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EAST CENTRAL INDIANA EMMAUS/CHRYSALIS NEWSLETTER

September 2022

Welcome from Community Lay Director

Dear Emmaus Community, It is hard to believe that it is almost September! It has been a busy year for Emmaus, and we have much to look forward to! Walk 42 is in the planning phase. Women's Walk Lay Director Sandra Stephenson and Men's Walk Lay Director Clark Tudor are busy forming the teams and preparing for team training. We have a great promotion going with Emmaus cups, shirts, and thermos mugs. And the Pork Fest is coming. Come to the gathering and learn all about the many ways you can be involved in community! Decolores! Bonnie Maitlen, Community Lay Director

Prayer Walks

Did you know that members of our community prayed over more than fifty schools during the last month? Join us as we pray for our schools! We need to keep all our schools, students and teachers in prayer!

Calling Men to Pray

There is an event for planned for men to join in prayer. Join at McColloch Park Oct 1 from 9-12

From the Community Spiritual Director

While serving on the USS Gurnard the crew had a motto: We hate change! This was ironic because life on a submarine is an unending exercise in change. Operational conditions, crew members, missions, and especially attitudes were in a constant state of change. Our walk with Christ is marked by change as well. We are changed from death to life when we accept Him as our Savior. We are in a constant state of change as we experience His sanctifying grace. As Christian, we should embrace the change we experience in Him. The most exciting change is yet to come. One day we will be changed in the twinkling of an eye at His great return. Now that's change you can count on!

Rich Taylor, Community Spiritual Director

A Reflection

After a long season of not hearing from the Lord, I became more and more frustrated in my situation. I asked, with a sincere heart, when will my current situation be changed? I heard in my head a voice that is as clear as my own thoughts. "You have two more trials." I thought ok I can do two trials. I grabbed my phone and looked up.... DEER... Smack. I just totaled my car. I thought Lord, I'm hoping this is the first trial. Two days later an unforeseen event happened at work... Bam... Job gone, trial number two. Fast forward three weeks. I now work at Canpack. My passport is being issued. Canpack wants to send me overseas to be trained. I have a newer and better car. The blessings keep coming!! Whatever you are going through, the Lord has a better plan. He wants to bless you. He loves you more than you know. Just say thank you. - Jeremiah Bontreger



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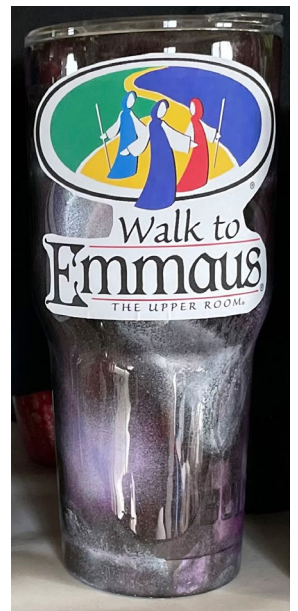
Personalized Emmaus Items for Sale



Here are some of the items in our Emmaus Promotion. You can personalize the cups with your name and walk #.



Shirts are not customizable. Order forms and prices are on the website. You can place orders at the Gathering or contact Kim Blair at supplies@eci-emmaus.org





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September Gathering

Yorktown UMC

September 2, 6:30

2301 S Broadway

Yorktown, IN 47396



Fall Fiesta Theme

Bring a covered dish.. See the Emmaus promotional items! And get tickets for the Pork Fest!

The Pork Fest is Coming!

October 15th 12-4pm

Glad Tidings North, Muncie



We are looking forward to another great Pork Fest. Buy a ticket for \$20 as a donation to Emmaus and enjoy some great fellowship and Pork. In fact, buy several tickets and share them with your friends!

Gathering Locations

Date	Location	Theme
September 2 6:30 pm	Yorktown UMC 2301 S Broadway Yorktown, IN 47396	Fall Fiesta
October 7 6:30 pm	New Horizon Church 611 E 53 rd St Anderson, IN 46013	No tricks, All Treats!
November 4 6:30 pm	Lighthouse Church 2101 SR 3 Hartford City, IN 47348	Thankfulness
December 2 6:30 pm	New Life Presbyterian Church 8000 West River Road Yorktown, IN 47396	Praise Fest