

EMMAUS

LEXINGTON COMMUNITY



Lexington, KY

"Did not our hearts burn within us, while he talked with us by the way...?"

April 2008

APRIL 4TH GATHERING – RON AND BONNIE CRANDALL

Please celebrate with us at the April 4th Gathering! We are going to have a very special worship service that night as Ron and Bonnie Crandall who started the Lexington Emmaus Community will be our 4th day speakers. They were there for Walk #1 and they will be there to greet pilgrims from walks #99 and #100.

De Colores, Libby Kenney, Community Lay Director

TASTE OF EMMAUS AT MAY GATHERING

To celebrate the arrival of our community cookbooks, you are invited to attend a **Taste of Emmaus** at the May Gathering on May 2nd. This will be different from the community's usual potluck. Dishes will be prepared by those who contributed to the cookbook and everyone will get to sample the recipes. As a thank you, those preparing the food will eat for free. If you do not bring a dish, you are asked to pay for your meal with a donation. It will be a great buffet dinner.

Cookbooks will be on sale for \$10.00 each. You will want to get yours before supplies run out. They make nice gifts for mothers, pilgrims and sponsors. All proceeds from the sale of books and the dinner will go toward the matching funds account.

Please call Trudy Mills at 269-7801 if you are planning to bring a dish so we can have lots of good choices.

RECOMMENDED BOOK OF THE MONTH

An Unstoppable Force by Erwin McManus

McManus offers us a vision of the Church when it is functioning as God intended, as an unstoppable force created to change the world. New life comes to a church and to its people, when they realize their destiny according to God's design. McManus uses the model of the early church to help us see what God envisions for His church yet today. A challenging thought-provoking book, which just might revolutionize the way, you look at your church!

Grace, Chuck Beighle, Literature Chairperson, Lexington Emmaus Board



HOOT SCHEDULED

A Hoot for all at St. Luke UMC, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, on April 18th. The times are: 6:30 PM Potluck, 7:30 Worship

SPRING CHRYSALIS FLIGHTS SCHEDULED

Chrysalis Flight #29 has been scheduled for February 14 – 16, 2009. On that weekend, boys and girls will be gathering at Asbury Theological Seminary to participate in separate experiences.

MEN'S WALK #99
WELCOME TO THE LEXINGTON EMMAUS AND CHRYSALIS COMMUNITY!



PILGRIMS:

Jason Basham, John Berry, Jason Childress, Norman Dean, Kevin Fitzpatrick, Mike Garner, Blake Gilley, Wayne Hunter, Shimar Keith, Donald Knapp, Chris Lawson, Robert Lopez, Lenny Luchetti, Larry McPherson, Alan Napier, Corey Nelson, Kelly Ratliff, John Sims, David Thomas, Lonnie Watts, and Ian Wills

TEAM:

Barry Frazelle, Joe Martin, Jim Eastburn, Paul Shafer, Alan Jackson, Doug Sell, Drew Meadows, Darwin Allen, Paul Purcell, Martin Knox, Lester Dzuik, Bill Henry, John Hemming, Gary Williams, Howard Rosewell, Horace Bartilow, Norm Galloway, Doug Sell, Bill Anderson, Ben Thomas, Bob Harmon, Bob Clark, Terry Burlew, David Watts, Chuck Rodgers, Bruce Maybriar, Theo Prince, Steve Covington, Bob New, John Elder, Edgar Goins, Bob Coppings, Darrell Lyons, Chuck Beighle, and Alan Jackson

BE IN PRAYER FOR OUR 2008 FALL WALKS

Men's Walk #101-October 2-5, 2008

Women's Walk #102-October 16-19, 2008

Registration forms should be sent to:

Lexington Emmaus Community,

ATTN: Registrar, P.O. Box 23554, Lexington KY 40523-3554

Registration forms may be obtained from

the address on the left or our Web site:

www.lexingtonemmaus.org

2007 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Each year the Treasurer reports to the Community a summary of the finances for the previous year. Below are the results from 2007.

Expenses and income for Walks/Flights frequently cross fiscal year boundaries. Therefore, the walk 97 & 98 housing fees of \$9043.10 were not paid until January 2008. To give the Community a true idea of the financial status for each set of Walks/Flights for 2007, this detail follows the 2007 Income/Expense Summary. This includes income and expenses for each Walk no matter when they hit the books.

The Board tries to manage fees and expenses so each Walk essentially breaks even. Expenses for the walks in 2007 were about \$3800 more than income. This will need to be addressed in 2008. Administration expenses for the Community average approximately \$800 per month, and the primary avenue for meeting these costs are the offerings at Gatherings and Candlelights. Please remember this when the offerings are taken.

The matching fund includes a \$25,000 matching gift that was received in 2007. We need to continue our commitment to reaching the goals for this fund in 2008.

Questions may be directed to Gary Williams, Treasurer, 987-1942, treasurer@lexingtonemmaus.org.

Community Assets	Cash	Funds	Total Assets
January 1, 2007	\$11,071.66	\$7,518.34	\$18,590.00
December 31, 2007	\$6,622.33	\$42,439.37	\$49,061.70
As of February 29, 2008	\$6,183.58	\$43,120.18	\$43,120.18

2007 Income/Expense Summary

Item	Income	Expense	Net
Walks/Flights	\$25,782.00	\$30,050.29	-\$4,268.29
Candlelights/Gatherings/Donations	\$8,021.07	\$525.00	\$7,496.07
Matching Gift Funds	\$35,424.63	\$649.36	\$34,775.27
Newsletter	\$0.00	\$4,335.09	-\$4,335.09
Book Sales	\$200.00	\$600.00	-\$400.00
Insurance	\$0.00	\$1,441.00	-\$1,441.00
Storage Rental/Supplies	\$0.00	\$1,570.77	-\$1,570.77
Scholarship Memorial Fund	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other	\$389.51	\$174.00	\$215.51
Total	\$69,817.21	\$39,345.51	\$30,471.70

2007 Walks/Flights detail	Income	Expense	Net
Walks 95 & 96	\$11,327.00	\$14,164.07	-\$2,837.07
Walks 97 & 98	\$12,305.00	\$13,240.88	-\$935.88
Flight 28	\$2,250.00	\$1,949.36	\$300.64

GATHERINGS

LEXINGTON: APRIL 4, 2008, 6:30 PM Potluck, 7:30 Worship, St. Luke UMC, 2351 Alumni Drive

Everyone bring a dish to share: veggie/side dish, main dish, or dessert. Drinks, plates, cups, and utensils will be provided. Everyone will help clean up, so the work will be light

PAINTSVILLE: APRIL 11, 2008, Mayo UMC, 705 Court St, 7:00 PM **Worship, Fellowship & Food follow**

CHILD CARE-Child care is available at all Gatherings. Sponsors assist finding childcare for Walks.

CHRYSALIS-Jennifer at jbarberartist@windstream.net Myspace: Lexington Chrysalis Community

COMMUNITY PRAYER MINISTRY-E-mail request to Judy Seitz at prayers@lexingtonemmaus.org

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

APRIL

- 4 **Gathering at St. Luke UMC**, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 6:30 PM Potluck, 7:30 Worship
- 11 **Gathering at Paintsville's Mayo UMC**, 705 Court Street, Paintsville, 7:00 Worship
- 14 **Emmaus Board Meeting**, St. Luke UMC, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 7:00 PM
- 18 **Hoot at St. Luke UMC**, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 6:30 PM Potluck, 7:30 Worship

MAY

- 2 **Gathering (A Taste of Emmaus) at St. Luke UMC**, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 6:30 PM Potluck, 7:30 Worship
- 9 **Gathering at Paintsville's Mayo UMC**, 705 Court Street, Paintsville, 7:00 Worship
- 12 **Emmaus Board Meeting**, St. Luke UMC, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 7:00 PM

Be sure to check the Message Board on the Community Website for prayer requests and other information.
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