pat Blakeman	Life of Piety #5
	Deidra Mitchell	Christian Action #8
	Sandy Selden	Priesthood
		of All Believers #3
	Linda Clark	Changing Our World #10
	Nan Clark	Body of Christ #13
Asst Tbl Ldrs	Deanna Laurie	
	Karen Metz	
	Joanna Brown	
	Christa Fathergill	
	Nancy Vredenburg	
	Paulette Albone	
Board Rep	Ann DeRooy	

Dates to Remember - Walk #26

Men's Walk - July 10-13

Women's Walk - August 21-24

Women's Application deadline is July 10, 2003

For registration information or
to obtain an application, please contact

Randy & Laura Walker
147 N 9th Street
Olean, NY 14760
irv7@localnet.com

Reunion - September 13

Teaming Dates - Women's Walk #26

July 18-19 - Trinity UMC in Attica

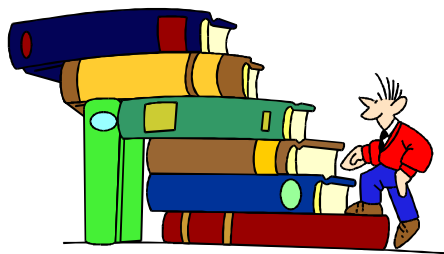
August 8-9 - Lockport Emmanuel United
Methodist Church

Evangelism

Webster defines Evangelism as: "the winning or revival of personal commitment to Jesus Christ."

What an awesome privilege it is to serve our Lord as Evangelism chairperson on the WNY Walk To Emmaus Board! And I have been very busy! Each of us on the board is in the process of forming a committee to help share the duties and responsibilities of our particular positions. To that end, I have recruited several volunteers who have expressed a willingness to serve of the Evangelism Committee, and I intend to visit most of the Gatherings this summer to fill out our ranks. If you think you might be able to help out, please prayerfully consider giving me a call! In addition, I have been visiting churches and small groups who have expressed an interest in hearing more about The Walk To Emmaus, or Chrysalis. Please let me know if there are people in your church who would like to have more information. I can be reached at: 53 Flohr Avenue, West Seneca, New York, 14224, or (716) 826-6840.

DeColores!
Pat Corsette



Librarian for Emmaus/Chrysalis

This December the Librarian board position will be available. It is a 3 year commitment. The responsibilities for this position include maintaining and storing the manuals for the Emmaus and Chrysalis teams, maintaining the talk library, our photo album and the Rainbow Connection and attending the monthly board meetings. It has been a joy and honor serving on the board and the Emmaus Community for these past 3 years. Please prayerfully consider serving on the board as Librarian. If you would like more details, please contact me at al@olm1.com or 585-547-9325.

DeColores,
Karen Westerman

Annual Emmaus Summer Picnic

The Emmaus/Chrysalis Summer Picnic this year will be August 16th from 1:00 - 5:00 at the Genesee Country Park, in beautiful East Bethany. We are planning games for the young & young at heart, music and fellowship for all, and awesome picnic fixings from your Emmaus/Chrysalis Community (meat will be provided). Watch your Rainbow Connection next month for directions, but mark your calendar now.

DeColores,
Jim & Lora Keiper

4TH Day

Greetings from your 4th Day coordinators. The WNY Walk to Emmaus # 25 Reunion was held Saturday May 10th at the Webster UMC. The turn out was great and I want to thank all who assisted us in making it a successful event. In particular a big thank you goes to the last minute help we enlisted. Tom Klingenberger and Pastor Ron Sellers were a great addition to the day and my personal thanks goes to them. Pastor Shirley Davidson delivered a timely message and closed the event with our usual communion service. Again thank you all.

The 25th Anniversary International Celebration is being held in Nashville this year. The dates are July 24-27. There are already 3 couples signed up to attend from our community and we would love to have even more company. If you need more information or an application for registration please contact us.

The Summer Picnic is approaching quickly and is being hosed this year by Jim and Laura Keiper. This year it will be held at Genesee County Park in East Bethany on August 16th. Mark your calendars and we hope to see you there!

Although it seems early yet, it is never too early to start planning for the Christmas party. Don and Sue Crawford have hosted this event for several years in a row and it is time to open up the opportunity to someone else in the community. We are looking for volunteers and or suggestions for who might be approached to take charge of this event. Ideas and help would be available from many sources throughout our community. If you feel that special nudge to do something special for your Emmaus Community, this is the perfect opportunity. If anyone has an interest in hosting this event or idea of who might be a good candidate, please contact Pat or me.

Last but not least, please mark your calendars for the WNY Walk #26 Reunion on September 13th at the Emmanuel UMC in Lockport.

Lynn and Pat Blakeman
WNY Walk to Emmaus
4th Day Coordinators
(716) 373-6470
smitann@adelphia.net

AND SO IT BEGINS

The Emmaus/Chrysalis Community has prayerfully selected us to be the new Chairpersons of the Board of Directors. We would like to say "Thank You" for giving us the opportunity to serve this wonderful community.

At the present moment it is a bit overwhelming and we feel like we are in "Rainbow Shock." We are committed to following the Nashville model. We welcome your comments, suggestions and concerns. Call us any time (1-585-323-1910) or email us at <suzieandcq@mindex.com>.

First and foremost Emmaus is a Lay movement which requires your involvement in positions of Leadership in order for it to remain effective. The Emmaus/Chrysalis Community is made up of people with so many gifts and talents. We hope to be able to "tap" as much of that talent as possible to serve, glorify and praise God. This means we would like to see you get involved in big and small ways whenever you can.

As we begin, we ask for your prayers to direct our steps and guide us in all we do. We pray that He will continue to bless this Emmaus/Chrysalis community and guide each of us to do His will. DeColores!

Yours in Christ's Love
Gary and Sue Clarq

Walk # 27 - Fall 2003

Christ UMC in Olean, NY

Men's Walk - October 16-19

Lay Director - Bob Reed

Application deadline is September 10, 2003

Women's Walk - November 6-9

Lay Director - Rose Caldwell

Application deadline is October 5, 2003

Please Note:

Applications received after the deadline date will be processed for the next upcoming walk.

For registration information or to obtain an application, please contact

Randy & Laura Walker
147 N 9th Street
Olean, NY 14760
irv7@localnet.com

I bless the holy name of God with all my heart.
Yes, I will bless the Lord and not forget the glorious things He does for me.

Ps. 103:1,2

Summer Agape Party

Saturday – June 28, 2003

10 A.M. - ?????

Trinity UMC

75 Main Street

(Across from the Post Office)

Attica, NY

Bring Bag Lunch, Drink, and Laughter

Thanks Much and Love in Him!

Vicki & Dean

Vicki & Dean Perry

1942 East Drive

Wellsville, NY 14895

585-593-4262

Dean: sunburst@infoblvd.net

Vicki: teddy@infoblvd.net

Congratulations

The Emmaus/Chrysalis Community extends its proud congratulations to some of our clergy members in reaching milestones in their professional journeys.

Sara Merle, pastor of the Millville and Knowlesville United Methodist Churches, was ordained an Elder in the United Methodist Church June 7th at the Annual Conference Sessions in Buffalo.

Art Page, pastor of Hosanna Junction United Methodist Church in Rochester, graduated from North Eastern Seminary (a branch of Roberts Wesleyan) in May.

Karen Grinnell, associate pastor of Lockport Emmanuel United Methodist Church, graduated from United Theological Seminary in May.

Joye Swanton of Hilton graduated from Saint Bernards Theological Institute with a Master of Arts in Theology. Joye is involved in an extensive retreat ministry.

Emmaus/Chrysalis Prayer Chain

Any member of the WNY Walk to Emmaus/Chrysalis Community has a powerful group of dedicated people willing to pray for your needs and concerns. You also can become a member of this prayer warrior group. Prayer requests or a request to join the prayer chain can be emailed to either AnnBecker at <Emmaus@frontiernet.net> or to Trish Ruffino at <par@parxgroup.com>. Phoned in requests should be made to Trish at 225-3226, or for emergency only 328-4790 (weekdays).

Board Resignations Regrettably Received.....

Your Board of Directors has received and accepted with regret resignations from:

Cherie Trabert - (Kitchen Coordinator) for health reasons effective at the end of July 2003.

Pastor David Durham - (Clergy) Pastor David has accepted a call to a pulpit in England beginning in September 2003.

Sarah and Walt Mathias - (Newsletter) personal reasons effective June 1st, 2003.

All of these people will be sadly missed. Each one has been a true servant of the Lord in the work they have done for the Emmaus/Chrysalis Community in Western New York.

Emmaus Board of Directors

Term	Position	Name	Phone
2005	Chair	Gary and Sue Clarcq	(585) 323-1910
2003	4 th Day	Lynn & Pat Blakeman	(716) 373-6470
2003	Supplies	Eric & Vickie Jones	(585) 964-8104
2003	Library	Karen Westerman	(716) 547-9325
2003	Wknd Coord.	Jim & Ann DeRooy	(585) 924-7645
2003	Clergy		
2004	Team Select	Tom Heiss	(585) 586-4116
2004	Music	Jan & Mike Mortimer	(716) 373-2237
2004	Kitchen	Cherie Trabert	(585) 388-1919
2004	Kitchen	Jeff & Pam Mellon	(716) 372-1836
2004	Secretary	Chris Collins	(585) 227-1519
2004	Treasurer	Pat & Steve Morse	(716) 798-1605
2004	Newsletter		
2004	Sprt. Director	Jo Vineyard	(585) 237-5582
2005	Agape	Dean and Vicki Perry	(585) 593-4262
2005	Facilities	Randy and Renee Kent	(716) 763-2255
2005	Clergy	Marty Doherty	(716) 648-4278
2005	Registration	Randy & Laura Walker	(716) 373-5310
2005	Evangelism	Pat Corsette	(716) 826-6840

Will you share your Talent?

There are many ways to say "Yes, Lord." One of these is by serving Him through the Emmaus/Chrysalis Community. You may have been asking "How could I serve?" Two positions that are vital to the Western New York Emmaus/Chrysalis Community have just become available. Will you consider sharing your talent with the community?

"Rainbow Connection" Editor:

WNY Emmaus/Chrysalis needs a person or persons to fill the vacancy as editors of the "Rainbow Connection". Job duties include: accepting articles either by US Mail or E-mail for insertion in the monthly newsletter, layout of the newsletter in preparation for printing, sending the newsletter electronically to its point of distribution, working with the Distribution Coordinator to make sure the newsletter gets out. A "Windows" format computer with email capability (also capable of receiving attachments) is required. Training in the desktop publishing program will be provided. Preparation of the newsletter for printing usually takes between five and seven hours per month. The editor of the "Rainbow Connection" holds a voting position on the Board of Directors and is expected to attend monthly Board meetings held on the third Friday of the month.

Distribution Coordinator (Rochester Area)

The "Rainbow Connection" is in need of a person or group of persons who will take the responsibility for coordinating manual assembly and distribution of the WNY Emmaus/Chrysalis Newsletter. Duties include: making arrangements for picking up the printed newsletter, purchasing stamps (to be reimbursed), getting mailing labels from the Board Secretary, assembly, folding, stapling, application of labels and stamps, and mailing the newsletter. A group of five or six persons could assist the Distribution Coordinator or different groups in the WNY Area could be contacted to assist with this monthly task. *(The newsletter is printed in the Rochester area and that is why we are asking a Rochester area member of the community to say "yes" to this job.)*

Our Community needs help, can you help with your gift of Agape?

Any and all questions concerning these positions are welcomed and can be directed to:

Gary and Sue Clarcq (585) 323-1910 or email at
<suzieandcq@mindex.com>



Mission of Emmaus

In the April Newsletter, we reviewed the Purpose of Emmaus as explained by Bob Brandt, our Upper Room Emmaus Regional Coordinator, during a workshop with the Western NY Board of Directors. The Purpose focuses in renewal of individuals in their walk with Christ, renewal of the local church, and sharing God's grace in our community and world. A great experience on the Walk To Emmaus itself is only the beginning. A former Upper Room Director of Emmaus once commented "If all we do is conduct wonderful 3-day Walks, then we've failed!" The Purpose of Emmaus is fully realized in the 4th Day, and that's where the Mission of Emmaus comes in.

There are several aspects of implementing the Mission of Emmaus.

- 4th Day Activities such as the Weekend Reunion (a good kick-off for new Pilgrims), local area Gatherings, small group meetings, community picnic and Christmas party. I find the small group a vital part of maintaining fellowship with other Christians and staying accountable. My small group has helped build strong Christian bonds with other men, and after developing fellowship and trust over the first few months, we now share feelings, joys and concerns openly. The group can certainly include Christian friends who haven't been on the Walk To Emmaus.
- Sponsorship is both a joy and a huge responsibility. Many of us come off a Walk full of enthusiasm and with a "hit list" of others we want to sponsor right away. Enthusiasm is great, but prayer and careful consideration is even more important to sponsorship. Pray about who to sponsor, not how to get someone to attend the Walk. Honor the Couples Guideline, inform prospective Pilgrims what to expect, complete the application thoroughly and on-time, and follow-up to get your Pilgrim active in 4th Day. There will be more on sponsorship in future issues of the Rainbow Connection.

- Team Formation. Serving on an Emmaus team is a wonderful experience. We now have a Team Selection Committee responsible for providing prospective team member names to Lay Directors. The LD then builds the team by contacting each candidate, asking him/her to pray about serving, and then following up for an answer. The Teams meet 3 times prior to the weekend to build fellowship, review talks and plan logistics.
- Quality Weekends. A Walk To Emmaus weekend follows The Upper Room's well defined model, which is based on decades of experience and following God's will. Each Emmaus community may have a unique flavor, but the basic plan is the same throughout the world. And it works when we stick to the model.
- Board Of Directors. Each Emmaus community has a local Board to manage the necessary tasks in accordance with The Upper Room model. Serving on the Board is a "joyful burden". In order to emphasize the joyful part and minimize the burden part, each Board member is strongly encouraged to develop his/her own subcommittee to help with the work. The Board members and their phone numbers are included in every issue of The Rainbow Connection.

Most importantly, Chrysalis is a key part of the Emmaus Mission. Everything said here applies to Chrysalis and Next Steps (the Chrysalis equivalent of 4th Day). Supporting Chrysalis is a vital part of the Emmaus community's 4th Day.

So now you have the Purpose and Mission of Emmaus. The final component, Vision, will be discussed in the next issue.

DeColores!
Tom Heiss



Agape Suggestions (cont from May issue)

Snack Agape – Can you believe it! All the snacks and scrumptious treats that we of the WNY community affectionately refer to as “the grazing table” are actually a part of the Emmaus model! The fruit, cookies, candy, drinks, etc., etc. are currently orchestrated by our Kitchen coordinator. If you are inclined to express this form of agape (i.e. you are a good baker/cook), contact the current Kitchen coordinator and they will give you direction since they are familiar with any special dietary needs and menus during the walk or flight. When does the snack agape begin? Wrong! NOT after the talk on Justifying Grace! Snack agape actually begins Thursday night (Friday for flights) during Send Off and continues all the way through closing.

We save the best for last. The Handbook calls this “**personal agape**”. These are the personal letters we receive after reviewing the take-home packets and before closing. This is one area we found the WNY community tradition had moved away from the original Emmaus model, and the current WNY Board of Directors is readopting the original model for preparing and distributing the personal agape. We understand it will take time for the community to become reacquainted with the Emmaus model for personal agape. As explained to the WNY board in a recent (2003) meeting with a regional representative of the Upper Room Walk to Emmaus, these personal letters are the culmination of the expression of agape love experienced over the last 72 hours. At first, the agape comes from people not known or who the individual attending may never meet. During Candlelight, those attending a walk or flight may see people they know or recognize. The individual’s Sponsor is responsible for obtaining 8 to 12 personal letters, from immediate family, family or close friends who have written them expressing personal words of love and encouragement. These are given to the person attending at the very end of the walk so that they know they are returning home to people who love and care for them deeply, and will encourage them as they continue on their Fourth Day journey. The Emmaus model requests that each team member and pilgrim or caterpillar receive a packet of between 8 and 12 personal letters prepared and given to them, they are to be composed of letters acquired by the Sponsor from only close family or friends. “All the letters above twelve can be delivered as a Fourth Day surprise” (quoted from the Handbook). The Handbook lists several advantages to limiting the number of letters to twelve. The Handbook also states; “Personal agape should not include personal gift items or bouquets of flowers that are given to one pilgrim or caterpillar but not to all. Such gifts should be returned to the sponsor for delivery after and away from the weekend.” Team members are strongly discouraged from writing letters to the pilgrims or caterpillars during the walk or flight. Letters from the team to pilgrims or caterpillars are encouraged in the days and weeks following the walk or flight. We, as current agape chair, feel it vitally important to adhere as close to God’s vision for the Walk to Emmaus as humanly possible. Beginning with WNY Women’s Walk #25, and all walks or flights thereafter, we (or previously designated individuals) with the assistance of two helpers (more than four workers has proved detrimental) sort agape personal letters Thursday night after Sponsor’s Hour, and again before and after Candlelight. After Candlelight we sort 8-12 letters

from the person’s letter Agape Bag (or agape letter box in the case of a flight) that are from close family or friends. *These letters should be marked with an “F” in the upper right corner of the envelope. When the letter is from a spouse, child, grandparent, etc. that relationship should be noted under the F. The only other writing on the envelope should be the individual’s first and last name. The Sponsor is responsible for the proper letter notation. It is a WNY tradition to mark any letters to team members with a “T” in the upper right corner. This helps the letter sorting team, and as chair we see no reason to discontinue this tradition. With the exception of the Chapel agape letters and cards, no other notation should be used on personal agape letters, only the individual’s first and last name.* Excessive notation has only proved confusing to the letter sorting team. Once the 8-12 have been sorted, each packet of letters, along with a letter opener (WNY community agape gift), and a small bag with which to carry the letters and opener during closing, is wrapped with a decorative ribbon and given as a gift to each pilgrim and team member. All other letters received remain in the agape letter bag in the agape room and are placed with the individual’s property in the previously designated area for pick-up by the sponsor or team member as a Fourth Day surprise. We appreciate your cooperation in this small but very important change in the handling of personal agape letters. Remember, it is the quality of content, not the quantity of letters that makes this form of agape so special and meaningful to the individual receiving them.

Finally, it is the agape chair responsibility to coordinate the assembly of the take-home packets. Copies of information sheets and forms need to be made, materials (i.e. Upper Room, Devo devotionals and Family Life Network Radio) have to be ordered in advance, and weekend lay directors need to be contacted for team name, addresses, and phone numbers and team assignment lists, lists of pilgrims and caterpillars with addresses and phone numbers are obtained from the Registration chair, arrangements for the photographer and making the picture name listing are all part of the packet material preparation.

The above represents a summary of what happens with respect to agape over the course of a weekend. It is our prayer that this proves helpful to you, a WNY community member, and that you will earnestly seek the Lord’s will regarding your continued participation in this ministry of spiritual renewal and revitalization of Christ’s church. We, as agape chair, work in conjunction with other board and community members in a concert of servant hood and love. We pray that as we are led by the Holy Spirit in this Fourth Day journey with Him, each act of agape; though temporary for us, through His grace and love will be of eternal significance to His glorious name and kingdom.

Love in Christ,
WNY Community Agape Chair
Vicki and Dean Perry

Gathering Schedules

Rochester Area:

Gathering at Fairport UMC:

2nd Sunday of the month
6:00 P. M. - Meeting (child care upon request)
John and Mary Trowbridge 377-9330

“West Bank” Area Gathering:

Hilton UMC - 2nd Saturday of month
8:30 A. M. - Continental Breakfast
9:00 A. M. - Meeting (Child care)
Chris Collins 227-1519

“Closer Walk” Area Gathering:

Farmington UMC - 1st Saturday of month
(Rte. 332 @ 5925 County Road)
Covered dish @ 5:30 P. M.
Heidi and Marty Cressman 289-6780

Alexander:

Alexander UMC - 3rd Saturday of month
7:00 P. M.- Meeting (child care)
Jim and Lora Keiper 591-3121

Northern Mountain View Area Gathering:

Holland UMC - 3rd Saturday of month
9:30AM coffee - Meeting: 10AM
Please call ahead for childcare
Ruth Zimmerman 537-9524

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Enchanted Mountain Gathering (Olean):

Christ UMC - 4th Saturday of month
9:00 A. M. - Meeting followed by
Continental breakfast
Amy Loyd 716-373-6640

Ionia Gathering:

Ionia UMC Last Saturday of the month
7:00 P. M. - Meeting
Burgy and Grace Anne Scott 229-2249

Buffalo Area Gathering:

Seneca UMC Church, 2846 Seneca St.
West Seneca, NY
3rd Saturday of month - 9:30 A. M.
Pat Corsette - 826-6840

Medina Gathering:

Medina United Methodist Church
Last Friday of the Month - 7:00 P. M.
Hal and Carol Goodwin 798-4593

News Letter Articles (Temporarily)

Articles concerning WNY Emmaus activities are always welcomed by the editorial staff of YOUR Rainbow Connection!!
Please email: suzieandcq@mindex.com

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