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Rainbow Connection



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Western New York Walk to Emmaus & Chrysalis

March, 2004

Men's Walk #28



Row 1 (Left to Right) Earle Ridley, Erich Jones, Nilla Owen, Dave Young, Jeff Mellon, Pam Mellon, John McNeill, Ed Pask, Jim DeRooy, Art Page. Row 2 Dan Carr, Brian Mullin, Mark Renfro, Harry Lockwood, Hal Goodwin, Jeff Smith, Gary Watts. Row 3 Troy Winkler, Kent Ranney, Paul Kroenig, John Hayden, David Wickins, Donn Rice, Dick Pinneo. Row 4 Norb Fuest, Rich Pincoski, Paul Gagne, Dave Foes, Ken Chandler, Dan Knopf, John Becker, Richard Twardokus, Dean Perry, Row 5 Greg Franklin, Gary Caldwell, John Corra, David McKinney, Cliff Frank. Row 6 Bill Lang, Dave Rood, Chris Joy, Dave Holmes, Jack Waterhouse, Allen Keiper, Bill Wallum, Roy Griswold

Directions to Wesley U.M.C.

From the West or South:

Rt. 90 (NYS Thruway) to Rt. 390 exit

Rt. 390 to Rt. 104 east (exit 24A, Ridge Road East)

Ridge Road about 2 miles to Dewey Avenue

Left onto Dewey (North). Church is 1 mile down on the left

From Webster and East:

Ridge Road West into Rochester

Drive past Lake Avenue

Right onto Dewey Avenue. Church is 1 mile down on the left.

WNY Women's Walk to Emmaus # 28

Wesley United Methodist Church

2009 Dewey Avenue, Rochester, NY

April 15-18, 2004

Sendoff - 15th, 7:00 pm

Candlelight - 17th, 8:00 pm

Closing - 18th, 4:00 pm

Reunion - May 1, 2004

Women's Pilgrims - Walk # 28

Name	Church
Mary Lee Beerens	Canandaigua Episciple
Carol Bell	Hilton UMC
Mary Kay Birch	Canandaigua UMC
Wanda Cooper	Crossroads Prog. Chap
Kathleen Danley	Gaines Carlton Com Ch
Debby DeRooy	Zion Fellowship
Robin Efing	Gaines Carlton Com Ch
Teresa Fischetti	Honeoye Falls UMC
Marge Frank	Trinity Amherst
Sue Gagne	Hamburg UMC
Eileen Gill	Olean Christ UMC
Bernice Green	Grace UMC
Carol Grimes	Luth. Ch of Our Savior
Donna Holmes	Belmont UMC
Jean Kane	Honeoye Falls UMC
Peggy Knopf	Alfred UMC
Juls Koehler	Greece UMC
Anne Marie Lovria	St. Mary's R.C. Church
Donna McCagg	Honeoye Falls UMC
B.J. McLendon	Browncroft Com. Ch
Christine Orr	B'irth Hadoshah
Laura Putman	Grace UMC
Heather Ranney	Clarence Center UMC
Donna Rice	Wesley UMC
Bev Rosbrook	Farmington UMC
Barb Sackel	Spencerport UMC
Jennifer Schnettler	Oakfield UMC
Tracie Schwarz	Calvery Chapel
Lisa Waterhouse	Orchard Park UMC
Elaine Watts	Millville UMC

Women's Emmaus Walk # 28 Team

Position	Name
Lay Director	Jan Mortimer - # 14 Perseverance
Spiritual Director	Sara Merle - # 4 Justifying Grace & # 7 Means of Grace
Clergy	Emily Frank - # 12 Sanctifying Grace
Clergy	Rick Coyle - # 2 Prevenient Grace
Clergy	Sue Boring - # 9 Obstacles to Grace
Agape ALD	Kathy Weil - # 15 Fourth Day
Bell Ringer ALD	Cheryl Isaman - # 1 Priorities
Chapel ALD	Cindy Curtis - # 13 Body of Christ
Table Leader	Shirley London - # 10 Discipleship
Table Leader	Joye Swanton - # 5 Life in Piety
Table Leader	June Adams - # 8 Christian Action
Table Leader	Karen Rutherford - # 11 Changing Our World
Table Leader	Evaline Schaal - # 6 Grow thru Study
Table Leader	Carol Pinneo - # 3 Priesthood of All Believers
Asst. Table Leader	Karen Sellers
Asst. Table Leader	Ruth Higgins
Asst. Table Leader	Laurie Curtis
Asst. Table Leader	Amy Loyd
Asst. Table Leader	Eden Kaszuba
Asst. Table Leader	Karen Klimecko
Lead Musician	Peg Ridley
Asst. Musician	Teri Parker
Logistics	Barb Swanson
Logistics	Marlene Veazey
Board Representative	Vicki Jones

FROM EVANGELISM CHAIRPERSON

Pat Corsette

"And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith." Matthew 21:22 (ESV)

Greetings in the name of Jesus!

As you know, the Boy's Chrysalis Flight has been re-scheduled for the weekend of July 9-12, 2004. The Board's decision to reschedule came after soul-searching and prayer.

Now we, as a community have to do our part. This is not a time to sit and hope everything turns out fine. The very future of Chrysalis in WNY depends on filling our flights. That means we need a minimum of 12 caterpillars, registered before the deadline to hold a flight.

There's much work to be done. Have you approached the youth of your church? Butterflies, have you told your friends how totally awesome a Chrysalis weekend is? Are we all making our youth a priority?

If you would like help in approaching your friends, or your youth group, please let me know! Either I, or one of the dedicated folks who have offered to help me, will be more than happy to make arrangements to visit your church to talk about Chrysalis. Let's all make a concerted effort to dedicate time to pray for our teens, and for the future of Chrysalis.

Scripture tells us that the prayers of a righteous man have great power. Let's combine that power on behalf of Chrysalis. It's a matter of survival! Don't wait! The deadline for applications for the July Boy's Flight is June 20th.

Boy's Flight # 12 Registration

Application deadline is:

June 20th, 2004

The deadline will be strictly adhered to!
No late registrations, please

For registration information and sponsorship applications, please contact

Randy & Laura Walker
147 N 9th Street
Olean, NY 14760
716-373-5310

irv7@localnet.com

or go to

www.wnyemmaus-chrysalis.org

CHRYSALIS FEEDBACK NEEDED: Do We Ground Flights?

My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Recent Chrysalis Flights have not been attended or supported as we would have liked. I have been appointed chair of a Chrysalis Steering Committee, the first task of which is to determine if the WNY community truly supports a Chrysalis movement. While we on the committee all believe in, and hold high hopes for Chrysalis, we need some concrete data before we continue with efforts to grow and strengthen WNY Chrysalis. Please respond to the following questions. You may answer by phone at 716-648-4278 (mail box 2), by email at hmartindoherty@aol.com or on our website at www.wnyemmaus-chrysalis.org or you can even cut out the following and mail it to: Marty Doherty, 34 Boxwood Cir. Hamburg, NY 14075.

1. Name _____
Optional, but please respond only once by any one means.
2. Are you active in fourth Day activities? _____
3. How many children do you have between 15 and 18 yrs.? _____
4. How many children do you have between 10 and 14 yrs.? _____
5. Are you interested in having your children attend Chrysalis? _____
6. Do you think they are/will be interested in attending? _____
7. How many other teens do you know (friends of your kids, members of your church or neighboring churches, school mates, etc.) that you would be interested in sponsoring? _____
8. Have you ever served on a Chrysalis team? _____
9. Are you willing to serve on a Chrysalis team? _____
10. Have you ever served at Big House? _____
11. Are you willing to serve at Big House? _____
12. When do you think is the best time for Flights?
Summer _____ Fall _____ Winter _____ Spring _____

Comments:

Thank you for your consideration and help.

In Grace and Peace,
Marty Doherty
Chair, Chrysalis Steering Committee

Emmaus Board of Directors

Term	Position	Name	Phone
2005	Chair	Gary & Sue Clarcq	(585) 323-1910
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	Gary McCaffery	(716) 741-2462
2005	Registration	Randy & Laura Walker	(716) 373-5310
2005	Evangelism	Pat Corsette	(716) 826-6840
2006	4 th Day	Lynn & Pat Blakeman	(716) 373-6470
2006	Supplies	Jim & Donna Coleman	(585) 385-1296
2006	Library	Jack & Kathie Woika	(585) 343-3813
2006	Wknd Coord.	Allen & Alethia Keiper	(585) 591-0502
2006	Clergy	Carol Sierk	(585) 591-2410
2004	Team Select	Tom Heiss	(585) 586-4116
2004	Music	Jan & Mike Mortimer	(716) 373-2237
2004	Kitchen	Jeff & Pam Mellon	(716) 372-1836
2004	Secretary	Chris Collins	(585) 227-1519
2004	Treasurer	Pat & Steve Morse	(585) 798-1605
2004	Newsletter	Jim Moody	(585) 637-7947

Board Meeting Dates Changed

The WNY Emmaus Board of Directors meeting scheduled for April will be held on different dates than the regular meeting. The meeting will be held on April 23, 2004 - NOT April 16th. Meetings are held at Trinity United Methodist Church, Attica, NY at 7:00 pm.

Sponsorship

Boys Chrysalis Flight #12 and Emmaus Walk # 29 will be here before you know it. Is Christ calling on YOU to sponsor someone for upcoming Walks / Flights? Now is the time to start praying about it. Please pray for someone you know. This is such an awesome opportunity for everyone!

Emmaus Walk # 29 - Springville UMC

Men's Walk - October 7 - 10, 2004

Women's Walk - November 4 - 7, 2004

Reunion - November 20, 2004

Boy's Flight # 12 - Hamburg UMC

July 9 - 12, 2004

Reunion - July 24, 2004

Musician's Workshop

The next musician's workshop will be held on Saturday, April 17 from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm at the Hosanna Junction UMC, 357 Fairport Road, East Rochester. Approaching Rochester from I-390 south, Take I-590 east. Continue to I-490 east. Exit at Rt. 31F, which is Fairport Road. Continue east until you see the church on the right.

All musicians are welcome to attend. Please note that attendance is necessary to become eligible as a weekend musician.

Veteran musicians should attend to become eligible to lead future musician's workshops. Anyone who wants to learn new songs is welcome. The 17th is the Saturday of Women's candlelight at Wesley United Methodist Church on the west side of Rochester. Make an Emmaus day of it. Come learn new songs, then gather for candlelight. Contact Mike Mortimer with questions at 716-373-2237 or mortimer@localnet.com. DeColores.

4th Day – The Rest of Your Life!

Greetings in Christ our Lord who died and rose again to atone for our sins!

Pat and I saw The Passion of the Christ with Christ United Methodist Church in Olean last weekend and were deeply touched. It is an important film for every Christian and it has spurred a dialogue in Communities throughout the country. If for no other reason than to accomplish this task, we believe the film is bringing about awareness to those who need to hear.

We have been getting some Gathering attendance via email, snail mail and in person. We still are missing data from some Gatherings. Please make sure to (1) take attendance at your Gatherings and (2) get it to us so that it can be recorded. As we have indicated before this information is now used by the Team Selection Committee to determine who will be asked to serve on Team!

There was a discussion regarding the number of Gatherings within the Western New York Community at the Board meeting last Friday night. The Board is concerned with the effectiveness of Gatherings within the Community. As such a policy has been adopted whereby all new Gatherings must be Board approved. This is an effort to make sure that all the Gatherings within the Community are vital, healthy groups that exist to encourage and inspire one another, to educate the Community in the Emmaus Movement and to make ourselves visible to the Christian Church in general.

We have been somewhat slow in getting our Sponsorship Seminar going but hope to pick up the pace here this Spring. If you are on the Sponsorship Team expect a call or an email from us soon with a proposed meeting date.

Finally, it's not too late to start thinking about Walk #28 Reunion. It will be held on May 1st at the Wesley United Methodist Church in Rochester. Even if you aren't on Team, please consider attending. This is one of the best ways to encourage our newest Community Members. The small token of Agape Love you show by being there and saying hello can mean the difference between an active community member and one who does not participate.

DeColores!
Lynn & Pat Blakeman

You are invited to a Chrysalis Hoot:

Where/ When: Penfield United Methodist Church; Saturday April 17 and Sunday April 18

From 6pm, Saturday to the end of closing of the Women's weekend on Sunday. We will attend both Candlelight and Closing.

What should I bring?

- Sleeping gear
- Personal items (change of clothing, toiletries ect.)
- Bible
- Snack and/or drink to share
- Can of your favorite soup (no creamy soups)
- Chrysalis name tag, shirt and cross (let show our Chrysalis unity and spirit)
- Permission slip (if under 18 years)
- \$5 for pizza
- Instruments if you want to sing (or Christian CDs you would like to share)

Directions from the West: Take 90 East to the 490/Leroy exit. Take 490 through the city and get off at the 441/ Penfield exit. Turn left off of the exit onto 441. Take 441 through Penfield. Turn left at Baird Rd. (follow the library signs). Go past the library and through the 4-way stop. The church is on your left, the second driveway is the entrance. If you are coming from the East and you do not know how to get to the church please e-mail or call me, I will be glad to give you directions.

Please pass this on to the other butterflies in your youth group who may not have received this through e-mail or mail. (Any one who attend a Chrysalis weekend before flight 11) If you are planning to come, please e-mail or call me so I know how many to expect.

Agsteddy@aol.com or (585) 425-3148

Angela Sens

Big House Guidelines, Permission Slip and Medical Authorization Form

In preparation for the upcoming Big House weekends, we wish to inform you of the guidelines for the weekend. These guidelines are not meant to dampen your enthusiastic spirits but are in place so all may relax and have a good time.

Youth will not, under any circumstances, leave the building without informing an adult. Activities will be subject to youth and adult approval. All dress will be modest and appropriate in keeping with our role as ambassadors for Christ. Guys and girls will have separate sleeping quarters. A 'lights out' time will be agreed upon by youth and adults. At this designated time, everyone will retire to their sleeping quarters. There will be restricted areas within the church. We will review these areas with the group.

I agree to the above guidelines: Youth Signature _____

In the case of an emergency I can be reached at the following phone numbers: _____,

_____, _____.

As the parent or guardian, I understand and accept all of the above guidelines. I understand that I may be called at any time to come to pick up my son/daughter.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Parents: please retain our emergency phone number: Penfield United Methodist Church, (585) 586-0618. This is a church phone line and should be used only when necessary. During the weekend, we ask that you use a code so that we know it is a Chrysalis call. Dial the number, let it ring once, hang up and redial letting the phone ring until we answer. If we do not answer at this number we may all be at the flight church. Try Angela Sens' cell number (585) 451-5003.

Identify Allergies/Special Conditions Names of Minors

I/We being the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of the above named minor(s), do hereby appoint:

CHRYSALIS BIG HOUSE CHAPERONES

To act in my/our behalf in authorizing unexpected medical, dental, surgical care and hospitalization for the above named minor(s) during the period of my/our absence from:

March 1, 2004 THROUGH April 30, 2004 This document shall be presented to a physician, dentist, or appropriate representative as such time as unexpected medical, dental, surgical care or hospitalization may be required.

Birth date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Address Date Signature _____

Address Witness _____

Hospitalization Coverage for Above Named Minor(s) _____

Family Physicians: Name and Phone # _____

Insurance Co.: Name and Phone # or Government Coverage I.D. or Contract #: _____

Gathering Schedule

Fairport UMC:

1st Sunday of the month (April & May only)*
6:00 P. M. - Meeting (child care upon request)
Bob and Christa Fathergill 585-387-0928

"West Bank" Area:

Grace UMC - 2nd Saturday of month
8:30 A. M. - Continental Breakfast
9:00 A. M. - Meeting (child care upon request)*
Chris Collins 585-227-1519

"Niagara" Area:

Lockport Emmanuel UMC - 2nd Saturday of month
6:00 P. M. - Meeting
Wilson Jones 716-741-5079

Alexander:

Alexander UMC - 3rd Friday of month (16th)*
7:00 P. M. - Meeting (child care)
Jim and Lora Keiper 591-3121

Northern Mountain View Area:

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

SEE CHANGES FOR THIS MONTH IN BOLD

Enchanted Mountain (Olean):

Christ UMC - 3rd Wednesday of month
7:00 P. M. - Meeting
Amy Loyd 716-373-6640

Ionia:

Ionia UMC Last Saturday of the month
7:00 P. M. - Meeting
Burgy and Grace Anne Scott 585-229-2249

Buffalo Area:

Seneca UMC Church, 2846 Seneca St.
3rd Saturday of month - 9:30 A. M.
Pat Corsette 716-826-6840

Hamburg/Buffalo Southtowns:

Hamburg UMC - Methodist Meeting House
(Building at Back of Property on Main St.)
3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm
Gary Caldwell 716-649-3889

Millville (formerly Medina):

Millville United Methodist Church
Last Friday of the Month - 7:00 P. M.
Hal and Carol Goodwin 585-798-4593

Napoli:

Napoli UMC
4th Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm
Rick Peters - 938-6800

Newsletter Deadline April 20, 2004

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c/o Jim Moody
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Brookport, NY 14420