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Newnam is the New Community LD

by Marti Sprecher, Community Lay Director

Dear Friends,

It is with mixed emotions that I write to you for the last time. My term of office as the CIE Community Lay Director will come to an end on December 31, 2019.

I have made so many wonderful friends and have had some wonderful experiences serving the CIE community. There have also been sad times and struggles as with every organization.

I have every confidence in Roberta Newnam, who will be taking over as the CIE Community Lay Director. Please give her the respect you have given to me. I wish her all the best.

I hope to remain involved by attending various community activities as time permits and hope to keep in touch with the great friends I have made through the years.

DeColores, Marti Sprecher

CIE BOARD NEEDS YOU!

The Board of Directors NEEDS members! Please consider serving on the board. If you have any interest in serving, please contact Roberta Newnam at <u>roberta.newnam@gmail.com</u>. Thanks!

SUPPORT CIE WITH A YEAR-END GIFT

Please consider Central Illinois Emmaus when making your charitable year-end gifts. CIE is in great need of financial assistance and no gift is too small (or too large!) Send your contributions to CIE, PO Box 13244, Springfield, IL 62791-3244. Thank you.

An Important Message on Stewardship

CIE has fallen on difficult financial times. We need to re-order our priorities. We need to practice good stewardship.

Yes, our policy has been "don't let the money keep you from serving or attending" a walk.

If we really CAN'T afford to attend and or serve, that's one thing. If we AREN'T paying because we don't want to, that's different and NOT good stewardship. Even partial payment is better than nothing at all.

CIE has to pay for the use of the camp and for food for meals. There are scholarships available - just ask.

If we want this ministry to continue, we must practice good stewardship and fund further walks. Please pray about what you can do.

DeColores, Marti

Men's Walk #272



Kneeling: Tom Hayes, Kyle Newnam **Row 1**: HOWARD (WOODY) KISER, Nathan Collins, Leland Collins, Pat Murphy, Rick Kegeris, Don Neither, Greg Mathews, BOB HOGAN, Mary Jean Sheets, Bruce Swartz **Row 2**: DARYL PHILLIPS, Greg Long, Paul Wiseman, DAVE PARKER, PHIL WILSON, JEREMY VANG, RYAN O'NEILL, RANDY MATHEWS, Ed Bernson, Dan Theobald, Bob Phelan **Row 3**: Molly Spence-Hawk, Stephen Wrenn, Dan Whithey, Dan Groves, Terry Medberry, Ron Miller, Isaac Cervi, Michael Mercer, KRIS BEASLEY, BRETT MATHEWS, Paul L. Smay, Dave Woodside **Row 4**: Patrick Armstrong, Byron Mitchell, Jim Mullis, David A. Martin, Gary Garrett, Brent Wrenn, FERNANDO LEMONS, PETE PUMPHREY

Central Illinois Walk to Emmaus



Take Time to Just "Be"

by Pastor Chuck Kurfman

Greetings in the Name of our Risen Lord and Savior!

As hard as it may be to believe, this year is almost over! The "countdown to Christmas" has begun, the "mad dash" shopping is in full swing, and plans are being finalized for holiday activities.

What do you look most forward to this time of year? Is it the football games, holiday activities, time spent with family, food, shopping, or special music that we sing during the Christmas season?

Truthfully, that seems to be the way of our world. Busy, busy, busy! Rush, rush, rush! We get so busy "doing" that we don't have time to "be." Let me explain. Perhaps we can try to stop being so busy "doing" in order to simply "be": "be" present for our family and friends, "be" in the presence of God, "be" aware of the wonder of God's amazing creation, "be" more patient, "be" more loving, "be" more hopeful, "be" more available to serve God and our neighbors. I think you get the idea.

Remember these words from Luke 10:38-42: "As Jesus and the disciples continued on their way to Jerusalem, they came to a certain village where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. Her sister, Mary, sat at the Lord's feet, listening to what he taught. But Martha was distracted by the big dinner she was preparing. She came to Jesus and said, 'Lord, doesn't it seem unfair to you that my sister just sits here while I do all the work? Tell her to come and help me.' But the Lord said to her, 'My dear Martha, you are worried and upset over all these details! There is only one thing worth being concerned about. Mary has discovered it, and it will not be taken away from her."

DeColores! Pastor Chuck Kurfman, Community Spiritual Director

Central Illinois Walk to Emmaus, *Camp Warren, 4225 S. Camp Warren Rd., Decatur.* Men's Walk #274, April 23-26, 2020, David Woodside, Lay Director Women's Walk #275, May 14-17, 2020, Pat Theobald, Lay Director *Sponsor's Hour: Thursday 7:30 pm; Apostolic Hour: Saturday 8:00 pm; Closing: Sunday 4:30 pm Prep weekend: April 17-18, 2020*

Great River Emmaus, *Quincy University Retreat Center* Men's Walk #25, January 30-February 2, 2020 Women's Walk #26, February 13-16, 2020 Sponsor's Hour: Thursday 8:00 pm; Apostolic Hour: Saturday 8:30 pm; Closing: Sunday 4:30 pm

Illinois Heartland Emmaus, Spaulding Renewal Center, Peoria Men's Walk #101, July 9-12, 2020 Women's Walk #102, July 30-August 2, 2020 Sponsor's Hour: Thursday 8:00 pm; Apostolic Hour: Saturday 8:00 pm; Closing: Sunday 5:00 pm

Women's Walk # 273



Row 1: Jack Weller, Amy Kurfman, Mary Jean Sheets, Mary Brady, Marti Sprecher, Marcia Forman, Karla Lohnes, Lori Evans, Roberta Newnam Row 2: Sue Heasley, Joyce McCumber, Emily Mathews, LESLIE ROSS, Ellen Dixon, CURTISTINE CHANEY, ROTONDA MONTGOMERY, Robin O'Connell, Andrea Wells, Beth Walton Row 3: BEVERLY MAREK, Susan Curry, Cindy Stasell, Roxanne Thomson, TINA JONES, Heather Groves, Tanya Vaughn, NIKITA VAUGHN, AMANDA BUSCHON Row 4: SARAH GOEMBEL, CRYSTAL VANOSTRAN, MONICA BYRD, Sandra Acree, Cathy Apel, Carolyn Turner, JULIE PARKER, Darla Cruppenink

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Husband and wife applications should be submitted at the same time. Any exceptions will be at the discretion of the Spiritual Director & Executive Committee.
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Circle the Walk you would like to attend:

2020 Spring Walk Dates

Springfield, IL 62704

Walk #274 Men's April 23-26, 2020

Walk #275 Women's May 14-17, 2020

Other Walk?	When?						
	<u>Circle</u>	Bold Answers Be	low Where Applicable				
Current Date:	Name:						
Address:		Phone:					
City:		State: Zip Code:					
Email: (must have to er	mail confirmation lette	er)					
		Birthdate:					
Single	Divorced	Widowed	Separated				
If Married, Spouse's na	me:	Will	They go on an Emmaus Walk?	Yes	No		
Has Spouse ever atten	ded: Emmaus	Chrysalis	Cursillo				
Emergency Phone#		Nam	e of Contact:				
Occupation:							
Church now attending: Pastor's Name:							
In what religious or con	nmunity organization	s are you active: _					
Has the Walk to Emma	us been explained to	you? Yes	No				
Have weekly reunions	and other Emmaus fo	ollow-up meetings	been explained? Yes No				
Are you on a special diet? Yes No		If so, what?					
Special Medication? Yes No		If so what? _					
If more space for medio	cations is needed ple	ase attach list of N	ledications to Application.				
Do you have any health	n problem or physical	handicap which r	nay effect your participation on a	n Emmau	IS		
Weekend? Yes	No						
If yes please specify: _							
State briefly why you w	ish to be involved in	an Emmaus Com	nunity and what you expect from	it?			
Your Sponsor's name:							
			Date:				
All of the above information i enclose a pre-registration de suggested to partially offset t	posit of \$50.00. This depo	sit is not refundable. A	to Emmaus. Please fill in all the blanks. I \$75.00 donation at registration (\$125 tot	Please al) is			

Make your check payable to: Central Illinois Emmaus Community

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TO BE COMPLETED BY SPONSOR: (Duplicate this form as needed)

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Circle Bold Answers Where Applicable

Sponsor's Name:		Address:		
City:	State:		Zip Code:	
Home Phone: ()	Busine	ss or Cell Phone: ()	
Sponsor's Email: (must have	e to send confirmation letter)			
Name and denomination of	church you are now attending:			
You attend regularly? Ye	s No			
When did you make your Cu	ırsillo / Emmaus / Chrysalis Wal	k?		
Where?	Cu	rsillo/Emmaus/Chr _y	/salis Walk Numb	oer
Are you now in a weekly Re	union Group? Yes No			
Are you praying and sacrific	ing for your candidate? Yes	No		
How long have you known y	our candidate?yea	arsmonths		
Why do you feel that this pe	erson would be a good candidat	e?		
Is your candidate under any Yes No If your candidate is married If not: Why? Medical: Yes	e physical and mental health ne temporary emotional strain wh do they both plan on attending No Other: Yes I	ich might indicate t the Walk to Emmau No	heir weekend sho us? Yes No	
Are you willing to attend: The Closing? Yes No		s No Aposto	olic Hour?	Yes No
Assist your Candidate to ge	t into a weekly Reunion Group?	Yes No		
Are you aware of the import candidate is your spouse?	tance of minimal contact with tl Yes No	າe candidate during	the weekend, es	specially if the
Does your candidate need a	scholarship from the Central III	inois Emmaus Comr	nunity? Yes	No
Husband and wife application Spiritual Director and Execution	ons should be submitted at the s tive Committee.	ame time. Any exce	ptions will be at	the discretion of t
Sponsor's Signature:				

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