

EMMAUS

LEXINGTON COMMUNITY



Lexington, KY

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

JANUARY 2008

PLEASE WELCOME THE 2008 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Lay Director	Libby Kenney	Gatherings	
Spiritual Director	Donna Jones	Kitchen	Ben Thomas
Vice LD	David Baugh	Leadership Training	Trudy Mills
Secretary	Carol Pinkston	Literature	Chuck Beighle
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Agape	Donna New	Newsletter	David Baugh
Candlelight/ Sponsor's Hour	Edgar Goins	Registrar	Beckie Sigmon
Chrysalis	Jennifer Barber	Supplies	Dee Hunter
Community Shepherd	Charlie Shoemaker	Team Selection	Marty Wright
Facilities	Tony Hale		

Please welcome the following members to the 2008 board. Jennifer Barber, Trudy Mills, Ben Thomas, Gary Williams, Marcy Yoder, and Edgar Goins

Please join the Board in thanking the following community members for their service on the Board this last year. Amy Winn, Keith Wright, Pam Werkmeister, Kelly Hamilton, Ted Gyorffy, Stan Schilffarth, and Judy Seitz

RECOMMENDED BOOK OF THE MONTH - *The Life You've Always Wanted*, John Ortberg

Ortberg is one of my favorite authors and in this work he reminds us of the heart of Christianity-God's power to bring change and growth to our lives. This engaging book brings a modern perspective to the ancient ideas of spiritual discipline and helps us plot a road map toward true transformation. I believe it would be a great book to begin your 2008 journey with Christ,

Grace, **Chuck Beighle, Literature Chairperson, Lexington Emmaus Board**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO COMMUNITY BYLAWS

The Lexington Emmaus Community Board of Directors proposes the following amendment to the Community Bylaws: *Under ARTICLE V. Committees: Section 1. Standing Committees. Amend as follows: "...following standing committees: Gatherings/Kitchen."* This proposed change places the Gatherings and the Kitchen position under the same Board member's responsibilities. The proposed amendment was "read" at the December Gathering. Voting on this amendment by the community will be at the January 4, 2008, Gathering.

CHRYSALIS IN 200 WORDS OR LESS

As life changing as the Walk to Emmaus is for adults, imagine being able to have a similar experience at an earlier time in life. The Chrysalis weekend is very much like the walk but is geared for teens and is designed to let them meet God during a three-day weekend and set them on a path of discipleship and service at an early age. If you wish to sponsor others on a Walk, then also sponsor the youth you know on a Chrysalis flight. The boys and girls will have their next flights (simultaneously but separately) on February 16-18 in Wilmore. Please join us for the community events (Sponsors' Hour, Candlelight, and Closing) and support our youth with all the same love you provide for the adult Walks (prayer, agape, and serving meals). Fly with Christ!

WOMEN'S WALK #98



- Row 1** Beckie Sigmon, Janet Sexton, Carrie Wheeler, Cynthia Khoo, Kaye Taylor
Row 2 Sue Hufnagel, Krystin Powers, Fredda Hibpshman, Donna Patzer, Dana Ellis, Donna New, Laura Ferrell, Judine Murphy, Natalie Shafer, Kathy Moreland, Anne Meyer, Dee Hunter
Row 3 Dorothy Martin, Patti Wilkins, Jill Blackman, Crystal Riley, Joyce Miller, Marcy Yoder, Julie Koch, Susan Bryant, Trudy Mills
Row 4 Donna Jones, Nancy Watkins, Jennifer Barber, Rebecca Shaffer, Amy Basham, Linda Curd, June LeMaster, Martha Armstrong, Jo Covington, Trish Pittman, Cheryl Farmer, Peggy Wells
Row 5 Billie Newton, Sonja Price, Kathy Hall, Mary Ella Glasscock, Sandy Lane, Kathy Dezarn, Tiffany Nix, Marty Wright
Row 6 Grant Mathes, Gary Williams, Liz Maybriar, Maureen Baxter, Ben Heisler, Joy McPherson, Teresa Howard, Teresa Bishop, Tyrona Nelson, Charlie Shoemaker

GATHERINGS

LEXINGTON: JANUARY 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: JANUARY 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 child care 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

SNOW POLICY: If Fayette County schools are closed **due to the weather** the Gathering will be cancelled. If the weather turns bad during a school day check the TV, Website and radio.

BE IN PRAYER FOR OUR 2008 SPRING FLIGHTS AND WALKS

Boys' and Girls' Flights - February 16-18

Men's Walk #99 - March 13-16

Women's Walk #100 - March 27-30

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

JANUARY ORIENTATION AND TRAINING - January 19, 2008

First United Methodist Church, 200 West High Street, Lexington, KY

Come explore the Walk to Emmaus at the January orientation & training event. Rev. Paul Brunstetter, Senior Minister of the First United Methodist Church in Lexington will be our guest speaker. The day includes four workshops, worship, fellowship, and communion. Listed below is the list of workshops with a short definition. Send in your registration by 1/4/2008.

SCHEDULE

8:30	GATHERING TIME & REGISTRATION
9:00	OPENING
10:30	WORKSHOP SESSION #1
11:15	WORKSHOP SESSION #2
12:00	LUNCH
12:45	WORKSHOP SESSION #3
1:30	WORKSHOP SESSION #4
2:15	CLOSING
3:00	DEPART

**LUNCH CATERED BY JOE BOLOGNA'S
COST FOR THE DAY IS \$12.00**

QUESTIONS: Trudy Mills at (859) 269-7801

WORKSHOPS

DEFINITION

AGAPE	Agape: A practical demonstration of hospitality, service and love during the "Walk to Emmaus".
KITCHEN	Behind the scene: Preparing and breaking of bread.
MUSIC	Into Christ's presence: Opening the door of our hearts during a "Walk" or a Gathering.
TABLE LEADERSHIP	Practical servant leadership in purpose, planning, and prayer for a table leader or assistant table leader.
TALKS	Examine the purpose, planning and presentations of a "Talk".
FOURTH DAYS	How do we continue our walk after our "Walk"? Reunion Groups, Gatherings and Sponsorship are explored.
CHRYSLIS	Chrysalis is explained and examined.
CLOWN COMMUNION	This retelling in mime of Christ's life and His gift to us is used as part of the Chrysalis experience. Learn how to conduct a Clown Communion.
CLERGY	The "Walk to Emmaus": Your participation, your churches participation and the development of lay leadership.
COMMUNITY GROWTH	Secret no longer: How to encourage your church and your friends to participate in a "Walk to Emmaus". Workshop on methods and materials.

REGISTRATION FORM: JANUARY ORIENTATION AND TRAINING

NAME:		NAME:	
	WORKSHOP CHOICE		WORKSHOP CHOICE
1		1	
2		2	
3		3	
4		4	

PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JANUARY 4, 2008.
PLEASE BRING TO JANUARY 4, 2008, GATHERING
OR MAIL TO:

Lexington Emmaus Community, ATTN: TRAINING,
P.O. Box 23554, Lexington, KY 40523-2554.

INSIDE: WELCOME 2008 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JANUARY

- 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
- 19 January Orientation and Training, 200 West High Street, Lexington, 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM

FEBRUARY

- 1 Gathering at St. Luke UMC, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 6:30 PM Potluck, 7:30 Worship
- 8 Gathering at Paintsville's Mayo UMC, 705 Court Street, Paintsville, 7:00 Worship
- 11 Emmaus Board Meeting, St. Luke UMC, 2351 Alumni Drive, Lexington, 7:00 PM
- 16-18 Boy's and Girls' Chrysalis Flights, Asbury Seminary, Wilmore

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

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