

# Limestone Ohio Valley Emmaus Community



## Community Lay Director



I will give them hearts that recognize me as the Lord. They will be my people, and I will be their God, for they will return to me wholeheartedly.  
Jeremiah 24:7 NLT

We would like to welcome the newest members of our community, the pilgrims from Women's Walk #43. The community has had two walks this year with two more coming. Be in prayer for who God wants you to sponsor for Men's Walk #36 and Women's Walk #43. It always amazes me to see the change in the pilgrims from send off to closing. I should not be amazed, we serve a God who can change anyone.

DeColores! Kim Myers, Community Lay Director



## Good Shepherd

We just had two Spirit-filled Walks to Emmaus! Praise the Lord! Now it's time to start looking at those "little lost sheep" who attended and begin forming accountability/share groups. In the coming weeks I will be reaching out to walk attendees and team members to begin the process of setting up potential groups based on address location.

If your current share group is looking for or willing to accept new members, please reach out to me. If you are interested in joining a share group, also reach out to me. I am working earnestly to try to build this very important ministry in our Emmaus Community and need all the help I can get.

My contact information is:

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Text/phone: 937-217-0672

DeColores! Melissa Hendrix, Community Good Shepherd

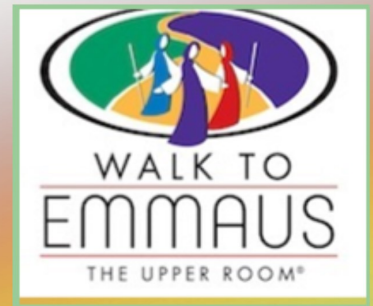
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### Upcoming Events

- Aug. 22: Picnic @ Washington Park @ 6:00
- Sep. 2: Ruggles Cleaning @ 10:00 (temporary date)
- Sep. 7-10: Men's Fall Walk #36
- Sep. 30: Ruggles Cleaning @ 10:00 (temporary date)
- Oct. 5-8: Women's Fall Walk #44

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## Community Spiritual Director

I don't know about you, but I must be reminded. I operate using calendars and lists. If something doesn't make it on my calendar or my to-do list, there is a good chance it won't get done. It's not that I don't care about those things, or that I don't have great intentions. It's just that I get busy, sidetracked, or I simply forget. I know none of you struggle with these types of issues, but nonetheless, the struggle is real.

Just in case any of you understand where I am coming from, let me remind you of a commitment most of us made. For me it was over 19 years ago that I stood in front of a group of people and answered two questions.

#1. What has this weekend meant to me?

#2. What am I going to do about it?

Standing there, I would have never dreamed how much God would allow me to be a part of His ministry or the doors He would open for me to help build His Kingdom. I am walking proof of not only God's patience, but also His grace and love.

With that being said, I wonder how many opportunities I have missed and doors I have failed to walk through in the last 19 years. How many times have I failed to intentionally keep God first and allowed other things to distract me from doing the very things I publicly committed to do? How many times has my relationship with God been less than it could have been because I failed to keep Him at the top of the list?

I challenge you to think back on these questions and the answers you shared. Revisit the blessing your weekend was and be honest about how well you are doing with the commitments you made. I then ask you to share your answers to those questions with someone else and give them permission to hold you accountable to following through.

DeColores! Jonathan King, Community Spiritual Director



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[The Upper Room: Emmaus Website](#)

[Click here for an application!](#)

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## Community Volunteer Coordinator

A Big Thank You to all those who came out to clean for the Spring Walks! We had a great turn out for the Women's Walk and it made things go so much smoother!

### Tentative Fall Cleaning Dates:

Sept. 2 at 10:00 AM

Sept. 30 at 10:00 AM

If you are interested in volunteering on future walks, please send an email to [cherimcclanahan2012@gmail.com](mailto:cherimcclanahan2012@gmail.com).

DeColores! Cheri McClanahan, Community Volunteer Coordinator

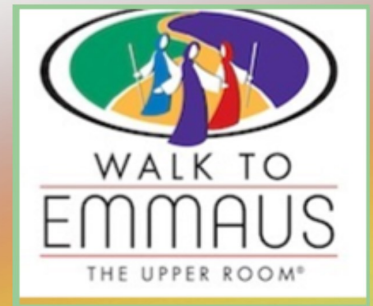
## Community Registrars and Sponsorship

We are now accepting applications for the upcoming men's and women's walks this fall. Please be in prayer about a man or woman in your life that you can sponsor. Applications can be accessed at [lovenmaus.org](http://lovenmaus.org). If you have any questions about sponsorship, please reach out to us! You can also check out our video about sponsorship by clicking our picture!

DeColores! Lucas and Samantha Hiler, Registrars and Sponsorship



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