



February 2010

Talk From the Walk

The Newsletter of the Louisville Area Emmaus Community

*.... did not our hearts burn within us?
Luke 24:32*

Hello Community,

Welcome to 2010 and a new Emmaus Board.

The January Board Meeting officially approved your new Board Members, Executive Committee and the Spiritual Director for 2010. You may ask: "Why do we need new board members?" That's a good question. Things have been going pretty smoothly in the Louisville Area Emmaus Community. So, why change board members? Certainly the leaders who are moving on did a fantastic job. I can tell you each of them were hard working, dedicated board members who gave sacrificially to the community. Jesus rested and so must all of us. We also need to remember the reason behind the Walk to Emmaus – it is to grow leadership for our local churches. These people have given a lot of time to our community. This can mean giving less time to their own congregation. It is time for them to rest when they can and continue to lead in their own church. Please take the time to thank Don Craig, Sue Ehret, Steve Homola, Perry Probst, Mike Welker and George Jones for their selfless efforts on behalf of our community. Don't forget our outgoing President, Marc Gritton. He is still on the board and will be in the position of Advisory Chair.

Please join me in welcoming our new board members:

Leighann Hallac, Mike Crittenden, Charles Stallard, Kenny Clark, Sue Eaton, Chris Wild and Vonda Stutzenberger.

Each of the new board members is uniquely qualified to help us move forward. They bring many of the same qualities that we had in our outgoing members. All of us on the board covet your prayers for guidance.

The most important thing about changes in the board is that we all serve the same God. Hebrews 13:8 teaches that "Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever."

Don't forget the most important thing you can do for YOUR board is pray for us daily.

DeColores,



**Nancy Frank
Community Lay Director**

Grace Notes From Your Spiritual Director...



Valentines Day is almost here and our thoughts turn to love. Romantics all over the world will be finding clever ways to express their love to their Valentine with chocolates and hearts and roses! You don't have to be married to express your love to people who have had a significant part in your life. Hallmark does a pretty good job but when it comes to love I believe the Bible does a better job than Hallmark can ever do because it talks about the great love of God. Perhaps one of the best known verses in all the Bible is John 3:16: "For God so loved the world..." We all know that God loves us; but the question is do we love God as we should? Jesus said in John 14:15 "If you love me; keep my commandments." That's how we express our love back to God the Father. But besides from that the Bible helps us to understand the real nature of this thing called love.

I hope you will stop and take a moment to open your Bible and read 1 Corinthians 13. Notice if you will several things Paul tells us about real Love:

1. REAL LOVE DOES THE RIGHT THINGS FOR THE RIGHT REASONS: When I was little I used to watch the TV show "Leave it to Beaver". Do you remember the character Eddie Haskell? He'd act one way around grown-up and totally different around Wally and the Beaver! That's called being two-faced or a hypocrite. Paul says real love does things from a pure motive and to do otherwise profits nothing.

2. REAL LOVE HAS CERTAIN ATTRIBUTES: Growing up in small-town Michigan we'd say go get me a "coke" and anything cold and wet would do. Coke was a generic name for any kind of soda pop the local store had in stock. But the Coca-Cola company spends millions of dollars to let us know that "Coke" is the real thing. Paul says real love has certain unmistakable qualities and lists them in vs 4-8a of 1 Cor 13.
3. REAL LOVE STANDS THE TEST OF TIME: Paul concludes this wonderful chapter on love in verse 13 by saying that in the end there are three essential things that will matter – faith, hope, and love and the greatest of these is real love! I want you to know that God's love for us is a love that endures, He always stands ready to forgive and to pardon if we will only turn to Him in trust and repentance. He only asks that you love Him enough to obey His salvation plan.

I pray that this Valentine's Day will bring you a renewed sense of God's love and that you will show your love for God by loving others.

Grace and peace,

Sue Eaton, Spiritual Director

– Romans 13:11-12



Looking for an individual or couple to fill the Newsletter Editor position.

We will be glad to assist you in the transition and provide ongoing technical (and moral) support as needed!

If you're interested, please contact Jeff or Karen Mitchell via phone at 243-3902 or via e-mail at mitchell.ky@insightbb.com. Thanks!



Check out these websites for Emmaus, Chrysalis, etc. for merchandise, agape, and gift ideas:

<http://www.decoloresstore.com/>

<http://decolores.com/store/>

<http://www.doveinc.com/index.html>

<http://www.songifts.com/index.html>



Remember to check out the Emmaus Reading List, for yourself or for a new community member:

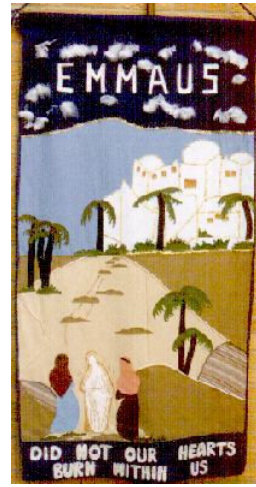
<http://www.upperroom.org/emmaus/resources/default.asp?resource=reading>



If you have a change of address, e-mail, church, phone number, or name since your weekend, please send your updated information to HARTMANJE@aol.com.

Additionally, if you have valid addresses for any members who have moved away, those could be useful as well.

Walk to Emmaus 2010 Schedule



2010

- Walk # 126 - March 11-14
- Walk # 127 - March 25-28
- Walk # 128 - July 22-25
- Walk # 129 - October 7-10
- Walk # 130 - October 21-24

2011

- Walk # 131 - March 3-6
- Walk # 132 - March 17-20
- Walk # 133 - July 21-24
- Walk # 134 - October 6-9
- Walk # 135 - October 20-23

**Submit all
Emmaus Walk
applications to....**

**Louisville Emmaus Community
Attn: Registrar
P.O Box 71
Crestwood, KY 40014**



Reminder....

Now is the time to pray about sponsoring a Pilgrim. Right now, there are plenty of spaces available on the Spring Walks. But if you put it off, well, you just never know if there will still be space available.

It's our responsibility to ask those whom God places on our hearts to attend the walks; otherwise, how will they know of this amazing opportunity?

Make it a goal to ask at least two people if they would like to be a part of one of these weekends.

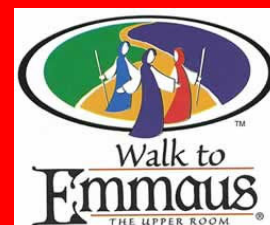
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Lay Director	Steve Watkins	Perserverance
Asst. Lay Dir. Inside	Brooks May	4th Days
Asst. Lay Dir. Outside	Charlie Grigsby	Priority
Asst. Lay Dir. Agape	Dale Ehret	
Spiritual Director	Larry Stoess	Means of Grace
Clergy	Eric Bryant	Justifying Grace
	Shawn Golden	Obstacles to Grace
	Keith Switzer	Prevenient Grace
	C.L. Jordan	Sanctifying Grace
Table Leaders	Rick Calvert	
	Garrison Cox	
	Rodney Elzy	
	Charlie Ferreira	
	Lew Hawes	
	John Jordan	
	Mitch Kennedy	
	Mike Robinson	
Asst. Table Leaders	Dean Donohue	Body of Christ
	Mike Henney	Changing Our World
	Geroge Bell	Christian Action
	Wayne Pifer	Discipleship
	Gary Butts	Growth Through Study
	Mike Welker	Life in Piety
	Rob Greenrose	Priesthood of All Believers
	Steve Stutzenberger	
	John Jordan, Jr.	
Music Team	Terry Steiden	
	Chris Carder	
	Brandon Horrarr	
	Mark Witten	
	Brad Rumer	
Agape Team	Ron Cutler	
	Steve Gatlin	
	Jim Henderson	
	Paul Jolly	
	Rick Pardue	
	Craig Rabeneck	
	Tommy Tingle	
	Paul Villagran	
	Mark Young	
Board Rep	Ken Stringer	

Men's Spring Walk

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Mar 11-14, 2010



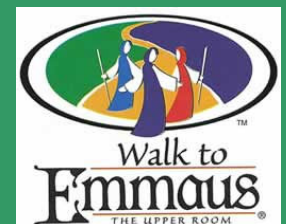
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Lay Director	Carrie Howard	Perserverance
Asst. Lay Dir. Inside	Jennifer Durenburger	4th Day
Asst. Lay Dir. Outside	Debi Young	Priority
Asst. Lay Dir. Agape	Susan Eckel	
Spiritual Director	Buddy Howard	Means of Grace
Clergy	Linda Fox	Obstacles to Grace
	Debbie Houston	Sanctifying Grace
	Art Turner	Prevenient Grace
	Nancy Tinnell	Justifying Grace
Table Leaders	Pam Aldridge	
	Adonya Anderson	
	Kathy Bryant	
	Susan Greenrose	
	Beth May	
	Joni Pardue	
	Cindy Stivers	
	Debbie Ulrich	
Asst. Table Leaders	Adrienne Eisenmenger	Changing Our World
	Judy Kirkpatrick	
	Ann McMahan	Body of Christ
	Lisa Stewart	Growth Through Study
	Amy Stuber	Christian Action
	Kathy Young	Priesthood of All Believers
	Dottie Shaw-McIntyre	Discipleship
	Laura Steiner	Life in Piety
Music Team	Diane Belt	
	Sherry Nichter	
	Kate Smith	
Agape Team	Maria Aten	
	Laura Blankenbaker	
	Nancy Bright	
	Laurie Gupton	
	Lavonda Horrarr	
	Suzy Kugler	
	Cheri Mills	
	Pam Pusty	
	Anne Ruschival	
	Susan Schroader	
	Jessica Sherrod	
	Ashley Troklus	
	Tara Underwood	
	Rose White	
Board Rep	Jane Knapp	

Women's Spring Walk

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Mar 25-28, 2010



REC Schedule 2010

Residents Encounter Christ



		LAY DIRECTOR	SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR
LLC #32	Feb 26-28	Stan Weatherford	George Davis
KSR #28	Mar 19-21	Charlie Barnett	Ed Berry
KCIW #47	Apr 25	Connie Homola	Sylvia Baker-Noren
RCC-A #10	May 7-9	Steve Stutzenberger	Martha Lynn Campbell

Greetings from the REC Board!

As the New Year has come and now flying so quickly, we have been hard at work in the REC, keeping our faces toward God and asking for His blessings and direction. Formations for the REC that will be held at Luther Lockett on Feb. 26 have begun (LLC#32). Lay Director Stan Weatherford and Spiritual Director George Davis have assembled an unbelievable team! The spirit was evident in the group and enthusiasm high! The theme song "God With Us", led by music team director Tom Stryker says thru song what we want the residents of Luther Lockett to embrace: "All that is within me cries, to You O Lord be glorified, Emmanuel, God with us!". Mike Byrd is hosting a Bible Trivia for the residents on Feb.7, and the monthly gathering will be on the 13th of Feb. Many team members will be attending the gathering there to start the relationship building for the upcoming REC.

Meanwhile, Charlie Barnett, Lay Director for KSR #28 and current President of the REC Board, is busy assembling his team. Ed Berry will be serving alongside Charlie as spiritual director and they will no doubt touch the lives of the men who live at KSR. Charlie's history of working in a prison accompanied by his love of God and heart for the residents makes him an awesome choice as lay director.

What a privilege we have to serve the residents of the prisons, the officers and of course, each other. He could have chosen anyone, but He chose us. We come from all churches, all walks of life, and all different experiences. Jesus' directions to "Feed my sheep" comes alive when we come together and provide a life changing experience. For many it will be a new attitude on the yard of a prison, while for others it may be the spiritual skills needed to start a new life upon release. Continue to pray for the REC and the Board as we guide the program!

Love in Christ,

Carol Sheeley, REC Board

REC Board Members:

Charlie Barnett	President
Pat Blandford	Vice President
Lois Vaughn	Secretary
John Jordan, Sr.	Treasurer
Martha Lynn Campbell	Spiritual Director
Tim Heard	Spiritual Director
Mike Henney	RCC- Liaison
Neal Gish	KSR- Liaison/DB Coord
Ron Zabel	Merch Sales Coord
Steve Rudy	LLCC- Liaison
Mona Huff	House Coord
Susan Eckel	Wheat Trailer Coord
Donna Davis	KCIW - Liaison
Carol Sheeley	Email Coord
TBA	Emmaus/REC liaison
Annette Darnell	Special Projects

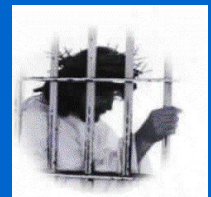
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Lay Director	Stan Weatherford	4th Days
Asst. Lay Director	Dale Corum	Priority
Asst. Lay Director	David James	Prayer
Asst. Lay Dir. Wheat	Mike Byrd	
Spiritual Director	George Davis	Means of Grace
Clergy	Ronnie Caswell	God Is Calling
	David Basham	Change of Heart
Table Leaders	Doris Brown	
	Jane Stallard	
	Glen Greer	
	Scott Horrar	Marriage
	Jimmy Smith	
	Carl Elmer	
	James Crittenden	
	Nancy Crittenden	
	Connie Gauer	
Asst. Table Leaders	Richard Brown	Christian in the World
	Charles Stallard	Sacred Scripture
	Margaret Greer	
	LaVonda Horrar	Marriage
	Diane Campbell-Smith	
	Judy Elmer	
	David Walker	
	Steve Shore	Christian Life
	Don Westfall	Prodical
	Bill Power	God Is Love
Music Team	Wayne Gupton	Single
	Leigh Anne Hallac	
	Jeff Lederer	
	Jeff Meyer	
	Steve Rudy	
	Carol Sheeley	
	Margaret Stryker	
	Tom Stryker	
Wheat Team	Lewis Durrett	
	Bruce Emery	
	Cathy Stoess	
	David Stoess	

**Luther
Lockett
Correctional
Facility**

LLLC #32

**Feb 26-28,
2010**



Position	Team Member	Talk
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Lay Director	Charlie Barnett	Beyond REC
Asst. Lay Director	Bill Croucher	
Asst. Lay Director	Cindy Davidson	Marriage
Asst. Lay Dir. Wheat	Kim Pifer	
Spiritual Director	Ed Berry	Means of Grace
Clergy	Earl Higgins	God is Calling
	Kelvin Whitfield	Change of Heart
Table Leaders	Janelle Trebuna	
	Kenny Spies	
	Ed Folz	
	Reneta Ingram	
	Tim Ferguson	
	Chuck McFarland	
	Judy Croucher	
	Paul Brewer	
	Bill Wells	
	Bobby Webb	
Asst. Table Leaders	Todd Trebuna	Christian in the World
	David Laun	Sacred Scripture
	Leigh Ann Hallac	God is Love
	John Davidson	Marriage
	Beth Ferguson	
	Garland McFarland	
	Alex Gomez	Single
	Ed Vaughn	Christian Life
	Gary Toth	Prodigal
	Ruth Ann Webb	
Music Team	Terry Steiden	
	Tony Underwood	
	Matt Sullivan	
	Andy Way	Priority
Wheat Team	Kevin Pifer	
	David Turner	
	Chuck Banta	
	Brenda Mason	Prayer

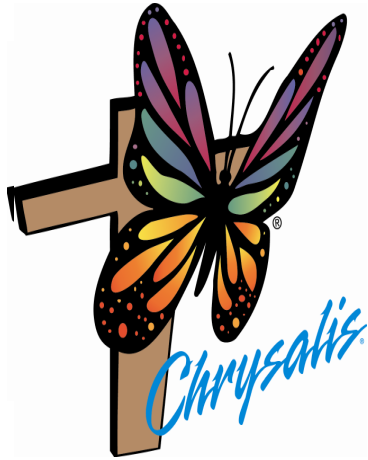
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KSR #28

**Mar 19-21,
2010**



Cornerstone

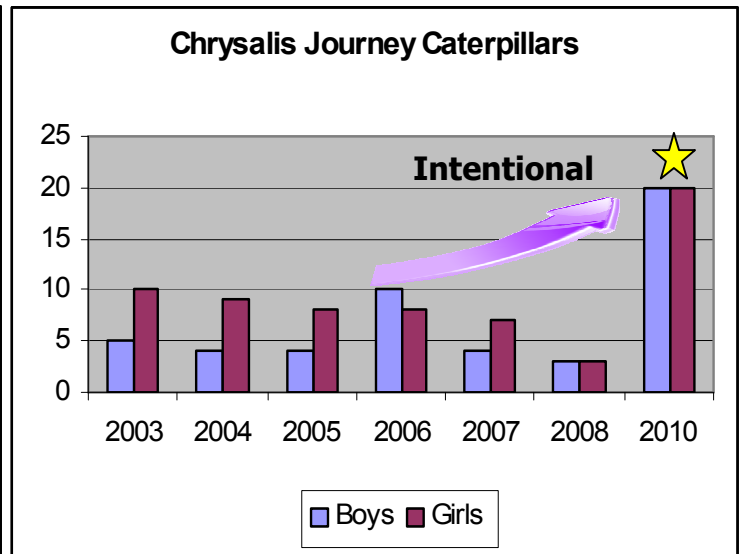
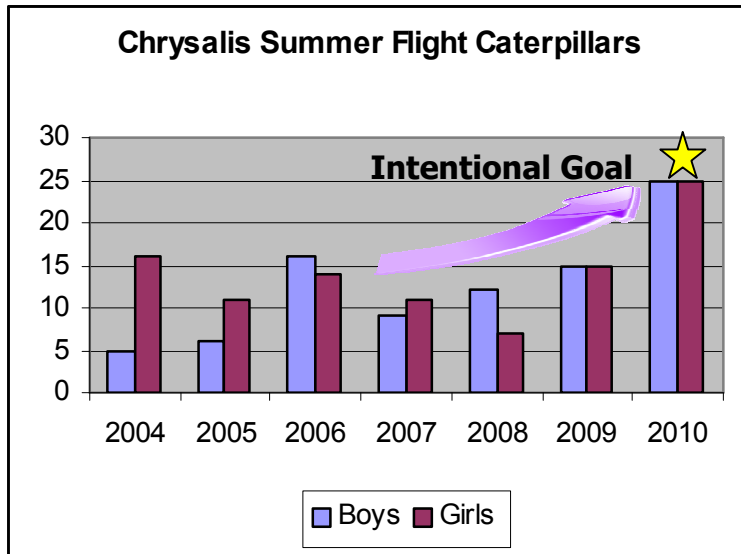


Let Us All Be
INTENTIONAL
About Sponsoring !!

The Chrysalis Board is extending a challenge to the Emmaus and Chrysalis communities to **significantly increase** participation in the upcoming summer Flight and Journey.

To fulfill our mission to reach all youth in the Louisville and Southern Indiana area we have purposefully decided to increase the size of the teams this summer to accommodate more caterpillars

Chrysalis Needs You to Sponsor Someone!!



Join the Chrysalis Board!

We continue to look for individuals that feel God's call to serve the youth of our community. We are especially looking for someone to serve as President-Elect and someone to serve as Secretary. These positions will begin in March 2010. If you are interested in serving on the Chrysalis Board, forms are available at: <http://louisvilleemmaus.com/forms.html>

For more information please contact:

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Donna Haskell ddhaskell@gmail.com

Catherine Detweiler catdet@gmail.com

UPCOMING CHRYSALIS SCHEDULE

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>LAY DIRECTORS</u>	<u>SPIRITUAL DIRECTOR</u>
Flight 44	June 25-27, 2010	Tiffany Linton & Jack Cummins	Buddy Howard
Journey 14	July 30-Aug 1, 2010	Kim & Ron Cutler	TBD
Flight 45	January 15-17, 2011		
Flight 46	June 24-26, 2011		

Gathering Schedule



Attend a monthly
Gathering scheduled for
the **2nd Friday** at **7:27pm**

*Rekindle the **fire** set ablaze in your heart
during your Emmaus
or Chrysalis weekend.
Invite a friend or perspective
pilgrim to join you.
Reconnect with brothers and
sisters in Christ.*

*Rejoice and sing praises, be inspired by a
4th Day Talk, fill your tummy with agape
snack, and fill your heart with the love
and peace of Jesus Christ.*

CHILDCARE....

Remember that the community provides childcare services at all Gatherings, so bring your children and leave them in the professional care of the folks at Family Tree Childcare Services. A \$5.00 donation per family is suggested.



Date	Location
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February 12	Fern Creek UMC 6727 Bardstown Rd. Louisville
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March 12	Crestwood Christian Church 6525 W. Hwy 22 Crestwood
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4th Day Speaker	Communion Celebrant
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Dottie Milton	Rev Greg Tate
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Katie Leslie	Pastor Caryn Yoast
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*See an expanded schedule
on the following page.*

Questions or comments
regarding Gatherings?

Contact...

Susan Rittenhouse

rittenky@insightbb.com

2010 Gathering Schedule



<u>Date</u>	<u>Host Church/Address</u>
Jan 8	Forest Park Community Church 5012 South Watterson Trail, Louisville
Feb 12	Fern Creek United Methodist Church 6727 Bardstown Rd., Louisville
Mar 12	Crestwood Christian Church 6525 W Highway 22, Crestwood
Apr 9	Adventure Christian Church 3321 Ruckriegel Pkwy, Louisville
May 14	Crestwood Baptist Church 6400 Sweetbay Drive, Crestwood
Jun 11	<i>open</i>
Jul 9	St. John's United Methodist 12799 West Highway 42, Prospect
Aug 13	Buechel United Methodist Church 2817 Hikes Lane, Louisville
Sep 10	Ascension Lutheran Church 13725 Shelbyville Rd., Louisville
Oct 8	Crestwood United Methodist Church 7214 Kavanaugh Rd., Crestwood
Nov 12	Portland Promise Center 1831 Baird Street, Louisville
Dec 10	Forest Park Community Church 5012 South Watterson Trail, Louisville

Board & Committee Members



2010 Emmaus Board of Directors

Name	Position	Term	Phone
Nancy Frank	President	2008-2010	499-8083
Sue Eaton	Spiritual Director	2010	412-0254
David Blandford	President Elect	2009-2011	424-7945
Vonda Stutzenberger	Secretary	2010-2012	541-8999
Chris Wild	Treasurer	2010-2012	618-2682
Marc Gritton	Chair, Advisory Committee	2008-2010	241-8419
Kenny Clark	Chair, Outreach Committee	2010-2012	538-8556
Susan Rittenhouse	Chair, Worship Committee	2009-2011	425-7539
Jane Knapp	Registrar	2009-2011	222-2467
Steve Ulrich	Worship Committee	2008-2010	966-0089
Charles Stallard	Worship Committee	2010-2012	231-0132
Rodney Elzy	Emmaus Mart	2008-2010	425-6968
Ken Stringer	Worship Committee	2009-2011	241-7234
Pam Tedesco	Chrysalis Liaison	2009-2011	454-6710
Leighann Hallac	REC Liaison	2010	640-4377
Mike Crittenden	Worship Committee	2010-2012	895-8312

Emmaus Recruit Team for Church Coordinators:

Buz Frank - Forest Park Community Church

David Eager - St. Francis in the Fields

Church Coordinators

Adventure Christian - Joni Pardue
 Ascension Lutheran - Marilyn Glaser
 Audubon Park UMC - Marilyn White
 Campellsburg Baptist - George Jones
 Christ Church UMC - Jodi Holley
 Covenant UMC - Steve & Laura Gatlin
 Crestwood Christian - Janice Leedy
 Crestwood UMC - Cathy Henney & Karen Mitchell
 Drennon Christian - Corey & Harriet Beatty
 Fern Creek UMC - Lisa Newman
 Forest Park Community - Perry Probst
 Henry County Christian - Daryl & Joy Davis
 Hartsong - Sherri Luney
 Hopewell Baptist - Bertie Leg

LaGrange Baptist - Steve Homola
 LaGrange Presbyterian - Jeff & Traci Clark
 Middletown UMC - Doug & Sandra Dearen
 Mosaic UMC - George Davis
 New Castle Christian - Kelly Woods
 New Life - Rodney & Pat Elzy
 Northeast Christian - Bob Embry
 Shilo UMC - Lew & Mary Hawes
 Southeast Christian - Mark Young
 St. Francis - Robby Hoke & Mike Simpson
 St. John UMC - Jennifer Partin
 St. Paul UMC - Frank & Ann Bayens
 Summit Heights - Mike & Betty Welker
 Westport Baptist - Maureen James

If you want to

Then

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Contact our Emmaus web guy

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Serve on an REC Team, attend a
Candlelight or Gathering

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**And now these three remain:
faith, hope and love.
But the greatest
of these is
love.**

1 Corinthians 13:13