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### **June Monthly Gathering**

Saturday, June 11, 2016

6:30pm - 9:00pm

Baker Chapel United Methodist Church  
3495 SR 62, Boonville, IN 47601

Social Time at 6:30pm

Gathering with Communion at 7:00pm

Witness Speaker: Curran Wilkerson

Hope to see everyone there!!!



### **Future Monthly Gatherings**

**July 9<sup>th</sup>** - Cornerstone UMC -  
Chrisney, IN

**Aug 13<sup>th</sup>** - Boonville Wesleyan Church

**Sept 10<sup>th</sup>** - St James West UMC -  
Evansville, IN

**Oct 8<sup>th</sup>** - Rockport Church of Nazarene

**Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>** - Gentryville UMC

**Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>** - Bethany General Baptist -  
Boonville, IN

### **2017 EDWE Walk Dates**

Men's Walk #88  
March 23<sup>rd</sup> - March 26<sup>th</sup>

Women's Walk #89  
March 30<sup>th</sup> - April 2<sup>nd</sup>

Let's all be in prayerful consideration  
and allow the Holy Spirit to direct us to  
whom we can sponsor for the next  
walks.

If you are willing to give a witness talk during one of our monthly gatherings please contact:  
Kevin Green  
812-568-3284  
grnjkgreen@aol.com

**Mail EDWE applications to:**  
Beth Broshears  
PO Box 3937, Evansville, IN  
47737

**From the Desk of Steve Lockridge,**

*Greetings everyone, it is amazing how 3 years has passed while I have been on the Board. My term on the Board has come to an end and is a bittersweet moment.*

*Even though Steve Gibson has went on his next Journey I want to thank him for planting the seed.*

*I have been blessed to work with all the Board Reps and the Fourth Day.*

*Please welcome, support, and pray for the Board Reps, as well as Don Roettger as he is taking my position as the Community Lay-Director.*

*We say thank you to: Beth Broshears, Teresa Walker, Vera Moore, John Sutton, Kevin Green, and Paul Northcutt for praying about, stepping up, and taking a Board position.*

*Please keep Jennifer Green and Joe Wingo in prayer as they will soon be meeting with the Team Selection Committee to start forming the teams.*

*May God please bless the Emmaus Community.*

*YBIC,*

*Steve Lockridge (EDWE #70)*



***Rejoice always, pray continually, and give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. I Thessalonians 5:16-18***

*God's word is a divine defense against attacks from the Enemy!*

*Each new day gives us new reasons to praise the Lord!*

*Be a voice of encouragement to someone today!*

*Saints are people through whom God's light shines!*

*We don't need to fear the storm with Jesus as our anchor!*

*Praise is the song of a soul set free!*

*God provides the power we need to persevere!*

## **REQUEST TO ALL CLERGY OF THE EDWE COMMUNITY**

*Dear Fellow Clergy Person:*

*I have been given the responsibility and honor to serve the Evansville Emmaus Community as the Community Spiritual Director for the coming year beginning on June 1, 2016. After studying my duties as enumerated in the Emmaus Upper Room Manual and the By-laws of the EDWE, I am eagerly requesting your prayers and assistance.*

*My name is Ed Ames EDWE #78. Since making my walk I have been in awe of how God is blessing and using the Walk to Emmaus to strengthen and bless the individuals and congregations in our area. I have met many of you at the walks and gatherings and hope to get better acquainted and meet more of you at future gatherings.*

*I grew up in northern New York; served in the U.S. Navy for 9 years; graduated from Indiana Wesleyan University, completed my seminary degree at Memphis Theological Seminary; and completed doctoral courses at Chapman School of Theology in Oakland City. My wife, Janice, and I have been married 55 years, had 5 children (our oldest son died at 45), and have 21 grandchildren. We have pastored churches in Indiana, Ohio, Tennessee, New York, and Kentucky. We begin our 24th year in Boonville in July. We have also been involved in Christian Schools for most of our ministry.*

*One of my responsibilities as CSD is to recommend clergy to the Board of Directors for board positions and as spiritual directors for Emmaus Walks and Face to Face Encounters. With this in mind our records need to be updated and expanded.*

*Here's how you can help and be considered for a future EDWE team:*

- 1. Go to the EDWE web site, EDWE.com,*
- 2. Click on "Links",*
- 3. Click on Walk to Emmaus Upper Room,*
- 4. Click on Leaders,*
- 5. On the left side of screen where it says **Clergy Resources** click on **Clergy Application for Emmaus/Chrysalis Team***
- 6. Print and complete the application,*
- 7. Please mail the application to me: Ed Ames, 509 East Walnut St. Boonville, IN 47601, or email it to me at edames@aol.com, or bring it to me at the next Gathering, or stop by the church at the address above and give it to me in person.*

*Please keep in mind that you may be called to serve as CSD one day and these records will be vital to your service.*

*Thank you in advance for your assistance and for your service and sacrifice for our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.*

*Sincerely yours and His,  
Ed Ames*