

# The Rainbow Connection

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THE RAINBOW CONNECTION

## From Our Board Chair

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### Upcoming Events

- Gathering—9/24
- Education Day - 10/7



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Greetings to you in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ!

Romans 12:4-6 says, "Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. We have different gifts, according to the grace given us." These words remind me of the hundreds of people in our Southern Ohio Emmaus community who work together and take part in any given Emmaus weekend. It doesn't matter who you are. It doesn't matter what your part is. No part is more important than another. It takes all the parts working together. Your part could be praying or sponsoring or providing food or being a team member or attending candlelight or being the Late Pilgrim or being a Board member or cleaning the toilet or being a singing nun or being the Lay Director or writing someone a letter or carrying luggage or being a Clergy person, etc., etc., etc. The list could go on and on. All the parts are needed, all of them are special and all of them are important. Our Emmaus community is blessed to have all of its members working together as one body, the body of Christ. Remember that Christ is counting on all of us to do our part. Our next Gathering is Sept. 24 at 3:00PM. Sponsors, remember to bring your new member with you to the Gathering. Wear your nametag and bring finger food. I can't wait to see you all there!

De Colores!  
Linda Rose  
Board Chair

### Welcome to our Newest Community Members Women's Walk 41!

Angie Moody	Deborah Wood	Kristen Kemper
Margaret Shirk	Retha Sheppard	Doreen Buchanan
Debbie Trainer	Kim Haley	Mary Robinson
Katie Wolf	Kami Barbarotta	Marcella Barbee
Katy Kudlapur	Ruth Nicholson	Shirley Jackson
Eileen Wynstra	Pearleene Reffitt	Sherry Price
Julie Wynstra	Eloise Stivison	Marie Wells

## Please Pray for the Men's Walk 41 Team

Spiritual Director  
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Lay Director  
Asst Lay Directors

Music Director  
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Table Leaders

Asst Table Leader

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## News and Notes

The deadline for the **Rainbow Connection** is noon, the 15th of each month. Please send information and articles to Lu Fox, Newsletter Chairperson, 1927 Smith Ave, Lancaster, Ohio 43130. E-mail: lfox@columbus.rr.com. Phone: 740-653-7727.

**Gathering Notes:** Children and guests are welcome at the gatherings. However, Candlelights and Closings are to be attended only by those who have attended a Walk to Emmaus.

**Increase in Fee Beginning 2006**  
The Board did a study of the cost of the Walk for each person and has found it necessary to raise the fee. Beginning with the SPRING 2006 WALKS, the fee will be \$100 for the Pilgrims and the Conference Room team members. The fees for Logistics and Agape' will remain at \$70.

### Future Walk Dates:

#### **2006 DATES**

Men's Walk 41-Sept 28-Oct 1

#### **2007 DATES**

Women's Walk 42-Apr 19-22

Men's Walk 42-May 3-6

Women's Walk 43-Oct 4-7

Men's Walk 43-Oct 18-21

### Attention Share Groups!

Be blessed by preparing Agape' for the fall walks. We need 36 pieces of bedtime agape', 65 for meal time. Let's shower the pilgrim with Agape' love.

**Community,** we need Roosters for the upcoming Men's Walk. Thank you in advance for your help!



## 2006 Southern Ohio Emmanuel Board of Directors

This is the current contact list for our 2005 Board of Directors. Keep this list handy so you can contact the board with needs, concerns, ideas, and information. Please keep the board in your prayers that they may honor Our Lord as they serve Him and our community.

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**Schedule of Events**

The following is a list of Board Meetings/Gatherings and Walks/Flights. Please keep this schedule so you will know the dates and locations for our events. Gatherings begin at 3:00PM and the Board meets at 2:00PM. Gatherings are held at First United Methodist Church, 126 South High Street New Lexington, OH 43764. Walks and Flights are held at Camp Akita, Logan Ohio.

SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER	NOVEMBER
Gathering-September 24 Men's Walk 41-Sept 28-Oct 1	Education Day—Oct 7 Gathering—October 29 	No Gathering 
DECEMBER Emmaus Family Christmas Party—December 3 	2007 DATES Women's Walk 42-Apr 19-22 Men's Walk 42—May 3-6 Women's Walk 43—Oct 4-7 Men's Walk 43—Oct 18-21	

## Education Day—October 7

Education Day will be held Saturday, October 7, from 9:00 am until noon, at First United Methodist Church, New Lexington, Ohio. This is an excellent opportunity to learn about our Emmaus Community. Some of the course offerings will be:

- SPONSORSHIP
- AGAPE'
- LOGISTICS
- SERVING ON A TEAM
- WAYS TO SERVE

The Southern Ohio Emmaus board strongly recommends that you attend an Education Day prior to sponsoring. If the Lord has placed it on your heart to sponsor for the first time, sign up today for this fun and informative morning.

This is offered at no cost to the members of our community.

Registration is at 8:30 with classes from 9:00 until noon. So that we may prepare the needed materials, please complete the following form and mail to:

Bob Drabik  
 577 E Main St  
 McConneville, Ohio 43756



**EDUCATION DAY**  
October 7, 2006

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

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## Prayer and Praise

Please pray for these members of our community

Diora Edgell  
 Grandma White  
 Tim Fox  
 The Upcoming Walks  
 Carl Guseman  
 Ruth Welch  
 Shirley Smith  
 Nikki and Kim  
 Military  
 Schools, children and parents  
 Glen and Carol Starner  
 Ali & Mikayla



## Agape Notes

Thanks to everyone who worked on bedtime and mealtime agape for the Women's Walk #41! I'm sure the Pilgrims were overwhelmed with the amount and variety of things they received. As you know, there is a Men's Walk coming up on September 28-31. Many of you have already brought some items specifically for this Walk, but just in case you haven't, this is a reminder.

We passed out the last of the Rooster necklaces to the women, so if anyone has time or has already made some, we could sure use them for the Men's Walk!

Our Community is so generous! I've found all I need to do is ask, and the flood-gates open. I have a request about the snacks for the snack tables. We ran short of some items (seems like each group is different, but the Walk 41 Women really enjoyed the home-made brownies and cookies, and veggies and dip). If you have a chance to come to the send-off (or if you know someone who is) it would be great if you would bring an extra

plate of something. If you're a sponsor, find out what type of snack your Pilgrim loves and bring it. It'll definitely be appreciated!

I also ask that you pray about other forms of Agape you maybe able to share. We could sure use the help of some community members to clean up after the Men's Walk. The clean up is done during the Closing, so Sponsors and family can't pitch in. However, you maybe in a position to help the Logistics and Agape Teams finish up. If so, please give me a call at 614-866-8913.

Thanks for all your support and love !!!

DeColores!  
 Janice Bryant  
 Agape Chair

"Whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men" -  
 Colossians 3:23