

# Rooster Tales

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## Gathering/Training Schedule

**Flagstaff Area** (all at Trinity Heights UMC, Fellowship Hall, childcare provided):

**May 20** - Gathering 5:00 p.m.

**July 8** - Training 2:00 p.m., 4th Day Dinner 5:00 p.m.

**Sept. 30** - Gathering 5:00 p.m.

**Nov. 18** - Training 2:00 p.m., Gathering at 5:00 p.m.

*Cindi Martinez's email for more information is [cjmartinez@juno.com](mailto:cjemartinez@juno.com)*

**Phoenix Area:** (all at Central UMC, Kendal Hall)

**May 12** - Gathering at 7:15 p.m.

**Sept. 8** - Gathering at 7:15 p.m.

**Oct. 10** - Gathering at 7:15 p.m.

*George and Cathy Smoot's email for more information is [gmsmoot@inficad.com](mailto:gmsmoot@inficad.com)*

**NW Valley Area:** (Oct. 2 through May 7)

**1st Sunday of each Month.** Gathering at 6:30 p.m. at Lakeview UMC, 10298 W. Thunderbird (corner of T-Bird & 103rd Ave.)

*Iain Glithero's phone # for more information is 602-770-4858.*

**East Valley Area:**

**1st Sunday of each Month-** Gathering at 11:45 a.m. at Grace UMC at the corner of Gilbert & University.

*Rich & Nancy Foster's email for more information is [ndwfoster@aol.com](mailto:ndwfoster@aol.com) or (480) 982-9141*

**Tucson Area:** (all of the following begin at 5:00 p.m. with a potluck & 6:30 p.m. for Gathering)

**May 20** - St. Paul's UMC, Tucson

**July 15** - Christ Church UMC, Tucson

**Sept. 16** - St. James UMC, Tucson

*Dave Camp's email for more information is [J.D.Camp@att.net](mailto:J.D.Camp@att.net)*

**Yuma Emmaus/Corsillo Community:**

**May 19** - 6:00 p.m. potluck & gathering, St. Paul's Episcopal Church

*Paula Volenstine's email for more information is [volenstine@earthlink.net](mailto:volenstine@earthlink.net)*

## Walk Schedule

**Walk 165, June 1-4, 2006,** Trinity Heights UMC, Flagstaff, Darrin Womble, Lay Director

**Walk 166, June 15-18, 2006,** Trinity Heights UMC, Flagstaff, Donna Norris, Lay Director

**Walk 167, October 5-8, 2006,** First Mesa UMC, Mark LaTour, Lay Director

**Walk 168, October 26-29, 2006,** First Mesa UMC, Jody Hill, Lay Director

## BOARD ELECTIONS

The time is here for the annual election of new officers for the Board of Directors. There are 3 positions on the ballot-President, Treasurer, and Gathering committee chairpersons. Three individuals have made the commitment to serve in these positions for the next 3 years, and are recommended by the Board.

President- Lynn Garner

Treasurer- Alan Wilson

Gathering- Vic/Sharon Paap

The elections will be held at the May Gatherings around the state. Please make plans to attend a May Gathering and cast your vote.

If you are unable to attend, but wish to vote, you may email me at [wlanoue@cableaz.com](mailto:wlanoue@cableaz.com).

I can send you a ballot in Word format.

Bill LaNoue

## HELP!

We're looking for a few good men to work on an ongoing project. If you are good at detail work, like working with your hands and hand tools, we've got just the job for you. For more information, contact Bill LaNoue at 480-831-2811.

**Walk 165 - June 1-4, 2006, Trinity Heights, Flagstaff**

**LEADERS TEAM**

Darrin Womble	Lay Director
Billy Martin	Head Spiritual Director
Michael Fredrick	Assistant Lay Director
Randy Hemala	Assistant Lay Director
Ron Pitt	Assistant Lay Director
John Seifried	Assistant Lay Director
Sharon Pajak	Assistant Spiritual Director
Stan Patterson	Assistant Spiritual Director
Dean Neasham	Music Leader
Jerry Paris	Head Cook

**TALK TEAM**

Alan Adams	Eddy Bressler
Dick Brumbaugh	Whitney Cunningham
Pete Decker	Ted Jung
Mike Knapp	Carl Lutch
Scott Olson	Bill Pate
Rich Payne	Donn Pease
Denny Rust	Phil Sammons

**COOK TEAM**

Tom Alexander	Tony Casali	Richard Christie
Bob Connelly	Tom Cooper	Vern Crissman
Bobby Dixon	Mark French	David Green
Kurt Harris	Mac Jett	David Kulen
Mike Ledbetter	George McGuire	Chuck Morrison
Ron Neville	Steve Nutter	Paul Pablano
Bill Pierson	Gary Plank	Ricky Ray
Paul Robinson	Bill Shawley	Micole Shorty
John Weber	Matt Wright	

**PILGRIMS**

Jay Barshay	Martin Brown	Terry Burns
Eddie Chiles	Ted Choate	Robert Craig
Jack Donovan	David Hayes	Tom Little
Wade Martin	Jim McFadden	Pete Mensing
Frank Morris	Ron Privette	George Sandifer
Russ Stearns	Mike Thomas	David Treadwell
Steve Weatherby	Lee Roy White	

**MOVING?**

**Please, please let us know!** Email the Director of Communications, Lynn Garner, at jack2lynn@cableone.net; or call the Emmaus Office at 623-937-9391 and leave a message on the answering machine; or mail us notification at Arizona Walk to Emmaus, 6826 North 55th Drive, Glendale, AZ 85301

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**Please, please let us know** if you can read your newsletter at our website (<http://azemmaus.org/>), then you could cancel your hardcopy issue. If this works for you follow directions above, "Moving".

**Walk 166 - June 15-18, 2006, Trinity Heights, Flagstaff**

**LEADERS TEAM**

Donna Norris	Lay Director
Bob Remp	Head Spiritual Director
Judy Cutlipp	Assistant Lay Director
Lanice Hemala	Assistant Lay Director
Kyra Pease	Assistant Lay Director
Margie Smith	Assistant Lay Director
Evelyn Roberts	Assistant Spiritual Director
Barbara Robinson	Assistant Spiritual Director
Gary Ward	Assistant Spiritual Director
Linda Worsnop	Assistant Spiritual Director
Marcia Brown	Music Leader
Gayla Remp	Head Cook
Barbara Paris	Assistant Head Cook

**TALK TEAM**

Nellie Amedee	Angie Bain
Lydia Barry	Lu Brumbaugh
Linda Charles	Lynn Clapper
Anne Marie Davee	Dusty LaNoue
Cindy Nutter	Kay Pitt
Elaine Pope	Kari Plank
Vicki Rising	Audrey Schwartz

**COOK TEAM**

Julie Adams	Galyeen Aguirre-White	Kim Alexander
Jannette Bressler	Jannine Cluck	Karen Collins
Amy Fredrick	Leslie French	Darlana Glenn
Marilyn Jenkins	Debbie LaPierre	Joanne Ledbetter
Judy Martin	Cindi Martinez	Nevitta Mason
Sarah McGuire	Mary Olson	Jo Ann Palmer
Roz Peters	Alondra Roehler	Mary Shawley
Megan Tucker	Janet Warren	Erin Willingham
Linda White	Jane Wittman	

**PILGRIMS**

Anna Bailey	Chris Burns	Joan Choate
Deidre Craig	Sondra Dixon	Nancy Donovan
Debbie Flinko	Virginia Hayes	Linda Israel
Tammy Jackson	Judy Leftwich	Melissa Little
Leanne Martin	Karen Mensing	Molly Schnieder
Madelyn Stearns	Beth Thomas	Connie Weatherby
Kathy Weitzel	Kathy West	Annette Williams
Joyce Wise		



## THANKS

My favorite scripture -the one that is on my banner- is IThess. 5:18, "In all things give thanks, for it is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you." I want to thank each of you for the opportunity you have given me to serve you as President of the Board of Directors for the past 4 years. I have been so blessed by it. During my time in office, I have been surrounded by a dedicated group of servants. The Board is made up of men and women—all of whom are very active in their own churches—who give tirelessly to ensure that the Arizona Walk to Emmaus continues to raise up leaders in the local church.

My thanks to each member of the Board—past and present. As my term comes to a close, I am confident that the new President will be a great servant-leader. Please give the Board your support.

I have had the privilege of serving with Jim Longstreet as our Community Spiritual Director. Thanks, Jim for being such a wonderful friend and Shepard to the flock!

I have come to know brothers and sisters in Christ all over the state, and I never cease to be amazed by the diversity, strength, humility, and love of the Emmaus community. The Walk to Emmaus has had a powerful impact on my life and I know that it has done the same for many people. I pray that each of you will strive to make Emmaus the awesome expression of the love and grace of Jesus Christ!

At closings the pilgrims are asked: "What have these 3 days meant to you?" and "What are you going to do with it?" Many times their response to the second question is that they will listen to see what God has in store for them. That is my plan as well. I am not sure what the Lord has planned for me next, but I look forward to "seeing" what it is!

DeColores,  
Bill LaNoue

## The Rooster Needs HELP!

The Communications Committee needs a monthly volunteer to pick up the copies of the newsletter from the printers, pick up the labels, collate them and mail the newsletters. We have had a wonderful volunteer for a couple of years, Lois Kuphal, and Jody and Frank Hill have been assisting her. We thank them VERY MUCH for their hard work. They will fully train you for as long as you need. If you would like to pick up this great way to serve for the AZ Walk to Emmaus Community, please contact Lynn Garner at jack2lynn@cableone.net. This is a critical step in the process of getting out our Rooster Tales every month.

Dear Emmaus Sisters and Brothers,  
Kairos Outside Phoenix #1 has started team formation for our retreat weekend June 9-11. We have many Emmaus brothers serving as cooks and sisters serving at tables and more. This new ministry has as its goal to have women attend the weekend whose lives are affected by a loved one's incarceration or their own former imprisonment.

On Sunday, June 11 of the weekend, we have a service that includes the outside community—YOU—Las Mananitas or "Flowers at dawn". At 5:30 a.m. please join us to greet the women with your flowers as a surprise on their final day. Each flower becomes part of a bouquet for our Guests, a touch of God's love for them. Also, you are invited, and we hope you will come, to our closing at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, June 11. The weekend will be held at Mt. Claret Retreat Center at 4633 N. 54th Street (Camelback), Phoenix.

Please come to be a cloud of God's witnesses to these women who are doing time along with their loved ones. Matthew 25:35-36 "I was in prison and you visited me".

If you know any women who have loved ones in prison, or have been in prison themselves, and could be blessed by attending this retreat weekend, please call Cindy Von Barga at 602-315-2008 for information or applications.

Every blessing,

Lori Rand

Team Leader

Kairos Outside #1 - Phoenix

## Community

At the last Board of Director's meeting it was decided that applications for upcoming Walks must be in the hands of the Registrar 3 weeks prior to the Walk weekend. As you know, much prayer and preparation goes into sponsoring a Pilgrim and time is needed to make banners and collect agape. Lists, labels and name tags need to be made by the Registration Committee. The 3 week deadline will enable the Registrar and sponsors adequate time to prepare for the Pilgrim's weekend, as we want it to be a most memorable time for the Pilgrim.

Just a reminder: effective January 2006, the fee for a weekend is \$95, which includes the \$20 deposit to be sent in with the application. The remainder is due by the time of registration on the Thursday night of the Walk.

**MAY, 2006**



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